## Kenneth "Ken" Spencer

## Driver

Ken Spencer's racing career spanned the dirt racing surfaces of the 1950's and the paved tracks of the 1960's. Ken cut his teeth racing at Oxford Plains Speedway on the dirt half-mile in an old Ford coupe. Even though he was a consistent top ten finisher on the dirt, it was the asphalt surface where Ken found victory lane. His only win at Oxford Plains was in October 1965. But, the following year, Ken would call a brand-new speedway his second "home track" – Speedway 95. Ken won the inaugural race at Speedway 95 on Sunday, July 3, 1966. Over the next two and a half years, Ken won nearly thirty races and two track championships (1966-67) at the new track. Ken retired from racing following the 1969 season to spend more time with his growing family. However, he came out of retirement at the age of 70 and raced in six races in a four-cylinder car at Oxford Plains. Ken and wife Margarite live in Sabattus.

