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Arthur August Swanson Mumm, 87

ELK HORN – Arthur August Swanson Mumm, son of Hans and Karen Swanson Mumm was born April 12, 1903, at Staplehurst, NE. He moved from Nebraska to lowa in his early 20's and lived in the Harlan and Jacksonville areas most of his life.

Oct. 7, 1932, he married Elvira Nielsen at Dannebrog, NE. He ran a small grocery store in Jacksonville and Fiscus. He later operated dairy farms in Lyle, MN., and Adel, IA. He retired to Co. Bluffs in 1965 and moved to Elk Horn in 1987. He was a long time member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church. He has been a resident of the Salem Lutheran Nursing Home for the past four months and died Sept. 26, 1990, at age 87 years, 5 months and 14 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Holger and Clayton and a sister, Ethel Petersen. Survivors include his wife, Elvira of Elk Horn; two sons, Arthur of Elkhorn, WI., and Noel of Mo. Valley; three daughters, Gertrude Christensen of Clinton, OH.; Ann Mumm-Render of Albany, CA., and Lou Mumm of Springfield, MO.; three brothers, Vern Mumm of Co. Bluffs; Godfrey Mumm of Littleton, CO., and Rev. Roy Mumm of Albert Lea, MN.; four sisters, Mae Vedsted of Burlington, CO.; Stella Homen of King City, Ca.; Eleanor Adams of Littleton, CO., and Gertrude Beal of Las Cruces, NM.; 11 grandchildren; 4 great grandchildren; many nieces and nephews and other relatives

Funeral services were held Sept. 29, 1990 at Bethlehem Lutheran Church with Rev. Harrison Kline and Rev. LeVern Nielsen, officiating. Burial was in the Bethlehem cemetery with Tom Hansen, Paul Scott, Nick White, Norman Scott, Jack Jorgensen and Ron Christensen serving as casketbearers. Arrangements by Burmeister Funeral Home.