

## Raymond A. Klein, 81 ✓ ✓

Feb. 2, 1910 — Nov. 26, 1991

**DUNLAP** — Raymond A. Klein, son of George and Catherine Muschitz Klein, was born Feb. 2, 1910 in Persia. He received his early education in Persia and Earling.

Jan. 27, 1931, he married Marie U. Jacoby in Earling. They farmed in the Earling and Defiance areas prior to moving to the farm four miles south of Dunlap in March 1943. They lived in the same farm until Jan., 1990 when they moved to their home in Dunlap. He retired from farming in 1977. Along with farming, he did trucking for many years. They were the parents of 11 children. He was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus. They celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Jan. 27, 1991. He died Nov. 26, 1991 at the Mo. Valley Hospital, following a long illness.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one son, James; one grandson, Gerard Klein; two brothers, Alphonse of Earling and Harold of Dunlap. Survivors include his wife; six sons, Francis, Gerald, Marvin, Duane and Robert, all of Dunlap and Neil of Omaha, NE.; four daughters, Sharon (Kenneth) Livingston Jr. of Apple Valley, MN.; Janet (Ronald) Seeley of Brookings, S.D.; Linda (Larry) Struck of Schleswig and Judy (Larry) Leinen of Denison; two brothers, Leo and LaVerne of Harlan; two sisters, Elva Graeve of Earling, Maurine Lehan of Dunlap; 48 grandchildren and 49 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Nov. 29, 1991 at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Dunlap with Fr. Fred Reischl celebrant and concelebrants were Fathers Frank Cordaro of Logan; John Cain of Dow City and Jim Kiernan of Mo. Valley and Deacon Marvin Klein as Homilist. Casketbearers were grandsons, Mike Klein, Joe Klein, David Klein, Bill Klein, Larry Klein, Kenneth (Butch) Livingston III, Robert Seeley, Steven Struck and Brad Leinen. Burial was in Pleasant Hill cemetery in Dunlap. Arrangements by Fouts Funeral Home of Woodbine.