

The Faults of our Brothers,  
we write upon the Sand -

Their Virtues upon the  
tablets of Love and Memory



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LINCOLN, NEBRASKA      DECEMBER, 1980

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## MEMORIAL SERVICE HONORS DEPARTED BROTHERS

The first Sunday in December is traditionally set aside in every Elks Lodge to commemorate the memory of departed Elk brothers. During this impressive service a wreath is laid beside our altar in honor of each member who has passed away during the year, each wreath being laid by a member of the Lodge. The Memorial address will be given by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Mitchell M. Kaczmarek, Exalted Ruler and his Officers of the Lodge will conduct the Ritual Service. The service is open to the public and we urge you to attend and to bring your family and friends. Memorial Service to be at 2:00 P.M.

### IN MEMORIAM

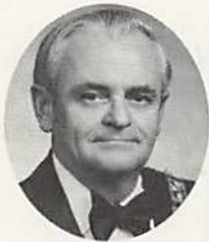
During the past year we have with great sorrow added to the rolls of our honored dead, the names of Brothers:

Richard D. Buffington	November 3, 1979
Leo A. Zavadil	December 25, 1979
Homer R. Ballew	January 14, 1980
Charles G. Seale	January 20, 1980
Carl E. Gettman	January 30, 1980
Max Meyer	February 2, 1980
Charles L. Ogg	February 17, 1980
Morris Freshman	February 18, 1980
Carroll M. Fredrickson	March 7, 1980
Leonard P. Stewart	March 8, 1980
Gilbert Duling	April 15, 1980
Fritz Vierk	April 19, 1980
Walter K. Beggs	April 24, 1980
Gilbert G. Hanson	May 4, 1980
Sam Simon	July 17, 1980
John Sell	July 18, 1980
Wm. Scott Eastwood	August 18, 1980
Jack J. Menzie	August 19, 1980
Gunnar H. Johnson	August 29, 1980

### ORDER OF EXERCISES

Opening Ceremonies.....	Officers of the Lodge
Invocation.....	Chaplain, STEPHEN WIRTH
Calling Roll of Absent Brothers.....	Secretary, William Woltemade
Tolling of Eleven Strokes	
Eleven O'Clock Toast.....	Exalted Ruler, CHARLES J. KRUSE
Vocal Selection.....	Robert A. Wittstruck
Altar Services.....	Officers of the Lodge
Memorial Address.....	Rt. Rev. Msgr. Mitchell M. Kaczmarek
Organ Selection.....	Organist, Stanley Capps
Closing Exercises.....	Officers of the Lodge
Benediction.....	STEPHEN WIRTH

REACH OUT WITH ELKDOM



# EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

By Charles Kruse

My Brothers:

Christmas time at Lincoln Elks Lodge No. 80 is a time of the year that has a very special meaning. Our biggest Youth Project of the year takes place the 72nd Annual City-Wide Elks Christmas Party. Loyal Knight, Ron Colin, is Chairman and his Committee has been planning for several months. This annual event is sponsored solely by donations from Brother Elks, Sister Does and friends. In 71 years you have never failed to meet this need. Please support it again. Make your contributions soon and Thank You. Please volunteer to assist in sacking 5,000 bags of goodies on Tuesday Noon, December 23rd. It takes less than one hour and you'll enjoy the friendship of other Brothers.

The 1980 "Go Big Red" NE Football season is now history. A very dedicated group of volunteers, Chaired by Vic Meisinger, Dean's staff, the PER's, Trustee's, Santo, all Brothers and Sister Does, "Thank You" for a very successful season and a job very well done.

On Sunday, December 7th, 1980 at 2 P.M. in the Lodge Room, a memorial service will be held to memorialize our deceased Brothers. This is a very impressive Ceremony and we hope you will attend. It will be highlighted by the Memorial Address to be given by Rt. Rev. Msgr. Mitchell M. Kaczmarek, a member of Lincoln Elks Lodge No. 80 and Retired Pastor from St. Teresa's Church.

Over 350 people attended the Midget Football Banquet on Monday, November 3rd. The food was delicious, Dean, and PER Jack Jensen had an outstanding program. Guests were University of Nebraska Football Players, Andra Franklin and Red Shirted Dennis Roegan. My thanks to Chairman, PER Jensen and all the dedicated Coaches for their time and efforts. Oh, yes, the Elks Lodge No. 80 "B" Team received a beautiful Trophy for being the Class B Best Midget Football Team in Lincoln with eight wins and zero losses. Congratulations to the Coaches and "B" Team Players. PER Jensen has been very active with Midget Football for the past twenty years. Does Drove No. 4 - Thanks for your assistance in serving the Coffee and dessert.

New Year's Eve will be upon us before we know it. Please call Dean's office, 488-0929, & make your reservations early as I am sure this will be a quick sell-out.

I wish to report that District Deputy of the Grand Exalted Ruler, Edwin E. Stokes, made an inspection of our Lodge on November 19, 1980 and found our books in order and the Grand Lodge Rules complied with. That evening the Lodge Officers initiated ten into the Lodge. This Class was designated as the District Deputy Edwin E. Stokes Class.

Norma and I, The Officers and Trustees would like to wish you Brothers and Sister Does and your families a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND BEST WISHES for a Prosperous New Year.

