

**KRISTENSEN, Kristen Jensen**

**Born: July 2, 1897**  
**Denmark**

**Died: October 14, 1918**  
**Camp Funston, Kansas**

**Viborg Enterprise - October, 24, 1918**

**Kristen Jensen Kristensen**  
Kristen Jensen Kristensen was born July 2nd, 1897 in Brovst, Denmark. He came to America in Sept. 1910 and settled in Viborg, S. Dak., and has lived here since except when he was home on a trip to see his folks in Denmark. Kristen loved his mother dearly, and she was always in his mind, and he was a great help for his dear one.

He will have his reward, for the good Book says: "And whosoever shall give to drink unto one of the little ones a cup of cold water only, in the name of a disciple, verily I say unto you he shall in no wise lose his reward."—Matt. 10: 42.

Kristen was drafted in August 1918 and was sent to Camp Funston where he died the 14th of Oct. 1918 from pneumonia. He was ready to fight, suffer and die for his adopted country. He leaves to mourn him, father, mother, six brothers and two sisters in Denmark. It will be a hard blow for the dear ones over there, may God bless them and help them to endure.

The funeral took place from the D. B. S. Hall under the auspices of the Home Guard, and from the Methodist Cemetery. And he was buried with military honor. Rev. H. Folkestad of the Methodist Church officiated.