

Raymond P. Thielen

Raymond P. Thielen, 67, of Portsmouth died Wednesday at a Harlan hospital after an extended illness.

He was born at Panama, but resided most of his life at Portsmouth. For some 25 years he was engaged in a trucking business, and at the time of his retirement two years ago, was a feed salesman.

Thielen was a member of Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church at Portsmouth.

Survivors include: widow, Adeline; five sons, Alvin of Wichita, Kan., Nick of Papillion, Neb., Ray and Gene, both of Omaha, and Charles of Lincoln, Neb.

Eight daughters, Mrs. Dolores Dotchler of Defiance, Mrs. Elaine Wendt of Portsmouth, Mrs. Agnes Schulte of Carroll, Mrs. Monica Goeser of Defiance, Mrs. Doris Olson of Harlan, Mrs. Gemma Finken, Mrs. Shirley Schafer and Miss Mary Thielen, all of Omaha.

His father, Joe Thielen of Earling; brother, Joe Thielen, of Atlantic; sister, Mrs. Clara Kelly of Harlan; 43 grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Our Lady of Fatima Church with the Rev. Edward Kelly as celebrant.

Interment will be at the church cemetery.

Rosary recitation will be at 8 p.m. Friday at the Pawley Funeral Home at Harlan.

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