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Joseph Tullie Holleman, 91, of Summerville, widower of Adele McKey Holleman, passed away at The Village of Summerville, on Sunday, 08 February 2015, which would have been the 90th birthday of his beloved wife. A graveside service will be held on Saturday, 14 February 2015, at 10:00 AM at White Church Cemetery, Summerville. A memorial service will follow at 1:00 PM at The Villages of Summerville. A reception will be held immediately after the service. Joseph was born on 10 October 1923, in Turners Station, KY, son of the late Julian Holleman and Mattie (Foree) Holleman. He graduated from the United States Naval Academy. He served in the United States Navy and retired from Polaris Missile Facility Atlantic as an ordnance engineer. He volunteered for the South Carolina Historical Society for more than 30 years; and was nationally known as a Civil War Postal Historian. He was a member of Summerville Presbyterian Church. Surviving are: three daughters: Laurie H. Sherrod (Denny) of Pendleton, SC, Sarah H. Brown (David) of Alvin, SC and Peggy H. Williams (Robert) of St. Stephen, SC; one son: Joseph T. Holleman, Jr. (Becky) of Lexington, SC; seven grandchildren: Trey Smith, Todd Smith, Andy Tompkins, Marie Dunlap, Mary Barbosa, Chris Holleman and Jon Holleman; 10 great-grandchildren; one great-grandchild. Flowers will be accepted or memorials may be made to Village of Summerville's "Employee Assistance Fund, " 201 West 9th North Street, Summerville, SC 29483.