

## Meredith "Bill" Robinson, 80

Aug. 16, 1918 - Oct. 31, 1998

**SHELBY** - Meredith Garner "Bill" Robinson was born in Co. Bluffs, Aug. 16, 1918, the only child of Walt and Vernie Garner Robinson. He was raised in Macedonia, and graduated from Macedonia High School in 1936.

He married Phyllis A. Clark March 30, 1941. They farmed east of Carson until 1953 when they moved to Shelby. They were the parents of five sons, Rod, Rich, Dave, Doug and Bob. Bill worked in the petroleum sales for Farm Service Co-Op for 27 years, retiring in 1980. He was involved with the Shelby School Board, City Council, Shelby Volunteer Fire Department and a member of the Shelby United Methodist Church. He died at Jennie Edmundson Hospital Oct. 31, 1998, at age 80 years, two months and 15 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents and is survived by his wife of 57 years, Phyllis; their five sons, Rod Robinson (Margaret) of Shelby; Rich (Connie) of Gardner, KS; Dave Robinson (Judy) of Shelby; Doug Robinson (Marcie) of Shelby and Bob Robinson (Julie) of Arlington, NE; 16 grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Nov. 4, 1998, at the Shelby United Methodist Church with Pastor Walter Bernard officiating. Burial was in the Shelby Cemetery. Casket bearers were Steve Robinson, Ara Robinson, Greg Robinson, Shauna Robinson, Kaleigh Robinson, Shane Robinson, Michael Robinson, Brad Robinson, Scott Robinson, Anna Robinson, Beau Robinson, Dan Robinson, Jeff Robinson, Jim Robinson, Kristi Pedersen and Danielle Robinson. Knutson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.