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Henry Knudsen, 74

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JACKSONVILLE - Henry Knudsen, son of Jorgen and Marie Eriksen Knudsen was born April 20, 1914 near Jacksonville. He was raised and educated in Jackson Twp. During WW II, he served in the U.S. Army.

Oct. 27, 1946, he married Ruby Anderson in Harlan and to this union three children were born. They farmed near Poplar before acquiring their farm northeast of Jacksonville. They retired to Kimballton in 1981. He was a baptized and confirmed member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church. He died at Salem Lutheran Nursing Home in Elk Horn March 16, 1989 at age 74 years, 10 months and 26 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents; four brothers, Chris, George, Walter and Harold. Survivors include his wife, Ruby of Elk Horn; son, Jerald of Charter Oak; two daughters, Janelle (Mrs Jim) Noel of Glenwood and Judith Knudsen of Kimballton; by two sisters, Katheryn (Mrs Donald) Littlejohn of Des Moines and Martha (Mrs Folmer) Bonnesen of Elk Horn; brother, Peter Knudsen of Sanford, FL; six grandchildren; nieces; nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held March 18, 1989 at Bethlehem Lutheran Church with Rev. Oliver S. Solberg officiating. Burial was in Bethlehem cemetery with Darrell Krohn, Garey Knudsen, Galen Johannsen, Robert Atkinson, Richard Bonnesen and Donald Christensen as casket bearers. Arrangements by Burmeister Funeral Home.