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Stacy Nichols Jr.



Born: April 05, 1911

Died: October 01, 2004

Services will be held at: 1:30 P.M. on Tuesday, October 5, 2004 at the Hope United Methodist Church in Marshalltown with Pastor Scott Lothe officiating. Burial will follow services at the Marietta Cemetery.

Visitation times are: 5:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M. on Monday at the Pursel-Davis Funeral Home & Crematory where his family will be present to greet friends from 6:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M. Masonic Rites will be performed at 6:00 P.M. by the Marshall Masonic Lodge #108 AF & AM at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be directed in his name to the Hope United Methodist Church.

Stacy was born April 5, 1911 in Minerva, Iowa the son of Stacy and Della (Newby) Nichols Sr. He was raised and educated in Minerva and graduated from Clemons High

School in 1929. Stacy then attended Iowa State College in Ames. On September 2, 1934 Stacy was united in marriage to Frances Jane Stewart at the family farm in rural Minerva. Stacy was a farmer for twenty years and was a Purebred Hereford breeder. He was a sales manager for ACCO Seed Company for sixteen years, based in both Illinois and Iowa. Stacy retired on May 1, 1976. Stacy was a charter member of the Hope United Methodist Church. During his life he served as a Sunday school teacher, superintendent and was active in the church choir in various churches. Stacy was a 50 year member of the Masonic Lodge and was most recently a member of the Marshall Masonic Lodge # 108 AF & AM. He was a member of the Marshall County Farm Bureau, a past 4-H Leader and a past soil conservation commissioner. Stacy and his wife enjoyed traveling. They spent their winters in Arizona where Stacy managed a lapidary shop and traveled the country as members of the Boles Aero Travel Club and the Good Sams Travel Club. Stacy is survived by his two daughters Nancy J. Lindstrom of Newton and Janet L. Norton of Prescott Valley, Arizona, his three sons Stanley R. (Mary) Nichols of Harlan, Iowa, Neil S. (Norma) Nichols of Maroa, Illinois and Lyle E. (Jan) Nichols of Macomb, Illinois, his thirteen grandchildren and nineteen great-grandchildren. Stacy was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Frances in November of 2003, his brothers Roy Nichols and Emmet Sinclair.