

The Life Story of —

ALOIS N. ALBERS, 65

EARLING — Alois Nicholas Albers, son of Ulrich and Katherine Miller Albers, was born on a farm near Earling, on June 28, 1911. He died at Mercy hospital in Council Bluffs, on June 29, 1976, at 65 years and one day. He was baptized and confirmed in St. Joseph's Catholic church in Earling. He attended St. Joseph's school and grew to adulthood on his parent's farm. After graduating from St. Joseph's high school he worked for his dad on the farm. On February 24, 1936, he married Luella M. Sasges in Denison, Ia. Three children were born to this union. Mr and Mrs Albers were privileged to share 32 years together before her death in the fall of 1968. After their marriage Mr and Mrs Albers lived in Denison for two years. They then moved back to Earling and farmed his father's farm. From 1952-1961 he was an over the road trucker for Blue Star Foods. He served as the Earling Town Marshall until 1969. He retired in 1970 and moved to Council Bluffs. This has been his home since that time. Mr Albers had been a long time member of St. Joseph's Catholic church in Earling. After moving to Co. Bluffs, he became a member of the St. Francis Worship Center. Mr Albers was a 3rd Degree Member of the Earling Council No. 1741, Knights of Columbus. He was also a member of the Loyal Order of Moose and the Fraternal Order of Eagles Lodge No. 105, both of Co. Bluffs.

In addition to his parents and his wife, he was preceded in death by his daughter, Jeannine (Mrs Tom Graeve). He is survived by his sons - James of Woodbine and John M. "Jack" of rural Co. Bluffs; and by seven grandchildren; by two sisters - Veronica (Mrs Rudy Schulte) of Westphalia and Lorretta (Mrs Perley Rosenow) of Tennant; a brother, Herman, of Omaha; nieces and nephews; and other relatives.

A Concelebrated Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Joseph's Catholic church in Earling, Friday, July 2, 1976, with Rev. James Kieffman as celebrant and Rev. Albert Wilwerding as concelebrant. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery with John Jones, Sylvan Miller, Harold Schulte, Francis Schulte, Morris Boeckman, Francis Koesters, and Larry Schimerowski serving as pallbearers.