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Kermit Eugene Boll, 79

Feb. 22, 1915 - Oct. 2, 1994

Harlan - Kermit Eugene Boll, son of Herman G. and Johanna (Stuhr) Boll, was born in York Township, Pottawattamie County, Iowa, Feb. 22, 1915. He attended country school through the eighth grade.

In 1946, after serving in the Navy in World War II, he married Gertrude Reiland in St. Paul, MN. The couple then farmed in the Harlan area. In 1950, they moved to Underwood, where they farmed for ten years. In 1960, they moved to CA, remaining there for a year. They returned to Harlan, and he resumed farming. Gertrude died Aug. 22, 1976, in Harlan. He retired from farming in 1979, but continued to live on the farm.

July 11, 1981, he married Bertilla "Tillie" Korwes Teyen at St. Mary's Catholic church in Pomeroy. He was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan. He died Oct. 2, 1994, at Myrtue Memorial Hospital at age 79 years, 7 months, and 10 days.

Preceding him in death were his parents; his first wife, Gertrude; and one brother, Wallace. Survivors include his second wife, Tillie of Harlan; one son, Robert (Jennie) Boll of Kalamazoo, MI; two step-daughters, Carol (Merlin) Meyer and JoAnne (Jerry) Marsh, both of Pomeroy; one sister, Louise Conti of CA; one brother, Melvin Boll of Walnut; two grandchildren; one great-grandchild; seven step-grandchildren; three step-great-grandchildren; and nieces and nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held Oct. 5, 1994, at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan, with Msgr. Edward Kelly celebrating. Casket bearers were Dar Lund, Carroll Kallevig, Bruce Havick, Hans Frederickson, Lowell Howe, and Ervin Pauley. Honorary casket bearers were Floyd B. Erickson and Dale P. Petersen. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery. Burmeister Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.