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Wayne W. (Dutch) Fenster, 71 ✓

HARLAN - Dutch Fenster, the son of Theodore and Alta (Condon) Fenster was born Feb. 15, 1919 at Hampton. He grew to adulthood in the Hampton area, where he attended country school and Hampton high school.

Sept. 30, 1939, he married Winifred Cochran at Manhattan, KS. Four children were born to this union. After their marriage, they moved to Shelby county, where they farmed for several years. In 1952, they moved to Irwin, where he worked first as a custodian, and then operated the Irwin Cafe for several years. He then moved to Harlan and was employed by Western Engineering until his retirement in 1986. He continued to make his home in Harlan. He died at Bishop Clarkson Hospital in Omaha, NE., on Feb. 24, 1990, just nine days after his 71st birthday.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one brother, Dale Fenster. Survivors include his four children, Gary Fenster of Co. Bluffs; Dennis Fenster of Earlham; Bonnie (Mrs Keith Fiscus) of Kirkman and Terry of Kansas City, MO.; one sister, Rachel (Mrs Walter) Wall of Aurora, NE.; nine grandchildren; one great-grandson, nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were Feb. 26, 1990 at Pauley Funeral Home with Pastor Jeff Nelsen of First Baptist Church in Harlan, officiating. Burial was in Harlan cemetery with Ron Fiscus, Byron Jensen, Chris Fenster, Dallas Raasch, Delbert Bruck and Randall Armentrout serving as casketbearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.