

## **Alfred G. Thraen, 83**

**May 10, 1910 — May 10, 1993**

Alfred G. Thraen, son of Henry and Mary Stolz, was born May 10, 1910 in Panama. He lived in Harlan until 1944 when he moved to Fremont, NE.

Aug. 5, 1930, he married Edrie Christensen at Shenandoah. He lived in Columbus 1946 to 1974 and retired in 1972 from Moorman Manufacturing Co. in Columbus, NE., where he was a district manager. He returned to Fremont, NE., in 1974, where he worked at Fremont Meat Market. He was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Fremont, was an usher there and a 50 year member of Knights of Columbus; he was a member of Knights of Columbus Council 1497 of Fremont; a charter member of John F. Kennedy Assembly Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus at Columbus; member of Leo Raus Assembly Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus; Fremont and North Bend, former member of the Elks Club at Columbus and member of Fremont Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie 200.

He is survived by his wife, Edrie; five sons, Keith of Oakdale, MN.; Vern and Dennis, both of Bloomington, MN.; James of Brooklyn Park, MN., and Timothy of Arvada, CO.; 4 daughters, Phyllis Korgie of Columbus; Carole Michael of Temple City, CA.; Patricia Jonas of Arvada, CO.; and Kathy Abbott of Greeley, CO.; a brother, Ralph of Murray Hill, N.J.; 6 sisters, Josephine Schleimer of Harlan; Magdalene Talley of Chandler, OK.; Clara Inman of Atlantic; Irene Tank of Columbus, NE.; Mary Ryterski of Racine, WI.; and Evelyn Kendel of Co. Bluffs; 34 grandchildren; 38 great grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held May 13, 1993 at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Fremont, NE., with Rev. Dennis DeGuzman officiating. Burial was in the St. Bonaventure cemetery at Columbus, NE.