

Dennis Newlin, 55

HARLAN – Dennis Eugene Newlin, son of Eugene and Leona (Lilienthal) Newlin was born Nov. 6, 1934 at Atlantic. He died May 4, 1990 near Preemption, IL., at age 55 years, five months and 28 days. He attended school at Atlantic until 1946, when he moved with his family to Harlan, where he graduated from Harlan Community High School in the class of 1952. He attended Iowa Western Community College in Co. Bluffs, and farmed with his grandfather and uncles near Swea City. March 18, 1957, he entered the U.S. Army, serving his country as an Artillery Surveyor Specialist. After his honorable discharge on March 14, 1959, he returned to the Harlan area.

Aug. 6, 1960, he married Della Turvold at First Lutheran Church in Northwood. Four children were born to this union. After their marriage, they resided in Harlan when he was a plant manager at Western Iowa Pork from 1963 to 1975. He then became the general manager at American Beef Packers, Inc. at Oakland, until 1984, when he became the secretary-treasurer for G.A. Finley, Inc., of Harlan. In 1989, he became the Sales Representative for Zee Company, Inc. of Chattanooga, TN., a position he held until the time of his death. He was baptized in and was a member of First United Methodist Church in Harlan.

He was preceded in death by his parents. Surviving him in addition to his wife, Della of Harlan are two sons, David of Omaha, NE., and Daniel of Harlan; two daughters, Dixie (Todd) Peterson of Ames, and Dee of Harlan; one sister, Barbara Walters of Sarasota, FL., and other relatives.

Funeral services were held May 8, 1990 at First United Methodist Church in Harlan with Rev. D. Stephen Clinton and Rev. Janne A. Clinton, officiating. Burial was in Harlan cemetery with Randy Newlin, Jeff Newlin, Dick McCauley, M.D. Linde, Robert Hall, J.C. Salvo, and Craig Larson serving as honorary casketbearers. Serving as casketbearers were Richard Ferry, Bud Petersen, Ron Nelson, Marshall Burchett, Grant Finley and Gary Pool. Pauley Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.