



Ruth A. Everett

Sept. 9, 1899-April 23, 1992

Ruth A. Everett, 92, Ames, died Thursday, April 23, of respiratory failure at Mary Greeley Medical Center. The body was donated to the University of Iowa at Iowa City. A memorial service will be held Saturday at 9 a.m. at First United Methodist Church.

Everett Ruth A.

d. 4-23-1992

Ruth Hook was born in Stratford to G.F. and Elizabeth (Near) Hook. Before graduating from Iowa State University in 1924, she received a teaching certificate from the University of Northern Iowa. On Sept. 13, 1924, she married Charles H. Everett in Muscatine. In 1937, she moved from rural Collins to Sioux Falls, S.D. While there, she was concerned about the standard of care given at some nursing homes and was instrumental in the mandatory licensing of nursing homes. In 1945, she moved to Ames. She worked as youth director and parish visitor for the First United Methodist Church until retiring in 1961. After that, she worked extensively with homebound church members.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church; Order of the Eastern Star; and PEO.

Survivors include a son, Bernard

A. "Bud" Everett of Moline, Ill.; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles; a daughter; and her parents.

Memorial contributions may be given to First United Methodist Church.

Adams Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.