

Hensel G. Gilbertson

Whitehall, WI

Hensel G. Gilbertson, 93, of Whitehall, WI, passed away Wednesday, September 30, 2015, at Grand View Care Center, Blair, WI. He was born August 30, 1922 to Arndt and Minnie (Nerby) Gilbertson in Whitehall.

Hensel married Jeanette Thomley on February 24, 1945.

He was a dairy farmer, and also worked as a carpenter, electrician, hauled milk, and also worked on the interstate. Hensel could do whatever was asked to do.

He served on the Jackson County Board and the Pigeon Creek Church Council.

Hensel enjoyed fishing, hunting deer, and was awarded the farmer of the year award for Land Conservation.

He was a kind caring man, who taught his family the value of work.

Hensel is survived by his wife of 70 years, Jeanette; 2 sons, Harvey Gilbertson of Prairie Du Chien, WI, and Alan (Lorie) of Albany, Oregon; 2 daughters, Sara (Richard) Hubler of Millston, WI, and Judy (Bruce) Hunter of Black River Falls, WI; 12 grandchildren; 16 great grandchildren; 1 great great grandchild; other nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by a son, John; parents, Arndt and Minnie; brothers, William and Arthur; sister, Agnes;

Funeral services will be held Monday, October 5, 2015, 1:00 p.m., at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 36197 Main St., Whitehall, WI. Reverend Yvonne Marshall will be officiating. Burial will follow in Pigeon Creek Evangelical Lutheran Cemetery, Pigeon Falls, WI.

Family and friends are invited for visitation Sunday, October 4, 2015, from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m., at Jensen-Modjeski Funeral Home, Hixton, WI.

Family and friends are also invited for visitation Monday from 12 noon until the time of the service at the church.

Jensen-Modjeski Funeral Home of Hixton is assisting the family with arrangements.