Mildred Pepper

JULY 15, 1911-MARCH 25, 2003

/ ildred Pepper, 91, of

the Riverside Manor in Ames and formerly of Marshalltown, died Tuesday, March 25, at Mary Greeley Medical Center in Ames. Services were this morning at Hope United Methodist Church in Marshalltown, with the Rev. Charles Curl officiating. Burial was in Rose Hill Memorial Gardens Mildred Hill Pepper was born July 16, 1911, in Dows, the daughter of

Clarence and Mildred (Bates) Hill. She received her education in the area of her birth and graduated as class valedictorian of Dows High School. She married Vernard Pepper March 25,

1931, in Dows. They resided in Dows, Colo, State Center, Independence and New Providence before moving to Marshalltown, Mildred was employed at the Independence Mental Institute in nursing. In Marshalltown, she was a member of Hope United

Left to mourn her loss are her six loving children. Norma (Harl) Ingham of Ames, Marladene Tice of Ames, Carol (William) Severidt of Marshalltown.

Virgil (Carole) Pepper of

Methodist Church

Marshalltown, Jim (Linda) Pepper of Marshalltown and Julian (Karen) Pepper of Independence; 13 dear grandchildren; 29 precious great-grandchildren; four cherished siblings, Arthur Hill and Clair Hill, both of

Dows, Evelyn Boyington

of State Center and

Layonne Morris of Albert Lea, Minn.; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In death, she has rejoined her loving husband Vernard; one grandson Todd Severidt; her parents; and her siblings Lawrence, Aubrey and Laurel Hill, Edith Fitz and Veva White

Condolences may be left at www.mem.com. Estel-Perrin-Avey Funeral Home in

Marshalltown is in charge of arrangements.

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