Lincoln C. Bartusek

Funeral services for Lincoln C. Bartusek, 79, of Tama were held Monday, May 22, at Harrison Funeral Home in Tama, with the Rev. Joel Rose officiating. Mr. Bartusek died Thursday, May 18, 2000, at Friendship Manor Care Centre in Grinnell due to a short illness. Military rites were provided by Engrich-Schrader American Legion Post #0073 of Tama, and interment was at Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Blairstown.

Casket bearers were Ron Garber, Paul Adams, Guy Belton, Brock Bartusek,

Brian Walkup and Aaron Satariano.

Lincoln was born on Feb. 12, 1921, in Marengo, the son of Joseph and Dorothy Appel Bartusek. He graduated from Marengo High School and soon after entered the United States Army where he served during WWII. He was a member of the Engrich-Schrader American Legion Post #0073. He loved collecting stamps and coins.

On Sept. 6, 1955, he was married to Edith Moore in Fayette, Mo. They made their home in Tama, where he was employed as a salesman for insurance, bowling equipment and law books. After retirement, he worked at the Meskwaki Casino.

Lincoln is preceded in death by his parents, and two brothers, Joe and Julian

Bartusek.

Survivors include his wife, Edith, of Tama; a son, William, and wife Carolyn of Bloomington, Ill; daughters and their husbands, Rosemary Walkup and husband Brian of Omaha, Neb., Jacquie Garber and husband Ronald, of Tama, and Carole Adams and husband Paul of Belton, Mo.; son Lincoln II and wife Teresa of Tama; and daughter Cherie Belton and husband Guy of Tama; 16 grandchildren; five greatgrandchildren; and a sister, Dorothy Sanford of California.

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