



Dean Frederickson, 65

HARLAN - Dean Louis Frederickson, son of Donald and Leta (Miller) Frederickson was born March 31, 1925, in Harlan. He died Aug. 16, 1990, near Harlan, at age 65 years, 4 months and 16 days. He graduated from Harlan High School in 1943. Sept. 8, 1944, he entered the U.S. Army, serving during WW II as a pilot in the 9th Photo Reconnaissance Squadron flying photo missions in China, Burma, and India. After his honorable discharge in April of 1946, he returned to the Shelby County area, and attended the University of Iowa and graduated in 1949.

June 4, 1947, he married Prue Tinsley at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Harlan. Four daughters were born to this union. After graduating from college, he became employed by the A.V. Parker Insurance agency, and he then purchased the Parker Agency in 1966. In 1973, he merged his business with the Bruce Ouren Insurance, and together they became "The Agency". upon Bruce Ouren's death in June of 1979, he then purchased Mr Ouren's interest, and was sole

owner of The Agency until Dec. of 1983, when he sold the business.

He was a member of the congregational United Church of Christ where he served as a trustee; the Parian Masonic Lodge, No. 321, A.F. & A.M.; the Abu Bekr Shrine of Sioux City; the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Lodge # 267; the American Legion, Post # 240; the Shelby County V.F.W., Post # 941, all of Harlan; the Aviation Club, and the Volunteer Fire Dept. He also served on the Harlan Recreation Commission, Harlan school board, Harlan Municipal Utilities board, the Missouri Basin Power Agency, was the National Director of the American Public Gas; Independent Insurance Agents, was the Director of the Shelby County State Bank, and received a Citizen of the Year Award.

In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by his sister, Pauline Zempel. Surviving him in addition to his wife, Prue, of Harlan are his daughters, Mirandi (Mrs Terry) Galbraith of Euless, TX.; Sandra Leuschen of Omaha; Kerri (Mrs Jeff) Christensen of Schuyler, NE., and Staci Frederickson of Euless, TX.; seven grandchildren; his mother, Leta Frederickson of Harlan and other relatives.

A Memorial service was held Aug. 18, 1990 at Pauley Funeral Home with Pastor Dennis Brayman of the Congregational United Church of Christ in Harlan, officiating. Serving as honorary casket-bearers were Bob Ross, Bill Gayer, Max Bacon, Max Plumb, Phil Phelps, Gene Sornson, H. Clay Pauley, F. James Kalai, H. Rand Petersen, Harold E. Johnson, H.W. "Bud" Ouren, Martin C. Zaccone, Frank "Rusty" Wirth, and Donald G. "Si" Mathiasen.