

Fred L. Crisp

Fred L. Crisp, Sr., 80, of the Windy Gap Community, died unexpectedly Wednesday, July 3, in Angel Community Hospital. He was a native of Swain County and was married to the late HESSIE Grant Crisp who died in 1952. He was a retired farmer and was a member of Farney Creek Baptist Church in Swain County. He was a veteran of World War I.

Surviving are four sons, Troy L. Crisp, Sr., Fred L. Crisp, Jr., Eugene Crisp and Douglas Crisp, all of Franklin; six daughters, Mrs. Hazel Hylton, of Andrews, Mrs. Blanche Younce, Mrs. Marie Smith, Mrs. Gladys Gibson, Joyce Jones and Mrs. Shirley Hodgins, all of Franklin; two brothers, Lawrence Crisp, of Bryson City, and Lonnie Crisp, of Lowell; a half-brother, Richard Crisp, of Whittier; a half-sister, Mrs. Tom Massey, of Waynesville; 28 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 6, at Sawmill Hill Free Baptist Church and burial was in the church cemetery. Officiating ministers were the Revs. Grady Norman, Bert Crawford and John Freeman and members of V.F.W. Post #108 served as pallbearers.

Bryant Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.