



Wayne B. Ryan

## Wayne Ryan Rites Held At Hartwick

A heart attack claimed the life of Wayne Ryan, 60-year-old Hartwick farmer, last Thursday at St. Luke's hospital in Cedar Rapids where he had been admitted a short time previously.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at two o'clock at the Hartwick Congregational church with the Rev. Robert Cutbirth, pastor, and the Rev. Paul Bechtold of Oskaloosa officiating. Organist was Mrs. Claire Erickson.

Interment was in the Hartwick cemetery with Albert Voelkel, Calvin Korn, Kenneth Benda, Willis Bennett, Claire Erickson and August Hensler serving as pallbearers. Assisting with the flowers were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ostrom, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLennan and Mr. and Mrs. Randall O'Halloran.

Wayne Bernard Ryan, son of James M. and Jennie Renner Ryan, was born Oct. 19, 1902, in Jefferson township and died March 28, 1963. He was married to Ruth Groff in 1935.

Mr. Ryan had been in the stock buying and farming business all of his life. For 17 years he had served as member of the Hartwick school board, nine of which he was president. He was director of the Hartwick State Bank for 17 years and president of the Poweshiek County Beef Producers Association. He was a member of the church board of the Hartwick Congregational church.

He is survived by his widow, Ruth; three daughters and two sons, Mrs. Darrel (Jeanette) Keller of Wichita Falls, Tex., Steven, a student at I.S.U. at Ames, Phyllis, a student at S.U.I. at Iowa City, Christopher and Lynn; a granddaughter, Myra Beth Keller; three brothers, Joe of Brooklyn, Wallace of Chelsea and Rollin of Powersville, Mo. and two sisters, Mrs. Florence Iler of Downers Grove, Ill. and Mrs. Russell (Marie) Cunningham of Santa Maria, Calif.

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Hartwick (Special) — Wayne B. Ryan, 60, Hartwick area farmer, died March 28 at a Cedar Rapids Hospital following a brief illness.

Funeral services were held March 30 from the Hartwick Congregational church with the Rev. Paul Bechtold and the Rev. Robert Cutbirth officiating. Organ music was provided by Mrs. Claire Erickson.

Serving as pallbearers were Calvin Korn, Kenneth Benda, Willis Bennett, Albert Voelkel, Claire Erickson, and August Hensler. Burial was in Hartwick cemetery.

Born Oct. 19, 1902, he was the son of James M. and Jennie Renner Ryan. In 1935 he was united in marriage with Ruth Groff.

To this union were born five children: Mrs. Darrel (Jeanette) Keller of Wichita Falls, Texas; and Steven, Phyllis, Christopher and Lynn Ryan, all of Hartwick.

In addition to his wife and children, he is survived by three brothers, Joe, Wallace and Rollin; three sisters, Florence, Iler, and Marie; and one granddaughter.

He had been engaged in stock buying before he became engaged in farming.

For 17 years he served on the Hartwick school board, nine of them as chairman; was a director of the Hartwick State Bank for 17 years; past president of the Poweshiek County Beef Producers Association; and a member of the Congregational church board.