Russell James Lund, 86

Russell James Lund, 86, of Newhall, IA passed away peacefully Saturday, December 16, 2017 at Brooklyn Community Estates, Brooklyn IA.

Services were Tuesday, December 19, 2017 at St. Paul’s Catholic Church in Newhall with Father Craig Steimel officiating. Burial will take place at St. Patrick’s and Paul’s Cemetery, Watkins, IA with military rites.

Visititation was Monday, December 18, 2017 at the church. Memorials may be made to the family. Online condolences can be sent to the family at www.hrabakfuneralhome.com

Russ was born February 22, 1931 in Audubon, IA to Hans Peter Christian (Chris) and Andretta Justenina Wilhelmina (Minnie) (Rasmussen) Lund. Russ graduated from Garrison High School. He served in the US Army during the Korean War from 1952 to 1954 as a Sergeant. Upon returning from the army Russ married Carol Ann McNulty on April 22, 1957. Russ was employed at Wilson’s Meat Co./Farnstead for 35 years.

He enjoyed fishing.

Russ is survived by his wife, Carol of Newhall; children, Roberta Minner (Don Burkindine) of Springfield, MO, Pamela (Charlie) Hawkins of Brooklyn, John Karen) Lund of Mount Auburn, Ron Lund of Moline, IL, Sue Lund of Newhall; grandchildren, Kara (Michael) Bogden, Kevin Bartlett, Travis Lund, Josh (Ashley), Jacob and Mandy Lund, Tanya Truax, Yates (Rebecca) Minner, Lesley (Josh) Higginbotham, Hawkins (Taylor) Minner; great-grandchildren, Michael Patrick and Maxwell Bogden, Tyler and Emmerson Bartlett, Ava and Elijah Lund, Garrett Minner, Caden, Carver and Olivia Higginbotham, Makaiya, Maysie, Beckmen and Boston Minner; sisters, Gladys Hummel, Shirley Jurgens, Kathy Smith and Barb (Ross) Behel; brothers, Chuck, Fred and Larry (Beth) Lund; brother-in-law, Tom Gutzeit;

He was preceded in death by his parents; sister, Wilma Gutzeit and brother, Emmert Lund.

Arrangements are with Brosh Funeral Service of Norway.

The family would like to thank Mercy Hospice of Hiawatha, Essence of Life Hospice and all the staff at Brooklyn Community Estates.