

Leo B. Hodapp, 76 ✓

Dec. 5, 1917 - July 14, 1994

Westphalia - Leo Bernard Hodapp, son of Ben and Anna (Rosmann) Hodapp was born December 5, 1917 on the Hodapp farm near Westphalia. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Boniface Catholic Church in Westphalia, and graduated from St. Boniface Catholic School.

Sept. 3, 1942 he married Agnes Leinen at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Portsmouth. Six children were born to this union. After their marriage, they continued to live on the family farm until his retirement in 1978. He died July 14, 1994 at his residence in Westphalia at the age of 76 years, seven months and nine days. He was a member of St. Boniface Catholic Church in Westphalia, Knight's of Columbus, Eucharist Minister of Communion, past Parish Council member and was formerly on the board of Town and Country Credit Union.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by an infant daughter in 1951. He is survived by his wife, Agnes of Westphalia, his children: Sister Lee Agnes of Petersburg, NE, Ruth (Marlin) Binnebose of Fremont, NE, Phil (Nancy) Hodapp of Madison, WI, Jim (JoAnn) Hodapp of Westphalia, Richard Hodapp of Westphalia and David (Ann) Hodapp of Co. Bluffs; eight grandchildren; one great-grandchild; six sisters; Alice Hodapp of Storm Lake, Cleta (Edward) Brinker of Harlan, Esther (Lawrence) Gaul of Earling, Sister Marie Hodapp of Chariton, Rita (William) Mueller of Princeton, WI and Marge (Bernard) Kennedy of Storm Lake, nieces and nephews and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated July 18, 1994 at St. Boniface Catholic Church in Westphalia with Rev. Tom Crowley, celebrant. Concelebrating was Rev. Jerry Connealy, Rev. Greg Leach, Rev. Dennis Trausch, Rev. Tim Lange, Rev. Don Ceary, Norman Aunke and Rev. Mr. Pat Davitt. Burial was in St. Boniface cemetery in Westphalia with Robert Gaul, Nick Hodapp, George Langenfeld, Clarence Brinker, Ken Brinker and Kenny Winn casket bearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.