

George B. Kelley, 76

....Harlan — George Bruce Kelley, son of Ida Mae Auen and Andrew Alfred Kelley was born Sept. 7, 1902 in Arcadia. He died Saturday, June 30, 1979 at Myrtue Memorial hospital in Harlan at age 76 years, 9 months and 23 days. George was raised in Arcadia and attended the public school there. On June 5, 1924 he married Agnette Flom of Wesley. He worked for over 30 years as a radio and T.V. technician in Grinnell. Following the death of his wife, he retired to Westside, for four years.

On May 11, 1969 he married Grace Adams in Harlan. He has been in the small appliance repair with the A & P Appliance for many years. George was a 50 year member of the York Rite and Scottish Rite of Free Masonry, the Order of the Eastern Star and a former member of the White Shrine of Jerusalem. He was a member of the Harlan First United Methodist church.

Mr Kelley was preceded in death by his parents, his first wife - Agnette in 1964 and Grace in 1978, seven brothers - Alfred, Eddie, John, Eilert, William, Roy and Edwin, one sister - Mary Ellen Martens and one step son - Kenneth Adams.

Survivors include two step sons - Lowell Adams of Corcoran, Minn., and Richard Adams of Harlan, two step daughters - Marilyn Grabill and Beverly J. Adams both of Hillsboro, Oreg., four nieces - Ida Brus of Westside, Nina Kelley and Ada Kelley of Harlan and Edna Mae McWilliams of Omaha, Nebr., and nieces and nephews, nine step grandchildren and 1 step great grandchild.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, July 3, 1979, at Burmeister Funeral Home in Harlan with Intern Pastor David Menz, officiating. Burial was in the Arcadia cemetery in Arcadia, with Michael Adams, Richard Adams, James Kenkel, Gary Allen, Steve D. Allen and Quentin Rickers serving as casket-bearers.

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