



Joseph Walton

October 15, 1919 - February 21, 2011

Joseph C. Walton, 91, of Shackelfords and Mattaponi, VA., died Monday, February 21, 2011. Joe retired from Chesapeake Corporation as a machine tender after many years of service. He enjoyed farming, hunting, trapping and traveling, but most of all he loved dancing. Joe was a family man enjoying time spent with family and friends. He was a beloved husband, father and grandfather. Joe was preceded in death by his parents Callie and Maggie Walton, his first wife, Christine Booker Walton; a twin brother, Eugene T. Walton, sisters, Grace W. Lawson and Inez W. Kemp. He is survived by his wife, Frances Walton; a son, Dave Walton (Jo Ann); a daughter, Elaine McDuff (Pete); a step-daughter, Cathy Brooks; a grandson, Eric Lee; step-grandchildren, David Dean (Nikki), Robert Brooks; a great-grandson, William Dean; sisters, Thelma Seward, Jeanette Carlton; a brother, Franklin Carlton; a cousin, Nettie Lee Oliver; sisters-in-law, Shirley Walton and Claudine Owen; brothers-in-law, Sonny Booker and Dr. Jack Garland. A funeral service will be held 2 p.m. Thursday, February 24th at Poroporone Baptist Church, Shackelfords, VA. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends Wednesday 6 to 8 p.m. at Vincent Funeral Home, 417 11th Street, West Point, VA. Memorials may be made to Poroporone Baptist Church, Box 400, Shackelfords, VA, 23156.