

Charles Archie Ray

December 12, 2001

Oct. 30, 1910, to Dec. 7, 2001

Charles Archie Ray, 91, of the Iowa Veterans Home in Marshalltown and formerly of Maxwell, died Friday, Dec. 7, at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Des Moines from a heart ailment.

He was born Oct. 30, 1910, in Maxwell, to Charles and Cora (Woten) Ray. After attending school in Maxwell, he began his career in farming. During World War II, he served in the Army for four years and served in New Guinea and the Philippine Islands. He retired from farming and moved to the Iowa Veterans Home in Marshalltown where he has resided for the past 13 years. He was a member of the Maxwell Christian Church and the American Legion. He enjoyed airplanes and covered bridges.

Survivors include his sister, Eva Schultz of Nevada; three nieces and four nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters, Gracie Ketcham and Viola Tomlinson.

Graveside funeral services and interment were held Tuesday at the Maxwell Cemetery with the Rev. Tom Lee officiating. The Maxwell American Legion and VFW gave military honors. Bacon Funeral Home, Maxwell, handled arrangements.

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Marshalltown

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Mr. Ray was born in Maxwell. He lived there most of his life until moving to the Iowa Veterans Home in Marshalltown 13 years ago. He was an Army veteran of World War II and a farmer. He was a member of Maxwell Christian Church and American Legion. He enjoyed airplanes and covered bridges.

He is survived by a sister, Eva Schultz of Nevada, Ia.

Friends may call from 7 to 8:30 p.m. today at Bacon Funeral Home in Maxwell, where a prayer service will be held at 8:15 p.m.

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Visitation will be from 7 to 8:30 tonight, with a prayer service at 8:15 p.m. at Bacon Funeral Home in Maxwell.