

John Klassy, 70, New Glarus, Dies

NEW GLARUS — John Peter Klassy, 70, died around 8 Friday night, May 2, 1969, of an apparent heart attack in his home.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday, May 5, in the Swiss United Church of Christ in New Glarus.

Friends may call at the Zentner Funeral Home after 3 p.m. tomorrow and at the church after 12 noon on Monday.

Mr. Klassy was born in Washington Township Dec. 10, 1898, a son of Peter and Mary Karlen Klassy. He attended Monticello - New Glarus area schools. On Nov. 1, 1917 he was married in New Glarus to Henrietta Zwickey. They farmed in New Glarus Township, until moving to New Glarus in the late 1940s.

Mr. Klassy was interested in conservation work, particularly in the re-stocking of fish. He was also known for his beekeeping resulting in honey production.

Surviving are the widow, Henrietta; a daughter, Mrs. Eldon (Erma) Thacker; a brother, G. F. Klassy, and two grandchildren, all of New Glarus.

An infant sister preceded him in death.