LARSEN, Lars Peter

February 4, 1867
Denmark
January 12, 1941
Viborg

Viborg Enterprise
January 16, 1941

Funeral Services Held For L. P. Larsen, Jan. 15

Funeral services for L. P. Larsen were held on Wednesday, January 15, at the home and at the Spring Valley Lutheran church. Rev. Iversen officiated and was assisted by Rev. Stallknecht. Mr. Larsen was laid to rest in the church cemetery. Pall bearers were Niels Hansen, Soren Hansen, Peter Lund, Geo. Johnson Anton Sorensen and Chris Rasmussen.

Lars Peter Larsen was born on Feb. 4, 1867 Gudum, Aalborg, Denmark, and passed away Jan. 12, 1941, at the age of 73 years, 11 months, and 8 days.

He was baptised and confirmed in the Lutheran Church in Denmark. In the spring of 1887 he left his native country and came to S. Dak. Being in S. Dak. one year, he went to Racine, Wis. In the year of 1889 he was united in marriage to Hansine Christine Hansen Nov. 29. They lived in Racine about 5 years. In the year of 1893 they moved to Center Point, S. Dak., joined the Spring Valley Lutheran church and remained an active member of his church until his death. In the year of 1937 Mr. and Mrs. Larsen retired from farming and moved to Viborg to make their home.

On Jan. 12, 1941 after a lingering illness he passed away quietly at his home. One daughter (Ada) preceded him in death, Mrs Lawrence Jensen died Sep. 13, 1930. He leaves to mourn him his wife and 5 children, namely: Charley Larsen, Mrs. Evan Jensen, Louie Larsen. Mrs. Tena Sorensen, Mrs. Olie Eli and one son-in-law, Lawrence Jensen, twenty grandchildren, two great grandchildren and a brother, L. C. Larsen of Freeman, S. D. These children and his beloved wife, Mrs. L. P. Larsen greatly mourn the loss of a good father and a dear husband. Blest be his memory.

RESOLUTION

In memory of our brother, L. P. Larsen who passed away January 12, 1941 our Lodge at our regular meeting on Jan. 16, 1941 adopted the following Resolution:

Resolved that we deeply regret the loss of a true and loyal brother that we through this resolution wish to extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family in their hour of sorrow.

Be it further resolved that our Charter be draped in mourning for thirty days, that a copy of this resolution be sent to the family of the departed, entered in the minutes of the lodge, printed in the D. B. S. paper and the Viborg Enterprise.

In behalf of the D. B. S. Lodge No. 139 of Viborg, S. D.

Niels C. Jespersen, President
Marius Larsen, Secretary.

A precious one from us is gone. A voice we love is stilled.
A place is vacant in our home. Which never can be filled.
Tis hard to break the tender cord: Where love has bound the heart.
Tis hard, so hard to speak the word. We must for ever part:
Yet again we hope to meet thee, When the day of life is fled.
And in heaven with joy to greet thee. Where no fare-well tears are shed.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors, for their kindness and sympathy offered during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, and brother. We also wish to thank those who sent flowers and for the contribution to the mission and to Rev. Stallknecht and Rev. Iversen and the choir. Your kindness and sympathy will always be remembered.

Mrs. L. P. Larsen
Mr. and Mrs. Charley Larsen
Mr. and Mrs. Even Jensen
Mr. and Mrs. Louie Larsen
Mr. and Mrs. Ole Eli