

Henry Goettsch, 76

Henry Goettsch, son of Henry and Anna Delvechal Goettsch, was born at the family home southwest of Walnut on Aug. 29, 1902 and died Nov. 12, 1978, at Mercy hospital in Co. Bluffs.

He was married to Clara Henningson of Avoca at Papillion, Nebr., on Jan. 21, 1935. They farmed near Walnut, retired from the farm in 1948 and moved to Walnut. He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Avoca.

Surviving are his wife, a daughter, Mrs Byron (Jean) Kaven of Denver, Colo., two brothers, Otto and Freddie of Walnut; two grandchildren, Crai and Kirk Kaven, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a grandson, Kent Kaven, his parents, a brother, Gustav and a sister, Mrs Orval (Helen) Lamer.

The funeral service was at 10:30 a.m., Nov. 15, 1978 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Avoca, with the Rev. Harold Peterson officiating. Mrs Wallace Pattee was organist. Casketbearers were Harry Pflugshaupt, Arthur Koehrsen, Orvel Kaven, Harry Voss, George Hansen and Elton Schutloffel. Burial was in the Walnut Cemetery.
