



## W. Kruse

May 6, 1926 - November 12, 2012

Dale Kruse, 86, of Houston, TX passed away November 12, 2012 surrounded by loving family. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:00 a.m. Friday, November 16th, 2012 at St. James Catholic Church with Fr. Joe Hannappel presiding. Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. Online condolences or personal reflections may be submitted at [www.osrfh.com](http://www.osrfh.com). A Final Commendation Service will take place at St. Patrick's Church in Sidney on Saturday, November 17th, 2012 beginning at 9:30 a.m. Interment will be at Greenwood cemetery in Sidney. O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home of Kearney are in charge of the funeral arrangements. Dale was born May 26th, 1926 in Crookston, NE to Charles and Nellie (Beck) Kruse. Dale enlisted in the Navy and proudly served his country during World War II in the Pacific theater. After service, Dale married the love of his life, Dot (Rezac) Kruse on June 16th, 1948 making their home in Sidney, NE. Dale worked for Marathon Oil Company nearly 40 years, retiring in 1986. He was active in numerous community organizations and was extremely proud of the work he did at the Sidney Memorial Gardens. He was an active member of St. Patrick's Catholic community and belonged to the Knights of Columbus. Dale is preceded in death by his wife over 59 years, Dot Kruse, his parents, and his son Jerry. He is survived by his daughters, Vicki and husband Loren Fairbanks of Kearney, NE; Darcy and husband, Bob Egging of Oswego, IL; and son, Brett and wife Debbie Kruse of Cypress, TX. Four grandsons, Justin Abbott of Elkhorn, NE; Trent Abbott of Elkhorn, NE; Patrick Kruse of Houston, TX; Ryan Kruse of

Houston, TX; and one great granddaughter, Megan Abbott.

# Tribute Wall



“ *W. Kruse*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Brett, Darcy and Vicky..Family; My prayers are with you at this time, I loved your Dad ... always laughing and smiling. Wish we could be there but our own Dad is fragile, hope to come up this summer and place plants or sculpture in garden in Sidney. Take Care and hug each other often, Janell*

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**Janell** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM



“ *I am truly honored in having met him and getting to know him and your family in my short stay a few years ago. I wish that my mother could of met her cousin. Vicky Alexander Johnson*

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**Vicky Johnson** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM



“ *What a great man. Loved having him here at Northridge SLC. He was quite the character, but very compassionate when it came to family and friends. He would do anything for anyone. I will miss him but I know he is in a better place; where he has long awaited to be with his wife.*

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**Jennifer Long & Family** - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM