

## **Col. Dale Kenneth Randels, 80**

Services for Col. (retired) Dale Kenneth Randels, 80, Covington's Convalescent Center, were held at 1 p.m. Monday, May 24, at Hughart and Beard Funeral Home, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Burial with full military honors was in the Kentucky Veterans Cemetery-West.

He died at 1:17 a.m., Tuesday, May 18, 2010, at Covington's following a long illness.

A native of Oskaloosa, he was born May 5, 1930, the son of the late Durwood and Edith Larson Randels.

Following 28 years of service, he retired from the Army in 1981 as a Korean and Vietnam veteran.

His awards include the Bronze Star and two Oak Leaf Clusters. He was a graduate of the Army War College.

A son, David Keith Randels, preceded him in death.

Survivors include his wife, Betty Jean Randels; a son, Dale Kenneth Randels Jr. of Nashville, Tenn.; two daughters, Karen Marie Randels, Cadiz, and Tamara Lynn Candler, Prairieville, La.; two brothers, George Randels of Orlando, Fla., and Randy Dean Randels of Montezuma; two sisters, Phyllis Anderson of Montezuma, and JoAnn Rubel, of Des Moines; and nine grandchildren.

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