



Charles Edward Rittman

November 9, 1915 - September 4, 2008

Anderson - Charles Edward Rittman, 92, Anderson, passed away September 4, 2008 at Methodist Hospital-Indianapolis. He was born November 9, 1915 in Anderson, Indiana, and resided in Anderson all of his life. He was an Anderson High School and Ball State Teacher's College graduate. He operated the Kay-Bee Flower Shop for 47 years and in 1945 opened the first Model Home Store in the North Room of the Paramount Theater Building in Anderson. This furniture and appliance business also continued for 47 years until 1993 with various locations in Anderson and Muncie. Charlie was a 50 year member of the Rotary Club and past President and member of S.C.O.R.E. an advisory group for persons wanting to open small businesses. He is survived by his four sons, John Rittman of Minneapolis, Minnesota, William Rittman of Houston, Texas, James Rittman of Anderson and Robert & wife Barbara Rittman of Marion and two grandchildren, Sarah Rittman and Robbie Rittman. He was preceded in death by his wife, Ruth Elizabeth McWilliams Rittman who passed away December 27, 1999. Visitation will be from 5-7:00 PM on Tuesday, September 9, 2008 at Robert D. Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, South Chapel; 200 W. 53rd Street; Anderson. Services will be Wednesday, September 10, 2008 at 2:30 PM, at the funeral home, south chapel. Burial will be in East Maplewood Cemetery, Anderson. www.LooseFuneralHomes.com