

In Memory Of

HOWARD CHRISTENSEN

Born April 4, 1909, Dickens County, Nebraska

Entered Into Eternal Rest January 29, 1980
Harlan, Iowa

Services from the
Burmeister Funeral Home
Friday, February 1, 1980
at 11:00 A.M.

Officiating
Rev. Larry LaVelle
Rev. Don Schoepf

Mr. Harry Ahrenholtz, Soloist

Mrs. Robert Ahrenholtz, Organist

Honorary Bearers

Max Edwards
Dick Powell

Alfred Nielsen
Orrell Gearhart

Casket Bearers

Lake Green
Chet Haase
Rusty Wirth

Glenn D. Rixen
Harold O. Rold
Gaillord Heflin

Interment
Harlan Cemetery
Harlan, Iowa

The Christensen family appreciate the many kind expressions of sympathy and request your presence for lunch at the First United Methodist Church following interment services.

JAMES HOWARD CHRISTENSEN

James Howard Christensen, son of Fern and James C. Christensen was born April 4, 1909 in Dickens County, Nebraska. He departed this life January 29, 1980 at the Myrtle Memorial Hospital in Harlan at the age of 70 years, 9 months and 25 days. Howard and his family came to Shelby County when he was four years old. As a young man he attended rural school in Shelby and Audubon counties. On December 2, 1931 he was united in marriage to Grace Larson at Harlan and to this union one son was born. Howard has farmed most of his life in Shelby County and retired to Harlan in 1965, where he has helped part time at the Thielen Sale Barn. He was a member of the Harlan First United Methodist Church, Independent Order of Odd Fellows No. 267 and devoted member of the Iowa and American Angus Association.

Howard was preceded in death by his parents, one grandson - Ross, a daughter-in-law - Patty, a step mother - Elva and one step sister - Lela Carter. Survivors include his wife Grace, son - Lynn and his wife Diana, three grandchildren - Lori Gettys and her husband Tom, Michael and Patrec, and one great granddaughter - Joan. He is also survived by one brother - Dale Christensen of Harlan, many nieces and nephews and other relatives and friends.

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