

**Neil I. Lightner**, (5 Oct 1921 -15 Mar 1995), 73, township, school official:, Patriot-News, Thursday, March 16, 1995

Landisburg **Neil I. Lightner**, 73, of Landisburg RD 3 died Wednesday in Carlisle Hospital.

He was a retired self-employed carpenter; onetime employee of Washington National Insurance Co. and the former Pennsylvania Railroad; a former Tyrone Twp. supervisor; West Perry School District director; and president of the Landisburg Ambulance Club. He was a World War II Army veteran; member of VFW Post 9118, Landisburg, and American Legion Post 177, Newport; and a member and former consistory member and Sunday School teacher of Trinity United Church of Christ. He also was a member of Adams Lodge 319, F&AM, New Bloomfield; Landisburg Fire Company; Perry Historians; Historical Society of Perry County; Blain Sportsman's Club; and Madison Grange 2064, Loysville RD 1.

Surviving are his wife, **Doris J. Johnson Lightner**; two daughters, **Susan K. Fleisher** of Shermans Dale and **Neila I. Swidersky** of Mechanicsburg; a son, **Lester I.** of Marysville; two sisters, **Fae L. Cupp** of New Bloomfield and **Doris Jane Lightner** of Phoenixville; and seven grandchildren.

Services will be held Saturday at 11 a.m. in his church. Burial with military honors will be in Landisburg Cemetery.

Viewing will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday, with Masonic services at 8: 45 p.m., in Nickel Funeral Home, Loysville, and from 10 to 10: 50 a.m. Saturday in the church.

Memorial contributions may be made to his church, Landisburg 17040, or to Perry Historians, P.O. Box 73, Newport 17074.

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