

Earl Howard

Raymond Earl Howard, the son of Bernard Lawson and Pansie Opal (Womack) Howard was born March 1, 1929, in Milo, MO, and passed away after a short illness on January 8, 2001, in Oakdale, CA.

Private services were held, January 9, 2001, at the Oakdale Memorial Chapel in Oakdale, CA. Interment was held Monday, January 22, 2001, at Rose Hill Cemetery in Shenandoah, IA.

Earl was united in Marriage to Edna Bullock on November 2, 1956, at the First Christian Church in Shenandoah. He worked as a service writer for auto repair and managed apartment complexes for many years. He enjoyed tinkering with his autos and had a great love for his model cars.

Preceding Earl in death were his parents; a brother, Harold Robert Howard; sister, Marjorie Lavern Howard; nephew, John E. Laughlin; grandnephews, Johnny Shough and Patrick Wallis.

Earl is survived by his wife, Edna, of Oakdale, CA, son, Tyler, of Bellevue, NE, stepdaughter, Pat Lang and husband, Duane, of Essex, Iowa; two grandsons, Tyler and Garrett Howard, of Bellevue, NE, brothers, Eugene Howard and wife, Phyllis, of Omaha, NE and Robert Howard and wife, Bettie, of San Jose, CA; sister, Darlene Laughlin and husband, Edward, of Imogene, IA; nephews, Brian and Kipp Howard, Jim and Jeff Laughlin, David and Rick Howard; nieces, Janet Shough and Cindy Wallis.

The Selby Funeral Chapel in Shenandoah was in charge of local arrangements.