



William Arthur Beadle

October 13, 1930 - December 21, 2016

William Arthur Beadle passed away Wednesday, December 21, 2016, at Franklin General Hospital in Hampton, Iowa. William Arthur Sloat (Billy) was born in Hampton, Iowa, the son of Arthur Frank and Ruth Victoria (Beadle) Sloat on October 13, 1930. Due to the death of his parents, he was orphaned May 28, 1934. His uncle, G.W. Beadle, and Elizabeth Ann, adopted Billy and he was raised by them on a farm 1 ½ miles east of Bristow. In 1948, he graduated from Bristow High School and began farming. Bill was united in marriage to Aleece McNeilus on December 22, 1951. They began farming 1 mile north of Bristow, then moved ½ mile east of Dumont, and farmed there until 1961. At that time, Bill and Aleece purchased a farm ½ mile west of Bristow and have resided there since. Bill was a member of the Church of Christ in Bristow. William is survived by his wife, Aleece; three children: Jacqueline (Wendell) Groen, Tony (Anna) Beadle, and Brad (Lisa) Beadle; ten grandchildren: Michael (Katie) Groen, Christopher (Angie) Groen, Benjamin Groen, Courtney Williams, Britany Miller, Sierra Beadle, Shayler Beadle, Baylee Beadle, Laney Beadle, and Brock Beadle; nine greatgrandchildren: Kenzie, Kamri, Kilee, Kori and Kreyton Groen, Madelyn Groen, Myah Kreimeyer, Aydin Williams, Coralee Miller; and many friends and relatives. He was preceded in death by his adopted parents, G.W. and Elizabeth Ann Beadle; biological parents, Arthur Frank and Ruth Victoria Sloat.

Tribute Wall



“ *William Arthur Beadle*

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