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Norman Nielsen, 79

Nov. 28, 1915 - Dec. 24, 1994

Exira - Norman Nielsen, son of Niels and Johanne Winther Nielsen, was born Nov. 28, 1915 near Audubon and died Dec. 24, 1994 at the Exira Care Center in Exira at age 79 years and 26 days. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. He attended rural schools in Audubon County then helped operate the family farm. He operated his mothers' farm for many years then purchased a farm east of Exira which he operated until he retired in 1978. He moved into Exira then sold Mason shoes, advertising products, and was always available to help others. He maintained his home until he became a resident of the Exira Care Center Aug. 28, 1994.

Preceding him in death were his parents; his sisters and brothers: Kristine Nielsen; Marius Nielsen; Marie Perrine; Paul Nelsen; Clara Jensen; and Niels Nielsen; his special friend Elsie Markley. Survivors include his sister Pauline Ploughman of Harlan; his brother Otto (Elvina) Nelsen of Sun City, AZ; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

No services will be held and private inurnment of the cremains will be at a later date. Kessler Funeral Home in Exira in charge of arrangements.