

## Peder C. Andersen, 87

Peder C. Andersen, the son of Jens and Marie Claussen Andersen was born Jan. 11, 1897 at Aero, Denmark. He was baptized as a young child at a Lutheran church and attended school in Denmark. At the age of 14, he came to the U.S. and settled in the Shelby co. area, where he worked on area farms.

On March 26, 1919 he married Anna M. Petersen at the Immanuel Lutheran church in Kimballton. One son was born to this union. After their marriage, they lived in the Jacksonville and Walnut areas, where they farmed for many years. He served Shelby co. as a Supervisor from 1958 to 1970. After retiring in 1970, they continued to live on the farm and 1975 they moved to Elk Horn and became residents of the Salem Lutheran Home sin 1977. After she died on Feb. 7, 1981, he continued to make his home at the Salem Lutheran Homes.

He was a member of the Elk Horn Lutheran church in Elk Horn and was a past long time member of the Bethlehem Lutheran church in Jacksonville.

He died at the Salem Lutheran Nursing Home in Elk Horn on Aug. 17, 1984 at the age of 87 years, 7 months and 6 days.

In addition to his wife Anna, he was preceded in death by his son Howard on Aug. 12, 1983. He was also preceded in death by two brothers Clause and George and two sisters Bertha and Marie. He is survived by his daughter-in-law Arlene (Mrs Howard) Andersen of Walnut; two grandchildren Terry Andersen of Atlantic and Susan (Mrs Darcy) Zubrick of Sioux Falls, S.D.; three great grandchildren Jana and Jason Zubrick and Christian Andersen; four sisters Anna, Sine, Petra and Margrathe and one brother Mads all of Denmark; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Monday, Aug. 20, 1984 at Pauley Funeral Home, Harlan, with the Rev. Eugene F. Soland of the Elk Horn Lutheran church in Elk Horn, officiating.

Burial was held in the Harlan cemetery, Harlan, with Dave Claussen, Everett Lamer, Wayne Hansen, Russell E. Petersen, Leo Maier and Edward Lane all serving as casketbearers.

Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan was in charge of the arrangements.