

Mrs. Pennington

Katherine Hall Pennington, 80, of Franklin, died Wednesday, July 4, in a retirement home in Tiger, Ga.

A native of Franklin, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Tolvin Hall. She was the owner of Alpine Cottages, where she was a hostess and arranged entertainment.

She helped in the organization of Belleview Community, and was very involved in the growth of the tourism industry for Franklin. She was a lifelong member of Franklin Chamber of Commerce, and served as the hostess for the first annual Macon County Gem Show, held more than 35 years ago.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Clyde Pennington; and her daughter, Ann Pennington Martin.

She is survived by three sisters, Alice Lyons of Pfafftown, Lucille Jones of Mooresville and Lura Chaney of Oklahoma City, Okla.; a brother, James Hall of Sylva and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 7, in the chapel of Macon Funeral Home. Rev. Steve Reeves officiated. Burial was in the Holly Springs Baptist Church Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Jonathan Hall, Parrish Young, Mark Young, Keith Lyons, Jim Pennington and Eddie Jones.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 1599 Clifton Road, NE, Atlanta, Ga. 30329.

Macon Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.