LAURITSEN, Niels M.

August 11, 1901
Denmark
March 10, 1980
Viborg

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FUNERAL SERVICES HELD WED'SDAY FOR NIELS M. LAURITSEN

Funeral services for Niels M. Lauritsen of Viborg were held on Wednesday, March 12, 1980, from Bethany Lutheran Church with Pastor Norman Wahl officiating. Organist was Mrs. Helen Holm, and special music was by Mr. Darrell Christensen who sang "How Great Thou Art". The congregation also sang "Amazing Grace". Pallbearers were: Dennis Hagemeyer, Kenneth Hagemeyer, Donald Hagemeyer, Robert Hovaldt, Donald Olawsky, and Kermit Jensen. Interment was in Bethania Cemetery, Viborg, S.D.

Niels M. Lauritsen was born August 11, 1901, at Melkaer, Tranum, Denmark. He came to the United States as a young man and made his home in the Viborg area.

On December 17, 1926, he was united in marriage to Hulda Andersen. Hulda and Niels lived in the Viborg area most of their married life. They did spend a couple of years in Vancouver, Washington.

Niels was in the trucking business and also did construction work.

Hulda passed away in October of 1973.

Niels continued to make his home in Viborg but had been in failing health the last two years, and at the very last had spent time in the Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home and Hospital. He passed away at the Hospital on Monday morning, March 10, 1980.

He was preceded in passing by his parents and several sisters and brothers. He is survived by one brother, Jens Lauritsen, and one sister, Nilda Larsen, both of Denmark.

Also surviving are nieces and nephews, and friends.

Blessed be his memory.