



R. Powell

August 19, 2007

CEDAR FALLS, G. Allan Powell, 89, of the Western Home Communities in Cedar Falls, formerly of New Hartford died Sunday, August 19, 2007 at Allen Memorial Hospital in Waterloo.

He was born July 24, 1918, in Dysart, Iowa, the son of William and Ruth Adeline (Yost) Powell. He served his country in the United States Army during World War II. On December 4, 1942, he was united in marriage to Mabel E. Christensen in Colorado Springs, CO. He farmed in Dysart until 1948, in Hudson until 1950, Phoenix until 1951, Longmont, CO until 1953 and from 1954 until retirement he farmed in New Hartford and also worked at Rath Packing Co. in Waterloo until the plants closing.

Survived by: his wife of Cedar Falls; four daughters, Elaine M. (David) Reents of Wellsburg, Jan K. (Jim) Cox of New Hartford, and Marilyn J. Powell and Marcia D. Laudick, both of Waterloo; eight grandchildren; and ten great grandchildren.

Preceded in death by: two sisters, Cleo Alcorn and Pauline Hoepfner; and brother, Paul Powell.

Services are scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, August 22, 2007 at Calvary Baptist Church in Parkersburg, with interment in Oak Hill Cemetery, Parkersburg. Friends may call from 4 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Richardson Funeral Home in Cedar Falls, where family will be present from 5 to 7. and 1 ? hours prior to the services at the church. Memorial contributions may be directed to the church or Western Home Communities.

Richardson Funeral Home in Cedar Falls is in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be left at www.richardsonfuneralservice.com

Tribute Wall



“ I met Mr. Powell at our Veteran's Day ceremony at Peet Junior High. At a coffee following the ceremony, Mr. Powell asked if I knew a certain person from Traer. Both were from Tama County and they entered the service on the same day. The gentleman he asked about is my father and we struck up quite a conversation. I called my dad that evening and told him that I had met an old friend of his.

I frequently visit a friend at Willowood so I kept in touch with Mr. Powell. In fact, I visited with him a couple of weeks ago just before his 89th birthday. We had such a nice conversation about Traer and Dysart people. He was such a nice gentleman with a gentle sense of humor. I was shocked to learn just days after our meeting that he was not well.

Please accept my deepest sympathy as your mourn the loss of your loved one

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