## **GENE STEPHENS**

## Men's Veteran Skill – 1987



Gene has been a sanctioned bowler for 43 years, 30 of which were in the Oklahoma City area. His high sanctioned game was 298 and non-sanctioned 297. His highest sanctioned series was a 742 and non-sanctioned 751. His averages have ranged from 193 to 201. He has received numerous league awards and has been a Class A bowler in tournaments, winning such honors as: 1959-60 Oklahoma City All Events, 1968 Oklahoma City Team Champions bowling a scratch 720. He has been a consistent participant in yearly Shrine tournaments. He has served as a bowling center manager and also operated a Pro Shop where he supported student, league and tournament bowlers. For these reasons, Gene Stephens was inducted into the Oklahoma City Bowling Hall of Fame.