

In Loving Memory

Martin Huss

Born
August 3, 1920
Conway, Iowa

Died
June 4, 2004
Shenandoah, Iowa

Age
83 years, 10 months, 1 day

Casket Bearers

Phillip Smith	Jeannie Brancs
Delmar McConkey	Charles Huss
J. A. Helmick	Irene Thornton
Dean Higgins	

Honorary Casket Bearers

F. C. Grace	Gary Pitt
Paul Gwinner	Nathan Smith
Todd Justice	Tre' Grace
Vernard Thomas	

Services from:
Hackett-Livingston Funeral Home
Tuesday, June 8, 2004—10:30 a.m.

Words of Comfort
Rev. Carl Phillips

Music
"The Wonder Of It All"
"When the Saints Go Marching In"

Martin Huss was born August 3, 1920, in the rural area of Conway, Iowa. He was the son of Sophia Jane (Hackett) who married John Henry Huss.

Martin was one of seven children, four girls and three boys. Sisters include: Alice (Huss) Higgins, Florence (Huss) Plater, Elsie (Huss) Cline, and Ellen Huss. Brothers include: Jacob Norton Huss and Fred Elroy Huss.

Martin went to Seattle, Washington where he worked out of the ship yards. He did underwater welding on ships.

He met his first wife, Rachel Shieds in Seattle, WA. They were married and then returned to Iowa. The couple did not have any children, but treated their nieces and nephews like their own children. Some of the nieces would spend summers with Martin and Rachel. Martin and Rachel both worked at Mt. Arbor Nurseries for many years. Rachel passed away in 1980.

On June 29, 1981, Martin was remarried to Hazel M. Smith. The couple resided in Coin, Iowa. They ran a small plant nursery out of their home and raised vegetables to be sold at the Farmers Markets in the area. Hazel passed away in 1994.

Martin was preceded in death by his parents, both wives, three sisters and two brothers.

Martin is survived by his sister Elsie Cline of Council Bluffs, Iowa; step-son Phillip Smith and wife Linda of Fort Dodge Iowa; a host of nieces and nephews as well as several great nieces and nephews.

Interment
Rose Hill Cemetery
Shenandoah, Iowa