

NELSON, Hardy E.

May 8, 1897
Yankton County
December 10, 1976
Viborg

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FUNERAL SERVICES HELD MONDAY FOR HARDY E. NELSON

Funeral services for Hardy E. Nelson were held from the Bethany Lutheran Church in Viborg on Monday, December 13, 1976, at 2:00 P.M. Pastor Virgil White officiated. Organist was Mrs. James Oakland and the soloist, Mrs. Jack Rudd, sang "God Has Not Promised" and "Our Father Has Light In His Window". Pallbearers were: Donavan Hjelm, Wayne Sorenson, Carl Jensen, Kendal Tronbak, Kermit Nelson, and Burton Nelson. Interment was in Spring Valley Lutheran Cemetery.

A prayer service was held at the Fraternal Funeral Home in Viborg on Sunday, Dec. 12th.

Hardy E. Nelson, 79 years, 7 months and 2 days, passed away Friday in the Viborg hospital.

Mr. Nelson was born May 8, 1897, in Yankton County to James Peter and Tora Nelson. He married Mabel Sorenson Sept. 29, 1927, in Mitchell, S. D.

Before moving to Indiana, where he was employed as a body mechanic, he was employed as a mechanic at the Alfred Nelson Garage.

They lived in Frankfort, Ind., from 1939 until his retirement in 1966 when they moved back to Viborg.

Survivors include the widow; five brothers: Richard of Albert Lea, Minn., Earl of Viborg, S. D., Eastlin of Gendale, Calif., Jewel of Belle Gardens, Calif., and Wilbur of Reno, Nev.; one sister (Mildred) Mrs. Adolph Tronbak, Viborg, and nieces and nephews.

Mr. Nelson was preceded in death by his parents and three brothers—Levi, Clynard and Reuben.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Hardy E. Nelson wish to express a grateful thank you to all the relatives, friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and for food brought to the home. Also for the many beautiful floral tributes, memorials, music and expressions of sympathy after his passing. We wish to thank the Viborg Ambulance Service, the hospital staff and Dr. Nelson for their kindness shown our husband and brother. A special thanks to Rev. White and the ladies who served lunch.

— Mrs. Hardy Nelson