

PETERSEN, Lawrence Christian

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August 7, 1945

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## Obituary

LAWRENCE C. PETERSEN

Lawrence Christian Petersen was born January 29, 1905 in Turner County, South Dakota. He was the son of Peter and Cecilia Petersen. He was baptized and confirmed in the Spring Valley Lutheran Church. He attended the local schools and graduated from the Viborg High School.

On July 28, 1927, he was married to Gladys Jensen. To this union were born five children, Robert, Eugene, Glennys, Arlyce and Dianne. He has four sisters and three brothers. They are all residents in this community with the exception of Alvin, who is serving with the U. S. Armed Forces and is stationed in the European theatre.

Mr. Petersen passed away in his home on August 7, 1945, having reached the age of forty years. His parents preceded him in death.

Mr. Petersen has always been active in community affairs as well as in the affairs of his church and has served in both places with keen interest and a willing spirit. At the time of his passing he was serving as president of the Spring Valley Lutheran Church and the Chairman of the church council. As he leaves us, the hearts of his widow, children, brothers and sisters, as well as a host of friends in his church and community are filled with fond memories.

Funeral Services were held on Friday, August 10th, at Spring Valley Lutheran Church with the Rev. Kenneth Petersen officiating. Pallbearers were, Axel Christensen, Charlie Jensen, Elmer Anderson, Chris Westergaard, Harold Nelson and Carl Knutsen.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to all relatives and friends, who have helped us in so many ways during the illness and death of our husband and father.

Mrs. Lawrence C. Petersen  
and Children