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## JOSEPH M. BOGLER

Joseph Martin Bogler, the son of Joseph H. and Martha (Kliethermes) Bogler, was born June 13, 1923 at Defiance, Iowa. Joe was baptized, made his first communion and was confirmed at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Defiance and attended St. Paul's Catholic School. After graduation in 1940, Joe worked for his father in the Defiance Auto and Implement Co.

On June 2, 1944, Joe enlisted in the United States Navy serving in the Aviation Repair and Overhaul Unit No. 2. After receiving his honorable discharge on June 7, 1946,

he returned to Defiance to work again with his father.

On January 25, 1951 he was united in marriage to Ardith Olson at Defiance. Seven children were born to this union.

In 1961, he purchased his father's business and continued to operate it as Bogler Implement Co. until his retirement in July of this year.

In addition to his membership in St. Peter's Catholic Church, Joe was a member of the Defiance Volunteer Fire Department, and American Legion Post No. 707 of Defiance.

Joe died at his home in Defiance on December 25,

1985 having attained the age of 62 years, six months and 12 days.

He was preceded in death by his father, and a granddaughter, Staci Goeser.

Survivors include his wife Ardith of Defiance, three daughters - Debbie (Mrs. Paul) Goeser of Harlan, Vicki (Mrs. Jim) Schmitz of Westphalia, and Kahty (Mrs. Denny) Norgaard of Harlan, four sons - Bob of Defiance, Donald of Irwin, Gerald of Earling and John of Defiance. He is also survived by his mother Martha Bogler of Defiance; 14 grandchildren and by two sisters; Sally, (Mrs. Charles) Feser of De-

fiance, and Janis (Mrs. Lawrence) Blum of Harlan.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Defiance, on Friday, December 27, 1985, 11:00 a.m. with the Rev. Lawrence Beeson as the celebrant, and assisted by Deacon Mike Burner.

Interment was in the Sts. Peter and Paul Cemetery, Defiance, Iowa, with Don Kloewer, Bob Kloewer, Ray Dotzler, Leonard Wells, Ron Schaben, and William Ahrenholtz all serving as casketbearers.

Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan was in charge of arrangements.