

SCOTT, Fred

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Fred Scott, 65

Fred Percy Scott, son of Percy and Nellie Oliver Scott, was born Dec. 25, 1915 in Woodbine. He attended the country school near Woodbine and after graduating from the eighth grade, he helped on the family farm. At the age of 16, he moved with his family to a farm near Westphalia. In 1936, he attended the Coyne Electrical school in Chicago, Ill. for nine months. He then returned to Westphalia and worked as an electrician for a few years. While living in Chicago, Fred became a member of the Catholic church and was baptized, received his First Communion and Confirmation.

On Feb. 28, 1938, he married Hilda Mary Musich in St. Boniface Catholic church in Westphalia. Four children were born to this union. Two years after their marriage, they took over the Scott family farm after his father passed away. This was their home for many years. They celebrated their 41st wedding anniversary on Feb. 28, 1979 and soon after, on March 17, 1979, Mrs Scott passed away. After her death, he continued to live on their farm until June of 1979, when he moved to Boise, Idaho to be near his daughter, Beverly Ann.

He was a member of St. Mark's Catholic church in Boise and a previous member of St. Boniface Catholic church and their Holy Name Society when he was living in Westphalia.

He died at the Capital Care center in Boise on Wednesday, July 22, 1981 at age 65

years.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Hilda, and his father, Percy. Survivors include two sons, Gary of Harlan and Dale of Omaha; two daughters, Beverly Ann (Mrs Albert) Nault of Boise and Linda (Mrs Clarence) Swiatek of Omaha; nine grandchildren; his mother, Mrs Nellie Smith of Portland, Oreg.; one sister, Joyce (Mrs Ed) Pagels of Cupertino, Calif.; and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Monday, July 27, 1981 at St. Boniface Catholic church with the Rev. Richard G. Wagner as celebrant.

Burial was in St. Boniface cemetery with Nick Schmitz, Leander Zimmerman, Larry Schmitz, Mike Goetz, Dick Goetzinger and Leonard Stracke serving as casketbearers.

Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan handled the arrangements.