

## **Clifford Boysen, 79**

**Oct. 4, 1915 - Oct. 21, 1994**

**Harlan** - Clifford Boysen, son of Julius and Grace (Doonan) Boysen, was born Oct. 4, 1915, in Jackson Township on the same farm as his father and where Velma still resides. He attended Jackson Township No. 8 school and grew to adulthood on the farm which has been in the family since 1884.

Aug. 19, 1941 he married Velma Babbitt at the Monroe Chapel United Methodist Church. To this union four children were born. After their marriage he joined the Monroe Chapel United Methodist Church. They farmed and lived with Julius for seven years when they moved to another farm five miles south. After Julius moved to Harlan, they moved back to the home place. They continued their farming operation until 1977, at which time they had a farm sale. For the next ten years he helped Velma manage the Colonial Motor Inn at Walnut. He became a resident of the Salem Lutheran Home in Elk Horn in March of 1987. This has been his home since that time. He was an active member of the Monroe Chapel United Methodist Church. All four of the Boysen children were active in 4-H and he served as a 4-H leader and served on the County Extension Council. He died Oct. 21, 1994 at the Salem Lutheran Home in Elk Horn at age 79 years and 17 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife Velma and their children - Byron (Diana) Boysen of Chazy, NY; Dwight (Teresa) Boysen of Howells, NE; Glenda (Robert) Heyderhoff and Lonnie Boysen all of Harlan; nine grandchildren and one great-grandson and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Oct. 24, 1994, at the First United Methodist Church in Harlan with Rev. Paul Wilcox officiating. Burial was held in Monroe cemetery with Gerald Jones, Larry Manz, Glenn Babbitt, Garvin Babbitt, Gary Stevens and Rich Nash casket bearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.