

Lawrence Andersen, 58

Harlan — Lawrence Levi Andersen, son of Margaret and Lawrence Andersen was born Aug. 26, 1922, near Harlan. He died March 12, 1981, at Harlan, at age 58 years, 6 months and 17 days. He was educated in Shelby county rural schools and attended Harlan high school. He has farmed and lived on the same farm since 1937. He served in the Navy during WW II, from Nov. 4, 1942, until Jan. 6, 1946.

On Jan. 16, 1949, he married Margie Petersen in Immanuel Lutheran church and to this union five children were born. He was baptized and confirmed at the Immanuel Lutheran church and a life long member. He was a member of the Harlan V.F.W. No. 941 and American Legion Post No. 150.

He was preceded in death by his son Jimmie, mother — Margaret, brother, Orville and step mother, Ella. Survivors include his wife Margie, three sons: Larry, Gail and Andrew; one daughter - Mrs Connie Behrens, of Harlan; his father — Lawrence of Harlan; three brothers - Charles and Arthur of Harlan and Marvin of Kimballton; two sisters: Mrs Arlene Warner of Avoca and Mrs Marilyn Miles of St. Louis, Mo.; by three grandchildren: Hollie, James and Michelle; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Monday, March 16, 1981, at Immanuel Lutheran church with Pastor Kenneth P. Alpers, officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Robert C. Andersen, Arnold Andersen, Tony J. Majerus and Edwin Olsen serving as honorary bearers and Wayne Olsen, Orvis Behrens, Jack Claussen, Daryl D. Jensen, Herman Harmsen and Raymond Andersen serving as casketbearers.
