Edmund Madsen, 70 1983

Edmund Thorvald Madsen, son of Inger M. Peitersen and Mads J. Madsen was born Nov. 19, 1912 near Elk Horn. He attended rural school near Elk Horn and graduated from the Elk Horn high school. He tended for Carl Bonnesen for three years.

On April 21, 1937 he married Evelyn Andersen at her parents home near Atlantic. He has lived on the same farm all of his life and retired from farming in 1976.

He was baptized and confirmed member of the Elk Horn Lutheran church and a member of the Danish Brotherhood. He died Monday, Oct. 24, 1983 at the Clarkson

hospital in Omaha at the age of 70 years, 11 months and 5 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers George and one in infancy; one sister Lydia Mortensen and a daughter-in-law Sheryl. Survivors include his wife Evelyn of Elk Horn; five sons Gary and Charles of Co. Bluffs, Terry and Keith of Elk Horn and Kent of Dallas, Texas; one brother Alvin of Grimes; three sisters Elsie, Mrs Hans Weddum, Eleanor, Mrs Elmer Sornson and Edna, Mrs J. Emroy Fredrickson all of Elk Horn. He is also survived by 7 grandsons, many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Oct. 26, 1983 at the Elk Horn Lutheran church with Rev. Eugene Soland and Rev. Akihiko Tominaga officiating. Burial was in the Elk Horn cemetery with Ray Esbeck, Mark Madsen, Glynn Hansen, LaVerne Smith, Galen Sornson and Darrell Frederiksen serving as casketbearers.

Services were conducted by the Burmeister Funeral Home.