

OBITUARIES FROM PURSEL-DAVIS FUNERAL HOME MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA (Source: http://www.funeralquestions.com/obits/pursel-davis/memorial_index.asp)

Edna May Hellberg



Born: May 31, 1920 Died: February 18, 2005

Services will be held at: 2:00 P.M. on Monday, February 21, 2005 at the First Congregational Church, 312 West Main St. Marshalltown. Burial will follow services at Rose Hill Memorial Gardens.

Visitation times are: 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. on Sunday evening February 20, 2005 at the Pursel-Davis Funeral Home and Crematory. Memorial contributions may be directed in Edna May's name to her family, American Stroke Association, 1111 9th Street, Suite 280 Des Moines, IA, 50314 or Iowa River Hospice, 206 West Church Street, Marshalltown, IA 50158.

Edna May was born at home May 31, 1920 in Canton, South Dakota. She was the daughter of Frank and Alida (Sandven) Bankson. She was raised in Canton where she graduated from Canton High School in 1938. She graduated from Augusatana College in 1942 with a B.A. degree in English. She taught school in Rapid City, South Dakota where she met her husband Hjalmar. They were married on December 30, 1945 in Canton, South Dakota. Edna May is survived by her husband, Hjalmar, brother Rev. Donald P. Bankson of Fallbrook, CA, her three children, Vic (Gayle) Hellberg, David (Dorothy) Hellberg and Renee (Barry) Sedlacek all of Marshalltown, her six grandchildren, Nicole Hellberg, Erika (Hellberg) Lindblom, Matthew Hellberg, Kelli Hellberg, Amy Sedlacek-Harmon, Amanda Sedlacek, three nephews and one niece. Edna May was preceded in death by her parents.