

Zeno "Jiggs" Neubauer, 72

PORTSMOUTH – Zeno "Jiggs" Carl Neubauer, the son of Paul, Sr. and Clara (Benhagle) Neubauer, was born Jan. 9, 1917 at Portsmouth. He died at Dunlap Care Center July 6, 1989 at age 72 years, five months and 28 days. He was baptized at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Portsmouth. He attended St. Mary's School and grew up on his parents' farm. After school he worked for area farmers as well as in the Portland, OR. area. Later he worked in the wholesale meat packing business.

May 1, 1947, "Jiggs", as everyone knew him, married Stella Flemming in Moline, IL. Two sons were born to this union. He made his home with Connie Witt just west of Portsmouth. To this union a son and two daughters were born. In 1960 they moved into Portsmouth. For the last year he had been a resident of the Dunlap Care Center. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Portsmouth.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a daughter, Patsy Lee; a sister, Mary and a brother, Paul Jr. He is survived by his wife, Stella of Moline; his domestic partner, Connie Witt of Omaha, NE.; three sons, James of Moline; Jon of Enon, OH.; and Bart of Omaha; a daughter, Brenda of Omaha; three grandchildren; a brother, Ray of Harlan; two sisters, Leona Schneider of Linn, MO. and Laura Rohoff of Sioux City; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on July 10, 1989 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Portsmouth with Rev. Edward Kelly from St. Michael's Catholic Church, Harlan, as the celebrant. He was assisted by Deacon Pat Davitt. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery, Portsmouth with Philip Reisz, Kelly Potter, Mike Huebert, Gary Kohles, Marcus Bruck and Randy Lefeber serving as casketbearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.