



Edison H. Kruse

March 23, 1914 - July 3, 2008

Edison H. Kruse, 94, of Kettlersville, OH, died 1:50 p.m., Thurs. July 3, 2008, at Joint Twp. District Memorial Hospital, St. Marys, OH. ♦ He was born March 23, 1914, in Auglaize Co., the son of Harvey & Melinda (Kuck) Kruse, who preceded him in death. ♦ On June 14, 1932, he married Gladys L. McCullough, and she died July 27, 1990.

Survivors include, a son, Emerson L. (Carol) Kruse, Botkins, OH, 4 grandchildren, Sharon E. (Patrick) Baumer, Christine (Bill) Fogt, Susan (Dave) Griffith, & Chuck (Amy Clink) Kruse, 7 great grandchildren & 11 great great grandchildren, numerous nieces & nephews. ♦ He was preceded in death by a brother, Virgil Kruse.

Mr. Kruse was a life long farmer until his retirement and a member of the former Olive Branch United Methodist Church, Shinbone, OH. ♦ An avid horse race fan, he had attended Blume High School, Wapakoneta.

Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m., Mon. July 7, 2008, at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, Wapakoneta, Pastors Charles Moeller and Dennis Gaertner officiating. ♦ ♦ Burial is to follow in the Evangelical Protestant Cemetery, New Knoxville, OH. ♦ The family will receive friends 2-4 & 6-8 p.m., Sun., at the funeral home. ♦ Memorial contributions may be directed to the Anna Rescue Squad.