



Dale Kenneth Jones

April 11, 1919 - March 2, 2010

Dale Kenneth Jones went to be with the Lord, March 2, 2010. He was born April 11, 1919, in Sunnyside, WA to Ira and Maude Jones. He grew up on a farm in Sunnyside, raising and showing animals. He was very active in 4-H and won many awards in showing his livestock at fairs as far away as Portland, OR, traveling with the animals by train. After graduation from Sunnyside High School, he attended Washington State University. Dale married the love of his life, Ethel M. McComas on December 18, 1941. Together they raised their two sons on a small farm in Grandview, WA. They owned and operated Jones Market, Lockers & Pet Shop in Grandview for 20 years. Later, they moved to East Wenatchee and then to Wenatchee, WA, where he worked with his son, Don in a variety of businesses. His wife of 67 years, Ethel, preceded him in death on July 3, 2009. Dale was very active in his church and loved serving as Deacon and Greeter at the First Baptist Church of East Wenatchee. He prided himself in memorizing everyone's name and birthday, so he could greet them properly.

Dale is survived by his two sons, Kenneth D. Jones (Karin) of Moses Lake and Don G. Jones (Cathi) of Wenatchee; two grandsons, Kevin M. Jones (Stefani) of Pasco, WA and Kraig A. Jones of Kennewick, WA; one great-granddaughter, Savanna Jones of Pasco, WA; and one brother, Gordon Jones of Sunnyside, WA. He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Ethel; two brothers, Keith and Forest Jones; and one sister, Florence Jaeger.

A Celebration of Dale's Life will be held Saturday, March 6, 2010, at 10:30 a.m. at Riverwest Assisted Living, 900 N. Western Avenue, Wenatchee. Those who wish, may make memorials to the First Baptist Church of East Wenatchee. Arrangements are by Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee, WA.