



James Layton Holley

February 21, 1925 - September 27, 2011

Mr. James Layton Holley passed away Tuesday morning, September 27, 2011, at St. Thomas Hospital in Nashville.

He was a charter member of the St. Andrews Memorial United Methodist Church, served two terms as active board member for the Giles County Senior Citizens Center, and 86 years old.

A graduate of Beech Hill High School, Martin Methodist College, and MTSU, Mr. Holley also taught and coached at Rose hill, Minor Hill, Prospect, Bodenham, and Lewis County. He was a principal at Prospect and Lewis County High Schools. He was the School Superintendent of the Giles County School System from 1976 until 1984.

Visitation will be 4 o'clock until 8 o'clock Wednesday, September 28, 2011, at Bennett-May-Giles County Funeral Home.

Funeral service will be 2 o'clock Thursday, September 29, 2011, in the chapel of Bennett-May-Giles County Funeral Home with Rev. Moses Han officiating. Burial will follow in Maplewood Cemetery.

The family suggest memorial donations be made to the St. Andrews Memorial United Church Building Fund. 831 Mill St. Pulaski, Tn. 38478

He was preceded in death by his parents J. Rivers and Ollie Mae Blackwell

Holley, sister Opal Holley Redd, along with his wife of 53 years Dorothy Marie Holley.

He is survived by his son Roger Holley and wife Susan of Pulaski. Four grandchildren, Megan Holley Taylor and husband Lee of Flintville, Tn. Max Holley, Marshall Holley, and Mason Holley.

Great-Grandchildren, Justin Alexander Taylor, Timothy Nicholas Taylor, and Kaydance Grace Holley. Nieces Carolyn Smith, Latricia Phillips, Elaine Dunnavant, and Darlene Wilkerson. Nephews Walter Redd, Delbert Redd, Charles W. Greenway, Jr., Loyd Franklin Greenway. Numerous cousins also survive.

Bennett-May-Giles County Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements for James Layton Holley.