

John R. Schnuettgen, 59

Aug. 31, 1936 - Aug. 2, 1996

ELKHORN, NE - John Raymond Schnuettgen, son of August and Matilda (Kohles) Schnuettgen, was born Aug. 31, 1936. He was born and raised in Defiance, where he attended St. Peter and Paul School.

He married Mary Long Aug. 26, 1961 in Manilla. The couple resided in Omaha, for many years where they raised their three children. Later they moved to Elkhorn, NE where they now reside. He died Aug. 2, 1996 at age 59 years and 29 days.

He is preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Gene Schnuettgen of Defiance. He is survived by his wife, Mary; his children, Gina (Bill) Novak, Bellevue, NE; Dan Schnuettgen of Savage, MN; Lori (Rick) Austin, Grand Marais, MN; seven grandchildren; two brothers, Othmar and Eugene Schnuettgen; six sisters, Dolores Gross, Mary McCaffery, Donna Schmitz, Marie Ullrich, Rita Langenfeld and Betty Astuto.

Burial was in St. Peter and Paul Cemetery in Defiance Aug. 6, 1996.