

Roger Dean Holland, 78, of Mountain City, died Tuesday, July 15, 2008, at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Asheville, N.C.

He was born in Macon County, N.C., to Thomas Luther and Octie Jane Tilton Holland. He worked in the construction industry. He was a member of Sugar Fork Baptist Church in Franklin, N.C.

He was preceded in death by seven brothers and three sisters.

Survivors include: his wife, Betty Sue McDowell Holland of Mountain City; two sons, Thomas Daniel Holland of Franklin and Dean Holland of Covington; a daughter, Linda Sue Robinson of Mountain City; a sister, Joyce Evans of Kansas City, Mo.; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

The body has been cremated. A memorial service was held Saturday in Franklin. An online guestbook is available at hunterfuneralhomega.com.

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