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Delbert Anderson, 70

March 6, 1920 — Dec. 22, 1990

WALNUT — Delbert Wayne Anderson, son of William A. and Lillia B. (Scheel) Anderson was born March 6, 1920, at Decatur, NE. He attended country school near Tekamah, NE., and as a young boy moved with his parents to Omaha, NE. Aug. 13, 1942, he entered the U.S. Army, serving his country during WW II in the Southwest Pacific Theater and Pearl Harbor. After his medical discharge, Sept. 30, 1944, he was employed in a saw mill in the Black Hills of S.D., and operated a taxi service in Custer, S.D. He also served in the Civilian Conservation Corp in Custer. In 1952, he then entered the U.S. Air Force, where he served his country until March of 1965.

Aug. 6, 1955, he married Dorothy Beavers in Osage, WY., and to this union nine children were born. He has been engaged in farming in the Atlantic, Oakland, and Walnut area until he died Dec. 22, 1990, at Myrtue Memorial Hospital, at age 70 years, nine months and 16 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Clarice. Survivors are his wife, Dorothy of Walnut; three sons, Joseph of Spokane, WA.; Bruce of Okinawa, Japan; and Edward of Ft. Bragg, N.C.; six daughters, Pennie (Mrs Roger) Holloway of Swansboro, N.C.; Lillee Anderson of Walnut; Pattee Anderson of Mason City; Lynda Anderson of Belton, MO.; Arlene Lee and Kerree (Mrs Allan) Grooms, both of Walnut; 14 grandchildren; three brothers, Kenneth and Guilford, both of Omaha; and Bob of Co. Bluffs; and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Dec. 23, 1990, at Pauley Funeral Home with Richard A. Jones, officiating. Burial was be at a later date.