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Glen Joe Kriegel, age 81 of Brooklyn, died Wednesday, December 9, 2015 at his home. Funeral Mass: 10:00 a.m. Saturday, December 12, 2015, St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Brooklyn with Fr. Brian Shepley officiating. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery, Brooklyn. Visitation: 4 to 7 p.m. Friday, December 11, 2015, Kloster Funeral Home, Brooklyn with a Scripture Service to be held at 7 p.m. Memorials may be contributed to the Brooklyn Food Bank or Grinnell Hospice.

Glen Joe is survived by his wife of 63 years, Linda; his children, Laura (Bruce) Blankenfeld, Karen (Kenny) Thompson, Cheryl (Rick) Burnham all of Grinnell, Mark (Deb Gingerich) of Deep River, Curtis (Angie) of Hartwick, Kevin (Lisa) of Hartwick, Mindy (Dave) Ward of Rock Creek, and Ginny (Marty) Burkle of North Liberty; twenty-one grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren; and a sister Mary Jane Rich of Nashville, Tenn.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a son Stephen; a granddaughter, Jessica Kriegel; three great-grandchildren, Dylan Graff, Luke and Ivy Riedel; twelve brothers, Lloyd, Bill, Gerald, Louis, Elmer, Lawrence, Richard, Melvin, Wayne, Lyle, James and Kenneth; and three sisters, Stella Henle, Marge Henle, and Gladys Healey.

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