

Roderick William Krummel, 69

May 25, 1922 — Feb. 18, 1992

WALNUT — Roderick William Krummel was born May 25, 1922 near Avoca. He was the son of Chris and Wilhelmina Ronnfeldt Krummel and was one of four children in the family. He attended country school and completed the 8th grade.

He married Mary Jean Bornholdt in Co. Bluffs, July 11, 1944. They were the parents of five children. They farmed in Avoca, Shelby, Hancock and Walnut areas for a number of years and then worked for Wilson Hybrids for more than 17 years. They have lived in Walnut for the past 17 years. He was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Avoca.

He died suddenly Feb. 18, 1992, at age 69 years, 8 months and 23 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Jack. Survivors include his wife, Mary Jean of Walnut; one son, Gary (Deanna) Krummel of Avoca; four daughters, Sally (Stan) Matthies of Walnut; Janice Hansen of Primghar; Susan (Mark) Wedemeyer of Atlantic; Peggy (Bob) Christensen of Sioux City; two sisters, Evelyn Rogers and Elaine (Harold) Hansen, all of Avoca; a brother-in-law, Donald Bornholdt of Arnolds Park; 12 grandchildren; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Feb. 21, 1992 at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Avoca with Pastor Dean Sudman and Lay Assistant Mr. Wayne Paulsen, officiating. Burial was in the Graceland cemetery in Avoca. Honorary casketbearers were: Fred Matthies, Erwin Arndt, Ken Brown, Albert Warnke, Victor Myers, and Norman Stamp. Casketbearers were: Chris Krummel, Danny Matthies, David Matthies, Konrad Christensen, Mitchel Hansen, and Greg Kelsey. Knutson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.