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# Nilus A. Kaufmann, 50

Nilus A. Kaufmann, the son of Aloysius and Marcella Esser Kaufmann, was born in Earling on Sept. 16, 1933. He died at his home in Chicago, Ill. on May 2, 1984 at the age of 50 years, 7 months and 16 days.

At the age of two he moved with his parents to Chicago, Ill. and grew to adulthood.

On Nov. 8, 1958, he married Betty Sanders at Alphonsus Catholic church in Chicago, Ill. After their marriage, they continued to live in the Chicago area where he was employed as a sales representative.

He also served his country in the U.S. Army from June of 1956 until June of 1958. While in the Army, he served as a Military Police in the 4th Infantry at Ft. Louis, Wash.

He was preceded in death by his father Aloysius. He is survived by three sons, Dan, Greg and Shawn of Chicago, Ill.; his mother, Marcella Kaufmann of Earling; one brother James A. Kaufmann of Chicago, Ill.; other relatives and many friends.

A Concelebrated Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Monday, May 7, 1984, at St. Boniface Catholic church in Westphalia, with Rev. Ken Gross as the celebrant and Rev. Greg Leach as the concelebrant.

Burial was in the St. Boniface cemetery, Westphalia, with Don Kaufmann, Tim Gross, Ed Lapke, Jerry Gross, Phil Wagner and Dick Herrick serving as casketbearers. Military Rites were conducted at the cemetery by American Legion Post No. 707 of Defiance.

Pauley funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.