

Obituary for Edward H. Blum

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STOCKTON – Edward H. Blum of rural Stockton, an automobile and farm equipment mechanic in Stockton and Lena for a number of years, died of an apparent heart attack in his home Tuesday morning.

Born Sept. 23, 1917, in Galena, he was the son of Edward and Louise (Link) Blum. He married Margery Hildebrandt Sept. 14, 1946, in Galena.

Mr. Blum was a member of Nora Community Church.

Surviving are his widow; a son, Roger, at home; a daughter, Mrs. Eugene (Susan) Hayenga of Egan; four stepdaughters, Mrs. Charles (Margery) Moran of Streamwood, Mrs. Lonna El Talaboni of Bourbonnais, Miss Charlene Fillmore of Woodstock and Mrs. Ralph (Leslie) Stambough of Rockford; 10 grandchildren; a brother, Robert of California; and a sister, Mrs. Cecil (Margaret) Adams of Freeport. He was preceded in death by his parents, a son and three brothers.

Funeral service will be at 1 p.m. Friday in the Nora Church. The Rev. Kenneth Wooten, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in Chapel Hill Cemetery, Freeport.

Friends may call at Hermann Funeral Home, Stockton, after 2 p.m. Thursday.

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