Anita A. Maxwell Aug. 4, 1916-Jan. 11, 2004

Anita A. Maxwell, 87, of Maxwell, died Sunday, Jan. 11, at the Israel Family Hospice House in Ames.

She was born Aug. 4, 1916, in

Detroit, Mich., to Herbert and Lyla (Buck) Lewis. She married William Maxwell in Oak Park, Ill., on Sept. 12, 1942. He preceded her in death Jan. 25, 1992. She loved her family and her family was her life.

Survivors include two daughters, Anita (and Ronald) Mullen of Sycamore, Ill., and Callie (and Ken) Sandquist of Cambridge; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and a sister, Margaret Lyons of Ashville, N.C.

Visitation will be at the Bacon Funeral Home in Maxwell beginning Friday at 6:30 p.m. and continuing until the start of the memorial service at 8 p.m. Officiating at the memorial service will be Pastor Rayl Robbins. Burial will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Maxwell Cemetery with the Rev. Don Burket officiating. Memorials may be made to the Maxwell Area Community Center and to Israel Family Hospice House.