In Loving Memory



Alvin L. Puckett

Born
September 7, 1906
Westboro, Missouri

Entered Into Rest August 29, 2001 Shenandoah, Iowa

Age 94 Years, 11 Months, 22 Days

Life Celebration
10:30 A.M.
Saturday, September 1, 2001
Selby Funeral Chapel
Shenandoah, Iowa

Words of Comfort Rev. Roger Madden

Memory Register Elaine Blackburn

Caring for Flowers Jean Henshaw - Carol Jones

Organist
Margaret Woods

Soloist Bill Sons

Musical Selection
"Going Home"
"Amazing Grace"

Ushers
Blaine Barton - Merrill Skinner

Casket Bearers

Bob Beach - Leroy Hensley - Roy Hopkins Gordon Jones - Jimmie Jones - Norman Kling

> Final Resting Place Rose Hill Cemetery Shenandoah, Iowa

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.

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Alvin Leonard Puckett, the son of Clarence F. and Margaret A. (Trulock) Puckett, was born September 7, 1906, in rural Westboro, MO, and passed away August 29, 2001, in Shenandoah, Iowa.

Alvin grew up on a farm northwest of Coin, IA and graduated from the Coin High School in 1925. He worked as a farm hand for two summers and on August 21, 1928 was united in marriage to Grace Ashbaugh at Clarinda, IA. To this union two children, Shirley and Roger, were born. They lived on several farms before finally buying a farm one mile south of Norwich where they lived and farmed for 32 years. He enjoyed the independence of the farm life and was always glad to exchange help with his neighbors. Alvin then retired and they moved to Shenandoah.

Living through the depression and four wars Alvin saw rough times and good times, drought and wet times and enjoyed being a senior citizen when he retired. He enjoyed living in the century of great inventions and progress going from horse and buggy to Model Ts and airplanes. He witnessed the introduction of many new machines like radio, television, automatic washers, clothes dryers, microwave ovens, computers, the atom bomb and space travel.

Alvin was a past member of Farm Bureau, Izaak Walton League, and a member of United Methodist Church in Shenandoah where he had served as president of the CHB Class and chairman of the administrative board. Hunting, fishing, boating, camping, traveling and spending time outdoors were some of his main interests. He enjoyed visiting with family and friends and would stop along the way during one of their travels to visit with a stranger he thought would be interesting. His family enjoyed his sense of humor and his grandchildren looked forward to spending time with him.

Preceding Alvin in death were his parents; grandson, Jimmie L. Flotho; three sisters, Crystal Puckett, Gladys Bennett and Marjorie Stevenson; two brothers, James Puckett and Clarence Puckett, Jr.

Survivors include his wife, Grace Puckett, of Shenandoah; daughter, Shirley Inzauro, of Omaha, NE; son, Roger Puckett, of Shenandoah; granddaughter, Tamera G. Joice and husband, Charlie, of Ft. Collins, CO; sisters, Esther McCord, of Westminister, CO, Lavina McCord, of Napa, CA and Eloise True, of Craig, MO; three great grandchildren plus other relatives and friends.



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