

MONTEZUMA REPUBLIC

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Samuel Johnson

Funeral Services

Wednesday Afternoon

Funeral services for Sam Johnson, 79, who died Sept. 2 at the Goeke Nursing Home, were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Steffy Funeral Home, conducted by William Ell. Music was by the West Liberty Church of Christ singers.

Interment was in West Liberty cemetery. Casket bearers were Alvie Johnson, Allie Johnson, Floyd Johnston, Pearlle Freeborn, Albert Carter and Harold Bushong.

Samuel, son of Delilah and Sampson Johnson, was born on Mar. 16, 1884, and died Sept. 2, at 79 years of age.

In his youth he attended rural school and helped with the farm work.

On Mar. 7, 1906, he was united in marriage with Elsie Beason, to this union, one daughter was born. They made their home in Newton where he was employed by a washing machine factory.

In 1939, they moved to Montezuma, where Mrs. Johnson passed away in 1940, since then, he has made his home with relatives and friends. He was a member of the Woodmen of the World.

He is survived by a brother, William of Searsboro; several nieces and nephews,

other relatives and many friends.