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Charles Henry Ferguson, 77 ↓

July 13, 1918 - July 20, 1995

Red Oak - Charles Henry Ferguson, son of LeRoy E. and Pearl M. (Custer) Ferguson was born July 13, 1918 in Shelby county, near Harlan. He died July 20, 1995 at Vista Gardens Care Center, Red Oak, at age 77 years and 7 days. He was raised and attended school at Harlan.

He married Eva Kyndesen June 15, 1941 at Brayton. He served his country during World War II from 1942 until 1946 in the U. S. Army. He operated service stations at Harlan and Brayton. They operated a restaurant in Brayton for 10 years. They moved to Red Oak in 1961 and owned and operated Charlie's Skelly from 1963 until 1980. He was a member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church and American Legion Lorraine Post #67 both of Red Oak.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a sister and a brother. He is survived by his wife, Eva Ferguson of Red Oak; a son, Charles M. Ferguson (Mary) of Colorado Springs, CO; a daughter, Sandra Bates (James) of Stanton; 5 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; a sister, Gladys Jensen (Emory) of Elk Horn; a brother, Ival Ferguson (Helen) of Bullhead City, AZ and other relatives.

Funeral services were held July 24, 1995 at the Selligren-Lindell-DeMarce Funeral Home with Rev. John Swenson officiating. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery, Red Oak. Military graveside rites were by the American Legion Ernie Johnson Post #406 of Stanton. Honorary casket bearers were Don Buehler, Carl Jepson, Elmer Larsen, Norman Yeager, Folmer Molgaard and Marvin Deitchler. Casket bearers were Eli Parker, Brian Bates, Todd Ferguson, Norman Avery, Greg Carlson and Mike Bruning.