



## Kenneth Chalmers

May 18, 1923 - May 6, 2015

Kenneth Frank Chalmers, 91, died on Wednesday, May 6 in Lubbock. He was born May 18, 1923, in Fargo, Okla., to Frank and Edna Watkins Chalmers. He served in the Transportation Corps of the US Army in the European Theater in WWII. He graduated from West Texas State College in 1949 and worked for the IRS in Pampa. He married Barbara Farley in 1950. After passing his CPA, they moved to Amarillo, where he worked for Graham Plow. In 1959 he moved to San Antonio to open one of the state's first equipment rental businesses, becoming a pioneer in the field. In 1976, Kenneth became Executive Director of the Texas Rental Association, after selling his business to his son.

In 1986 he retired, and for the next ten years, they traveled around the USA in a motor home. He and Barbara moved to Lubbock in 2003 to be near their daughter and her family.

He was a member of Oakwood United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife of 65 years; his children: son Douglas Chalmers and wife Mary Frances Agnello of Schulenburg and Japan; daughter Cynthia Davis and husband Pitts of Lubbock; and daughter Rose White and husband Jeff of Llano; granddaughter Sarah Hite and husband Eric of Seminole; granddaughter Liz Patton and husband CJ of Irving; granddaughter Caitlin Linden of Chicago; and great-granddaughters Laura and Jennifer Joiner of Lubbock and Rebekah and Tamryn Hite of Seminole.



# Tribute Wall

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“ *I'm so sorry for your family's loss. God promises to be close to the brokenhearted. PS 34;18. I hope you find comfort in God's promise & in the many wonderful memories you made & shared together. You have my condolences.*

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