

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative \_\_\_\_\_ Senator Eppers,

Charles H. - Represented Lee County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 16 Sept 1919 Keokuk, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place  
(1) Louise Gotschell  
Henri Flambeau 30 Aug 1975

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business \_\_\_\_\_

B. Civic responsibilities Elks Club, American Legion, Moose Club,  
Moose, Jaycees

C. Profession Restaurant operator

4. Church membership United Church of Christ

5. Sessions served 58<sup>th</sup> 59<sup>th</sup> General Assembly 1959, 1961

6. Public Offices

A. Local Member of Lee County Board of Supervision; mayor of Keokuk  
1972-1978

B. State \_\_\_\_\_

C. National \_\_\_\_\_

7. Death 17 Jan 1999 St. Petersburg, Florida; buried National Cemetery, Keokuk, Iowa

8. Children Med (predeceased his father in death); stepchildren - Linda  
Schilow; Roger Flambeau; Pardy Flambeau; Roger Flambeau

9. Names of parents Mr & Mrs Charles and Bertha (Arce) Eppers

10. Education \_\_\_\_\_

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11. Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

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12. Other applicable information Democrat

- Military service - World War II - Air Force Bombardier
- His first wife, Louise, preceded him in death.

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## Chuck Eppers

Sept. 16, 1919 - Jan. 17, 1999

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. - Former Keokuk Mayor Chuck Eppers, 79, of 6851 Mt. Quincy Dr. N.E., St. Petersburg, Fla., died at 3 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 17, 1999, in the Bayfront Hospital, St. Petersburg.

He was born on Sept. 16, 1919, in Keokuk, the son of Frederick Charles and Bertha Droe Eppers. He married Ferne Flambeau on Aug. 30, 1975. She survives.

Additional survivors include: a stepdaughter, Linda Schilson of St. Petersburg; three stepsons, Roger Flambeau of Durham, N.C., Larry (Gwynn) Flambeau of Keokuk, and Randy (Kay) Flambeau of Warsaw, Ill.; stepgrandchildren, Scott Schilson of Bradenton, Fla., Timothy Schilson and Remi Anderson, both of St. Petersburg; Trea Schilson of West Palm Beach, Fla.; Todd Flambeau, Amber Flambeau, both of Keokuk, Cari Flambeau of Hamilton, Ill., Kaila, Rhea, and J.P. Flambeau all of Warsaw; eight stepgreat-grandchildren; two sisters, Viola Cramer and Marjorie Huston, both of Keokuk; nieces; nephews; and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, Louise (Goetschel) Eppers; his son, Fred Eppers; and four sisters.

Mr. Eppers was a 50-year member of the Elks Lodge #106, a 52 year member of the American Legion, past member of the Moose Club, also a past member of the Masonic and Fez Club, and a past president of Keokuk Jaycees. He was a former member of the Lee County Board of Supervisors.

In his honor, an Eppers-O'Mally Political Dinner is held in Fort Madison, Iowa, annually.

He was very instrumental in the new toll-free Keokuk-Hamilton Bridge. He served his country as an Air Force Bombardier during World War II. He previously owned and operated several Chuck Wagon Cafes and the Eppers Hotel.

Mr. Eppers served four years as State Senator, and then went on to become the Mayor of Keokuk, from 1972-1978.

Mr. Eppers enjoyed hunting, fishing, biking, being with family, and was an avid reader.

He was a member of the St. Paul United Church of Christ.

A memorial service will be held at a later date in Keokuk.

Burial will be in the National Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, or St. Paul United Church of Christ.



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## The moons

A sequence which la occurred in 1915:

- January: Two full moons
- February: None
- March: Two full moons



## When to look

Sky-gaze for the full

- Jan. 1: 8:30 p.m.
- Jan. 31: 11:07 a.m.

■ The second moon of the month is "blue," though tinted by condensation in the atmosphere.

SOURCES: The Sky Answer Book, 1998

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## Keokuk man

Dennis Eugene McLaughlin, arrested at 3:29 a.m. today, for According to the report, he was lot in the 1200 block of Main S determined that he was intoxi with him. McLaughlin was rele adult to appear in court at a lat

**Driving while license susp** Pfeiferling, 33, of Keokuk, was Sunday, with driving while lic officer on patrol saw Pfeiferlir have a valid driver's license, ar mation with the IDOT. He was court at a later date.

**Assault** Troy Gundy, 27, of K at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, with assau report, he allegedly assaulted s Arrowhead Bowl during the e on Sunday. He was cited to appe date.

**Theft in the second degree:**