

## Frank Schleier, 84

**HARLAN** — Frank J. Schleier, son of Mathew and Katherine (Gross) Schleier was born in Earling, Jan. 26, 1903. He died at Bishop Clarkson Memorial hospital in Omaha, Nov. 23, 1987, at age 84 years, nine months and 28 days.

He was raised in rural Shelby county, and on Nov. 26, 1929, was married to Lena Dotzler at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Defiance. Three daughters were born to this union. After they were married, they farmed near Defiance until 1975, when they retired and moved into Harlan. After the death of Lena on Aug. 13, 1985, he continued to make his home in Harlan. He was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan.

In addition to his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by three sisters, Marie Mathilda McBride, Johanna Stinn and Anna Lehan; and one brother, Michael Schleier. He is survived by three daughters, Mildred (Mrs Louis) Eckermann of Omaha; Janie (Mrs Leo) Goeser of Harlan and Joanne (Mrs Allen) Schaben of Defiance; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian burial was celebrated Nov. 25, 1987 at St. Michael's Catholic Church, Harlan, with Rev. David Polich as celebrant. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Leo Klein, Bill Shannon, Mark Negrete, Loren Thompson, Mike Rzewnicki and Dr. Jos. H. Spearing serving as casketbearers. Pauley Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.