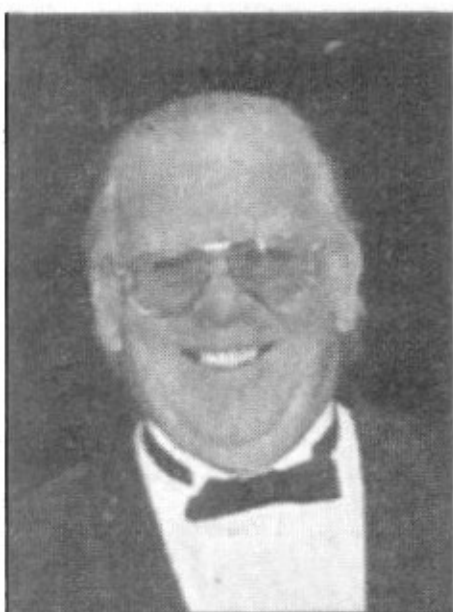


## OBITUARIES

# Daniel W. Grauberger, 62

Pastor Daniel W. Grauberger, 62, of 113 2nd Street, Melbourne, Iowa died Tuesday, June 13, 2006 at the University of Iowa Hospital in Iowa City.



**FUNERAL SERVICES** and a celebration of his life were held on Saturday, June 17, 2006, at St. John United Church of Christ in Melbourne. **INTERMENT** services followed in the Melbourne Cemetery, Melbourne. A **VISITATION** was held Friday at the Pursel-Davis Funeral Home & Crematory, where the family will be present to greet friends. Memorials may be directed to the family in his name. For further information or to send a condolence, please visit [www.purseldavis.com](http://www.purseldavis.com).

Daniel Wayne Grauberger was born on April 24, 1944 in Cleveland, Ohio, the son of Gustav Daniel and Helen Olga Hanel Grauberger. He was raised and educated in Cleveland, Ohio, and graduated from Baldwin-Wallace College in Berea, Ohio and later obtained his masters of divinity from Lancaster Theological Seminary in Pennsylvania. On June 10, 1964, he was united in

marriage to Donna Marie Zeh in Cleveland, Ohio. He began a long career in the ministry, serving as pastor of many churches in communities in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Iowa, including Alden-Buckeye, Lincoln, Clemons and Marshalltown. He also substituted for area churches, including St. John United Church of Christ in Melbourne. In addition to his ministry, he was employed with AAA of Iowa in Marshalltown for twenty-two years. He was a member of St. John United Church of Christ, the Iowa Conference of the United Church of Christ, Cedar Rapids Emmaus Community, the Marshalltown Community Playhouse, the Marshalltown Men's Chorus, and Our Town Players of Melbourne. Dan enjoyed gardening, fishing, theatre, decorating the house for ALL holidays, and exploring history.

Dan is survived by his wife: Donna Grauberger of Melbourne; children: Darryl "Doc" Grauberger of St. Croix Falls, Wisconsin, Ryan (Karla) Grauberger of Cedar Rapids, Joy (Jason) Craddock of Sauk Village, Illinois, and Sydni Grauberger of Melbourne; ten grandchildren; and a brother: Ray (Emi) Grauberger of Vista, California.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister: Arlene Gilbert.