

Charlier, John B. d. 4-15-2000

## JOHN CHARLIER

Story City

John B. Charlier, 71, of Story City died of a heart ailment Saturday at Bethany Manor Nursing Home there. Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Grace United Methodist Church in Story City, of which he was a member. Burial will be at Story City Cemetery.

Mr. Charlier was born in Marshall County and had lived in New Providence before moving to Story City in 1958. He had been employed at Woodland Farms and was the retired owner of Charlier Electric. He also had sold milking equipment. He was an Army Air Corps veteran of World War II and a member of Lions Club. He enjoyed woodworking and gardening.

Surviving are his wife, Judith; two sons, James of Boulder, Colo., and Bruce of Fort Walton Beach, Fla.; three daughters, Barbara Meyer of Fairfield, Marjorie Charlier of Denver, Colo., and Ruth Erickson of Lugoff, S.C.; and seven grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Ruth.

Friends may call after 3 p.m. today at Soderstrum-Larson Funeral Home in Story City, where the family will be present from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

## John B. Charlier

APRIL 24, 1927 - APRIL 15, 2000

John B. Charlier, 71, of Story City, died Saturday of congestive heart failure at Bethany Manor Nursing Home in Story City. Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Grace United Methodist Church in Story City, with the Rev. Donald Preston officiating. Burial will be in the Story City Cemetery.

John B. Charlier was born on April 24, 1927, in Marshall County, the son of John B. and Ethel (Pinkerton) Charlier. He lived near Melbourne until 1952 when the family moved to New Providence. The family moved to Story City in 1958. He served in World War II in the U.S. Army Air Corp. He married Ruth Miller on June 24, 1949. She died on Oct. 13, 1985. He married Judith Sowers on Feb. 24, 1990. He was

employed at Woodland Farms from 1958 to 1962, and he started his own business, Charlier Electric, in 1964. He also sold DeLaval milking equipment. He retired in 1966. He was a member of Grace United Methodist Church and the Story City Lions.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, James Charlier of Boulder, Colo., and Bruce Charlier of Ft. Walton Beach, Fla.; three daughters, Barbara M. Meyer of Fairfield, Marjorie A. Charlier of Denver, Colo., and Ruth Renee Erickson of Lugoff, S.C., and seven grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by first wife and two brothers.

Visitation is after 3 p.m. today with the family present from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at Soderstrum-Larson Funeral Home in Story City.

Soderstrum-Larson Funeral Home in Story City is in charge of arrangements.

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