



Welden Christensen

September 7, 1923 - March 2, 2007

WATERLOO~ Welden F. "Chris" Christensen, 83, died Friday, March 2, 2007, at Cedar Valley Hospice Home.

Chris was born September 7, 1923, in Nashua, Iowa, the son of Wendell H. and Lauretta H. (Forbes) Christensen. He was united in marriage to Bonnie Lee Peverill August 14, 1949, in Waterloo, Iowa. He served his country in the United States Army Air Corp. during World War II. Chris had been Vice-President at the former Peoples Bank and Trust Company in Waterloo for 21 years. Then was President of the Whiteside County Bank in Morrison, Illinois, and to retirement in 1981, owned and operated the Garden of Memories Cemetery in Waterloo. Chris was a member of The Mayflower Society and Waterloo Lodge #105 A.F. & A.M., was also a member of the El Kahir Shrine and El Mecca Shrine Club and its Motor Corps.

He was past board member of both the National Cattle Congress and Winnebago Council of the Boy Scouts of America and Charter member-Past president of the Sunrise Exchange Club.

Chris is survived by his wife of Waterloo; three children, Marius P. (Linda) Christensen, Alan F. (Lacie) Christensen all of Cedar Falls, and Joy E. Christensen of Waterloo; five grandchildren; two great grandchildren; and a brother, Wendell H. (Pauline) Christensen of Deltona, Florida. Preceding Chris in death were a brother, Ronald Christensen; and a sister Waneta Wicklund. Services are scheduled for 1:00 p.m. Tuesday at Cedar Valley Community Church with inurnment at a later date in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Richardson Funeral Home in Cedar Falls, on Monday from 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with the family present from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Calling also for one hour prior to service time at the church on Tuesday. A memorial has been established.

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