

In
Loving Memory
Loren H. Fischer

Born
December 6, 1925
In rural Shenandoah, Iowa

Entered Into Rest
March 5, 2000
Shenandoah, Iowa

Age
74 Years, 2 Months, 28 Days

Life Celebration
1:30 P.M.
Thursday, March 9, 2000
First United Methodist Church
Shenandoah, Iowa

Words of Comfort
Rev. Roger Madden

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The Twenty-Third Psalm

*The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He  
leadeth me beside the still waters.  
He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the paths of  
righteousness for His name's sake.  
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow  
of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me;  
Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.  
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of  
mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil: my  
cup runneth over.  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the  
days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the  
Lord forever.*

*Organist*  
Ardys Cowherd

*Soloist*  
Sue Jones

*Musical Selections*  
"Amazing Grace"  
"For His Eye Is On The Sparrow"

*Memory Register*  
Delores Hart — Darlene Laughlin

*Caring For Flowers*  
Barb Foote — Ann O'Hara  
Kathy Racine — Arlene Tackett

*Ushers*  
Leroy Hensley — Gaylen Lundgren  
Dave Tackett, Sr

*Casket Bearers*  
Gregg Fienup — Steve Fienup  
Gene Johnson — James LePorte  
James O'Hara — Larrie Palmer

*Honorary Bearers*  
Manzel Berlin — Donald Fienup  
Wesley Hart — Gene Holmes  
Wayne Holmes — Ed P. Laughlin  
Kenneth Nadgwick — Tom Newman  
Paul Sheirbon — Carl W. Stephens

*Final Resting Place.*  
Rose Hill Cemetery  
Shenandoah, Iowa

## Loren H. Fischer

Loren Henry Fischer, the son of Carl Frederick and Mary Eleanor (Teachout) Fischer, was born on December 6, 1925 near Shenandoah, Iowa. He departed this life at his home in rural Shenandoah on March 5, 2000 at the age of 74 years.

Loren grew up in the Shenandoah area attending Pleasant Hill and Science Ridge country schools and graduating from Shenandoah High School in 1943. Following graduation he farmed with his father. In 1948, they moved to their present farm, which is a Century Farm established in 1881 by his great grandfather, Louis Fischer. In 1950, he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and served at Barbers Point, Hawaii and ALF Ream Field, San Diego, California in Utility Squadrons VU-1 and VU-3. He received his discharge in 1954 and returned to farming, in which he remained active until his death.

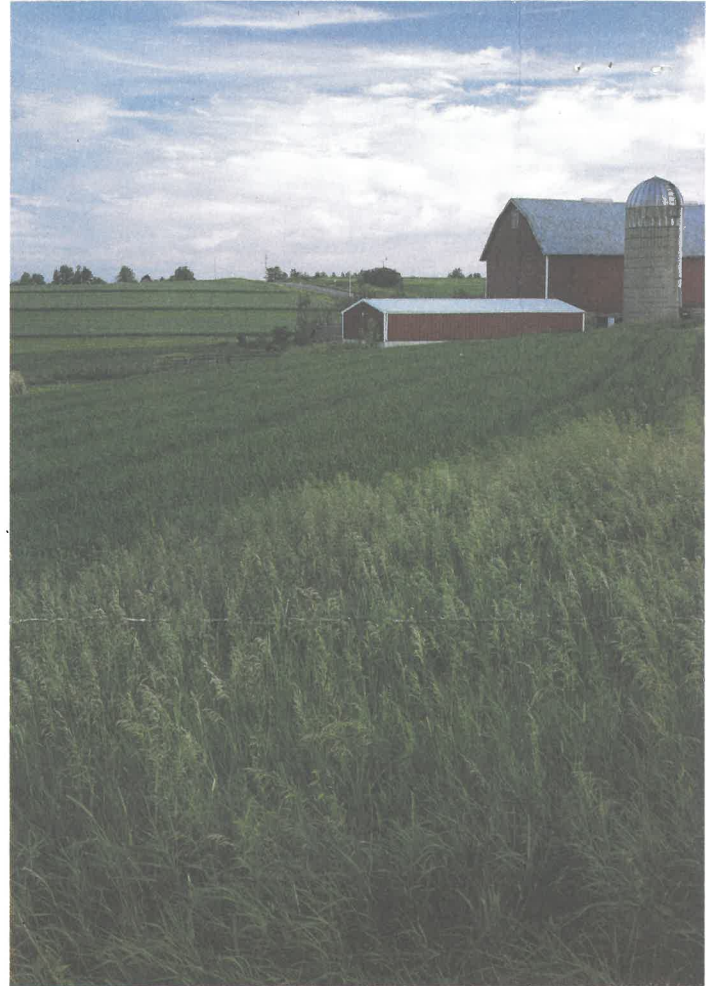
On December 5, 1957, Loren was united in marriage to Delores Jean Newberg at the College Springs Methodist Church and to this union four children, Lorraine, Bernard, Margaret and Eloise, were born.

He was a lifelong active member of the Shenandoah United Methodist Church and the Questers Sunday School Class. He was the leader of the Tarkio Soil Tillers Boys 4-H Club for twenty years and was honored as a member of the Page County Honorary 4-H. He was a member of the Page County Farm Bureau, American Legion Post #88, and a fifty year member of Tri Centum/Friendship Masonic Lodge. Seven years ago, he became a charter member of the VU-1 Squadron Reunion and tremendously enjoyed four of their reunions, the last being in Pittsburgh this past September. Loren was an avid reader of all subjects, especially all kinds of history from Biblical and world to local and family. He spent many enjoyable hours researching and discussing history with friends and family.

He was preceded in death by his parents and sister Dorothy Boylan.

Survivors include his wife, Delores Fischer of rural Shenandoah; daughter, Lorraine Torres and husband, Rick, and their children, Taylor and Zeller of The Woodlands, Texas; son, Bernard Fischer and wife, Cynthia, and their children, Karen, Kyle, Stacie and Brian of Shenandoah; daughter, Margaret Brady and husband, John, and their children, Loren Marie and Jack of Shenandoah; and daughter, Eloise Vos and husband, Meldon, and their children, Mikayla and Marissa of Newton, Iowa; plus other relatives and friends.

*Services Entrusted to Selby Funeral Chapel, Shenandoah, Iowa*



## In Remembrance