

Edgar Rufus Williams

December 14, 1916 – June 30, 2001

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Edgar Rufus Williams, 84, died Saturday, June 30, 2001 in Elkins, WV. The son of R. Alonzo "Lonnie" and M. Martha Webb Williams, he was born at Buck, Summers County, WV in the two-story log home of his maternal grandparents. He married Margaret "Elizabeth" Bragg on September 22, 1940 at Elk Knob Baptist Church, Summers Co. She died in 1985. He is survived by their only child, Carol "Sue" Williams Dale and her husband, Tom A. Dale, of Handley Wildlife Management Area, Pocahontas Co., WV, and two grand sons, Adam Hunter Dale and Morgan Kerry Dale, both now residents of Wyoming.

Mr. Williams graduated from Hinton High School and began employment with I.E. DuPont at Belle, WV in June 1940. He continued to work there, interrupted only by service in the U. S. Army during WWII, until his retirement from his position as a Chemical Operator.

A member of North Charleston Baptist Church, Mr. Williams had been unable to attend services there for several years due to his illnesses. He received loving care at Good Living for Older Adults, Malden, WV, followed by excellent care at Colonial Place, Elkins, WV. Mr. Williams was proud to have been a lifetime member of the American Legion.

A memorial service and interment in Greenbrier Burial Park, Hinton, will be held at a later date when his grandsons and daughter-in-law come in from Wyoming. There will be no visitation.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations to one of the following: Family Refuge Center, P.O. Box 172, Marlinton, WV 24954; McClintic Public Library, 500 Eighth St., Marlinton, WV 24954; or North Charleston Baptist Church, 1009 Woodward Dr., Charleston, WV 25312.