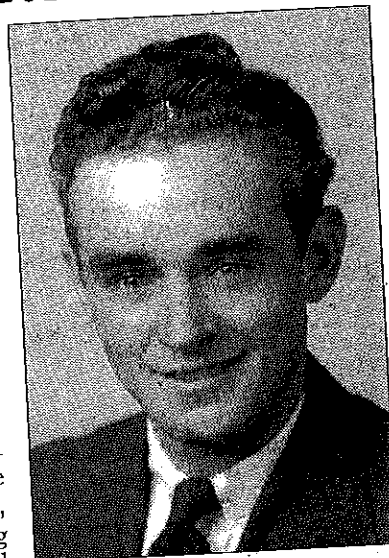


Dean William Winkelman 1922-2011

Dean W. Winkelman, 88 of Scranton, Iowa, passed away on January 17, 2011 at the Grinnell Regional Medical Center in Grinnell, Iowa with his family at his side.

Dean was born at the farm house of Arthur and Allie Winkelman in Calhoun County, September 16, 1922. He participated in football, boxing, and band in school, graduating from Lohrville High School in 1940 and he began farming south of Churdan, Iowa. On October 10, 1948 he married Joyce Korsa at the Riverside Methodist Church in Fort Dodge, Iowa. They continued farming until retirement in 1993 and moved to Scranton, Iowa.



Dean was an active hunter, trapper and fisherman. He played ten-point pitch with a group of six couples for more than 50 years. Dean served on the ASCS board and was the Kendrick Township Trustee for several years. Dean and his wife enjoyed traveling to visit their children and grandchildren in California and Connecticut. Dean may have been short on words but his smile spoke volumes!

Dean was a loving husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. His tree of life will continue by his survivors which include Joyce, his wife of 62 years, sons Gary and wife Martie of Santee, CA, Randy and wife Kim of Ledyard, CT, daughter Sue Anne (Susie) and husband Dan Sondag of Grinnell, IA, six grandchildren: Kari Edgington, Travis Winkelman and wife Marielle, Tricia, Ryan, Zachary and Lauren, along with great-grand daughter, Tianna. Dean is also survived by two sisters, Velma Winkelman and Dorothy Schilling as well as his sister-in-law Doris Winkelman.

Dean was preceded in death by his parents, daughter Deanne Joy Winkelman in 1969, and a brother Paul.

A Celebration of Life was held January 19, 2011 at the Newburg-Chester Church. Pastor Walt Claussen officiated, Jean Carnahan was organist and Dean's children conducted the service. On January 22, 2011 celebration was again held at the Scranton Methodist Church in Scranton, IA. Pastor Charles Thompson officiated, Karen Murphy was organist and his children and grandchildren contributed to Dean's honor.

Be strong and of a good courage, fear not, nor be afraid of them for the LORD thy God, he it is that doth go with thee; He will not fail thee, nor forsake thee. Deuteronomy 31:6