



## Dr. Ramon Kireilis

March 27, 1917 - October 16, 2014

Dr. Ramon W. Kireilis, 97, died on October 16, 2014. A graveside service for Ramon will be held Wednesday, October 22, 2014, 11:00 a.m., at Resthaven Memorial Park with Reverend Zapata officiating.

Ramon was born in Kenosha, Wisconsin on March 27, 1917. He married Catherine Coffey on September 9, 1939. He was a veteran of WWII serving in the Army. They moved to Lubbock in 1950. Ramon was the head of the Men's Physical Education Department at Texas Tech University from 1950 to 1979. He also served as the first swimming and diving coach at Texas Tech. He was a member of St. Elizabeth's University Parish.

His wife, Catherine; daughter, Camille; and a sister, Eleanor preceded him in death.

He is survived by four sons, Ramon J. of Castle Rock, CO, Terry J. of Lubbock, Robin J. of Whitefish, MT, and Kelly A. of Lubbock; three grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; four step great-grandchildren; and one step great-great grandchild.

Memorials are suggested to St. Elizabeth's University Parish.