

LaVerne Lillebeck Kaltoft, 72

Oct. 4, 1922 - Sept. 22, 1995

Omaha, NE - LaVerne Lillebeck Kaltoft was born Oct. 4, 1922 in Kimballton to Kristian and Aline (Jensen) Kaltoft. He was baptized and confirmed in the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Kimballton. He attended grade school in Kimballton and Senior High School in Audubon. He graduated from Iowa State University with two Bachelor Degrees, one in Architecture and one in Architectural Engineering. During his college years he served in the armed forces and was accepted into the U.S. Navy's V-12 Program.

He married Martha E. Clouse Feb. 16, 1958 in the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Kimballton. They and their son, Howard, lived in Kimballton until they moved to Omaha. He worked for the Martin Architectural Firm until his retirement. He died at his home in Omaha Sept. 22, 1995. He is survived by his wife, Martha Kaltoft; son, Howard L. Kaltoft both of Omaha; two grandsons; one brother, Leland Kaltoft of Kimballton; three sisters, Vita Christensen, Kaja Juel and Oda Christensen all of Kimballton and seven nieces and five nephews.

Funeral services were held Sept. 25, 1995 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Kimballton with Rev. John M Riggle officiating. Burial was in the Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery with military graveside services by the Kimballton Amvets Harry Albertsen Post #51. Honorary casket bearers were Bernard Kaltoft, Dean Weddum, Robert Delaney, Charles Madsen, Steve Conzemius, Gene Anderson and Augie Spindler. Casket bearers were Howard Kaltoft, Steve Christensen, Jerome Christensen, Steve Buller, Karl Christensen and Marcus Christensen. Steen Finnerud, pastor, was in charge of arrangements.