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## Virgil Johnk, 77

Sept. 9, 1920 - Aug. 14, 1998

**WALNUT** - Virgil Schaaf Johnk was born Sept. 9, 1920, on a farm in Lincoln Township, Pottawattamie County. He was the son of Herman and Lillian Schaaf Johnk and was one of two sons in the family. He attended country school and helped with the farming.

He married Florence Lehnhardt Dec. 12, 1946, in Oakland. They were the parents of one son, Linn. They lived on the farm in Lincoln Township and in 1947, he began working for Pottawattamie County Department of Roads. In 1950, they moved to Walnut to their present home. Virgil retired in 1987. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Walnut. He died at his home Aug. 14, 1998, at age 77 years, 11 months and five days.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, Vernon. He is survived by his wife, Florence of Walnut; their son, Linn Johnk of Cupertino, CA; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Memorial services were held Aug. 17, 1998, at the Knutson Funeral Chapel, Walnut, with Rev. William Beatty officiating. Inurnment was in the Walnut Cemetery.

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