

Final Services for Charles F. Ritter Set for Thursday

Funeral services for Charles F. Ritter, 58, prominent Leona Valley farmer and stockman, will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday in the Palmdale Community Presbyterian Church. Rev. Eldon Durham, pastor, will officiate. Music will be furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin Miss Charlotte Seaman and Robert Prickett.

Mr. Ritter died Sunday, December 7th in the White Memorial Hospital in Los Angeles from a heart attack and complications, following an illness of three weeks.

Mr. Ritter was born in Talmadge, Nebraska, on May 29, 1889. He came to Leona Valley with his parents at the age of 5 years. He had made his home here since then. He married Dora Sophia Nagel in 1912.

Survivors include his widow, two daughters, Lorein Dorothy Ritter and Betty Jean Ritter and one son, Loren Evan; four brothers, Adolph, William, Albert and Emil; two sisters, Mrs. Frieda Redman and Mrs. Clara Ikeler.

Pallbearers will be William, Albert, Emil and John Ritter, Bud Redman and Frank Ikeler.

Interment will be in the Palmdale Cemetery under direction of Mumaw Funeral Home.