PETERSON, Stanley C.

September 10, 1895
Turkey Valley Township
December 27, 1967
Irene, South Dakota

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Funeral Services Held Held Saturday For Stanley C. Peterson

Stanley C. Peterson, son of Laurence and Martena Peterson, was born in Turkey Valley Twp., Sept. 10, 1895, and departed this life in his home in Irene, S. Dak., on Dec. 27, 1967, at the age of 72 years, 3 months and 17 days. Stanley Peterson spent his childhood and youth on a farm northwest of Irene. He attended the schools in Yankton County.

Mr. Peterson was a member of the Turkey Valley Lutheran Church and was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith.

Mr. Peterson was inducted into military service July 25, 1918, and served with the 1st Division in the battle of Meuse-Argonne Forest. He then served a year with the army of occupation in Germany. He received an honorable discharge from the Army on Sept. 24, 1919.

Stanley was united in marriage to Violet Pederson on June 29, 1921. To this union was born one son, Merlin.

Mourning his passing are his wife Violet, one son Merlin, one daughter-in-law Marjorie, two grandchildren, Lori and Lynn; one sister, Elenora Swenson of Willshire, Ohio; and a host of relatives and friends.

His parents, two brothers, Hardy and Melvin, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, Dec. 30, 1967, at the Turkey Valley Lutheran Church with Rev. Leslie Vanderpan officiating. Mrs. Jack Rudd was the organist. Songs, "Have Thine Own Way Lord" and "How Great Thou Art" were sung by Mrs. Jack Rudd with Mrs. John Knudsen as the accompanist. The honorary casket-bearers were K. N. Knutson, Otto Unverzat, Gust J. Lee, Clifford Anderson, Roy H. Peterson and Helge Halvorson. The casket-bearers were Tom Diefendorf, Merle Strunk, Lawrence Erickson, Jim Graff, Palmer Erickson, and Ellwood Jorgenson. Interment was held at the Hillcrest Cemetery with Military Graveside Rites by the Hall-Thompson Post, American Legion.

Blessed be his memory.