His Legacy… John Alberto Ragland was born on September 22, 1929 in Gooding, Idaho to Earl & Ava Ragland. John entered into rest on September 13, 2009 in Oroville, California after a battle with malignant melanoma. John obtained his higher education at the College of Idaho, Idaho State College and CSU Chico. His graduate work was done at CSU Chico in preparation for his Bio Analyst & Microbiologist licenses. He retired in 1991 from Oroville Hospital. John & his wife Barbara were worldwide travelers, traveling to all 7 continents, many times to some of them. They also enjoyed traveling in their RV and had been to most states in the U.S. and provinces of Canada. They were very active in several RV clubs, including the Escapees. John will be remembered by family and friends as a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend.

His Family… John is survived by his wife of almost 60 years Barbara Ragland of Oroville, CA; son Terry (Km) Ragland of Corning, CA; daughters Wendy (Alex) Strestha of Fowler, CA; Peggy (Mike) Mannee of Tarpon Springs, FL; sisters Ruth Roberts of Monrovia, CA; Opal Braa of La Pine, OR; and 6 grandchildren. John was preceded in death by his parents and 3 brothers.

His Farewell Service… A Private Family Service will be held on Sunday September 20, 2009 in Oroville, California. Arrangements have been entrusted to Oroville Funeral Home 530-533-0323

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