

## **Delmon A. Bornholdt, 72**

**AVOCA** - Delmon Alfred Bornholdt was born in Pleasant Twp., Pottawattamie County on Jan. 8, 1916. He was the son of Alfred and Amanda Kohlscheen Bornholdt. He was one of two children in the family. He attended country school and graduated in 1932 from the Avoca High School. He was a member of the U.S. Army during WW II, serving in England and Northern France. After his discharge, he returned to Iowa to farm in the Avoca-Hancock area.

He married Florence Petersen at Shelby on Feb. 8, 1946. They were the parents of one son, Mark. During 1957, they moved to a farm southwest of Avoca, where they have lived since. He was a member of the Farm Bureau, served for 43 plus years with the Fred Funston American Legion Post #227 and he was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Avoca. He died Aug. 8, 1988 at the Jennie Edmundson Hospital in Co. Bluffs at age 72 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife, Florence; son, Mark both of Hancock; his sister, Ruth Niemann of Avoca; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were Aug. 11, 1988 at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Avoca with Pastor Harold Peterson officiating. Burial was in the Graceland cemetery, Avoca with Charles Kock, Gale Mark, Sidney Dillon, Kelly McMartin, David Niemann and Greg Petersen serving as casket bearers. Berthussen-Knutson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.