

Man Who Molded Border Markers Taken by Death

John Alexander Kerr died today but the monuments he molded will continue on.

Mr. Kerr, 83, died at his residence at 707 North Virginia street. He was brought to El Paso 46 years ago by the El Paso Foundry and Machine Co. to mold the 350 iron monuments that were placed on the border between the United States and Mexico. He also molded the bronze plaque on the Scenic Drive. He retired four years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary two years ago.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Sarah Paul Kerr and a son, Paul Kerr, both of El Paso; four daughters, Mrs. Robert Keith, Mrs. Waldo Allen and Mrs. P. V. R. Schuyler, all of El Paso, and Mrs. Frank Young of Roswell, N. M.; two brothers, William Kerr of El Paso and Theodore Kerr of Kansas City, Mo.

Funeral services will be held at 4 p. m. tomorrow at Peak-Hagedorn chapel with Rev. C. O. Beckman officiating. Burial will be in Masonic cemetery.