

Reginald Eugene Duerst
July 14, 1912 - October 11, 1976

Reginald Duerst, 64, New Glarus, died Monday, October 11, at University Hospitals, Madison, after a long illness. His funeral was held Wednesday (today), October 13, at 2 p.m. in the Zentner Funeral Home, New Glarus. Rev. Charles Workman, of the Zwingli Unit ed Church of Christ, Monticello, officiated, and burial was in Highland Cemetery, Monticello.

The son of Henry G. Duerst and Ursula Marty Geiger, he was born in New Glarus on July 14, 1912. He was married to Elsie M. Wyss on December 4, 1937. He was an employee of the Pet Milk Co., in New Glarus for 30 years, and had been a specialty gift representative for 16 years.

He was a member of the New Glarus Eagles No. 2604, and a member of the Degree and Ritualistic teams.

He was a 1931 graduate of the New Glarus High School. He was baptized and confirmed in Swiss Church, New Glarus.

Survivors are his wife, Elsie, New Glarus; one half-brother, Gilbert Geiger, Madison; four half-sisters, Mrs. Marie Torkelson, Madison; Mrs. Alma Marty, Beloit; Mrs. Bernice Merklein, Janesville; and Mrs. Bertha Eppler, Flint, Mich.

He was preceded in death by his father on June 3, 1950, and his mother on June 6, 1924.

Pallbearers were Al Fiez, Henry Ott, William Palmer, New Glarus; Jake Wettach, Monticello; Clifford Albertson, Blanchardville; and William Menze, Prairie du Chien.

