

**David M. Pool, 19**

David Michael Pool, son of Gary and Carolyn Carter Pool, was born Aug. 1, 1962 in Des Moines. He attended grade school and then Clarke Community high school, both in Osceola. At the age of 16, David moved with his parents to Harlan, where he attended the Harlan community high school, graduating in the spring of 1981. As a student there, he was a member of the Trades and Industry Program, which involves on the job training during school hours and as a part of this program, he was employed at the Fareway Grocery Store in Harlan. In the fall of 1981, he enrolled in the electronics technology course at Iowa Western Community College in Council Bluffs, as a part time student while continuing to work at Fareway. Later in the year, he moved to the dormitory at Iowa Western Community College to take classes on a full time basis.

He was a member of the First United Methodist church in Harlan. Because of an illness, hemophilia, he was unable to participate in sports and thus was a member of an auto club in Harlan called Heavy Metal, which was formed to promote good will and safe driving. He died as a result of an automobile accident in Omaha, on March 25, 1982 at the age of 19.

He is survived by his parents, Gary and Carolyn Pool of Harlan; his grandparents, Robert M. and Ferne Pool of Osceola; his great grandparents, Walter and Dorothy Pool of Circleville, Kans.; his paternal great grandmother, Grace Gonseth of Osceola and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan on Monday, March 29, 1982 at 11 a.m. with Dr. Larry LaVelle of the First United Methodist church officiating.

Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Michael Coon, Larry A. Kuehl, Thomas D. Else, Bruce R. Carl., John S. Doonan and Scott Alan Thraen serving as casketbearers.

POOL, David  
death notice

OMAHA — David Pool, Harlan, was one of two 19-year-old Iowans killed in a one-vehicle accident about 10:45 p.m. Thursday (March 25) on Interstate 480 in downtown Omaha.

Authorities said a passenger in the car driven by Pool, Mark Christensen, Woodbine, also was killed when it went out of control. Both men were pronounced dead at St. Joseph's Hospital in Omaha.



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Omaha police said the Pool car was southbound when it struck a median, then collided with an unoccupied parked car in the northbound lane of I-480. The car plunged down an embankment, coming to rest on the Arbor St. underpass.

Survivors include his parents, Gary and Carolyn Pool of 809 Walnut St., Harlan.

At press-time Friday morning, funeral services were pending at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan.