



Fred Black

April 30, 1925 - December 11, 2004

Fred Black, Jr.: Fred passed away late Saturday evening, December 11, 2004 at the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Knoxville, IA at the age of 79 years, 7 months and 11 days.

Fred is survived by his wife, Margie Black of Oskaloosa; a godson, Aaron Lafrenz of Pleasant Hill, IA; two brothers-in-law and six sisters-in-law and their spouses: Dorothy Black of Orlando, FL; Keith & Nancy Garrett of Oskaloosa; Elaine and Danny Brown of Oskaloosa; Mary Lou and Carrol Beyer of Lynnville; Betty & Bob Plate of Pella; Donald & Nadine Garrett of Arizona; Dorothy Hazlett of Kansas City, MO; and Miladean Garrett of Albia. He was blessed with many nieces and nephews.

Fred Black, Jr., son of Fred & Clarissa Emanuel Black, Sr. was born on April 30 1925 in Eddyville, IA. He attended Eddyville High School. He served in the United States Army from Jan. 12, 1944 to April 2, 1946 as a Topographic Draftsman in Northern France, Rhineland and Central Europe. He married Margie Ione Garrett on August 4, 1950 at the First Christian Church in Oskaloosa. Fred was employed by the M & St. L Railroad, Lynn's Hatchery and also as a carpenter. He was a member of the American Legion and the First Baptist Church; he enjoyed fishing, hunting, woodworking and his many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a brother, Gene Black; a sister, Marion Gaston Sperry; four brothers-in-law, Bill and Bob Garrett, Dale Hazlett and Bill Gaston; and one sister-in-law, Arlene Salway.

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“ *Fred Black*

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