## Keevan A. Knudsen, 23 March 9, 1974 - Sept. 18, 1997

**CHARTER OAK** - Keevan Andrew Knudsen 'Caveman' was born March 9, 1974, son of Jerald and Beverly (Ahrenholtz) Knudsen. He died near Charter Oak, Sept. 18, 1997, at age 23. He was born in Harlan, and was baptized in Christ at the United Methodist Church, Harlan and later confirmed at the United Methodist Church in Charter Oak. He moved with his family to a farm near Charter Oak, where he received his education at the Charter Oak-Ute Community School, graduating in 1992. While in school, he was involved in 4-H and FFA activities. After completing his education, he helped various farmers and later was employed as a mechanic for Schenkelberg Implement in Denison for the past two years. He was a member of the United Methodist Church, Charter Oak.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents; Henry and Ruby Knudsen and Lee and Maude Ahrenholtz. Survivors include his parents, Jerald and Beverly Knudsen of Charter Oak; one sister, Jalene Knudsen of Denison; one brother, Brian Knudsen of Charter Oak; aunts and uncles, Janelle Noel (Jim) of Glenwood; Judy Knudsen of Kimballton; Dorothy Gessmann (Bill) of Denison; Delores Perkins (Jack) of Co. Bluffs; Robert Ahrenholtz (Marge); David Ahrenholtz (Judie); Galen Ahrenholtz (Mary) all of Harlan and Daniel Ahrenholtz of Treynor; and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Sept. 22, 1997, at the United Methodist Church, Charter Oak, with Rev. Donald Frizzel and Rev. Jeff Dadisman officiating. Burial was in Charter Oak Cemetery. Casket bearers were Donald E. Kuhlman, Mark Berens, Jeff Hudson, Richard Goslar, Garry Quandt and Todd Cox. Walter A. Huebner and Sons Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.