

Falls City, NE

Donald L. Shaw, age 85, of Falls City, passed away May 8, 2014 at Falls City. He was born March 24, 1929 at Salem, NE to the late Floyd A. and Naomi (Darby) Shaw.

He married Jo-Etta Moore at Falls City on October 21, 1951.

Don attended school in Salem until moving to Falls City and graduated from Falls City High School in 1947.

Don worked at Firestone Stores during high school, Wittrock Dairy, Coca-Cola Bottling plant and retired from the Southeast Nebraska Telephone Company in 1989. Following his retirement, he and Jo-Etta traveled extensively covering all 50 states, several countries in Europe including Germany, Austria, Hungary, as well as all but one province in Canada and into Mexico as well, plus cruising the Caribbean. He was a long time member of the First Christian Church serving on several committees and the church board. His most cherished friends are members of the church and the Sunday School Class.

Don is survived by his wife, Jo-Etta; daughters, Debra Jean Peck and her husband Steve of Lincoln, NE, and Donetta Kay Shaw of Kansas City, MO; grandsons, Matthew Peck and his wife Meghan Sheehan of Durham, NC, David Peck of Lincoln, NE, great-granddaughter, Aubreyana Peck of Lincoln, sister, Beverly Torkelson of Falls City, sisters-in-laws Janice Moore of Falls City, Bernice Shaw of Omaha, Retta Wenger and her husband Merlin of Sabetha, KS, brother-in-law Karlus Moore and his wife Pat of Nebraska City, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, brother, Leroy, infant sister, Arlyss Jean, and a brother-in-law, Bob Moore.

A Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday, May 13, at 10:30 a.m. at the First Christian Church in Falls City, with Reverend Fay Ann Blaylock officiating. Inurnment will be Steele Cemetery.

Family will receive friends on Monday, May 12, 2014 at 5:30-7:00 P.M. at the Dorr and Clark Funeral Home.