

Edward William Beermann, 74 ✓

Sept. 4, 1919 - June 19, 1994 ✓

Denison - Edward William Beermann was born Sept. 4, 1919, son of Henry and Olga Weller Beermann. He died at his home in rural Denison June 19, 1994 at age 74. He was born a farm south of Denison in Nishnabotna Township. He was baptized in Christ by Pastor William Freese Sept. 19, 1919 and was confirmed in the Lutheran faith at Zion Lutheran Church in Denison March 20, 1932. He received his education in a rural school near his home and graduated from the Defiance Community High School in 1936.

He married Carmen Rath March 29, 1942 at her parents home in rural Denison by Rev. C.W. Schmidt. They were the parents of five children. He was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church in Denison and a member of their voters assembly. In his early years of farming, he worked with his family on the home farm. After marriage he settled on his own farm north of Defiance for eleven years. In 1953 he moved to his farm south of Denison where he successfully farmed and remained after retiring.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one infant brother, Alvin, twin infant sisters, one sister-in-law, Leone Beermann and one son-in-law, Darlo Jensen. Survivors include his wife, Carmen, of Denison; five daughters; Judy Winterrowd (Rev. Donald) of Battle Creek; Marjorie Jensen of Harlan; Nancy Roehl (Roy) of Winslow, AZ; Connie Ahrendsen (Larry) of Manning; and Kathy Cook (David) of Slater; thirteen grandchildren, six great-grandchildren; two brothers; Walter Beermann of Denison; Harold Beermann (Joan) of Defiance; four sisters; Alma Denker (Clarence) of Denison; Dorothy Christoffersen (Lyle) of Audubon; Irene Boeck (Gaylord) of Schleswig; and Lorena Fink (Mervin) of Denison; two sisters-in-law, Myrtle Rath of Denison and Gertrude Christiansen of Denison and one brother-in-law, Bob Rath (Garnet) of Denison.

Funeral services were held June 22, 1994 at Zion Lutheran Church in Denison with Rev. Kurt Kaiser officiating. Casket bearers were: David Winterrowd, Brian Ahrendsen, Cory Ahrendsen, Larry Ahrendsen, Craig Jensen, Michael Jensen, Jacob Cook, David Cook and Rev. Donald Winterrowd. Burial was held at the Zion Lutheran cemetery in Denison. Walter A. Huebner and Sons' Funeral Home in Denison in charge of arrangements