

Adolph E. Siepke – Marengo

Adolph E. Siepke, 75, of rural Marengo died unexpectedly Saturday in Highland Hospital, Belvidere. He was born Dec 14, 1891, in Russian Poland, and came to this country when he was 16. He married Martha Mensching in Roselle on Feb 11, 1916 and they farmed there until moving to Marengo in 1945 to continue farming. Mrs. Siepke died Oct 15, 1963. Surviving are six sons, Irwin, Vernon and Norman of Marengo, Raymond and Wilbert of Rockford and Jerome of Elizabethtown, Ky.; six daughters, Mrs. Herbert (Selma) Malo of Chicago, Mrs. Kenneth (Loretta) Lipps and Miss Edna Siepke of Rockford, Mrs. Stewart (Irma) Taylor of Elgin, Mrs. Melvin (Mildred) Kamholz of Crystal Lake and Mrs. Dennis (Helen) Madaus of Marengo; 29 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. In addition to his wife, he was preceded in death by a brother, Herman. Funeral services will be at 1:30 Tuesday at Zion Lutheran Church with the Rev. Russell Killion officiating. Burial will be in McHenry County Memorial Park, Woodstock. Friends may call at the funeral home from 3 today until 11:30 Tuesday and after noon at the church.