

Richard Douglas Green

A retired U.S. Army officer

Richard Douglas Green, 51, of Haw River, formerly of Franklin, died Tuesday, Dec. 17.

A native of Macon County, he was the son of Nelle Bingham Green and the late Clinton "Buster" Green. He retired after 22 years from the U.S. Army where he was Sergeant 1st Class. He was a member of the American Legion Post 5000 in Cusseta, Ga., and was active in the Burlington American Legion. He was a member of Louisa Chapel Methodist Church.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his wife, Jo Dana Green of the home; a daughter, Shelia Terry of Burlington; a son, Matthew Modlin of Canton; three brothers, Tommy Green and Roy Green, both of Franklin, Troy Green of Fort Mitchell, Ala.; a sister, Shirley Weekley of Fruitland Park, Fla.; three grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Dec. 20, at Louisa Chapel Methodist Church. Rev. Andy Cloer and Rev. Mike Bias will officiate. Burial will be in the Louisa Chapel Methodist Church Cemetery with military graveside rites conducted by the VFW Post 7339 and American Legion Post 108.

Palibearers will be Bobby Green, Jerry Green, Steve Passmore, Van Rogers, Brownlow Green and Teddic Stepp.

Memorials may be made to the Louisa Chapel Methodist Church Cemetery Fund, c/o Donnie Wallace, 477 Louisa Chapel Road, Franklin, NC 28734.

Macon Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.