

Aldred (Allie) Tigges, 82 ✓

Aug. 25, 1917 - Oct. 18, 1999

WILLEY - Aldred (Allie) Tigges was born Aug. 25, 1917, at Dedham, the son of Joseph and Anna (Brauckman) Tigges. He spent his lifetime in the Dedham and Willey communities and attended St. Joseph Schools. He entered the U.S. Army in January 1942, and served during World War II in the European Theater. He was honorably discharged in April 1946. He then farmed in the Dedham area.

Jan. 28, 1956, he married Wanda Lawson at St. Joseph Church in Dedham. Following their marriage, the couple farmed east of Willey and they moved to their home in Willey in 1970. He had been employed at the Dedham Coop in Dedham from 1969 to his retirement in 1979. He was a member of St. Mary Parish, Parish Holy Name Society, Dedham American Legion, Carroll V.F.W. and Carroll Knights of Columbus. He died of an apparent heart condition Oct. 18, 1999, at St. Anthony Regional Hospital in Carroll, at age 82.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Leonard and Arthur Tigges; and one sister, Lillian Tigges. He is survived by his wife, Wanda, of Willey; children, Jackie Reineke (Russ) of Carroll; Bob Tigges of Manning; Cherie Greteman (Frank) of Carroll; Ken Tigges (Christy) of Ankeny; Kathy Riesberg (Doug) of Willey; and Jeff Tigges (Julie) of Defiance; 16 grandchildren; brothers, Ed Tigges of Willey; Joe Tigges (Frieda) of Dedham and Don R. Tigges (Marlene) of Carroll; sisters, Alma Klocke of Templeton and Martina Van Dyke (Norbert) of Glidden; and sister-in-law, Margie Tigges of Carroll; and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Oct. 20, 1999, at St. Mary Church in Willey. Celebrant was Father Craig Collison. Burial was at St. Mary Cemetery in Willey, with military honors conducted by the Dedham American Legion. Casket bearers were his nephews. Sharp Funeral Home, Carroll, in charge of arrangements.
