

(Handwritten date: Friday, April 16, 1943)

REV. HOLLIFIELD DIED THIS MORNING Gospel Temple Pastor Is Spinal Meningitis Victim

Rev. Clifford Hollifield, pastor of the Fort Wayne Gospel Temple, passed away this forenoon, according to a noon-day radio announcement. The Rev. Mr. Hollifield collapsed immediately following his radio broadcast of the Back Home Hour last Sunday night and his condition was critical from the start, and was later diagnosed as spinal meningitis.

He was well known here and had quite a few in the community who heard his morning broadcasts regularly.

He has served the gospel temple as pastor for quite a number of years and followed the late Rev. Rediger, who died unexpectedly of appendicitis. Rev. Hollifield was 33. Funeral arrangements were not available at press time this afternoon.

A broadcast this morning stated that Rev. Hollifield was running a temperature of 107 and that his crisis was expected in a few hours, which apparently he was unable to survive.

(Karin King note: Buried in Greenlawn Memorial Park, Fort Wayne, Indiana)

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INNIGER FAMILY GATHERING

Misses Mary and Wilma Inniger were hostesses to the members of their family at their home on Thursday evening. The get-together was in honor of their brother, Cpl. Homer Inniger, who is home on furlough from Monroe, Virginia. The evening was spent in a social manner with the following present: Mr. and Mrs. David L. Habegger and children, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Inniger and daughter Norma Jean, Jacob Inniger and family, Ervin Inniger, Miss Jane Case and Miss Fern Neusbaum and the guest of honor, Homer Inniger and his wife and son, Stanley Allen and (cut off)

(Handwritten date: Friday, March 19, 1943)

DAVID STEINER, 73, DIES IN ILLINOIS Rites Sunday For Brother of Mrs. Jacob Neuhauser

Mrs. Jacob Neuhauser of this place received a telephone message this morning informing her of the death of her brother, David Steiner, 73, of Sterling, Illinois. Death occurred this morning, following an illness since last autumn. It is understood that he suffered a paralytic stroke during the final stages of his illness.

The deceased was a native of the Linn Grove community, where he grew to manhood. The greater part of his life was spent in Illinois, where he was engaged in farming. His parents were Peter C. and Verena Stauffer-Steiner.

His widow and several children survive. Mrs. Neuhauser of this place and a brother Amos Steiner west of town also survive.

Funeral services will be held at Sterling Sunday afternoon.

(Karin King note: Buried at Science Ridge Mennonite Cemetery in Sterling, Illinois)

(Handwritten date: Saturday, Nov. 27, 1943)

THANKSGIVING WEDDING HELD AT CATHOLIC CHURCH

Miss Catherine L. Lichtle, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lichtle, and Lester D. Kaehr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kaehr, of Monroe, were united in marriage in the rectory of the St. Mary's church on Thanksgiving Day.

Rev. J. J. Seimetz received the double ring vows. The couple were attended by Miss Jeanette Braun and Melvin Hirschy.

The bride wore a dark brown tailored suit with dusty rose accessories, and a corsage of pink carnations. Her attendant wore a teal blue suit and her corsage was of yellow chrysanthemums.

The bride is an employe of the General Electric and the groom is employed at his father's farm.

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