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LYLE ZIGLER

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Funeral services for Lyle Zigler, 65, of Brooklyn, were held at 10:30 a.m., Monday, Dec. 15, in the Grace United Methodist Church, Brooklyn. Mr. Zigler died Thursday night, Dec. 11, 1986, in Grinnell General Hospital, Grinnell.

Rev. Raymond D. Moore, pastor, officiated. Music was by Mrs. Sybil Kelley and special selections were "The Old Rugged Cross" and "How Great Thou Art". Flower attendants were Mrs. Caroline Ellis, Mrs. Marge Cannon, Mrs. Karen Willett, Mrs. Dorothy McConnell, and Mrs. Marlys McClenathan.

Honorary casket-bearers were Ed Breeden, Danny Mathews, Bob Lewis, Mark Studer, William H. Fulton, and Benny Blink. Casket-bearers were Maynard Saylor, Loyal Benesh, Lloyd Hall, Dale Hawkins, Dan McConnell, and Bill Kelley. Interment was in the Koszta Cemetery, rural Marengo, Iowa, with military rites conducted by members of Francis Gallagher American Legion Post #294 of Brooklyn. The Nevenhoven Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Lyle James Zigler, son of James and Etta Blair Zigler, was born Oct. 13, 1911, in Iowa County, Iowa. He attended rural schools and graduated from the Belle Plaine High School in 1940. He served with the US Army from March 14, 1941 to January 14, 1946. He served as marshal of the City of Brooklyn for 5 years retiring Nov. 1, 1983.

Mr. Zigler was united in marriage to Neva Hiner, on May 22, 1943, in Brooklyn. They were the parents of two sons, Lyle who died in infancy and James.

Mr. Zigler was a member of the Grace United Methodist Church; Francis Gallagher American Legion Post #94 of Brooklyn; VFW of Albia; Forty and Eight of Marshalltown; and National Rifle Association. He served many offices in the American Legion and VFW at the local, county, district, state and national levels. He was currently serving as adjutant and service officer of Francis Gallagher American Legion Post #294; conductor of Forty and Eight; and National Graves Registration Chairman.

Surviving are his wife, Neva; one son and his wife, Jim and Vicki Zigler of Brooklyn; one sister, Mrs. Betty Pettit of Belle Plaine; one brother, Russell, of Des Moines; one half-brother, Roy Albert of Marengo; and two grandchildren, James Zigler, Jr., and Angela Zigler.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one son, one half-brother and one half-sister.