

## **Norman Sondergard, 70**

*Jan. 29, 1923 - Oct. 2, 1993*

**HARLAN** — Norman Christian Sondergard, son of Tinus and Agnes (Christensen) Sondergard was born Jan. 29, 1923 on a farm southeast of Corley. He died October 2, 1993 at the Baptist Memorial Home in Harlan at age 70 years, eight months and three days.

As a young child, he moved with his parents to a farm west of Kirkman. He attended school at Kirkman, and graduated in 1941. After school, he continued to farm on the family farm with his parents and brother, Arlo. In 1989, he retired from farming and moved to the Elm Crest Apartments in Harlan. In 1992, he then became a resident of the Baptist Memorial Home, and this was his home until the time of his death. He was a member of First Baptist Church in Harlan. He had been active as the secretary of the Sunday School at both the First Baptist Church, and earlier the Bethel Baptist Church, both in Harlan.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, Arlo. He is survived by many cousins.

Funeral services were held Oct. 5, 1993 at the First Baptist Church in Harlan, with Pastor Jeff Nelsen officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Ivan Fiscus, Gayle "Whitey" Petersen, Charles Early, Gordon Petersen, Woodrow Hansen and Marshall Nelson honorary casket bearers. Active casket bearers were Wade Jensen, LaVon Christensen, Earl Waddell, Norman M. Wiig, Dale E. Sorensen and Kenneth Pedersen. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.