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George W. Krueger, 64

May 16, 1933 - Aug. 3, 1997

HANCOCK - George Walter Krueger was born May 16, 1933, at Hancock, son of Albert and Mabel Linkletter Krueger. He attended school in Hancock and graduated in 1951. He served in the U.S. Army from 1951 to 1953, during the Korean War. When he returned from the Army, he went to work for Gate City Steel in Omaha, NE.

He married Phyllis Wolf in 1960 at Marne. They were the parents of five children: Julie, Dave, Diane, Kim and Karmen. He attended Commercial Extension Trade School in Omaha and then was employed by the Rock Island Railroad. In 1968, he went to work for the State of Iowa in the law enforcement division of the Department of Transportation. He retired from that position in 1993. He died suddenly at his

home in Hancock Aug. 3, 1997, at age 64 years, two months and 18 days.

He was preceded in death by his father and is survived by his wife, Phyllis; his mother, Mabel Krueger of Oakland; his children, Julie (Dan) Buckelew of Treynor; Dave Krueger (Tracy) of Co. Bluffs; Diane Krueger of Omaha, NE; Kim (Paul) Wise of Avoca and Karmen Krueger of Des Moines; four grandchildren, Ryan and Michael Buckelew, Matthew Wise and Austin Krueger, and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Aug. 5, 1997, at the Knutson Funeral Chapel with Rev. Dr. Judy E. Flanegin officiating. Burial was in the Walnut Cemetery. Casket bearers were Ray Oslin, Terry Krueger, Clarence Harder, Louie Harder, Paul Harder, Dan Krueger, Robert Wilds and Randy Krueger.