

Greg Halverson Killed in Texas

3/14/72

Greg Halverson, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon M. Halverson of 1731 Manor Dr., was killed instantly in a one-car accident near McAllen, Tex., Tuesday evening (March 14). He was a student at Pan American University at Edinburg, Tex.

He was born May 27, 1950, the son of Gordon M. and Jacquetta J. Strifert Halverson, and attended the Grinnell schools, graduating with the class of 1968.

Athlete

While in high school he was an honor student and a prominent athlete with varsity letters in baseball, basketball and golf. He also was a member of the Orange and Black staff, the Honor G Club, Spanish Club, Kiwanis Key Club and the choir.

Following his high school graduation, he attended the University of Iowa for two years. He had lived in Portugal for a short time while helping coach basketball, and since last August he had been a business administration major at Pan American University. For several summers he was associated with the Grinnell Country Club pro shop.

Survivors

Mr. Halverson is survived by his parents; a sister, Gail, a sixth-grade student at Bailey Park; two brothers, Kerry, a student at the University of Iowa, and Bart, a fourth-grade student at Bailey Park; his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Strifert of Sioux City; and several aunts and uncles. He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Halverson.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at the Grinnell United Methodist Church, with the Rev. J. Eugene Young officiating. Organist will be Mrs. Willard Heffner.

Friends may call at the Smith Funeral Home for additional information. Should



Greg Halverson friends desire, memorials may be made to the Grinnell United Methodist Church.

Greg Halverson Services Held

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Funeral services for Greg Halverson, 21, who was killed in a one-car accident near McAllen, Tex., March 14, were held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, March 18, at the Grinnell United Methodist Church, with the Rev. J. Eugene Young officiating.

Organist was Mrs. Willard Heffner, and vocalist was Frank Shults.

Pallbearers included Dave Beaty, John Light, Charlie Manly, Tom Manly, Larry Meredith, John O'Conner, Ted Urfer and George Zeitner.

Burial was in Hazelwood Cemetery, with the Smith Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.