

Ralph C. Garwood

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Funeral services for Ralph C. Garwood, 93, were held Monday, Oct. 22 at 3 p.m., at the United Methodist Church in Wheatland, with Pastor Gary D. Robbins of the Pioneer Baptist Church officiating. Interment was in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Mr. Garwood died Thursday, Oct. 18 at the Platte County Memorial Hospital in Wheatland.

He was born Nov. 5, 1896 in York, Neb., the son of William E. and Clenna (Bush) Garwood. He was reared and educated in the York area. He was married to Mary E. Hoth at Bayard, Neb., on Nov. 22, 1917. The couple then moved to Wyoming, homesteading north of Cottonwood in Platte County. He remained living in the area until the time of his death.

He is survived by his children, Laretta Roberts of McGuire of Douglas, and Ralph Murrell Garwood of Glendo. Also surviving are a sister, Estuier Schweppé of Renton, Wash., 15 grandchildren, and numerous great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Mary, in 1985, a son Lawrence, in 1956, and a brother, Murrell, in 1977.

Serving as pallbearers were Tina Yearick, Tom Garwood, Clayton McGuire, Carol McIntire, Judy Kechter and Linda Cochran.

A memorial to the Wheatland Senior Citizens Center would be equally appreciated by the family.

The Platte Funeral Chapel of Wheatland was in charge of arrangements.