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Forrest A. Hansen, 64

Aug. 28, 1934 - April 17, 1999

HARLAN - Forrest Andrew Hansen, son of Ernest and Gladys (Doran) Hansen, was born Aug. 28, 1934, at Redline. Forrest attended school at Irwin. He was an only child.

He married Anna Marie Ipson. To this union four children were born. He has made Harlan his home for the last 35 years.

He married Ruby Terrell June 24, 1962. Ruby died Dec. 9, 1997. Sept. 4, 1998, he married Patricia Murray at Emmetsburg. He has been a heavy equipment operator for years working with all kinds of equipment. Forrest spent a lot of time gardening and helping with his neighbor's show dogs. He died April 17, 1999, at age 64 years, seven months and 20 days.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Ruby, and his son, Eddie Lee Hansen. Survivors include his wife, Patricia Hansen of Harlan; his daughters, Linda Martin of Harlan and Colleen Hines of Audubon; his son, Tom Hansen of Emmetsburg; his stepdaughter, Donna (Ron) Taylor of Honey Creek; 11 grandchildren and one step grandchild and other relatives.

Funeral services were held April 21, 1999, at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan, with Rev. Howard Fitzgerald of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan officiating. Burial was in the Jacksonville Cemetery with Barb Jorgensen, Ole Olson and Elly Rensink honorary casket bearers. Casket bearers were Redge Pash, Carroll Kallevig, Don Weddle, Terry McDowell, Larry Blaine and Virgil Koppold.