Albert L. Redenius

Albert L. (Al) Redenius, 95, of Lake City, died Monday, Feb. 15, 2010, at Stewart Memorial Hospital in Lake City.

A funeral service will be held Friday, Feb. 19, at 10:30 a.m. at Lake City Union Church with the Rev. Betty Weidert officiating. Burial will take place in Lake City Cemetery.

He was born Oct. 24, 1914, in Lake City, the son of Samuel and Sarah Clark Redenius. He was a 1934 graduate of Lake City High School. On Oct. 24, 1937, he was united in marriage with Thelma Blair of Yetter. They had resided in their home in Lake City for over 70 years.

He served in the United States Army during World War II. He was a Standard Oil Tank Wagon agent. He was a 40-year member of the Lake City Fire Department, serving as chief for 20 years. He also was a member of the Lake City Union Church, the Lake City School Board, the Lake City and Southern Cal Booster Club; the Lake City City Council and Lake City American Legion Post #31.

He is survived by his sons and daughters: Monte Redenius of Grinnell, Chuck Redenius of Charles City, Blair Redenius of Algona and Jolene Schleisman of Lake City; nine grandchildren; ten great grandchildren; and his brother Gerald Redenius of Lake City. He was preceded in death by parents; his wife; one son Richard; five brothers and two sisters.