

ROACH, FLORENCE IRENE

Birth

August 19, 1921 at Cumming,
Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA



Death

September 1, 2009 at Bright
Kavanagh House, Des Moines, IA



Cause of Death

Kidney Failure

Cemetery Lot

Buried on Front half of
north half of lot 140
Lot was sold to J. Alvin Roach in 2008

Father

Raymond Harlond Michael

Mother

Ellice Hannah Putnam

Marriage

Florence Irene Michael to John Alvin Roach on January 25, 1942

Census

1925 – Webster Twp., Polk Co., Iowa; State census; Line 121

Michael, Raymond	27	IA	OH	IA
Father, Daniel S. Michael, born in OH, age 92				
Mother, Minnie McDivitt, born in IA, age 62				
Daniel and Minnie were married in Iowa				
Ellice H.	26	IA	IA	IA
Father, Ernest Putnam, born in IA, age 58				
Mother, Rosala Dugan, born in IA, age 50				
Ernest and Rosala were married in Iowa				
Rosalie M.	05	IA	IA	IA

Father, Raymond H., Michael, born in IA, age 27
 Mother, Ellice H. Putnam, born in IA, age 26
 Raymond and Ellice were married in Iowa

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1930 – Saylor Twp., Polk Co., IA; ED117; Page 11B; April 19, 1930
 Dwelling 276; Family 276

Michael., Raymond H.	31	farmer	IA	PA	IA
Ellice H.	30		IA	IA	IA
Rosalie M.	10		IA	IA	IA
Florence I.	08		IA	IA	IA
Ralph H.	05		IA	IA	IA
June B.	03	11/12	IA	IA	IA

1940 – Saylor Twp., Polk Co., Iowa; ED77-30; Page 28A; May 22, 1940
 Family 566

Michael, Raymond	42	Farm operator	IA
		In 1935 was living in Story Co.	
		Value of home, \$12,000	
Ellice	41		IA
Florence	18		IA
Ralph	15		IA
June	13		IA
Bruce	10		IA
Billy	04		IA

Funeral Home

Peterson Funeral Home, Carlisle, Iowa

Obituary

[The Des Moines Register, Thursday, September 3, 2009, Page 8B]

Florence Irene Roach passed away at 88 years of age from kidney failure on September 1, 2009, at Bright Kavanagh House in Des Moines.

Funeral services for Florence will be held 10 a.m. Saturday, September 5, at Peterson Funeral Home in Carlisle with burial in the Orillia Cemetery. Visitation with her family will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday evening at the funeral home.

Florence is survived by her husband John Alvin of Carlisle, sons Tom of Cumming; Danny of Carlisle; John Jr. of Boca Raton, Florida; Dave of Carlisle; and Phil of Perry; Sisters Rosalie Bradshaw of Panora; Joan Michael of Yale; brothers Bill Michael of Texas; and Bruce Michael of Indianola. Florence was preceded in death by her brother Ralph Michael of Red Oak. Florence had 13 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Florence grew up in north Des Moines and was united in marriage to John Alvin for 67 years. Together they lived in Florida, the Philippines, and Alaska while John was in the Navy. They moved to their farm south of Carlisle in 1952. She was very proud of her immediate and extended family and spent her life caring for them.

From the Memorial Card:

In Loving Memory

Florence Irene Roach

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Died: September 1, 2009, Des Moines, Iowa

Funeral Services

10:00 a.m. Saturday, September 5, 2009

Peterson Funeral Home

Carlisle, Iowa

Clergy: Reverend John W. Long

Special Selections

"In The Garden"

"Old Rugged Cross"

Pallbearers

Lee Roach, Jack Roach, Todd Roach, Chris Roach,

Tom Roach, Tim Roach, Scott Roach, Brian Roach

Interment

Pleasant Ridge Cemetery, Orilla, Iowa

Verse

23rd psalm