

PERSON, Emil

July 11, 1880

Sweden

September 1, 1962

Yankton, South Dakota

Viborg Enterprise - September 6, 1962

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR EMIL PERSON

Funeral services for Emil Person were held on Tuesday, Sept. 4th, from the Spring Valley Lutheran Church with Pastor Laurell Larsen officiating. Pallbearers were Clyde Pearson, Robert C. Pearson, Henry Pearson, Alan Pearson, Sam Lundie and Harold Lundie. Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery with the Viborg Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Emil Person was born July 11, 1880, at Longskogen, Helsingland, Sweden. He came to this country in 1892 with his parents to Alsen, South Dakota. They later moved to Viborg where he lived until his marriage to Marie Madsen on April 25, 1910. They lived one year at Lake Andes and then moved to Centerville. He worked as a carpenter until 1935 when he moved to a farm near Marion. Later they moved to a farm near Viborg where he lived until he died on Sept. 1, 1962, at a Yankton Hospital.

He was baptized in the Lutheran faith.

They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in 1960.

Survivors are his widow, two sons, Robert at home, and Bud of Centerville; three daughters, Mrs. Clarence Jepsen, Viborg, Mrs. Sam Lundie, Lennox, and Mrs. Hjalmer Gustafson, Sioux Falls; one brother, Carl; one sister, Mrs. Selma Whitaker; 8 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one sister and one brother, and his parents.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all who helped in any way and for their kindness extended to us during our recent bereavement. Special thanks to Pastor Larsen for his help and comforting words, to the organist and the ladies quartet for the songs and music; to the ladies who brought and served lunch; and for cards, flowers, memorial gifts, and all expressions of sympathy.

Mrs. Emil Person and Robert,
Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Gustafson
and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lundie
and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Person
and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jepsen
and family,