

ESTON O. POLAND

1921-2013

FT. WORTH: Eston O. Poland, 92, of Fort Worth, Texas died October 9, 2013.

Eston was born in Knoxville, Tennessee to William Columbus and Lillian Ethel (Talley) Poland. Upon completion of high school, he attended Draughon Business College. He also served his country in World War II as a Master Sergeant in the US Army. Eston was a Mason, and also worked 20 years in commissioned sales for J.C. Penney.

After retirement, Eston could often be found at local establishments drinking coffee with his friends. One restaurant was referred to as the Romeo Club because the group of men that sat together, which included Eston, were senior widowers or singles.

In his younger years he played the violin. He liked music and enjoyed singing. He was a member of Southwood Baptist Church in Fort Worth.

He is survived by sons Dee Poland of Amarillo, Fred Poland of Graham, and Sid Poland of Arlington; daughter, Helen Taylor of Chico; and step-son, Gary Standfield of Ames, Iowa; numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Bob and J.B., sister, Mary; grandson, Eston Denver, great-granddaughter, Heather, and great-great-granddaughter, Addison.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, October 15, 2013 at 11:00 a.m. at Southwood Baptist Church in Fort Worth, officiated by Bro. Les Doyle. Visitation was held at the church, prior to the service. Burial was at DFW National Cemetery in Dallas.

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