

OBITUARIES

Lewis H. Terlisner Sr., 84

Lewis Henry Terlisner Sr., 84, of Lowden, Iowa, died, Monday, October 11, 2004 at his home.

Funeral Services were Thursday, October 14, at the Clinton Chapel Snell-Zornig-Dennis A. Lemke Funeral Homes and Crematory, with Father John Stack officiating. Burial followed in the Clinton Lawn Cemetery, Clinton with military honors being conducted by the Clinton AMVETS Post #28.

Serving, as pallbearers were Gean Ebner, Jon Ebner, Robert Ebner, Harold Ebner, Tom Wolf, and Steve Wolf.

Lewis Henry Terlisner was born May 2, 1920, in Arcadia, Iowa, the son of John and Josephine (Berens)

Terlisner. He married Grace Wolf on May 7, 1941, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa,

at the Immaculate Conception Church. She died on May 24, 1999.

He attended the Arcadia, Iowa, school system. He served in the United States Navy during World War II, as a radioman on the

destroyer, USS Hawkins in the South Pacific for three years before his honorable discharge in 1946.

He was a telegraph clerk and agent for the Chicago Northwestern Railroad for 38 years, at LaMoille, State Center and Ames, Iowa. He was also an American Family Insurance Agent from 1952 to 1974. After his retirement, he moved to Clinton and in 2003 he moved to Lowden, Iowa.

He was a former member of St. Mary's Catholic Church of Clinton, a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Lost Nation, Iowa, Morse Code Club of Galesburg, Illinois, and Lowden Legion Post 366. Lewis was an avid St. Louis Cardinals and Notre Dame fan and always enjoyed a good game of pool.

Survivors include one son, Lewis (Diana) Terlisner, Jr., of Lowden; five grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and many close friends, including Ann Hill and Ruth Johnson.

His parents, wife, four brothers, two sisters and one grandson preceded him in death.

The family requests the memorials be made to the Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Lost Nation, Iowa.

