



## Raymond J. Head Obituary

April 17, 1918 - February 6, 2004

Mr. Head was born April 17, 1918 to Irene Cameron and Broadus Jennings Head in Alma, GA. He graduated with a military commission from Georgia Military Academy in 1937. While attending the University of Georgia, Mr. Head was personally called into service by General George C. Patton. He went into Casablanca during the North African invasion with the Second Armored Division, 41st. Armored Infantry Regiment. During the Sicilian campaign, Mr. Head was awarded a field commission of Captain-Company Commander. After returning to England with General Patton, he went ashore with the first armored division to land on the Continent after D-Day on June 14, 1944 and was later grievously wounded at St. Mere Eglise. He spent eighteen months at the Army hospital at White Sulfur Springs, Virginia. He graduated with honors from Command and General Staff School in Fort Leavenworth, KA. He received a medical discharge from the Army. Mr. Head returned to the University of Georgia where he served as president of the Pi Kappa Alpha social fraternity, a member of the Inter-fraternity Council and the Scabbard and Blade. He moved to Albany in 1946 where he started a service station and tire business. He later was employed by Firestone Tires and served as Regional Manager of Dayton Tire and Rubber for a period before retiring after 30 years of service. After retirement from Firestone, he organized a cooperative of Firestone dealers, Sunbelt Tire Marketers, Inc. to market products in Georgia and Florida. Mr. Head married the former Emma Jane Jones in 1951, and she preceded him in death in 1983. In 1985, he married

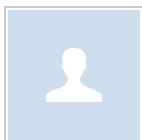
Harriett Weatherly Woodall.

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“ *Please know that our thoughts, love and prayers are with your family, especially during this most difficult time. Mr. Head was a fine gentleman, friend, St. Paul's parishoner and Bradford Court neighbor. He will truly be missed.  
God's Peace be with your entire family, now and forever.*

**Deane Lamb Ellis, Charles and Jean Lamb** - February 19, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *To Head & Woodall families- with sympathy & appreciation I remember Mr. Jennings' life & service to our country. He was a prime example of the "Greatest Generation."*

**Elizabeth Champion** - February 08, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *We are so sorry that we could not attend Jennings'service today. We are thinking of you.*

**Bubba & Jane Champion** - February 08, 2004 at 12:00 AM