Paul E. Erickson

Paul Elmer Erickson, son of Frank and Hannah (Parson) Erickson, was born on February 16, 1916, on a farm south of Shenandoah. Paul passed away on March 26, 2000, at the Garden View Care Center in Shenandoah at the age of 84 years.

Paul received his education in the Fremont County School System. He served his country during World War II as a member of the United States Army. On January 29, 1943, Paul was united in marriage to Vivian Bennett of Shenandoah at the Randolph, Iowa parsonage. He worked for DeKalb for nine years before starting his farming career from which he retired in 1996. He was a member and leader of the Fremont County 4-H Clubs. Paul was baptized, confirmed, and a lifetime member of the Emmanuel Lutheran Church of Shenandoah. He also served on the Church Council.

Preceding Paul in death were his parents, four brothers, Carl, Oliver, Herb and Edward Erickson, and three sisters, Susie Swift, Helen Wilson and Margaret Phillips.

Survivors include his wife, Vivian, of the home, one daughter and son-in-law, Darlene and Jerry Isaacs of Mexico, MO, one son and daughter-in-law, Tom and Linda Erickson of Shenandoah, IA, four grandchildren, Craig Isaacs and his wife, Chrissie of Normal, IL, Jeff Isaacs of Jefferson City, MO, Keith Erickson of Cameron Park, CA, and Rochelle Daugherty and husband Michael of Rock Port, MO. Also surviving are two great grandchildren, Drake and Ashlynn Daugherty of Rock Port, MO, and two sisters-in-laws, Alice Erickson of Essex, IA, and Rose Erickson of Independence, MO, and several nieces and nephews.

Services entrusted to Hackett-Livingston Funeral Home Shenandoah, Iowa