

Derald Ashe

Robert Derald Ashe, 70, of Franklin, died Thursday, October 12, in W.N.C. Sanatorium, Black Mountain, after an extended illness. He was a native of Macon County, a son of the late Isaac and Frances Bell Ashe, and was married to the former Miss Ada Seay who survives.

He was a former policeman of Franklin and sheriff of Macon County.

Funeral services were held Saturday, October 14, in First United Methodist Church, of which he was a member. Officiating ministers were the Rev. Robin Hurley, pastor, and the Rev. Doug Sturgill and pallbearers were Harold Barrett, Gene McHan, Jim Hauser, Bruce Bryant, Bill Bryant, and Tom Henson.

Surviving in addition to the wife, is a daughter, Mrs. Roy Pendergrass of Fontana Dam; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Bell Mashburn, Mrs. Irene Barnes, and Mrs. Myrtle Angel, all of Portland, Ore.; a grandson, Tpr. R. L. Pendergrass, of Waynesville, and two great-grandchildren.

Arrangements were under the direction of Bryant Funeral Home.

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