



Edward Schledewitz

December 2, 1924 - July 12, 2012

Edward G. Schledewitz, 87 of Kearney died Thursday, July 12 at his residence. Funeral services will be 10:00 Wednesday, July 18, 2012 at the Evangelical Free Church in Kearney. Interment will be at 2:00 at the Ft. McPherson National Cemetery near Maxwell, NE. Visitation will be held from 6-8 on Tuesday at the O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home. Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. Online condolences may be submitted to www.osrfh.com. Arrangements were entrusted to the O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home of Kearney. Edward was born December 2, 1924 in Gering, Nebraska to John and Mary (Weber) Schledewitz. He grew up and received his education in Lexington. He entered the Army on May 29, 1945 and served during WWII. He was honorably discharged October 25, 1946. He was united into marriage to Leota Brandenburg on March 4, 1950 in Lexington, Nebraska. Edward farmed for most of his life in Gothenburg, NE and in 1967 moved to a farm north of Axtell. The couple then retired to Kearney in 1990. Edward was a member of the American Legion Club in Gothenburg and the Elks Lodge in Kearney. He is survived by his wife Leota Schledewitz of Kearney; sons, Edward J. Schledewitz and wife Gwen of Westminster, CO, William E. Schledewitz of Kearney; daughters Karen Cherniss and husband Jim of Napa, CA, and Jane Varwig of Kearney; 3 sisters; 7 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by both parents; 4 brothers and 2 sisters.

Tribute Wall



“ *Edward Schledewitz*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *So sorry to hear about Uncle Ed. We won't be able to make it to the funeral but we want to send our condolences and let you know that you are in our prayers. God Bless.*

Sue and Bill Lloyd - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM