

Bill J. Knapp

Bill J. Knapp, 62, of Kellogg died of a heart attack Sunday, June 2, at Skiff Medical Center in Newton.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Newton, with the Rev. Edward Susic of Colfax officiating. Burial was in Newton Union Cemetery, with the Wallace-Pence Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

The son of Arthur and Lena Stultz Knapp, he was born March 19, 1929, in Clarence, Mo. He attended Jasper County schools and Newton High School.

He was married to Roberta Johnson Dec. 25, 1948, in Newton.

Mr. Knapp was employed by the Maytag Co. for 30 years, retiring in 1983. He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church UAW Retirees Union Local 997. He was well known in Central Iowa as a stock car driver for more than 20 years.

He is survived by his wife; three daughters, Sherry Mottet of Nevada, Cathy Ryswyk of Monroe and Jane Clute of Newton; one brother, John; and a sister, Mary Jane Waddle of Monroe. He was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers, Ralph, Carl and Robert; a sister, Hazel Henry; an infant daughter, Susan Kay; and an infant granddaughter.