

Delbert F. Knox

Delbert F. Knox, 89, began a new journey on December 12, 2008, after a sudden illness.

Del had a full active life and enjoyed each day. Born to Willard and Frieda Knox November 21, 1919, in Emmett, Idaho. He met and married his roller skating partner, Coweta Amos, in 1941. Three children followed.

He served in the Army Air Corps during WWII. After the war, he worked for J C Penny later owning the Ben Franklin Knox Variety and Sporting Goods Store in Kellogg, ID. Upon moving to Edmonds, WA, he was employed by Sears until his retirement. His next career was with Safeway, as a senior "box boy" and then in produce.

Del was an avid square dancer with the Checkerboard Squares. He was active in the Seattle Seachordsmen, Edmonds Senior Center and Sears Retirees. His life was always full of friends and fun.

He was predeceased by his wife of 51 years, Coweta; parents; brother, Walter John; and nephew, Tom. Survivors include sister, Delores Fallis, of University Place, WA; brother, Willis (Diane), of Kelso, WA; daughters, Karol Scott (Neil) of Camarillo, CA and Dawn Alexander (David), of Edmonds; son, Alvin (Paula), of Baxter, TN; and grandchildren, Gayle Scott, of Ventura, CA, Jay Scott (Tennie), of Scottsdale, AZ, Jeremy Alexander, of Edmonds, Neil Scott Jr, (Bridget), of Shoreline, WA, Myra Alexander, of Lynnwood, WA; and eight great-grandchildren.

A celebration of life will be at 1 p.m., February 7, 2009, at Edmonds Senior Center. In lieu of flowers, please donate to your favorite charity in Del's name.