

## F. Don Holt, 62

Francis Donald Holt, son of Catherine McDonald and Alfred A. Holt was born May 30, 1919, at Davenport. He died on Saturday, May 29, 1982, at Myrtue Memorial hospital in Harlan at the age of 62 years.

He was educated in the Cherokee schools. On May 24, 1941, he married Mahela Scheer at Davenport and to this union three daughters were born. During World War II, Don served three years in the U.S. Army. He has spent 35 years in the grocery business, moving to Harlan in 1960 to manage the Harlan Super Value Store.

In 1966, he went to work for the Harlan Municipal Utilities and has been a water plant operator for 16 years. He was a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Helmer Reyelt Post No. 150, American Legion and V.F.W. Post No. 941 of Harlan.

He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers, Kenneth Holt and two in infancy. Survivors include his wife, Mahela; three daughters, Donna, Mrs Roger Fiscus of Irwin, Ann, Mrs Gary Bader of Plymouth, Neb., and Susan, Mrs Terry Morris of Harlan; six grandchildren, Ragene, Dawnene, Stephanie, Heidi, Andy and Adam; many nieces and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Monday, May 31, 1982, at the Immanuel Lutheran church with Pastor Kenneth P. Alpers officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Mike Spetman, Walter Krantz, Don E. Blakley, Harvey Anderson, Kenneth A. Olson and Anker Eastergard serving as casketbearers. Military rites were conducted by the American Legion Post No. 150 and V.F.W. Post No. 941, Harlan.

Burmeister Funeral Home handled arrangements.

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