

# Bill Wignall *Deed Oct 26-84* Rhodes, Dies

William Berry (Bill) Wignall, 74, longtime Rhodes resident, died Friday at the Marshalltown Area Community Hospital.

Services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday from the Rhodes United Methodist Church with the Rev. William Gotthardt, pastor, and the Rev. Delbert Grim, pastor of Bethany United Methodist Church of Marshalltown, officiating. Burial will be in Rose Hill Memorial Gardens.

The family will be at the Wensel-Perrin Funeral Home in State Center from 7 to 9 p.m. this Monday to visit with friends and relatives.

Born Jan. 18, 1910, on a farm in Story County, he was the son of William H. and Ora B. Walker Wignall. He attended the Rhodes school and lived his entire life in that community. On March 12, 1932, he was married to Edna Spencer at Rock Island, Ill.

Mr. Wignall worked with his father in road construction and farming, and during World War II, worked as a foreman at the Ordinance Plant in Ankeny. He was later employed by Swift and Company in Marshalltown for 22 years before retiring in 1968. He was affiliated with the Rhodes Methodist Church.

Preceding him in death were two brothers and a sister. Survivors include his widow, Edna, two daughters, Juanita (Mrs. Marvin) Gibbs and Norma (Mrs. Merlin) Klaas, both of State Center, two sons, W. Harlan Wignall and Robert W. Wignall, both of Rhodes; 17 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Also surviving are four brothers, James, Warren, George, all of Marshalltown, and Harold Wignall of Melbourne.