

NELSON, Chris

October 13, 1883
southern Turner County
January 22, 1956
Davis, South Dakota

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Services Held Wednesday For Chris Nelson, Davis

Funeral services for Chris Nelson, 72, of Davis, who passed away on Sunday, Jan. 22, were held at the Methodist Church in Davis on Wednesday of this week with burial in Rosehill cemetery at Viborg. Mr. Nelson, a life-time resident of Turner County, had been in the insurance business for the past 12 years following his retirement from farming.

Mr. Nelson is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Henry Bingner and Mrs. John Noteboom of Viborg, three sons, Mr. Kermit Nelson, Montrose, Mr. Viggo Nelson, Davis, Mr. Emert Nelson of Detroit, Mich., and a brother, Otto Nelson of our city. A brother, Nels Nelson, passed away about two years ago.

CHRIS NELSON OBITUARY

Chris Nelson was born October 13, 1883, one of three sons of Lars and Elsie Nielsen. He grew to manhood on the farm three miles south of Viborg. In 1907 he was married to Anna Peterson and moved in 1914 to a farm in the Davis vicinity where they lived until 1944 when they moved into Davis and resided until he was stricken Saturday night and passed away Sunday morning, Jan. 22nd.

Mr. Nelson served his community in numerous official capacities: 17 years on the County P. M. A. Board, Township and School Board, Board of Directors of the Farmers Lumber Co. of Viborg, and the Rural Telephone Association. He was a member of the Masonic Order, Emounah Lodge No. 184 of Viborg. He was a member of the Methodist Church and served faithfully in official capacity, both locally and in the conference.

He leaves to mourn his passing: his wife Anna, two daughters, Louella, Mrs. Henry Bingner, and Lillian, Mrs. John Noteboom, both of Viborg, three sons, Kermit of Montrose, Emert of Milford, Mich., and Viggo of Davis, one brother, Otto of Viborg, seven grandchildren and a host of friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Nels.