



Fuller B. James

February 2, 2003

James B. Fuller, 75, Laurie, died Feb. 2, 2003, in Amarillo, Texas.

He was born Dec. 16, 1927, in Kansas City, Kan., a son of Thomas and Marie Roth Fuller. He was married Oct. 16, 1964, in Great Bend, Kan., to Lila M. Rogers, who survives at the home.

He was a graduate of Kansas State University majoring in accounting. He was city clerk of Ellinwood, Kan., for more than 20 years. He owned and operated Bay Ridge Resort near Sunrise Beach for 14 years. The resort gained honorable mention in Bon Appetite Magazine in 1993. He retired in 1991. He was a member of Ozark Chapel United Methodist Church, Laurie. He was active in the Highway Five Association, was a volunteer firefighter, scout master, was a volunteer in local activities and city government. He was in the Naval Reserves and was a World War II veteran.

Other survivors include: one son, Steven Fuller, Seattle; one daughter, Patrice Rush, Oklahoma City; two stepsons, Dr. Jim Rogers, Amarillo, Texas, and Rod Rogers, Salina, Kan.; three stepdaughters, Paula Rogers, Hoisington, Kan., Linnette Carlson, Rio Rancho, N.M., and Janelle Dreiling, Frisco, Texas; two brothers, Thomas Fuller, Dallas, Texas, and Dale Fuller, Corpus Christi, Texas; and seven grandchildren.

One son, the Rev. Gregory Fuller, preceded him in death.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Ozark Chapel United Methodist Church, Laurie. The Rev. James Lawley will officiate. Graveside services will be Saturday in Great Bend Cemetery, Great Bend, Kan.

Visitation will be from 6-8 p.m. Thursday at Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home, Laurie.