

Everett Ralph Quick, 77

Oct. 4, 1917 - Aug. 9, 1995

Manilla - Everett, son of Clarence and Dorothy Nelson Quick, was born Oct. 4, 1917 at Harlan. When he was very young he moved with his family to the Irwin area where he attended rural schools. After he finished his schooling he worked on the family farm. His father died in 1940 before he could move with his family to the farm he had purchased north of Manilla, so he and his mother moved there in the spring of 1941.

Dec. 19, 1943 he married Irene Grace Benischek at the Methodist Parsonage in Manilla. To this union five children were born. They farmed the family farm and eventually he had his own trucking business. From 1964 until his retirement he worked on road construction while they continued to live on the farm. In 1992 they moved into Manilla. He was a member of the Methodist Church for over 50 years. He and his wife were actively involved in the Annual Corn Husking Contests. He was in poor health for a number of years. He underwent surgery for removal of a tumor, which was successful. However, due to complications following that surgery, he died Aug. 9, 1995 at Clarkson Hospital, Omaha, at age 77 years, 10 months, and 5 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents and the following brothers and sisters: Elmer Quick in infancy, Gladys Quick in infancy, Alfred Quick and Alice Russ. Survivors include his wife, Irene of Manilla; his children, Marilyn (Steve) Schrum of Nevada, Clarence Quick (Lee) of Des Moines, Karen Pounds of Omaha, Allen Quick (Darcy) of Woodbine and Janet Quick of Dubuque; nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild; a brother, Donald Quick (Darlene) of Salt Lake City, UT; nieces, nephews and relatives.

Funeral services were held Aug. 12, 1995 at the United Church of Manilla, South Church with Pastor Dave Rauch of Cornerstone Family Church, Manning officiating. Burial was in the Nishnabotna Cemetery, Manilla. Honorary casket bearers were Mervin Arnold, Boyd Merrick, Lester Boyens, Melvin Schechinger, Leonard Jones, Neal Holmes, Virgil Wiley and Merle Schroeder. Casket bearers were Paul C. Christensen, Mark Petersen, Ellsworth Schechinger, Alyn Bartelson, John Blom and Bob Lohrmann. Ohde Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.