

Edward T. Lilly

August 29, 1921 – January 8, 2008

(From Findagrave.com)

Edward T. Lilly, 86, of Nimitz, died at 6:15 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 8, 2008, at Summers County Appalachian Regional Hospital following a long illness.

Born Aug. 29, 1921, at Hinton;
Son of the late Cecil C. Lilly and Mabel Lilly Lilly Lazio.

Edward had lived most of his life at Nimitz and in Florida, was a graduate of the Huntington Business College and attended Yale University as an air cadet, and retired as sales representative with Norfolk Southern Railroad.

He was an Army Air Corps veteran who served his country during World War II, an avid sports fan who loved to golf and helped bring water skiing to Bluestone Lake, was a member of the Hinton Elks Lodge and was a loving husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather.

He was preceded in death by: A brother, Tommy Joe Lilly; A sister, Betty June Hatcher; A great-grandson, Riley Humphries.

He is survived by: His wife of 63 years, Mary Belle Vest Lilly; Two sons: Dr. Edward R. Lilly of Hinton; Alan C. Lilly of Hilldale; Three grandchildren, Edward R. Lilly II and wife, Jill, of Marie, Tiffany Lynn Marie Lilly of Bluewell and Michelle Nicole Humphries and husband, Adam, of Culloden; Six great-grandchildren, Christian, Melody, Brice, Kylie, Elizabeth and Pierce; and a sister, Patty Wilson of Hinton.

Graveside service and burial held at the William Vest Cemetery, Streeter, with Elder David Bailey officiating.

Nephews and friends will serve as pallbearers.