

## John Anthony Kelly

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Funeral services for John Anthony Kelly, age 97, were held at the United Presbyterian Church in Guernsey Friday, Feb. 9, at 10:30 a.m., with the Rev. Delbert Dick officiating.

Interment followed in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Mr. Kelly died Tuesday, Feb. 6, at the Platte County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

John Anthony Kelly was born Dec. 20, 1892 at Millersburg, Wyo., the son of William and Katherine (Tomamichel) Kelly. He spent his childhood at Fairbanks (near Kelly's Park), Wyo.

John Kelly married Amy Crawford June 27, 1914 at Guernsey. Shortly after their marriage they moved to their homestead on the "Bettelyoun Flats," where they lived until retiring in 1960 and moving into Guernsey.

Mr. Kelly was an avid hunter and fisherman, and enjoyed gardening and yard work. In the fall of 1989, he was given a plaque for being the Oldest Native Platte County Resident."

He is survived by numerous nieces and nephews and one sister-in-law. He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, three sisters and two brothers.

Serving as pallbearers were Charles Lawrence, Joe Calmes, Stanley Speckner, Chuck Frederick, Vernon Bomgardner and Nick Lagos.

A memorial fund has been established by the family to the Guernsey Ambulance Fund.

Platte Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.