

John Wesley Harless

John Wesley Harless, 64, 2535 W. Jefferson St., died at St. Joseph Memorial Hospital at 10:12 a.m. Monday, April 5, 1982.

He was born in Hamill, S.D., May 4, 1917, a son of Lloyd and Anna Gertrude (McAnally) Harless. He was married July 23, 1939, to Frances McAninch, who survives.

A graduate of the Kokomo Business College, he was employed as an accountant at Tenbrook Sales. He was a certified public accountant and was a member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, the Indiana Association of Certified Public Accountants and the national organization of the AICPA.

Also surviving are five sons, Robert W. Harless of Ironton, Ohio, John W. Harless of Phoenix, Ariz., James R. Harless of Cozad, Neb., Paul R. Harless of New Haven and Timothy A. Harless of Tulsa, Okla.; four daughters, Francina K. Kissel of New Palestine, Jana Smith of Dallas, Ruth A. Harless of Houston and Deborah S. Harless, at home; a brother, Hal Harless of North Platt, Neb.; four sisters, Edith Werner of Oacoma, S.D., Efe Williams of West Covina, Calif., Annabell Homan of Crookston, Neb., and Della Hurlbert of Hemmet, Calif.; and 16 grandchildren. A son and two brothers preceded him in death.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church with the Rev. Robert Bohlmann and the Rev. Herbert Muhl officiating. Burial will be at New London Cemetery. Calling at Ellers Mortuary will be from 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Wednesday and at the church Thursday an hour before services.