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Robert Jensen, Sr., 63

Robert Jensen, Sr., 63, of Aurora, died Friday, Dec. 23 in Lincoln. Services for Mr Jensen were Dec. 27 in the chapel of the Higby Mortuary in Aurora. The Rev. Larry Carrier, pastor of the Pleasant View Bible church officiated. Burial was in the Aurora cemetery with military rites by Lester S. Harter, Post 42 of the American Legion.

Robert Warren Jensen, Sr. was born Dec. 19, 1920 in Walnut. He was the son of Nels and Emma Andersen Jensen. He attended country schools near the place of his birth and high school in Harlan. On March 1, 1942, he married Geraldine Johnson in Iowa. He worked on a farm until entering the Army in 1942. He served in World War II as a first lieutenant in the South Pacific until 1945.

After leaving the Army, he spent a year in Calif. and then moved to Grant Twp. near Aurora where he farmed and made his home. He was a member of the First Christian church in Aurora.

Survivors include his wife, Geraldine; three sons, Robert, Jr. of Marquette, Tom of San Antonio, Texas and Rod of Sacramento, Calif.; four daughters, Louise Sigona and Pam Epp, both of Aurora, Sharin Brabec of Hastings, Minn. and Beverly Monson of Saginaw, Texas; seven brothers, Nels of Kingsville, Md., Dale of Yucca Valley, Calif., William, Charles and Lowell, all of Monrovia, Calif., Andrew of Kingsbury, Calif. and Dewey of Fresno, Calif.; his mother, Emma of Monrovia, Calif.; 17 grandchildren, one great-grandchild, other relatives and many friends.