

THE LIFE STORY OF —

# Donald G. Andersen, 39

Denison — Donald Gene Andersen, was born on March 24, 1941, in Atlantic, son of Frank and Frances Dengler Andersen. He died Friday, May 30, 1980 at Crawford County Memorial hospital, in Denison at age 39.

He was raised on a farm west of Atlantic. He received his early education in the Cass county schools. He graduated from the Atlantic high school, where he was named All-State in football during his junior and senior years, in 1959. He later attended ISU, where he was named All-Big Eight tackle in 1962. He later attended Midwestern College in Denison where he graduated and received his teaching certificate. He taught and coached at Iowa Training School for Boys in Eldora, and in the Underwood Community schools. At the time of his death he was an instructor and coach in the Denison Community schools. Donald took special interest in coach and assisting young people. For the past few years he has been active in the Special Olympics.

On June 12, 1960, he married Lucille Grulke in Atlantic. This union was blessed with three sons.

He was preceded in death by one son in infancy, Daryl Lynn and his father, Frank Andersen. Survivors include, his wife Lucille of Denison, two sons, Kevin and Kiron both at home and his mother, Mrs Frances Andersen of Atlantic.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, June 3, 1980 at the Zion Lutheran church in Denison. Burial was in the Atlantic cemetery, with Rev. Jack Heck, officiating. Pallbearers were Al Dorenkamp, Charles Dreibelbis, Dennis Lokken, Bill Menegay, Robert Meyer, Mike Modlin, Jerry Neumann and Chuck Van Kecke.

Arrangements were handled by Huebner Funeral Home of Denison.