

Dorothy Garland McKay, 72, of Tiger, died Sunday, April 3, 2005, at her home.

She was born Dec. 3, 1932, in Rabun County to Sanford and Belle Ledbetter Garland. She worked as a seamstress in the textile industry and was a homemaker. She was a member of the Wolfork Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Bud Effeard McKay; five brothers, D.L. Garland, J.L. Garland, Earl Garland, Cecil Garland and Claude Garland; four sisters, Vassie Fountain, Jessie Taylor, Dessie Worley and Bernice Gibson; and a grandson, Robert Luther Turpin.

Survivors include: three sons and two daughters-in-law, Russell Wayne McKay of Rabun Gap, Bud Howard and Betty McKay of Tiger and Randy Howard and Tonya McKay of Lakemont; a daughter and son-in-law, Sandra Jean and Bob Turpin of Mountain City; a brother and sister-in-law, O.S. and Olean Garland of Rabun Gap; and five grandchildren, Dana McKay, Shamra McKay, Dalton McKay, Crystal McKay and Bud Olan McKay.

Funeral services were held April 6 at Wolfork Baptist Church with the Rev. Bud McKay and layman Lloyd Hunter officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Hunter Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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