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**RODNEY DEE DARLAND**

Rodney Darland, 77, of Barnes City passed away Monday, December 16, 2013, at the Grinnell Regional Medical Center in Grinnell. Funeral services



were Thursday, December 19, 2013, at the Holland-Coble Funeral Home in New Sharon. Following the service, his body was cremated and burial was held in the Barnes City Cemetery. Friends may sign the online guestbook at [www.hollandcoble-funeralhomes.com](http://www.hollandcoble-funeralhomes.com). Holland-Coble Funeral

Home is in charge of arrangements.

Rodney Dee Darland, the son of Kenneth and Merle (Roberts) Darland, was born on December 19, 1936, in New Sharon. He graduated from New Sharon High School in 1955. Rodney was married to Virginia Little and they had one son, Rusty. They later divorced. Rodney farmed in the Barnes City area most of his life. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. He was a member of the Ruritan Club in Barnes City, Singles in Agriculture, the NRA and the Barnes City Fire Department.

Rodney is survived by his son Rusty (Jennifer) Darland of Barnes City; and two grandchildren, Makayla and Makenna.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Kenneth and Merle Darland and a brother, Roger Darland.