

George H. Sommers Sr.

Occupant Name: George H. Sommers Sr.

Location: Section Q, Lot 16

Date of Birth: 5/6/1899

Date of Death: 1953

Date of Burial: 1953

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: C. Hurley

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



George H. Sommers Dies At Hospital—Funeral Rites Mon.

Funeral rites were held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon from the Brownstown Christian Church for George Henry Sommers, widely-known Brownstown contractor and an ordained minister of the Christian Church. Gene Dulin, Brownstown Christian minister, officiated and interment was in Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Sommers, who was fifty-four years of age, died at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the county hospital, following an illness of three months' duration.

Born in Jackson county, May 6, 1899, Mr. Sommers was a son of the late Henry and Ann Morgan Sommers. On Christmas Day, 1922, he was married to Essie Hurley, who survives.

Mr. Sommers had served for some time as pastor of the Sparksville Christian Church and through his work in this field was widely known in the entire community. He also was prominently identified with fraternal and civic organizations in Brownstown, as a member of the Brownstown Knights of Pythias Lodge, Lucullus Temple, Pythian Sisters, Washington Lodge, No. 13, Free & Accepted Masons, the Scottish Rite, Brownstown Order of Eastern Star, Chapter 264, and also the Brownstown Lions Club.

Surviving in addition to the widow are three sons and a daughter. They are George Henry Sommers Jr., of Waynetown; Claude Louis Sommers, of Brownstown; David Roscoe Sommers, at home, and Mrs. Catherine Ann Burleson, of Indianapolis.

Other immediate survivors include three grandchildren; a brother, Louis F. Sommers, of Brownstown, and a sister, Mrs. Leafy Jane Callahan of Vallonia.

