

LuVerne H. Hansen, 72

July 28, 1921 - June 8, 1994

Harlan - LuVerne Hans Hansen, son of Marinus and Elsie (Shelor) Hansen, was born July 28, 1921 at Jacksonville, Shelby County. He was baptized and confirmed at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Jacksonville and attended Jackson Township School. He grew to adulthood on his grandfather's farm in Jackson Township, which was later sold to his father.

Dec. 18, 1940 he married Shirley Scott at Co. Bluffs. Three sons were born to this union. In 1941, they moved to a farm in Monroe Township, and in 1947 moved to a farm in Polk Township. In 1948, he was one of the first farmers to terrace in Shelby County. He also sold real estate during that time, and in 1988 retired and moved into their present home in Harlan. He died June 8, 1994 at Myrtue Memorial Hospital at age 72 years, 10 months and 11 days. He was a member of Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Jacksonville where he served as a deacon and trustee and member of the church board.

He was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife, Shirley Hansen of Harlan, three sons, Redgie (Janelle) Hansen of Scottsdale, AZ; Stephen (Barbara) Hansen and Monte (Marcia) Hansen, of Kirkman; one granddaughter, Brianne Hansen of Kirkman; a brother, Wayne (Lois) Hansen of Harlan and a sister Norma Jean (Miles) Camery of Albuquerque, NM and other relatives.

Funeral services were held June 11, 1994 at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Jacksonville with Rev. Harrison J. Kline officiating. Burial was in the Jacksonville cemetery with James White, Lester V. Petersen, Dan Knudsen, Everett Greve, Ernest D. Petersen, Verner Arnvig, Wally Heinecke, Brianne Hansen and Harold Richards honorary casket bearers. Casket bearers were Tom Walker, Larry Eskov, Dean Petersen, Brent Hansen, Doug Nelson and Bruce Hansen. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.