

## **Ronald Schiltz, 59**

*Dec. 25, 1939 – May 31, 1999*

**SHELDON, MO** – Ronald John Schiltz was born Dec. 25, 1939, to Vitus and Adelaide (Rosman) Schiltz at Harlan.

He married Betty Ann Appel Jan. 2, 1960, at Harlan. He was a cattle rancher, auctioneer and car dealer. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus. He had lived in the Barton County area for 21 years. He died May 31, 1999 following a short illness at St. John's Hospital in Joplin, MO, at age 59.

He was preceded in death by two grandchildren, Tristen and Kylee Schiltz. He is survived by his wife, Betty Ann Schiltz; two sons, John Schiltz of Sheldon, MO and Jim Schiltz of Sheldon, MO; three daughters, Cindy Stephens of Lamar, MO; Connie Martin of Anderson, MO and Cathie Wood of Sheldon, MO; and one sister, Jenene Lapke of Grove, OK.

Funeral services were held June 4, 1999, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Lamar, MO, with Father Thomas Allen celebrating. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery. Daniel Funeral Home, Lamar, MO, in charge of arrangements.