

Lester Smith dies at Malcom

Lester L. Smith, 67, of Malcom, died Friday morning, Jan. 12, at his home following an extended illness. He was the son of Sealy and Katherine Rupp Smith and was born Nov. 24, 1911 at Hartwick. He attended Hartwick schools and lived in Poweshiek County all of his life. He was married to Elizabeth Maxine Winchell on Nov. 11, 1933, at Brooklyn. The couple lived in Malcom where he was employed at the Malcom elevator for 26 years. He was a member of the Malcom Fire Department for 26 years, the Odd Fellows Lodge and the United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife; his son, Harry L. Smith of Malcom; nine grandchildren - James L. Smith of Montezuma, Mrs. Mick (Connie) Clemens of Victor, Mrs. Rick (Kathy) Foster of Gladbrook, Harry L. Smith Jr. of Grinnell, Donna, Shirley, Tom, Becky and John Smith, all of Malcom; two great-grandchildren - Matt and Kelly Jo Clemens of Victor; two sisters - Mrs. Ruby Hense of Newton and Mrs. Floyd (Vivian) Parker of Richfield, Minn.; and two brothers, Everett Smith of Lebanon, Tenn. and Wayne Smith of South English. He was preceded in death

by his parents.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, Jan. 15, at the Smith Funeral Home, Grinnell, with Dr. Lawrence P. Fitzpatrick, pastor of the Malcom-Sheridan Parish, officiating. Organist was Mrs. Joanne Schneekloth and vocalist was Mrs. Ruth Ann Dayton.

Pallbearers were George Baustian, Keith Koger, Dennis Maschmann, Lyman McDowell, Wavern McDowell and Sonny Schneekloth. Honorary pallbearers were Lyle Bauman, Ed Cook, Frank Ferneau and Kenneth McKeag. Burial was in Ivy Hill Cemetery at Malcom.

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