CHRISTOPHERSON, Soren

June 5, 1912
Turner County
March 20, 2000
Ludington, Michigan

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Soren Christopherson

Soren Christopherson, age 87, of Ludington, passed away Monday, March 20 on the first day of spring. Soren was born June 5, 1912, in Turner County, SD, but moved to Mason County in 1935.

He married Viola Alta Morell on June 21, 1929. Soren and viola celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary in 1999.

Soren was an active member of the United Methodist Church and a former member of the Bethany Methodist Church. Bowling, golfing at Lincoln Hills and playing cribbage and pinochle at the senior center were his favorite pastimes.

He had previously been employed by Dow Chemical, Greyhound as a driver and retired from Jackson Vibrators in 1977.

When his friends and family think of him, they will mostly remember his positive attitude, his gentle ways and the unconditional love he had for them. He will be sadly missed by his grand dogs, Jake and Maggie.

Survivors include his wife; son and daughter-in-law, Gary and Ruby Christopherson, of Janesville, Minnesota; daughter and son-in-law, Darlene and Jerry Ponko, of Ludington; granddaughter and husband, Suzanne and Paul Klaben, of Kenai, Alaska; grandson and wife, Jeff and Debby Ponko, of Chicago, Illinois; grandson, Larry Christopherson, of Anchorage, Alaska; granddaughter, Michelle Klaben of Alaska; one brother, Magnus Christofferson, of Viborg, SD; one sister, Dorothy Reynolds, of Sioux Falls, SD; and one sister-in-law Victoria Christopherson.

A funeral service was held Thursday, March 23 at the Untied Methodist Church of Ludington with the Rev. Paul Lowley officiating.

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