

## **Josiah Crouch Jr.**

MONTICELLO – Josiah “Si” Crouch Jr., 79, died Sunday, Feb. 8, 1998 at his home in rural Monticello.

He was born July 13, 1918 in Monroe, the son of Josiah and Anna (Disch) Crouch.

He attended Love1and School in rural Monticello.

He married Eleanor B. Thomann Oct. 12, 1940 at Washington Reformation Church of Christ, rural Monticello. They farmed in Washington township most of his life.

Mr. Crouch was a member of Washington Reformation Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Eleanor; two brothers-in-law, Melvin (Virginia) Keppner, Rockford, Ill., and Ronald (Judy) Holcomb, Monticello; and a sister-in-law, Florence Crouch, Monticello.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Albert Crouch, and sister, Lorraine Brunner.

Funeral services are 2 p.m. Wednesday at Washington Reformation United Church of Christ, rural Monticello, with the Rev. Charles G. Workman officiating. Burial will follow in Washington Church Cemetery.

Friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m Tuesday at the church.

Shriner-Neushwander-Hager Funeral Home, Monroe, is assisting the family with arrangements.

