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Cletus McManama Dies Unexpectedly

Cletus A. McManama, 40, a native of Decatur, died suddenly at 3 a.m. Monday at his home at Joplin, Mo., route 3, following a heart attack.

A building contractor, he had resided at Joplin for the past three years.

Born in Decatur Aug. 8, 1926, he was a son of Omer and Reba Roop-McManama.

Mr. McManama was a member of the Peace Lutheran church at Joplin, and the Masonic lodge Sycamore 520, the Order of Easter Star and the White Shrine, all of Deshler, O. He was a veteran of World War II and the Korean conflict.

Surviving are his wife, Myrtle; and two sisters, Mrs. Virginia Ray of Carl Junction, Mo., and Mrs. Barbara McCann of Fort Wayne.

Services were held this afternoon at the Peace Lutheran church at Joplin. The body will be brought to the Zwick funeral home in this city, where friends may call after 7 p.m. Wednesday. Masonic services will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday. Graveside rites will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at the Decatur cemetery.