

## Michael T. Malone, 79

Sept. 8, 1915 - Feb. 11, 1995

**Des Moines** - Michael Thomas Malone, son of Eric Arthur and Edith R. (Mathies) Malone was born on Sept. 8, 1915 at Dow City. He died Feb. 11, 1995 at the Urbandale Health Care Center in Urbandale at age 79 years, five months and three days. He was baptized and confirmed in the Catholic faith, receiving his First Communion and Confirmed at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church in Denison, and attended school at Dow City.

In 1938 he married Edith Wilkins. One daughter, Catherine was born to this union. After their marriage, they made their home in Southwest Iowa communities where he operated a DX tankwagon and then became a driver for Continental Trailways, Greyhound and the Davis Bus Lines. After she died in 1958, he continued to live in Southwest Iowa.

In 1959, he married Gladys Scott at Audubon and moved to Des Moines, where they made their home. At that time he began the position as mechanic at Sumner Pontiac until his retirement Sept. 2, 1980. They continued to make their home at 1145 Oak Park Avenue until his last illness.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his first wife, and two



brothers, John and George. Surviving him is his wife, Gladys of Des Moines, his daughter, Catherine (Al) Seibert of Seugin, TX; a stepson, Bill (Nadine) Scott of Missouri City, TX; three grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one sister, Margaret Dupois of Suthington, CT and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Feb. 15, 1995 at Pauley Funeral Home with Msgr. Edward Kelly of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan officiating. Burial was in the Logan cemetery with Tony Seibert and Duane Seibert honorary casket bearers. Casket bearers were Tom Malone, Doug Majerus, Ed Seibert, Larry Gilliam, Bobbie Gilliam and Frank Gilliam.