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Kevin Lyle Olsen, 17

Nov. 28, 1977 - Oct. 20, 1995

Neola - Kevin Lyle Olsen was born Nov. 28, 1977 at Co. Bluffs, the second son of Lyle and Denise (Ingwersen) Olsen. He grew up in the family home near Tri Center School where he was a member of the senior class. He participated in baseball, was a member of the Honor Society and was currently the president of the Future Farmers of America. He was baptized and confirmed in St. John's Lutheran Church in Persia where he was a member. He helped his father on the farm, worked at Barrier's Horse Farm and Jim O'Neill's Angus Farm. He died Oct. 20, 1995 at St. Joseph Hospital in Omaha after serious injuries in a pickup accident, assisting his father with farming.

Survivors besides his parents are two brothers, Michael and Daniel of Neola; grandparents, Glen and Lucille Olsen and Leah Ingwersen all of Persia; a special friend, Christi Christensen of Neola; aunts, uncles and cousins

Services were held Oct. 23, 1995 at St. John's Lutheran Church with Rev. Stan Nielsen officiating. Burial was in the Minden Cemetery. Honorary casket bearers were Glen and Gus Olsen. Casket bearers were Joshua and Jeremy Zacharias, Kevin Matulka, Tom Ward, Chad and Kyle Kunze, Richard Bruck and Joe Munch. Knutson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.