



### Bill Rodenborn, 44

Funeral services for Bill Rodenborn of Harlan will be held at 11 a.m. today (Wednesday) at Harlan St. Michael's Catholic Church. Burial will be at the Harlan Cemetery.

Rodenborn, 44, died Mon., Nov. 9, 1987, at Myrtue Memorial Hospital in Harlan.

He was general manager of Farm Service Co-operative in Harlan since Sept. 1, 1982. He had been manager of the Co-op's agronomy department since 1978.

Rodenborn was born Dec. 11, 1942 in Seattle, WA. He married the former Joyce Herrick on Dec. 27, 1965 in Ames.

The Rodenborns moved in 1967 to Harlan, where he taught vocational agriculture from 1967-'71. The Rodenborns later moved to Marshalltown, where he worked for Ciba-Geigy Co., and to Eldora, where he was a company representative for United Suppliers of Western Iowa.

Surviving besides his wife are two sons, Christopher and Steven, and a daughter, Karen, all at home; his father, Eugene Rodenborn, Fort Dodge; two brothers, Tom of Jefferson City, TN., and Alan of Webster City; one sister, Mary Anne (Mrs. Barry) Reed of Cedar Rapids; a stepsister, Nancy (Mrs. Richard) Collier of Bedford, TX.; and a stepbrother, Brian Johnson of Laguna Niguel, CA.

Prayer services were held at 8 p.m. Monday and Tuesday at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan.

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**HARLAN** — William Peter Rodenborn, son of Eugene P. and Pauline (Tolan) Rodenborn, was born on Dec. 11, 1942, in Seattle, WA. He died on Nov. 9, 1987, at Myrtue hospital at age 44 years, ten months and 29 days. He was baptized in the Catholic Church in Seattle. At the age of four, he moved with his family to Ft. Dodge, where he attended Corpus Christie Grade School and graduated from St. Edmond's High School in 1962. He attended Webster City Jr. College and later transferred to Iowa State University in Ames, where he graduated in 1966.

On Dec. 27, 1965, he married Joyce Herrick at St. Cecelia's Catholic Church in Ames. Four children were born to this union. In 1967, they moved to Harlan where he taught Vocational Agriculture in the Harlan Community High School until 1971. They then moved to Marshalltown where he was a company representative for Ciba

Geigy for two and one half years before moving to Eldora where he accepted the position of company representative for United Suppliers for Western Iowa. He accepted the position of Manager of the Agronomy Department of Farm Service Coop in Harlan in 1978, and was promoted to General Manager on Sept. 1, 1982. He was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church, the library board and the Young Men's Club, all of Harlan; the board of directors of United Purchasers of Des Moines; and the advisory board and board of directors of Waterloo Services Inc., Waterloo.

In addition to his mother, he was preceded in death by one son, Timothy William on Aug. 24, 1968. He is survived by his wife, Joyce, Harlan; two sons, Christopher and Steven and one daughter, Carin, all of Harlan; his father and step-mother, E.P. and Fern Rodenborn, Ft. Dodge; two brothers, Tom of Jefferson City, TN.; and Alan of Webster City; and one sister, Mary Anne (Mrs. Barry) Reed of Cedar Rapids; one step-sister, Nancy (Mrs. Richard) Collier of Bedford, TX and one step brother, Brian Johnson of Laguna Niguel, CA; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian burial was con-celebrated Nov. 11, 1987 at St. Michael's Church

Harlan, with Rev. David Polich as the celebrant. Rev. John Frost was the con-celebrating priest, assisted by Deacon Pat Davitt. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery, with Gary Jahn, Art Hibray, Keith Heim, Craig Schmidt, Steve Petersen and George Applegate serving as casket bearers. Serving as honorary casket bearers were Linda Quinn, Jan and Denny Stamp, Nancy and Tom Ludwig, Rick and Cindy Burchett, Steve and Michelle Mores and Ray and Jeannette Chipman. Pauley Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.