

## **Closed Album - William "Bill" Oliver**

Bill Oliver passed away on Dec. 19, 2019 in Sacramento. Bill is survived by his wife Vivian of 73 years. Bill was 94.

He was an Honorary Member of the Nevada Stamp Study Society for many decades. (See Dick Dreiling's article below.)

Bill was very active in the world of philately, nationally and internationally, and began collecting stamps at the age of 11. He served as Chairman of the Board of WESTPEX for many years as well as being a Lifetime Member and one of the founding members of the Sacramento Philatelic Society. He was passionate about collecting and exhibiting stamps and specialized in the Philippines. Bill was a great friend and mentor to many.

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Many NSSF members have met and spoken with Bill over the years especially when attending the Easter Seal Benefit Show held each April in Sacramento. This year's Easter Seal Benefit will be on April 4-5.