



James Leon Heard

October 15, 1926 - June 29, 2005

James Leon Heard, 78, of Wall-Triana Hwy., Ardmore, AL, died Wednesday, June 29, 2005, at Huntsville Hospital. Funeral Services were held Saturday, July 2, at 11 a.m. at Ardmore Memorial Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Jeff Ambrester and Bro. Greg Morrow officiating. Burial was in the Ready Cemetery with Ardmore Memorial Funeral Home in charge. Pallbearers were Dwight Satterfield, Marty Satterfield, Gary Heard, John Farrer, Bobby Satterfield, Ronald Heard, Randy Billions, Richard Billions and Stanley Moore. Honorary pallbearers were members of the Bobo Volunteer Fire Department. James Heard was born October 15, 1926, in Madison County, AL, to Benjamin Franklin and Mary Ruth (Hines) Heard. He was of the Baptist faith and lived in this area most of his life. He was a volunteer with the Bobo Fire Department for many years. He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Razalee Brown Heard; a daughter, Deborah Heard; granddaughter, Sabrina Messer; two brothers and two sisters. Survivors include daughters, Patricia Ann Farrer of Trinity, AL, and Donna Messer of Decatur, AL; one brother, Benjamin Franklin Heard, Jr. of Ardmore, AL; sisters, Hazel Satterfield, Wilma Martin and Ola Kennedy all of Ardmore, AL, Gertrude Billions of Toney, AL, and Yvonne McDonald of Decatur, AL; seven grandchildren; three great-grandchildren.