

Glenn Van Zee, 85



Glenn Van Zee, 85, died at Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines on Monday, July 2, 2007.

His funeral service was Friday, July 6, at Bates Funeral Chapel, Oskaloosa, with Pastor

Alvern Boetsma of the Good News Chapel, Oskaloosa, officiating. Interment was at Forest Cemetery Garden of Benediction, Oskaloosa. Bates Funeral Home, Oskaloosa, was in charge of the arrangements.

Music was by Beth Brostrom, organist and Andrea Dursky, soloist.

Casket bearers were Greg Van Rees, Ken Van Zee, Dwight Van Zee, Jim Van Zee, Ben Van Zee and Ryan Van Zee.

Glenn, the son of Arie and Mary Veerman Van Zee, was born on Wednesday, March 29, 1922, in Mahaska County.

He graduated from Montezuma High School with the class of 1941 where he was a very good athlete and won many awards, and was also an honors student. On May 4, 1945, he was united in marriage to Hazel Robbins at Iowa City. Glenn was a car salesman in Oskaloosa for 37 years with J. & M. Van Zee Motors, and retired in the mid-1980s. He enjoyed hunting and fishing and being out of doors with his dogs.

Glenn's family includes his wife, Hazel Van Zee of Oskaloosa; three sisters, Nellie Ver Beek of Montezuma, Artie (and Harold) Fick of Fort Dodge, and Mildred Van Zee of Oskaloosa; two brothers, Herman Van Zee and Earl "Mike" (and Helen) Van Zee, all of Oskaloosa.

Glenn was preceded in death by his sisters, Pansy Pearl Van Zee, Hattie Heil and Annie Van Wyhe; and three brothers, Lloyd, Paul and Maurice Van Zee.

Memorials may be made to Stephen Memorial Animal Shelter.

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