



Derral "LD" Rowland

July 6, 1922 - June 26, 2018

Lenzie Derral Rowland, age 95 of Edmond, formerly of Newcastle, went to be with his Lord on June 26, 2018. Derral was known to his co-workers as "LD". He was one of five children born to Lenzie Elmer Rowland and Verdie Mae (Wood) Rowland. Derral was born on July 6, 1922, at home in downtown OKC where the Myriad Botanical Gardens are located today. He enjoyed telling people he has seen Oklahoma from saddles to satellites. Derral loved his God, his country and his family. He was a charter member of Sunnyside Baptist Church in Oklahoma City. He saw action aboard the USS Lexington during WWII. He worked for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and retired in 1984 after 36 years.

He was preceded in death by:

Wife, Catherine Rowland in 2014;
Granddaughter, Kristi McCullough;
Two brothers, Alton and R.L.;
Two sisters, Venita Burnett and Lelan Rowland;

He is survived by:

Two daughters, Sharon McCullough and husband Delbert of Mustang,
Sandra Holmes and husband David of Edmond;
9 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 10:00 AM, Saturday, June 30, 2018, at Chapel of Roses in Resthaven Memory Gardens, Oklahoma City. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Oklahoma Baptist Homes for Children, 16301 S. Western Ave, OKC, OK. 73170. Arrangements are by Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Newcastle, OK.