

Lloyd V. Osbahr, 69

Aug. 7, 1927 - July 4, 1997

SIoux CITY - Lloyd Vernon Osbahr was born Aug. 7, 1927, in Pleasant Township, Pottawattamie County. He was one of nine children born to the family of Henry and Prudence Cushing Osbahr. He was raised by his aunt and uncle, Jim and Eva Osbahr. After grade school he stayed home to help with the farming for several years. He entered the Army and was stationed in Germany during its occupation, after the War. He returned to the farm for a year and then moved to Sioux City. He worked at a grocery store for many years finally retiring from the store. He started a small business of delivering shut-ins their daily needs. He was recognized by the media for his work and help to the shut-ins. He loved music and played in many of the clubs in and around Sioux City. He also cooked and received 1st place in an apple pie baking contest and did the interior decorating of his house, which he took great pride in. He died July 4, 1997, at the Floyd Valley Hospital in LeMars at age 69 years, 10 months and 27 days.

He is preceded in death by his parents; his brothers, Harold, Henry, Merel and Orville Osbahr, and his sister, Ada Stolz. He is survived by his sisters, Helen (John) Dea of Shelby and Evelyn Lang of Atlantic; a brother, Dean Krutzfeldt (Mary Ann) of Co. Bluffs; nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives.

Funeral services were held July 8, 1997, at the Knutson Funeral Home, Avoca, with Pastor Stan Nielsen officiating. Burial was in the Shelby Cemetery. Casket bearers were Ron Schuning, Gary Osbahr, Jeremy Dea, Merlin Osbahr, Philip Dea and Ryan Dea.