

Herbert Pigors

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Services for Herbert F. Pigors, 63, Ferney, were held at 2 p.m., Monday, Dec. 14, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Ferney with the Rev. Larry I. Geyer officiating.

Burial was in the Ferney Cemetery with military graveside rites by the Groton American Legion Post No. 39. The Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Pigors died Wednesday, Dec. 9, at the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Sioux Falls.

A prayer service was held at the funeral chapel.

Casketbearers were Roger Krueger, Bert Pigors, Cory Pigors, David Pigors, Larry Pigors and Neil Wagner. Mrs. Dallas Sombke was the organist and the congregation sang "I'm But A Stranger Here"; "Rise My Soul To Watch and Pray" and "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah". Ushers were Larry Sombke and Darrel Sombke.

Herbert F. Pigors was born on January 18, 1918 at rural Ferney. He grew up in that area and married Cora L. Belden December 26, 1946, at Groton. During World War II he served in the U.S. Army Air Corps in the Pacific Theater at New Guinea. Following his discharge he farmed in the Ferney area until his retirement.

Survivors include his widow, four sons, Staff Sgt. Bradford Pigors, stationed with with U.S. Army in Germany; Howard Pigors, Casper, Wyo.; Warren Pigors, Ferney; and Sgt. Kurt Pigors, stationed with the U.S. Army at Fort Carson, Colo.; one brother, Ewald Pigors, Ferney, one sister, Mrs. Joyce Krueger, Groton; and two granddaughters.

He was preceded in death by his parents, four brothers and one sister.