

Rhoads, Harold E. d. 2-24-2002

Harold Eugene Rhoads

SEPT. 10, 1932-FEB. 24, 2002

Harold Eugene Rhoads, 69, of Hubbard, formerly of Collins, died Feb. 24 of cancer at the Hospice of the Valley in Sun City, Ariz. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at Chet Ryan Mortuary in Nevada with Pastor David Burling officiating. Burial will follow in the Evergreen Cemetery in Collins.

Harold Eugene Rhoads was born Sept. 10, 1932, in Collins, the son of William and Emma (Thomas) Rhoads. He married Elizabeth Konopasek on Sept. 4, 1954. He attended Wilson Junior College and

Roosevelt College in Illinois. He served in the Army during the Korean conflict. He was the owner and operator of a Standard Oil station in Illinois.

He is survived by his wife; one son, William Rhoads of Palantine, Ill.; one daughter, Anna Marcomb of Ames; a brother; two sisters; eight grandchildren, three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.

Visitation will be after 3 p.m. Thursday with the family present from 4 to 8 p.m. at Chet Ryan Mortuary in Nevada.

A memorial fund has been established at Homeward Hospice of Ames.

HAROLD RHOADS Hubbard

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Mr. Rhoads was born in Collins and had lived in Illinois and Maxwell before moving to Hubbard in 1996. He was the retired owner and operator of a Standard Oil station in Illinois and an Army veteran of the Korean War. He enjoyed family activities and playing softball.

He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth; a son, William of Palatine, Ill.; a daughter, Anna Marcomb of Ames; a brother, Joe of Collins; two sisters, Doris Wylie of Grinnell and Dorothy Rhoads of Phoenix; eight grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 3 p.m. today at the mortuary, where the family will be present from 4 to 8 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Homeward Hospice of Ames.

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March 07, 2002

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Sept. 10, 1932, to Feb. 24, 2002

Harold Eugene Rhoads, 69, of Hubbard and formerly of Collins, died of cancer on Sunday, Feb. 24, at the Hospice of the Valley in Sun City, Ariz.

He was born Sept. 10, 1932, in Collins to William and Emma (Thomas) Rhoads. He attended Wilson Junior College and Roosevelt College in Illinois. He served the Army during the Korean Conflict and married Elizabeth M. Knopasek on Sept. 4, 1954, in Burbank, Ill. He was the owner and operator of a Standard Oil Station in Illinois. He enjoyed playing softball and loved being with family. He had lived in Hubbard since 1996, moving there from Maxwell.

Survivors include his wife, Elizabeth M. Rhoads of Hubbard; a son, William Rhoads of Palantine, Ill.; a daughter, Anna Marcomb of Ames; eight grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; a brother, Joe Rhoads of Collins; two sisters, Doris Wylie of Grinnell and Dorothy Rhoads of Phoenix, Ariz.; and a sister-in-law Gladys Rhoads of Collins.

He is preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Charles Rhoads in 1991 and William in infancy.

Visitation is being held today (Thursday, March 7) after 3 p.m. with the family present from 4-8 p.m. at Chet Ryan Mortuary, Nevada. Funeral services will be held on Friday, March 8, at 11 a.m. at Chet Ryan Mortuary with Pastor David Burling officiating. Burial will follow in the Evergreen Cemetery, Collins. A memorial fund has been established in Harold's name for Homeward Hospice of Ames.