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Warren W. Harden, 88, of Decatur, died at 9:16 a.m. Friday in his home at Woodcrest Retirement Community, where he had lived for more than 19 years.

He was born on May 20, 1921, in Decatur to Morris and Edna Welty Harden.

He retired in 1983 as a certification inspector at the former General Electric Co. plant in Decatur after having worked there for 40 years and seven months.

He was a graduate of Decatur High School in the Class of 1940 and a lifelong member of the United Brethren in Christ Church, which is now Cornerstone Church. He served as his church's organist for more than 50 years. He was a member of the GE's Quarter-Century Club.

His only survivor is a brother, Paul L. Harden of Decatur. One brother, Fred R. Harden, is deceased.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in Zwick and Jahn Funeral Home, Decatur, with Pastor John Follett, who is the chaplain at Woodcrest; Rev. Jim Sturgeon; and Rev. Mark Beers officiating. Burial will be in Decatur Cemetery.

Visiting hours are 12:30-2 p.m. Monday in Porter Auditorium at Woodcrest and 3-8 p.m. Monday in Zwick and Jahn Funeral Home. Preferred memorials are to United Brethren in Christ mission projects.