

## Charles David Swanson, 85

March 4, 1907 — Oct. 23, 1992

**HARLAN** — Charles David Swanson, son of Carl and Rasmina (Juliusen) Swanson, was born March 4, 1907 at Ute. He grew up and attended school at Ute.

June 30, 1933 he married Mildred Trullinger in Omaha, NE. They farmed and he was a Shelby Oil Distributor for 23 years. Mildred died Dec. 27, 1981.

June 22, 1986, he married Ruth Dinesen in Harlan. They lived in Harlan and spent winters in Arizona and California. He was a lifetime member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church at Ute. He was an honorary member and past member of the Ute Fire Department and the Ute Farmer's Co-Op. He died Oct. 23, 1992 in Sioux City at age 85 years, 7 months and 19 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, Mildred; one son, Dr. Carlos Swanson; two brothers, Dr. Clarence Swanson and Alex Swanson. Survivors include his wife, Ruth; one son and his wife, Evan (Evie) Swanson of Hutchinson, MN.; one daughter-in-law, Lois Swanson of Loma Linda, CA.; four step-daughters and their husbands, Ramona (James) Parker of Showhegan, MN.; Annette (Gill) Beierle of Glendale, AZ.; Cheryl (Andy) Martinez of Loma Linda, CA., and Melissa (Joseph) Melicher of Fort Hood, TX.; four grandchildren; eight step-grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and one sister, Rosa (Charles) Holm of Apapka, FL.

Funeral services were held Oct. 26, 1992 at the Seventh Day Adventist Church in Ute with Pastor Charles V. Jensen, officiating with burial in the St. Clair cemetery in Ute. Honorary casketbearers were Joseph and Clara Carritt, Ernest and Frances Koeppen, Robert and Pat Nutt, John and Katherine Cord and Rodney and Eloise Lansman. Casketbearers were James Gregerson, David Gregerson, Bruce Gregerson, Ronald Goslar, Steve Butz, and Robert Gregerson.