

Esther Carpenter Dills

Esther Carpenter Dills, 95, of Crusher Run Road, Rabun Gap, Ga., passed away Wednesday, April 27, 2005, at her home.

Born in Rabun County, she was the daughter of the late James David and Ida Kell Carpenter. She was married to the late Arthur F. Dills. She was preceded in death by six brothers, Tom, Jesse Lee, Carl, Lawrence, Fred and John Carpenter; a sister, Evelyn Cannon; and three grandchildren, Kenny Lee McCoy, Lee Dills and Brandy Watson.

She was a homemaker and a member of the Head of Tennessee Baptist Church in Dillard, Ga.

She is survived by a son, Horace Dills of Rabun Gap; three daughters, Doris McCoy of Tiger, Ga., Martha Long of Otto and Bernice Wood of Madisonville, Tenn.; a brother, Marlor Carpenter of Chatsworth, Ga.; a sister, Marjorie Robinson of Wiley, Ga.; 32 grandchildren; 53 great-grandchildren; and 11 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Friday, April 29, at 1 p.m., at the Head of Tennessee Baptist Church. Rev. Bobby Cloer, Rev. Forman Bradley and Rev. Mike McConnell will officiate.

Burial will be in the church cemetery.

The family received friends Thursday, April 28, from 6 to 8 p.m., at Hunter Funeral Home.

The family is at the home of grandson Jerry Dills on Dills Lane, Rabun Gap.

Hunter Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.
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