

# Marvin G. Krause



TUCSON, Ariz. – Marvin G. Krause, 82, passed away Wednesday, March 9, 2011, in Tucson.

He was born Jan. 24, 1929, in Crystal Lake, to George and Rose Krause. He married Jane Morse on Jan. 5, 1948, and they enjoyed 63 years together.

He was a frugal man who knew how to pinch a penny, going so far as to wrap rubber bands on his wallet for safe keeping. He had a great sense of humor.

He attended Grinnell College and Northern Illinois University, graduating with bachelor's degree in education and a master's degree in administration. He taught math and PE at Central School and at Olsen Junior High in Woodstock. He also taught at Cary-Grove High School. He finished his career at Crystal Lake Central High School as an assistant principal and retired in 1987. He was fair and a positive influence on many students and in later years, was sought out by his former students to thank him for the difference he made in their lives. He always worked two jobs, including Railway Express, Vinci's and Lloyds Paint and Paper. He loved being the youngest child in his family and was a frustrated golfer.

He is survived by his wife; his sons, Steven (Lynn) of Galena, Michael (Lynn) of Woodstock, Jonathan (Priscilla) of Waukegan, Matthew (Paula) of Belvidere and Daniel (Margaret) of Hayward, Wis.; his grandchildren, Seth (Anna) Krause, Andrew Krause, Ben Krause, Melissa (Joe) Humphrey, Nicholas Krause and Jessica Krause; and his great-grandchildren, Caiden Krause, Nathan Humphrey, Matthew Humphrey and Maxwell Krause.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his brother, Edwin Krause; his sister, Joyce Gumprecht; his brother-in-law, James Morse; and his infant son, Jeffrey Krause.

A memorial service was Sunday, March 20, at Bell Court Gardens, Tucson, Ariz.