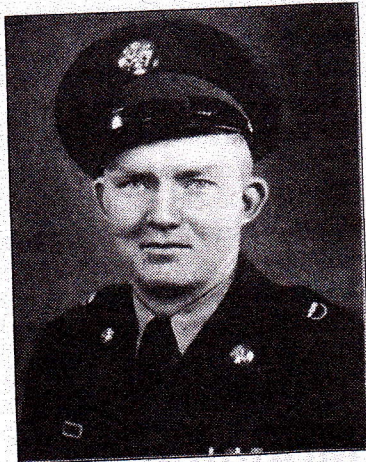


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## Leon Andersen



Leon N. Andersen, 70, of  
Sioux Falls, SD died September

7, 2003 at Select Specialty Hospital, Sioux Falls, SD. Funeral services were held on Tuesday, September 9, 2003 at Augustana Lutheran Church.

Leon N. Andersen was born December 13, 1932 at the family farm in Viborg, SD to Harvey and Freda (Hansen) Andersen. Leon grew up and attended school in Viborg. Leon worked on the family farm and neighboring farms. In 1953, Leon joined the U.S. Army serving during the Korean War. Leon was honorably discharged in 1955. After serving in the Army, Leon returned to South Dakota living in Yankton, SD.

Leon met Marilyn Brunke and they were married March 15, 1957 in Yankton. In 1965 they moved to Sioux Falls and Leon started working at Morrells where he worked until retiring in 1995.

Leon enjoyed woodworking, fishing and visiting family and friends.

Leon was a member of the Moose Lodge and the VFW.

Grateful for having shared his life are his wife, Marilyn of Sioux Falls; four sons, Ronald (Shelly) of Sioux Falls, Roger (Lisa) of Pierre, James of Maryville, TN and Scott (Karen) of Sacramento, CA. Two daughters, Robin (Brian) VanderPlaats of Pierre and Cindy (Ron) Meier of Sioux Falls; fourteen grandchildren; two brothers, Jerome of Sioux Falls and Larry of Woodbine, IA and one sister Diane (Lee) Rist of Centerville, SD.

Leon was preceded in death by his parents, one brother, Harlan, one sister, Marian Weins, and a grandchild, Megan Meier.

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