

## **Preston 'Bud' R.L. Matheson**

Preston "Bud" R.L. Matheson, 67, of Williamston, S.C., died Thursday, May 24, 2004, at Greenville Memorial Hospital.

He was born May 3, 1937, in Murphy, N.C., to Ruth Byers Matheson and the late Earl Lee Matheson. He was self-employed and attended Trinity Baptist Church until he became disabled.

He was preceded in death by a brother, James Eugene Matheson.

Survivors include: his wife, Sylvia Hudson Matheson of Williamston, S.C.; a son, Max D. Matheson of Williamston, S.C.; a daughter, Kathie Matheson Eckerson of Williamston, S.C.; his mother, Ruth Matheson of Greenville, S.C.; three sisters, Linda Taylor of Piedmont, S.C., Sandra Langston of Roebuck, S.C., and Wanda Jenkins of Liberty, S.C.; a brother, Early Matheson of Florida; and two grandchildren, Nick Eckerson and Lauren Eckerson.

Memorial services were held Sunday at Williamston First Baptist Church with the Revs. Brad Bardin and David Cox officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Williamston First Baptist Child Care Center, P.O. Box 477, Williamston, SC 29697.

Gray Mortuary, Pelzer, S.C., was in charge of arrangements.

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