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Ralph Foxhoven, 85

Feb. 18, 1908 - Dec. 23, 1993 Earling - Ralph Foxhoven, son of William and Anna (Engel) Foxhoven, was born Feb. 18, 1908 at Westphalia Township. He died Dec. 23, 1993 at Myrtue Memorial Hospital at age 85 years, 10 months and five days. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Earling, grew up on his parents farm in Westphalia Township near Earling and attended country school near Earling. He farmed for years with his brother, Albert. He retired and moved to Earling where he and, Albert built a brick home, living there for 20 years. March 7, 1991, he became a resident of the Baptist Memorial Home in Harlan, and this was his home until the time of his death. He was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his six brothers, Henry, Alfred, Peter, Paul, Albert and William; and five sisters, Isabelle, Cecelia, Rose, Catherine and Kunigunda. Survivors include two brothers. Ted of Harlan and Bernard of Shenandoah; and a sister, Tillie (Mrs. John) Healey of Oxnard, CA; nieces and nephews, and other relatives.

Mass of Christian burial was celebrated Dec. 27, 1993 at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan with Msgr. Edward Kelly celebrant. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery' in Earling with Ray Stein, Celestin Foxhoven, Joseph Fuhs, Leo Foxhoven, Francis Stein and ' Bernard Stein casket bearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge ofarrangements.