



## Rose Grinstead

September 4, 1952 - December 30, 2021

Rose Grinstead, 69, of Bloomfield, Iowa passed away on December 30, 2021 at the Bloomfield Care Center surrounded by her family and lifelong best friend. She was born on September 4, 1952 in Bloomfield to Floyd and Golda Garmon Huggins. She graduated from Davis County High School in 1970, and later graduated from Northeast Missouri State (Truman State) with a teaching degree. She was a Title 1 Math and Reading teacher with Davis County Community Schools for 25 years, retiring in 2011. Her teaching touched the lives of many students over the years. Rose was also active in extracurricular activities in the school and especially enjoyed being a prom sponsor.

On August 12, 1977, Rose married Rusty Grinstead in Bloomfield. The couple enjoyed raising their two children, Ryan and Ranae, and attending the many activities they participated in throughout their school years. When grandchildren came into Rose's life, she spent as much time with them as she could. Her hobbies included bowling, sewing, fishing, and decorating cakes.

She is survived by her husband, Rusty; son, Ryan (Rosa) Grinstead of Ottumwa; daughter, Ranae (Juan) Lujan of Bloomfield; twelve grandchildren, Lydia, Claire, Ally, Shelby, Bryan, Emily, Jonathan, Cody, Adrian, Brandon, Lantz, Hadley; seven siblings, Oma Munn, Dwight (Jacquie) Huggins, Ron (Pat) Huggins, Harold Huggins, Max (Tonya) Huggins, Gary Joe (Pam) Huggins, Stan (Deb) Huggins; five sisters-in-law, Marietta Huggins, Janice

Huggins, Sue Myers, Cody (Mike) Kerby, Jody Allen; a brother-in-law, Rick (Bev) Grinstead; and dozens of nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; mother-in-law, Carol Grinstead; father-in-law, Dewey Grinstead Jr.; four brothers, Floyd "Smoke" Huggins, William "Bill" Huggins, Jimmie Huggins, Tommie Huggins; two sisters-in-law, Marlene Huggins, Betty Anne Huggins; and a brother-in-law, Jimmie Munn.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, January 4, 2021 at the Wagler Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Pastor Jon Klaus officiating. Burial will be at the IOOF Cemetery in Bloomfield. Visitation will begin at noon on Monday with the family present to greet friends from 5-7:00 p.m. at the funeral home. A memorial has been established to Davis County Dollars for Scholars.

# Cemetery Details

## IOOF Cemetery

620 North Madison Street  
Bloomfield, IA 52537

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 3. 12:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wagler Funeral Home  
304 West Jefferson Street  
Bloomfield, IA 52537  
(641) 664-3421  
<https://www.waglerfuneralhome.com/>

## Visitation with Family Present

JAN 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wagler Funeral Home  
304 West Jefferson Street  
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## Funeral Services

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JAN 4. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Rose Grinstead*

January 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *My sincere condolences to all of Rose's family. We shared many stories and laughs during my time teaching at DC. I pray your memories bring you peace and comfort.*



**Krishna Carlyle** - January 04, 2022 at 06:24 AM



“ *My condolences to Rose's Grinstead and Huggins family. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*



**Connie Blankenship Phillis** - January 03, 2022 at 06:57 PM



“ *May God's Love help comfort all loved ones*  
❤️  
*Rose was a very delightful person, with a beautiful smile.*



**Nancy Holt** - January 03, 2022 at 12:12 PM

TD

“ *Sending the family prayers and many hugs! Rose was special to many!*

*Tom & Suzanne Dean*

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**Tom & Suzanne Dean** - January 03, 2022 at 10:56 AM

JW

“ *Jackie White lit a candle in memory of Rose Grinstead*



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**Jackie White** - January 03, 2022 at 04:16 AM

LR

“ *Bi thier to the family of Rose I am sorry to hear about her pasting my sympathy and prayers for her children and family lynn*

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**Lynn roberts** - January 02, 2022 at 09:54 AM

LR

“ *Lynn Roberts lit a candle in memory of Rose Grinstead*



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**Lynn roberts** - January 02, 2022 at 09:52 AM

VD

“ I have known Rose most of my life, she worked with my mom at the bank before she started teaching, she was an amazing lady, she had the biggest heart of gold for everyone, she was the most loving, caring lady around, she was the best teacher and advisor (my kids loved her), she was such a strong and courageous lady, she always had a smile no matter what she was going through! Rose will be missed by so many! Love you so much Rose! Sending hugs, love and prayers to all the family!

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**Vanessa Davidson** - January 02, 2022 at 12:46 AM

KH

“ Kathy Hartwick lit a candle in memory of Rose Grinstead



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**Kathy Hartwick** - January 01, 2022 at 11:24 PM

MC

“ Mary Cary lit a candle in memory of Rose Grinstead



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**Mary Cary** - January 01, 2022 at 01:08 PM

SF

“ Shirley Wilkinson and Family purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Rose Grinstead.



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**Shirley Wilkinson and Family** - January 01, 2022 at 12:58 PM

MK

“ Mary Kline lit a candle in memory of Rose Grinstead



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**Mary Kline** - January 01, 2022 at 12:51 PM

CM

“ Clay F Miller lit a candle in memory of Rose Grinstead



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**Clay F Miller** - December 31, 2021 at 11:40 PM

SK

“ Steve Kinnamon lit a candle in memory of Rose Grinstead



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**Steve Kinnamon** - December 31, 2021 at 10:11 PM

SK

*Great friend with a big heart. Will miss that lady!*

Steve Kinnamon - December 31, 2021 at 10:16 PM

TC

*Mrs. Grinstead was one of the best teachers i had when i was in high school. I knew she had my back and i will always remember that about her. She will be missed but not forgotten.*

Tina comer Chidester - January 05, 2022 at 10:48 AM

GS

“ *Georgia Stevens lit a candle in memory of Rose Grinstead*



Georgia Stevens - December 31, 2021 at 09:12 PM

KH

“ *Kevin & Lisa Hastings*



Kevin Hastings - December 31, 2021 at 07:33 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rose Grinstead.*



December 31, 2021 at 06:54 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rose Grinstead.*



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December 31, 2021 at 06:27 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rose Grinstead.*



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December 31, 2021 at 05:29 PM



“ *I am deeply saddened to hear this news ;-(  
Rose Marie was a very dear friend of mine through my high school  
years and beyond :-)*

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**Joseph Wyse** - December 31, 2021 at 05:02 PM



“ *I was in 6th(?) grade when she did her student teaching at the  
middle school. I remember her in the Reading/English class and her  
handing out bookmarks and encouraging reading. I have only good  
memories of her.*

*I'm sorry to hear of your loss.  
Anne Tews (Library Director)*

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**Anne Tews** - December 31, 2021 at 04:56 PM

JG

“ *Jodi German lit a candle in memory of Rose Grinstead*



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**Jodi German** - December 31, 2021 at 04:09 PM