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Edward Harold Ballentine

July 3, 1916, to Nov. 10, 2002

Edward "Ed" Harold Ballentine, 86, of Bettendorf and formerly of Nevada, died Sunday, Nov. 10, in Davenport from complications of a heart attack.

He was born July 3, 1916, in Leon, Ohio, to William David and Floy Del (Norman) Ballentine. He married F. Ruth Frazier on Nov. 21, 1941, in Andover, Ohio. He was a veteran, having served in the Army, and he worked as a sales manager for the Central Petroleum Company, retiring in 1981. He had lived in Andover, Ohio; Kokomo, Ind.; Nevada and moved to Bettendorf in 1995. He was a pilot and enjoyed flying his own plane.

Survivors include two sons, Edward "Ed" (and Patty) Ballentine, Jr., of Sterling, Va., and Blaine (and Tatiana) Ballentine of Bettendorf; four grandchildren; a brother, John Ballentine of Andover, Ohio; and a sister, Virginia Dustman of Ohio.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife on Feb. 28, 1994; four brothers, William David, Jr., Norman, Timothy and Fred; and three sisters, Mary Ellen, Kate Mossbarger and Julia Russell.

Graveside services were held Wednesday at Evergreen Memorial Garden Cemetery near Nevada. Bacon Funeral Home, Nevada, handled arrangements.

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