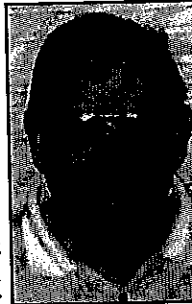


OBITUARIES

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Wesley G. Reida, 80

Wesley G. Reida, age 80, of Brooklyn, died Saturday, March 26, 2011, at the Grinnell Regional Medical Center, Grinnell.



Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m., Thursday, March 31, at Kloster Funeral Home, Brooklyn with the Rev. John Reynolds officiating. Burial will be in the Brooklyn Memorial Cemetery. Visitation will be held at Kloster Funeral Home, Brooklyn, from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Thursday prior to the service. Memorials may be contributed to Camp Courageous.

He is survived by his wife, Doris, of Malcom; a son, Dennis (Linda) of Chariton; twin daughters, Susan Michalek (Doug) of Victor, and Sharon Wang (Jim) of Malcom; six grandchildren, Jill Michalek of Iowa City, Jeremiah Michalek of Victor, Mike Wang (Kim) of Brooklyn, Jamie Wang of Oskaloosa, Abby Aeschliman (David) of Hudson, Wis., and Molly Reida of Manassas, Va.; four great-grandchildren, Kyra and Hailey Wang and Sebastian and Madeline Aeschliman. Also surviving are a brother, Bruce Reida, of Brooklyn; and two sisters, Mary Jane Roudabush (Dean) of Columbus, Ohio, and Colleen Lidtka (Laverne) of Grinnell.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Wesley George Reida was born June 8, 1930, in Brooklyn, the son of Amos and Gerna Haswell Reida. He graduated from Brooklyn High School in 1948 and then attended Simpson College. Wesley served in the U.S. Navy. He married Doris Booth on Feb. 3, 1951 in Tama. He was employed in real estate and insurance for many years. Wesley was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, and the Kiwanis Club, where he had served as president. He enjoyed fishing and sightseeing, was a Chicago Bears and Iowa Hawkeyes fan, and loved to spend time with his family.

Online condolences may be extended to the family at www.klosterfuneralhome.com.