

Oscar A. Landuyt, 80

Oscar A. Landuyt, 80, died on Tuesday, April 29, 1997, at Grinnell Regional Medical Center.

Funeral services were held on May 3 at the Smith Funeral Home in Victor. Rev. Robert Zirkelbach, pastor of the Grace Community Church of Grinnell, officiated. Organist Mrs. Marilyn Kriegel accompanied vocalist Mrs. Angie Hawkins on musical selections "I Am But A Stranger Here", "Heaven Is My Home" and "Go Rest High On That Mountain". Casket bearers were Dan Albert, Brian Bringmann, Dick Claeys, Ed DeNeve, Larry Schafbuch and Orman Stevens. Burial was in the Victor Memorial Cemetery in Victor.

Oscar Arthur Landuyt was born on October 26, 1916, at Ladora to Emil and Emmerence Janssens Landuyt. He was raised in Poweshiek County and attended rural schools. During World War II, he

served with the United States Army.

On December 15, 1945, he was married to Margareta A. Bringmann at Williamsburg. The couple farmed for 45 years in Poweshiek County and moved to Belle Plaine in 1982. Oscar enjoyed trapping for furs, gardening and taking long walks. He was an avid Chicago Cubs fan and enjoyed playing rolle bolle.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Albert; one sister, Marie Kochuyt; and one grandson, Jason Paul Landuyt.

Oscar is survived by his wife, Margareta; his children and their spouses, Arthur and Barbara Landuyt of Williamsburg; Kenneth Landuyt of Klammath Falls, Oregon; and Barbara and Ron Bloomquist of Des Moines; eight grandchildren, Michelle, Dawn, Mandy, Amy and Kimberly Landuyt, David, Daniel and Brian Bloomquist.

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