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Romeo Morton

Services for Romeo W. Morton, 74, Conde, were held at 2 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 22, at the Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel in Groton with the Rev. Dick Boyd officiating.

Burial was in the Groton Union Cemetery.

Mr. Morton died Monday, Jan. 19, at the James Zeck home in Conde.

Casketbearers were Tim Morton, Todd Morton, Wayne McGuire, Gordon Roettele, Richard Zimney, and Robert Zimney. Honorary casketbearers were his grandchildren.

Mrs. Melvin Rossow was the organist and Loren Siefken, soloist, sang "What a Friend We Have in Jesus", "The Old Rugged Cross" and "How Great Thou Art".

Mr. Morton was born October 23, 1906, at Marshall County, Iowa. As a child he came to the Groton area. He worked for the City of Groton until his retirement. He had resided in Conde for the past six weeks. He married Ruth Gooding May 18, 1936, at Leola.

Survivors include one son, William, Conde; two daughters, Mrs. James (Judy) Zeck, Conde; and Mrs. Wayne (Bonnie) McGuire, Belvidere, Ill.; three halfbrothers, Stanley, Donald and George Morton, all in Colorado; one sister, Mrs. Ann Ismay Roettele, Aberdeen; eight grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

He was preceded in death by his wife, two sisters, one half sister, one brother and one half brother.