Fraternally and sincerely,

*Charles Kruse*

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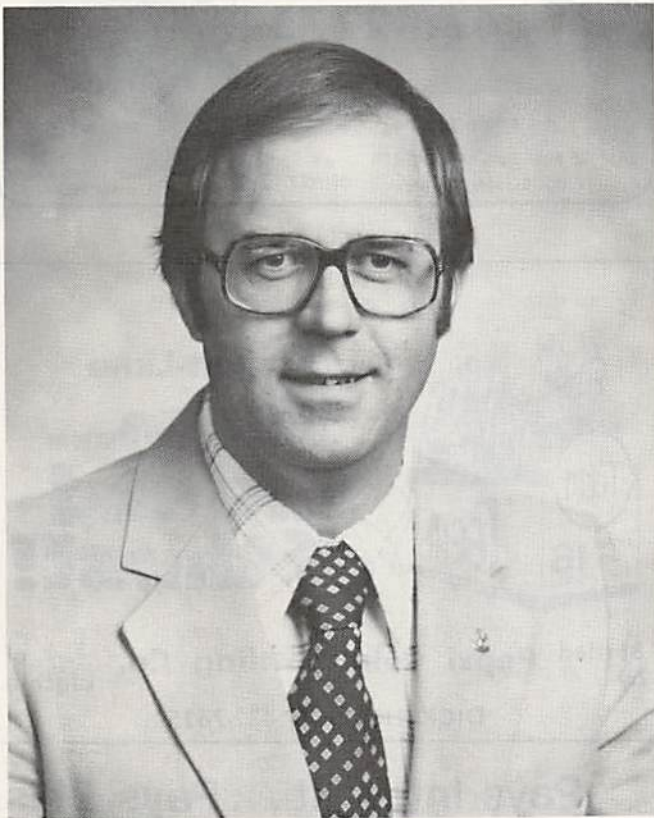
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DECEMBER ELK OF THE MONTH

This months "Elk of the Month" honor goes to Brother Jack M. Jensen, PER. Jack and his wife, Nancy, live at 820 North 35th Street, Lincoln. They have three children. Brother Jack is employed at AAA Cornhusker Motor Club. Jack was initiated into Elkdom October 20, 1965. He has served in all officers chairs, and was Exalted Ruler in 1976. Jack is the Lodge Ritualistic Coach and this past summer received the Nebr. Elks Associations' George B. Klein Ritualistic Coach Award. Jack has been active in all phases of Elkdom, especially Youth and Ritual work. Jack's father was Exalted Ruler in 1965; they were the first Father and Son serving as Exalted Rulers of Lincoln Lodge No. 80.



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	" " "	BOB'S HUSKEY	926
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	" " "	WAYNE GIEBELHAUS	243
8. BEE JAY PLB. & HTG.	" " "	KEN WILLIAMSON	235

NOTICE\*\*\*It appears that the ELKS MIDWEST BOWLING TOURNAMENT NEXT SPRING will be held in Omaha.Details on this when available.



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| Elks National Memorial Building | Elks Flag Day                    |

**SPECIFIC ELKS #80 PROJECTS**

- Visitation Committee
- Relief Committee
- Social & Community Welfare
- ELK-OF-THE-YEAR
- Elks Bowling League
- Elks Family Picnic
- Elks Day at the Races
- Golf Tournament
- Glasses to Needy

**SPECIAL ELKS #80 YOUTH ACTIVITIES**

- Junior Achievement Program
- Teen-Ager of the Month
- Crippled Children Work
- Scholarship & Leadership
- City-Wide Christmas Party
- Eagle Scout Program
- Midget Football Program
- Tennis Program
- Hoop-Shoot Program

**\*\*\*\*\*LINCOLN ELKS #80 YOUTH ACTIVITIES PROGRAM STATISTICS\*\*\*\*\***

'55-'56	1st in State Contest Honorable Mention in Nat'l	'68-'69	1st in State 2nd in Nat'l
'56-'57	1st in State 3rd in Nat'l	'69-'70	1st in State 1st in Nat'l
'57-'58	1st in State 3rd in Nat'l	'70-'71	1st in State 1st in Nat'l
'58-'59	1st in State 2nd in Nat'l	'71-'72	1st in State 2nd in Nat'l
'59-'60	1st in State 1st in Nat'l	'72-'73	1st in State 2nd in Nat'l
'60-'61	1st in State 2nd in Nat'l	'73-'74	1st in State
'61-'62	2nd in State	'74-'75	1st in State 1st in Nat'l
'62-'63	1st in State 1st in Nat'l	'75-'76	1st in State 3rd in Nat'l
'63-'64	1st in State 2nd in Nat'l	'76-'77	1st in State 2nd in Nat'l
'64-'65	1st in State 1st in Nat'l	'77-'78	1st in State 2nd in Nat'l
'65-'66	1st in State 1st in Nat'l	'78-'79	1st in State 3rd in Nat'l
'66-'67	1st in State 2nd in Nat'l	'79-'80	1st in State Honorable Mention in Nat'l
'67-'68	1st in State 2nd in Nat'l		

**"HOOP SHOOT" CONTEST**

ATTENTION PARENTS.....AND HOOP SHOOTERS....

It's that time of year again!!!

Yes----It's the Elks Hoop Shoot contest for boys and girls age 8-13.

Schools in your area have been notified regarding the Elks Hoop Shoot Contest and will be holding a local Hoop Shoot Contest within the next two months. Check your bulletin board at your school for the time and date.

So Parents.....If you don't have a basketball around the house.....get one!!! Maybe your child will be a winner and will be going to the State Meet in Kearney.

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At Home.....Sam Sandlovich, Laurence Gerlach,  
Leonard Campbell.

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**NOTICE TO LIFE MEMBERS & HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS**

Grand Lodge Statutes require Life Members to pay for assessments as follows:

Grand Lodge Dues  
National Service Commission Fee  
Elks Magazine Subscription  
State Association Dues  
Lodge Administration Expenses  
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