LEWIS OSCAR THOMPSON

Collins d. 5-11-2003



Lewis Oscar Thompson, Jr., 75, of Collins died of a heart attack on Sunday, May 11, 2003 at Story County Medical Center. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, May 14 at 10:30 a.m. at Chet Ryan Mortuary

with Pastor David Burling officiating. Military rites will be conducted by the Nevada American Legion Post #48 immediately following the funeral. A luncheon will be held at the Nevada American Legion and burial will follow in the Resthaven Cemetery in West Des Moines.

Lewis was born on May 4, 1928 in Hamilton County to Lewis and Myrtle (Wicks) Thompson Sr. He was a graduate of Roland High School. He served in the U.S. Army during W.W.II. Lewis married Dorothy Williams Walton on September 3, 1976 in Roland. He was retired but still worked full time at WalMart. Lewis was a member of the American Legion Post in Collins and was an avid Hawkeye fan and enjoyed attending Iowa Cubs Baseball games.

Lewis is survived by his wife, Dorothy Thompson of Collins; two sons, Robert Thompson of Collins and Bob Shriner; three daughters, Ida Hall of Des Moines, Sonya Wickersham of Bondurant and Sandy Augustine of Nevada; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mildred Hanson and Sylvia Ryan, both of Roland and Mary Lou Simon of Pittsburgh, PA; three brothers, Wayne Thompson of Des Moines, Stan Thompson of San Benito, TX and Dr Robert Thompson of San Antonio, TX.

Lewis is preceded in death by his parents, his first wife Vera, a daughter, Karen Heuerman, a sister Lois Boyd and a

brother, Lyle Thompson.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, May 13 after 3 p.m. with the family present from 5 to 7 p.m. at Chet Ryan Mortuary in Nevada. A memorial fund has been established.

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