

Carl William Hulsebus, 90

Jan. 6, 1903 — April 23, 1993

DEFIANCE — Carl William Hulsebus, son of William and Mary (Beckman) Hulsebus, was born on a farm southwest of Defiance, Jan. 6, 1903. He died April 23, 1993 at Little Flower Haven in Earling, at age 90 years, 3 months and 17 days. At the age of two, he and his family moved to a farm northwest of Defiance and he grew to adulthood, there. He attended country school in Shelby and Crawford counties. After the death of his father in 1919, he and his brothers helped farm for his mother. His entire life was devoted to agriculture and the family farm. He resided at the Shelby County Care Facility from 1978 to 1985, moving then to Salem Lutheran Home, Elk Horn, in 1985 till 1991. In 1991 he became a resident of Little Flower Haven in Earling, and this has been his home since that time. He was a member of United Methodist Church in Defiance.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Wesley; and a sister, Florence (Mrs Palmer) Anderson. Survivors include two brothers, David (Phylliss) of Defiance and Rev. Glen (Helen) of Montezuma; a sister, Margaret of Defiance; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held April 27, 1993 at the United Methodist Church in Defiance with Pastor Walter Bernard, officiating. Burial was at the Union Twp. cemetery in Defiance with Daryl Hulsebus, Clarence Kenkel, Vernon Hulsebus, Willis Ahrenholtz, Donald Hulsebus and Wesley Ahrenholtz serving as casketbearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.