In Memory of Rollin L. Potter

Rollin Potter, 77, Lamar, MO went to be with the Lord at 3:10 PM, Dec. 3, 2008 at his residence in Lamar. Rollin was born on March 31, 1931 to Noble and Mable (Watkins) Potter in Kewanee, Illinois. He graduated from Lamar High School in 1949. He was quarterback for the football team and scored the first touchdown in the new stadium. He was on the track team and won many 1st and 2nd places in competition. He served as an area football referee for a number of years and was a faithful fan of the KC Chiefs. Rollin attended Pittsburg Technical School studying in the fields of heating and air conditioning. He worked for Potter Plumbing and Heating for 62 years and later acquired ownership from his father. While working on a job at Sheldon High School, he met the girl of his dreams, Rosalee Gordon and married her Feb. 12th 1950. They were married for 59 years. Rollin was a member of the IOOF, Masonic Lodge, Chat-n-Chew Club, several bridge clubs and the Missouri National Guard for 24 1/2 years. He attended National Guard Armored School at Ft. Knox, KY. Survivors include his wife, Rosalee; two sons, Brad and wife, Lorraine & Mitch and wife, Carissa, all of Lamar; grandchildren, John Candler, Amy and husband Scott Losh, Kiley and husband Erik Newell, Chance Potter and Kiersten and Kinsley Potter; great-grandchildren Jordan and Ryker Losh, two brothers, Lister Potter and wife Judy and Jim Potter and wife Armetta, brothers-in-law Howard Rice and wife Edna Mae, Marvin Rice, and Jack Gordon and wife Caroline. He was preceded in death by his parents Noble and Mable Potter, stepmother Eva Mae Potter, son Rollin Kemp Potter, and grandson Derek Candler.

Services

Saturday ~ December 6, 2008 ~ 2:00 p.m. Lamar United Methodist Church

Special Military Services by Missouri National Guard Brayo Team

> Officiating Minister Rev. Donal Keithly

Music Performed by The Freedom Singers Song Selections "I'll Fly Away" "If You Could See Me Now" "I'll Have a New Life" "Beulah Land"

Pallbearers

John Candler ~ Jerry Gordon ~ Bob Gordon ~ Rick Gordon Carl Phipps ~ Kenton Gordon ~ Lister Potter ~ Jim Potter Honorary Pallbearers Norman Thompson ~ Lyndell Hurt ~ Bill Percy Richard Cooper ~ Charles Stanley ~ Fred Rakestraw

> Interment Lake Cementery, Lamar, Missouri

Arrangments Under Direction of Konantz-Warden Funeral Home, Lamar, Missouri

