



Tomie "Sammy" Burleson

March 17, 1934 - March 17, 2010

Mr. Tomie "Sammy" Burleson, age 76 of Gaylesville, passed away Wednesday, March 17th, at Cherokee Medical Center. Funeral services will be 2:PM Friday, March 19th at Mt. Zion Independent Church in the Rhinehart community with Bro. Derek Roberts and Bro. Freddie Waldrop officiating. Burial will follow in the adjoining cemetery. The family will receive friends from 6 until 8:PM Thursday, at the funeral home. Pallbearers will include Brian Tallent, Chris Burleson, Tyler Buckner, Seth Dawson, Derrick Blevins and Cody Ballenger. Survivors include his wife, Shelba Upton Burleson; Son, Jeff (Connie) Burleson of Gaylesville; Daughter, Sheila Burleson of Gaylesville; Step-daughters, Pam Hodges of Orlanda, Fl., Marsha (Ray) Ballenger of Cloudland, Felicia (James) Gray of Henegar and Malena Maxwell of Ft. Payne; Sisters, Doris Lankford of Ohio, Ann Woodall of Cedar Bluff, Mary Helen Edwards of Kennasaw, Ga. and Peggy Tuley of Kennasaw, Ga.; 8 Grandchildren, 6 Great grandchildren & several Nieces and Nephews. Mr. Burleson was a native of Winfield, AL, the son of the late Walden A. & Lillis Aldridge Burleson was an army veteran and was a retired logger.

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“ *My deepest sympathy for the family.He was a friend and a fellow logger.He will be missed.May he rest in peace!!*

J.R.Hardin - March 19, 2010 at 12:00 AM