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Pearl I. Jones, 90

Pearl I. Jones, 90, Marshalltown, died Tuesday, June 10, 2003 at the Marshalltown Medical and Surgical Center.

Funeral services were held Friday, June 13 at the Estel-Perrin-Avey Funeral Home with Rev. David Steege of the St. John Lutheran Church at State Center officiating. She was laid to rest in the Rose Hill Memorial Gardens in Marshalltown.

Born Pearl I. Matthews on Sept. 5, 1912 in Polo, IL, she was the daughter of Walter Emsley and Mary (Glendy) Matthews. She received her education in Vinton, Iowa.

On Dec. 5, 1936, she was united in marriage to Elmer Jones in Davenport. They resided near State Center for many years until moving to Marshalltown in 1960 to their present home. Mrs. Jones was a member of the St. John Lutheran Church at State Center and had been employed at St. Thomas Hospital in Marshalltown.

Left to mourn her loss are her three sons: Carl (Maryl) of Marshalltown; Richard (Ilene) of Rhodes and Donald (Kathi) of Keokuk, dear grandchildren and step-grandchild and seven precious great grandchildren as well as her three sisters and one brother. Naomi Yancy and Lena Schooley both of Des Moines, Maxine Vonstein of Cedar Rapids and Bill Mathews-LeCorne of Illinois, as well numerous nieces and as nephews.

In death she rejoins her parents, her beloved Elmer, great-grandson Matthew and her siblings.