

Harold Krieger, 62

AVOCA - Harold (Cotton) Eugene Krieger was born July 15, 1927 at Avoca. He was the son of Walter and Della Jones Krieger. He was one of three children in the family. He attended school in Avoca and worked on several farms and for the Thomsen Oil Station. In Oct. of 1945, he entered the U.S. Army and served in the Pacific Theater near the end of WW II. He was discharged from the service on Feb. 21, 1947. In April of 1947 he started working for the Pottawattamie County Secondary Road Department, maintaining roads around Avoca, up to the time of his death.

He married Alberta Hagedorn April 18, 1950. They were the parents of one daughter, Susan. He was a member of the Pottawamie County Workers Association and a member of the A.F.S.C.M.E. Union. He died suddenly May 16, 1990 at Myrtue Memorial Hospital in Harlan, following an apparent heart attack.

He was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife, Alberta; daughter, Susan (Wayne) Martin of rural Shelby; two grandsons; one brother, Kenneth of Jersey City, N.J.; one sister, Elaine (Wayne) Yates of Avoca; step-father, Lyle Barnsey of the Little Flower Haven Nursing Home in Earling; mother-in-law, Louise Hagedorn of Omaha, NE.; nieces, nephews, cousins and aunts.

Funeral services were held May 19, 1990 at Knutson Funeral Chapel in Avoca with Pastor Dean Sudman officiating. Casketbearers were Elmer Schroder, Lavern Botcher, Larry Olsen, Frank Rose, Laymond Williams and Terry Ring. Military Graveside services by Fred Funston American Legion Post # 227. Burial in Graceland cemetery.