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Husband of Vera Harrington

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HARVEY VENENGA

Newton



Harvey Venenga, 78, of Newton died of leukemia Tuesday at Skiff Medical Center in Newton. The body will be cremated, and memorial services will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday at

Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Newton, of which he was a member. Private burial of the cremains will be at Collins Cemetery in Collins.

Mr. Venenga was born in Wellsburg and had lived in Marshalltown before moving to Newton. He had been a farmhand, a meatcutter with Hy-Vee in Marshalltown and Newton and had worked in the maintenance department with Maytag Corp. in Newton before retiring. He enjoyed working in his yard, planting and caring for hostas, performing small repair work on his home, taking road trips, Iowa State sports and the Chicago Cubs.

He is survived by his wife, Vera; two sons, Lawrence of Des Moines and Duane of Newton; three sisters, Helen Davis of Eldora, Arvilla Gerloff of New Hartford and Marge Jurchen of Grundy Center; three grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Friends may call following services at McCann Center in Newton, where a luncheon will be held. Reese Funeral Home in Newton is handling arrangements.