

Charles J. Knapke

Charles J. Knapke, age 59 of Garden Grove, Calif., died at 5:15 p.m. on Sunday, May 8, 2011 at his brother's residence in St. Henry.



He was born July 30, 1951 in Coldwater to Carl J. and Marie (Bruggerman) Knapke.

Charles is survived by his mother in St. Henry; siblings: Linda and Chris Onkst of Greenville, Connie Flaska of Sidney, Jim Knapke of Coldwater, Jeff Knapke of Ponca City, Okla. and Tim and Deb Knapke of St. Henry and son Kevin Knapke of Deltona, Fla.

He is preceded in death by his father.

He was a member of Sierra Club in California and he was vice president of data operations at Hobby People in California.

Memorial mass will be held on Tuesday, May 17, 2011 at St. Henry Catholic Church with Fr. Tom Hemm, officiating. His remains will be returned to California where there will also be a memorial service.

Memorials may be directed to State of the Heart Hospice 230 W. Main St, Coldwater, Ohio 45828.

Hogenkamp Funeral Home in St. Henry, Ohio is handling the arrangements. Condolences may be left at hogenkampfh.com.