

## THE LIFE STORY OF —

### ERNEST KRUEGER, 73

**IRWIN** — Ernest Krueger, son of Franz Otto and Elsa Wolter Krueger, was born on a farm near Minden, on May 3, 1903. He died at Clarkson hospital in Omaha, Nebr., on May 22, 1976, at age 73 years and 19 days. Mr Krueger attended school near Minden and grew to adulthood on his parent's farm. After completing his schooling, he farmed his father's farm. On Febr. 18, 1931, he married Mabelle Ogesen. Two sons were born to this union. After their marriage, Mr and Mrs Krueger continued to farm his father's farm until 1940. At that time they moved to a farm south of Irwin. This was his home until 1973 when he retired and moved into Irwin, where he lived until his death. Mr Krueger was a long time member of the United Methodist church in Irwin.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters, Ella (Mrs Fred Martens) and Elizabeth (Mrs Harold Russell). He is survived by his wife, Mabelle of the Salem Lutheran Home in Elk Horn, two sons, Kenneth G. Krueger of Albuquerque, N. M. and David L. Krueger of Omaha, Nebr., and by four grandchildren; by two brothers, Paul Krueger of Chicago, Ill., and Frank Krueger of Avoca; a sister, Ann (Mrs George Krutzfeldt) of Minden, nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at United Methodist church in Irwin, Tuesday, May 25, 1976 with Rev. J. Elmer Brunk, pastor of the Irwin United Methodist church, officiating. Burial was in Oak Hill cemetery, Irwin, with Carl Weise, Frank West, John Woods, Frank Birks, Mayer Knudson and Kenny Knudson serving as casket-bearers.

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