

NIELSON, Elmer C.

February 6, 1901
Yankton County
April 14, 1980
Viborg

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FUNERAL SERVICES HELD THURSDAY FOR ELMER C. NIELSON

Funeral services for Elmer C. Nielson were held on Thursday, April 17, 1980, at the Bethany Lutheran Church at 1:30 p.m. with Rev. Norman Wahl officiating. Organist was Helen Holm. Soloist was Rev. Norman Wahl. Pallbearers were Clifford Christopherson, Keith Christopherson, Michael Christopherson, Wayne Helgager, Ray Helgager, and Terry Nielson. Burial was at Carlson Cemetery. Fraternal Burial Association, Grace Gaddis, Director, was in charge of arrangements.

Elmer C. Nielson was born to Christian and Sena Nielsen on a farm in Yankton County, South Dakota, on February 6, 1901. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith at the Spring Valley Lutheran Church.

In September of 1922 he was married to Mariha Johnson who preceded him in death in 1967.

In August of 1969 he was married to Daisy Helgager. They lived in Turner County until the fall of 1971 when he retired from farming and moved to Viborg.

He passed away at Pioneer Memorial Hospital in Viborg, South Dakota, on April 14, 1980, at the age of 79 years.

He is survived by his wife, Daisy; two sisters, Mrs. Alice Johnson, Menno, and Mrs. Louie (Alta) Christopherson, Viborg; Keith Christopherson, Irene, and Clifford Christopherson, Cornelius, Oregon, who lived with Elmer for a number of years; and Mrs. Carl (Marie) Lund of Yankton.

Preceding him in death were his parents, two brothers, and Lucille Paulson.