



Donald William Hughes

March 29, 1926 - May 1, 2013

A Funeral Mass for Donald William Hughes, 87, will be at 11:00 AM Wednesday, May 8, 2013, at St. Gregory the Great Catholic Church with Rev. Rajesh Mankena officiating. Recitation of the Rosary will be 7:00 PM Tuesday at Anderson-Burris Funeral Home. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery. Don was born March 29, 1926 in Wood River, Nebraska to John and Hattie Carlson Hughes and died May 1, 2013 in Enid. Don grew up in Nebraska. On September 6, 1948, he married Dorothy Chrapkowski. They moved to Enid in 1957, where he worked as a store accountant with International Harvester. Don began his career with Federated Insurance in February 1959, retiring in 1981. He later formed his own agency, Hughes Insurance Consultant, retiring in 2007. Don was a member of St. Gregory Catholic Church, Knights of Columbus Council 1044, 4th Degree Assembly 854 of the Knights of Columbus, "Big Band" Dance Club, #1 Oklahoma Polka Club, Civitan, and was an Enid Chamber of Commerce Ambassador for many years. He was preceded in death by his wife Dorothy on August 23, 2012; son David; parents; brother Duane; sister Ramona; and grandson Brian Dickerson. Don is survived by children, Carol and Ron Wyckoff, Diana and Elvin Whitehead, all of Enid, and Roger Hughes of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; nine grandchildren, nineteen great grandchildren; brother Karl Hughes of Wood River, NE; and sister Sharon Shrock of Nebraska. Memorials may be made to Center of our Family Love.