Mr. Tulley Edward Breaux, age 89 of LaPorte, passed away at his home on Monday, January 11, 2010. Mr. Breaux was born July 15, 1920, in Sour Lake, Texas to the late Eddie and Essie Breaux.

Mr. Breaux was a World War II veteran serving in Europe for three years with the Army Corp of Engineers. After returning from the war, he and his wife, Helen, owned and operated the Twin Oaks Motel in Crockett, Texas from 1947-78. He also worked at Crown Central Petroleum in Pasadena from 1951-81.

While residing in Crockett, he was a charter member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, for which he also served as president. He was also very active in the First Christian Church, where he often cooked and hosted Sunday dinners and ice cream socials. After selling the motel, Mr. Breaux and Helen moved full time to LaPorte while he completed his employment at Crown Central Petroleum.

Mr. Breaux and Helen then enjoyed 28 years of a wonderful retirement, which included square dancing, RVing, and many family and friend get-togethers, at which everyone always enjoyed Tulley’s famous seafood gumbo.
Survivors include his beautiful wife of 68 years, Helen Pogue Breaux; sons Jim Breaux and wife Debbie, of Dallas and Ron Breaux and wife Bonnie, of Livingston; daughter Judy Bauer and husband Hank, of Houston; grandchildren Austen Breaux, Amanda Bauer, Kyle Breaux, David Breaux and wife Katie, Chris Breaux; sister-in-law Maria Breaux; and numerous nieces, nephews and wonderful friends.

Preceded in death by his parents Eddie and Essie Breaux; and brother Murray Breaux.

A celebration of Mr. Tulley Edward Breaux's life was held Thursday, January 14, 2010 at 12:00 p.m. in the Chapel of Grand View Funeral Home. Mr. Breaux will be laid to rest at Houston National Cemetery on Friday, January 15, 2010 after a private family service.

For an online memorial please visit: www.grandviewfunerals.com

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