

GEORGE P. PITZER

Nov. 3, 1915 - Sept. 5, 2007

George P. Pitzer, 91, Kokomo, died at 3:30 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 5, 2007, at St. Joseph Hospital. He was born Nov. 3, 1915, in Howard County, the son of Lloyd and Pearl (McKinsey) Pitzer. On Nov. 1, 1945, at Alto United Methodist Church, he married Violet A. Henderson, who preceded him in death on Aug. 4, 2007.



He was a 1934 graduate of Kokomo High School. He was a lifelong farmer who raised cattle, sheep, chickens and various grain crops. He was a lifelong member of Alto United Methodist Church, where he served on various boards and committees. He served on the Kokomo Howard County Planning Commission for many years. He served on the Howard County Farm Bureau board of directors. George was always willing to volunteer his time and effort in any way he could. He loved going to auctions and working the land.

He is survived by his son, David J. Pitzer, Kokomo; one brother, Charles "Bob" Pitzer and wife Mildred, Rockledge, Fla.; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife; and three brothers, John, Kenneth and Ralph Pitzer.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p.m. Monday at Shirley & Stout Funeral Home, Lincoln Road Chapel, 1315 W. Lincoln Road, with the Rev. Kent Kessler officiating. Burial will follow in Sunset Memory Gardens Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home from 4 to 8 p.m. Sunday. Memorial contributions may be made to Alto United Methodist Church, with envelopes available at the funeral home. Messages of condolence may be left at www.shirleyandstout.com.