

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Beaman, M. H. "Jack" Senator _____

Represented Clarke County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 18 Feb 1924 Hesperille, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place _____

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business As a sergeant he attained the rank of assistant chief; past-president of the Iowa Police Officers Association

B. Civic responsibilities American Legion; Veterans of Foreign Wars; Disabled American Veterans; Mason; Rotary Club; Eagles

C. Profession Iowa State Highway Trooper 1949-1979

4. Church membership Christian

5. Sessions served 72nd 73rd 74th 75th General Assemblies 1989-1992; 1989-1990; 1991-1992; 1993-1994

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 9 Jan 1992 Des Moines, Iowa; buried Hesperille Cemetery Doyle Twp. Clarke County, Iowa

8. Children Jackie (Mrs. Chuck) Hoffa; Cindy (Mrs. Monte Hamilton); Jodi

9. Names of parents William H. and Mary A. (Doets) Beaman

10. Education Graduate of Murray Iowa High School, 1942

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information Republican

- Military service - World War II - 10th Mountain Division, later
Company I, 87th Regiment, wounded in action and awarded
two Battle Stars, a Bronze Star, the Purple Heart as well as
Combat Infantryman and Good Conduct Medals, in the U.S.
Mountain Infantry Ski Troop, 1943-1945, Italian Conflict
- He found KLLC radio station in Asccola
- He was the President and CEO of the Helco Manufacturing in Murray Iowa

M.W. 'JACK' BEAMAN

M.W. "Jack" Beaman, the son of William W. and Mary A. Deets Beaman, was born Feb. 18, 1924, in Hopeville, a rural farming community in Clarke County. He died Jan. 9, 1998, at Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines. He was 73.

He graduated from Murray High School. He was inducted into the U.S. Army at Camp Dodge on March 17, 1943 and was shipped to Fort Lawton, Wash. where he joined the 10th Mountain Division. He transferred to Camp Hale, Colo. and experienced skiing and mountaineering for the first time. He was assigned to Company I, 87th Regiment.

Mr. Beaman was wounded in action April 19, 1945. He was awarded two Battle Stars, a Bronze Star, the Purple Heart and received Combat Infantryman and Good Conduct Medals.

Mr. Beaman was an Iowa State Trooper from 1949 to 1979 where he progressed to the rank of assistant chief. He was founder of KJJC Radio in Osceola and president and CEO of Helco Manufacturing in Murray.

Mr. Beaman served four terms (1987-1994) in the Iowa House of Representatives and was past-president of the Iowa State Policeman's Association, member of Davis Pence American Legion Post in Osceola Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled American Veterans, Purple Heart Association, Evening Star Masonic Lodge, Scottish Rite Temple in Des Moines and the Osceola Rotary Club.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Boyd Beaman in 1919 and Kenneth Beaman in 1995.

Mr. Beaman is survived by his three daughters; Jackie Hoffa and her husband, Chuck Hoffa, of Cumming, Cindy Hamilton and her husband, Monte Hamilton, of Indianola and Jodi Beaman of West Des Moines; six grandchildren, Laura, Sarah, Bryan, Cheryl, Kendra and Bill; a brother, Lloyd Beaman of Highland, Kan.; six sisters, Elma McKay of Highland, Suzie Backer, Louise Simms and Alice Jenkins and her husband Paul Jenkins, all of Hiawatha, Kan., Lucille Franck and her husband, Charles Franck, of Ankeny and Betty McMurphy and her husband, Bob McMurphy, of Garden Grove; as well as many nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

Services were held at First Christian Church in Osceola where Mr. Beaman was member at 1:30 p.m. on Jan. 13 with the Rev. Fred Rohlf officiating. Eulogies were given by Larry VanWerden and Gary Kimes. Organist Belva White accompanied Mike Raeberg as he sang The Old Rugged Cross and What a Wonderful World.

Casket bearers were Sgt. Larry Jones, Trooper Brian Shelley, Trooper Rick Lampe, Trooper Brian Thompson, Trooper Steve Alt and Trooper Kirk Lundgren. Honorary casket bearers were John Abeltines, Dan Foster, Wayne Petersen, Bill James, Paul Foster, Rex Phares, Arliss Booth and Earl Usher.

Interment was in Hopeville Cemetery. Military Rites were presented by the Iowa National Guard.

Memorials may be made to Jerry Rabner Memorial Boy's Ranch at Fort Dodge or the American Legion Davis Pence Post No. 69 at Osceola.



Tom Floyd McVey, was born the Ringgold Co. Mr. McVey married He came the parent He retired as a after 19 years of McVey Electric Mr. McVey to hunt and fish probably had and enjoyed the He was preceded by McVey; a brother McVey and Sh Mr. McVey and his wife, Jackie McVey husband, Dale Bill Houseman Groves, of Missouri mother, Hazel Dorothy McVey and Judy McVey friends.

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