

## Lloyd Preston Smith

Funeral services for Lloyd Preston Smith, 69, were held Monday, March 4, at 10 a.m. at the All Saints Episcopal Church in Wheatland, with the Reverend Karin E. Wade officiating. Interment followed in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Mr. Smith died suddenly on Wednesday, Feb. 27, at the Desert Springs Hospital in Las Vegas, Nev.

He was born Oct. 11, 1921, at Robinson, Ill., the son of Burl and Gladys (Hook) Smith. He was reared and educated in Robinson, graduating from the Robinson High School in 1942.

Following graduation, he joined the United States Navy where he served until 1946. In 1947 he married Freda Thomas in Bridgeport, Ill.

He then attended the Bowling Green Business College in Bowling Green, Ky., and then the Nashville Lab Technical College in Nashville, Tenn.

In 1964 they moved to Wheatland, and he worked for the Platte County Memorial Hospital as a X-Ray technician for 20 years, retiring in 1984. Following his retirement they spent their time in Wheatland and Arizona.

He was a member of the All Saints Episcopal Church, the Wheatland Country Club and Wheatland Golf Club.

He is survived by his wife, Freda, of Wheatland; one daughter, Thelma Williamson of Centerville, S.D.; three grandchildren, Julie Wiedmeier, Thomas Adams, and Rachelle Vollmer; and four great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother.

Serving as pallbearers were Tommy Adam, Henry McElhane, Wes Wagner, Jim Williamson, Randy Blackman, and Larry Wiedmeier.

A memorial to the Platte County Memorial Hospital would be equally appreciated by the family.

The Platte Funeral Chapel of Wheatland was in charge of arrangements.