

Dale P. Constable, 71 ✓

HARLAN - Dale Pershing Constable, the son of Nelson J. and Eva (Guss) Constable was born at Irwin, June 4, 1918. He died at the Myrtue Memorial Hospital, Harlan on July 22, 1989 at age 71 years, one month and 16 days. He attended school in Irwin and graduated from Manilla High School in 1935. Jan. 26, 1940, he entered the U.S. Army, serving his country during WW II in the Central Pacific at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. He received the American Defense Service Ribbon with Bronze Star. After his honorable discharge on Sept. 6, 1945, he returned to the Harlan area where he was employed by Tredway Implement for over 40 years.

He married Georgia Sutton in Halwatha, KS. They were the parents of one daughter. After their marriage, they continued to make their home in Harlan. He was a member of First United Methodist Church in Harlan, the Harlan Volunteer Fire Dept. for 18 years, and had been a member of the Harlan American Legion, Helmer Reyelt Post #150 for 42 years.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Bernyce Will. Surviving him is his wife, Georgia of Harlan; a daughter, Paulette (Mrs Bill) Clark of Mobile, AL.; three grandchildren; two brothers, LaMont of Mason City; and Bill of Shelby; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held July 25, 1989 at First United Methodist Church, Harlan, with Steven Clinton, officiating. Military rites were conducted at the Harlan cemetery by Helmer Reyelt Post #150, Harlan American Legion. Serving as honorary casketbearers were Earl Waddell, Balzer Kriegel, William G. Shannon and the Harlan Volunteer Fire Dept.; and Bob Hansen, Lanny Petsche, Craig Constable, Gary Schmidt, LaVerne D. Will, and David N. Constable all serving as casketbearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.