

J. R. (Bob) Hurst

James Robert (Bob) Hurst, age 51, of Wadesboro, died unexpectedly Sunday afternoon, July 6, in a Wadesboro hospital. Mr. Hurst was the son of the late Horace and Mary Lou Gray Hurst, of Macon County. He was a graduate of N. C. State College and was a veteran of World War II. For several years he was co-owner of the Early-Hurst Farm Service Company in Wadesboro, dealers in farm equipment.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are two daughters, Mary Bryan and Mildred Joe Hurst, and one son, James Robert Hurst, Jr., all of the home; four sisters, Mrs. Lawrence Haft, of Monroesville, Pa., Mrs. Marshall Harkins, of California, Mrs. Jerome Beard, of Lenoir, and Mrs. Peter M. Bosco, of McLean, Va.; one brother, Carter Hurst, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 11 a.m. in the First United Methodist Church in Wadesboro, the Rev. Ernest D. Page, pastor officiating, and graveside rites were conducted at Lakeside Cemetery, Lake Toxaway.

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