



Elvin D. Krohn

June 16, 2011

Services for Elvin D. "Red" Krohn, 84, Norfolk, will be 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Zion Lutheran Church in Pierce with the Rev. Gordon Bruce officiating. Burial will be in Prospect View Cemetery in Pierce.

He died Thursday, June 16, 2011, at Countryside Nursing Home in Madison. Stonacek Memorial Chapels is in charge of arrangements. He was baptized Jan. 1, 1927, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Osmond, and confirmed on April 15, 1941, in the same church. He attended Osmond Public Schools to the eighth grade. He married Phyllis J. Silhacek on Sept. 25, 1949, at Zion Lutheran Church in Pierce. She died on Aug. 8, 2002. They farmed on the family homestead southwest of Pierce. He was a journeyman electrician for 25 years, seed dealer for Jacobsen Seed, T.V.B Oil Distribution and Shaklee distributor. He surgically caponized chickens for many years. Elvin and Phyllis loved to go dancing. For many years, Elvin entertained people in Northeast Nebraska playing the piano and accordion in nursing homes and senior centers.

In the fall of 2003, Elvin moved to Pierce. In 2005 he moved to The Meadows in Norfolk. He enjoyed playing his music for his neighbors and friends at The Meadows on a daily basis. He was a resident at the Countryside Home in Madison a short time. He also was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Pierce, and the National Farmers Organization. Survivors include two daughters Pam Purdie-Purinton and husband William of Columbus, Lynette and husband Paul Holan of Pierce, two sons Kevin Krohn of Iowa, Scott and wife Gina Krohn Of Pierce; 13 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren,

one brother Marvin and wife Marcy Krohn of Norfolk; two sister in-laws, Dorothy Krohn of Plainview, and Renata Krohn of Norfolk.\r\nHe was preceded in death by his parents, wife Phyllis, one son in infancy, two brothers Ray and Harold, three sisters Irma, Meldean and an infant baby. Mrs. Dottie Ahlers will be the organist at the funeral.

Tribute Wall



“ *Elvin D. Krohn*

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