



## Robert O. Kloewer, 37

OMAHA — Robert O. Kloewer, son of Otto and Clara Kloewer, was born in Dunlap on Nov. 25, 1940. He attended school and grew up in Earling. After graduating from Earling high school in 1958, he spent four years in the Navy as a corpman. He was appointed to the Omaha Fire Division on Sept. 4, 1962.

On Jan. 9, 1965 he married Carol Musich in St. Michael's church in Harlan. Two children were born to this union. After their marriage Mr and Mrs Kloewer made their home in Omaha. He served 15 years eight months with the Omaha Fire Division. About 13 years of that time was spent with the rescue squads. He was promoted to the rank of Captain on June 1, 1976. In April of 1977, he was elected President of the Omaha Assoc. of Firefighters Union Local No. 385. On Aug. 15, 1977 he was appointed to the Paramedic Bureau.

He served as President of the Executive Board, was on the Board of Directors of the Emergency Midlands Services Council and the Omaha Policemen and Firemens Retirement Board.

Bob died May 5, 1978 at Panama City, Fla., at age 37 years.

Survivors include his wife - Carol and two sons, Jody and Corey of Omaha and his parents, Mr and Mrs Otto Kloewer of Harlan, three brothers - John and Eugene of Omaha and Ray of Harlan and six sisters, Mrs Frank (Rose) Feldman, Mrs Harlan (Theresa) Johnson of Omaha, Mrs Ray (Bernie) Aschoff of Norcross, Ga., Mrs Michael (Tiny) Schmidt, Mrs Dale (Mary Jane) Swanson of Harlan and Mrs Roger (Joanne) Rickers of Des Moines.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Robert's church in Omaha, Wednesday, May 10, 1978 with Rev. Eugene Kerwin and Rev. Carl Salanitro of St. Robert's church and Father Michael Cannon, Fire Division Chaplain, officiating.

Burial was at Evergreen Memorial cemetery in Omaha with Vernon L. Van Scoy, Jr., Robert Warsocki, William Johnston, Robert Arent, Henry Whitney and Frank Kankousky serving as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers were Michael Buscher, Michael Giddings, Ron Briscoe, William McDonnell, Kenneth Syas, Jack Moore, James Gruhn, Mike Hoch, Ken Pollard and John McMahon.