

Gilbert Zweifel Sr.
June 24, 1915 - Sept. 7, 1984

Gilbert Zweifel Sr., 69, rural Belleville, died Friday, Sept. 7, 1984, following a heart attack at his home.

The son of Fred K. and Barbara Klassy Zweifel, he was born on the Zweifel homestead farm in Exeter Township, Green County, on June 24, 1915. He was married to Emma Fahrney on Oct. 15, 1935, and they farmed in the New Glarus and Albany areas before moving to the home farm in 1954. His wife died on Nov. 11, 1972. He married Emma Qinn on March 20, 1980. He retired from active farming two years ago.

Services were held Tuesday, Sept. 11, in Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello. The Rev. John Van Barcom, interim pastor officiated, and burial was in Highland cemetery, Monticello.

Survivors include his wife, Emma; one son, Gilbert Zweifel Jr., rural Albany; four daughters, Mrs. Jacob (Eldonna) Crooks, and Mrs. Thomas (Judy) Dickson, Monticello, Mrs. Gary (Linda) Anderson, Monroe, and Mrs. Francis (Margie) Best, Belleville; two brothers, Clarence Zweifel, Brooklyn, and Alvin Zweifel, Evansville, and 12 grandchildren.

Preceding him in death were his first wife; his mother, June 9, 1953; his father, March 5, 1946; four brothers, Fred, Herman, Ivan and Walter, and two sisters, Mrs. Alice Crooks and Mrs. Barbara Winkleman.

Pallbearers were George Crooks (remaining text missing).