



Donald Arthur Peetz

May 24, 1925 - June 8, 2010

Donald Arthur Peetz was born on May 24, 1925 in Millard, Nebraska to Arthur and Elsie (Rushman) Peetz . He grew up in the Elkhorn area where attended grade school and graduated from Elkhorn High School in 1942. As a young boy, Don help with the daily farm chores including milking the cows. He enjoyed basketball and baseball when time would allow. Don served in the United States Army during World War II from 1943 to 1946. His service included time in Germany and France.

Don married Harriette Penke on November 15, 1947 at Bethany Lutheran Church in Elkhorn, Nebraska and to this union four daughters were born: Donna, Kathleen, Barb and Brenda. Don and Harriette raised their family on a farm near Washington and gave sale in 1951 and moved to Bennington until 1980 and moved to Omaha at Maple Wood Estates.

Don has worked as a carpenter and farmer before going to work at the Douglas County Engineer Office as a Road Grader Operator, retiring after 35 years in 1989. After he retired, Don mowed for Darrell and CoLeta Logemann and after that he continued to stop to visit with Darrell and the drivers. He enjoyed bowling, fishing, playing cards and dancing. Don liked to travel and took his family to Minnesota for over 35 years. He was a Nebraska football ticket holder since 1964. Don was a helpful man, easy to know and dedicated to his family. He loved to follow the grandchildren to all of their activities.

Don passed away on Tuesday, June 08, 2010 at the Methodist Hospital in Omaha, Nebraska at the age of 85 years and 15 days. He was preceded in death by his parents Arthur and Elsie and brother Alvin. Don is survived by wife Harriette; daughters and sons-in-law Donna and Robert Schmidt of Omaha, Kathleen and Dick Sigler of Omaha, Barb and Ron Kruse of Kennard and Brenda and Marvin Blacketer of Bennington. 9 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. Brother and sisters-in-law Melvin and Marlene of AZ and Marie Peetz of Omaha. Sisters Lorraine Johnson of Omaha and Shirley Yacko of Oklahoma City, OK;

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Arthur Peetz*

December 10, 2022 at 09:12 AM



“ *Dearest Hattie, Brenda, Marvin, Chad and Kim - We were so sadden by Don's death. We will miss him so much. The world is less bright today because he is not with us - but I know he has the good Lord smiling and laughing up in heaven. We will keep you all in our prayers and we hold you in love. The Thompsons*

Ron & Joyce Thompson - June 10, 2010 at 06:05 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family of Don Peetz. He was a very special person who will be missed by many.*

Jeff Pruess Family - June 10, 2010 at 01:55 PM



“ *Our condolences to the family.*

Charlie and Georgia Centretto - June 10, 2010 at 10:19 AM



“ *My heart goes out to Hattie and all of her family. I will always be thinking of Don for many reasons, especially since we shared a birthday He was very much loved as is his family*

Becky Schmit - June 10, 2010 at 08:27 AM

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“ *Hattie And Faimly.
Sorry to here about Don.
Take care.
Norma*

Norma Vasek. - June 09, 2010 at 11:21 AM