

Richard C. Hair, 73, of Franklin, passed away Wednesday, April 16, 2008.

Born in Winona, W.Va., he was the son of the late Raleigh and Irma Painter Hair. In addition, Richard was preceded in death by a daughter, Martha Mae Hair.

Richard was a U.S. Air Force veteran of the Korean conflict. He was a school bus driver for Fayette County Schools, Virginia. Richard was a member of First Pentecost Assembly of God; a minister, and was active in nursing home ministry.

He is survived by his wife, Janet Strout Hair; one daughter, Linda Mitchell and husband Steve of Shelby; one son, Roy Hair and wife Claudia of Gastonia; three sisters, Leona Fisher of New Mexico, Patricia Brook of Virginia, and Mary Turnbough of Tennessee; one brother, Wilber Hair of Texas; five grandchildren, five great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A funeral service was held at 2 p.m., Sunday, April 20, in the Chapel of Macon Funeral Home, with Rev. George Patterson officiating.

Burial was in the Woodlawn Cemetery. Jonathan Deese, Michael Hair, Kevin Frazier, Joe Marsh, Ray White, and Robert Quick served as pallbearers.

The family received friends from 6 to 8 p.m., Saturday, April 19, at the funeral home.

Online condolences are available by visiting www.maconfuneralhome.com.

The Franklin Press, 23 April 2008