

Ray A. Neitzel

Occupant Name: Ray A. Neitzel

Location: **Section Q, Lot 15**

Date of Birth: 5/26/1897

Date of Death: 1/1/1965

Date of Burial: 1/5/1965

Veteran: Yes

Lot Owner: N. Trueblood

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



Ray A. Neitzel, WWI Veterans Commander, Dies

Commander of Jackson County Barracks of World War I Veterans, Ray A. Neitzel, Brownstown, died Friday at 7:25 a. m. in the Veterans Administration Hospital in Louisville, Ky. He was 67 years old and had been in ill health for three months.

Funeral services will be conducted Monday at 2 p.m. from Spurgeon Funeral Home, Brownstown, by the Rev. Omer Hartman, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Brownstown. Burial in Fairview Cemetery, with military services at the graveside.

Friends may call after 5 p. m. today at the funeral home.

A retired electrician, Mr. Neitzel served in World War I, winning several medals, including the silver star. He also belonged to Seymour Post No. 89 of the American Legion.

Mr. Neitzel was born May 26, 1887, in Indianapolis, to Charles and Sophie Rambo Neitzel and was married October 18, 1940, to the former Flossie Greathouse Hill in Davenport, Iowa.

Surviving are his widow; his mother, in Indianapolis; two step-sons, Raymond L. Hill and Charles L. Hill, both of Columbus; two step-daughters, Mrs. Alpha Stout, Wyandot, Ill., and Mrs. Aileen Cain, Phoenix, Ariz.; 17 grandchildren; and 24 great-grandchildren. Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Norma Cruise and Mrs. Esther Hill, both of Indianapolis.