OBITUARY

Arthur Kleepsie, Grundy Center



Arthur was born August 14, 1918 in Grundy Center, IA to Charles and Minnie (Purlver) Kleepsie. He graduated from Zearing Township High School in 1937 and attended Iowa State College for two years. Arthur married Florence Pies on December 31, 1940 in Madrid, IA. He farmed in Zearing, retiring in 1986.

Arthur was a lifelong member of the Bethel United Methodist Church, a 50 year member of the Isabelle Charpter 271 of the Eastern Star in Colo, a 50 year member of the Masonic Lodge #99 A.M. and F.M. of Nevada, and a charter member of the McCallsburg Lions Club.

Art assisted Fredregill Funeral Home with funeral for the past 25 year. He will be remembered as a fine dedicated, caring, loving citizen of Zearing.

Survivors include one daughter Karen (Londell) Mannes of Ames and one granddaughter Lisa (Alan) Feeney of Morris Plains, N.J., one grandson Todd (Crystal) Mannes of Eden Praire, MN, three great-granddaughter, one great-grandson, one niece Nancy (Ronald) Reed of Lauren, IA.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Florence, on April 29, 2007; his parents; twin brother, Raymond; one sister, Madelyn Irwin; and a nephew John Fynn.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be directed to the family or Bethel United Methodist church in Zearing, Iowa.

Fredregill Funeral Home in Zearing, Iowa is in charge of the funeral arrangements.