

Dallas Foster Maxwell Obt.

COOKEVILLE -- Funeral services for **Dallas Foster Maxwell**, 83, of Cookeville will be held Thursday, Feb. 6, at 1 p.m. from the Baxter chapel of Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home. Burial will be in Maxwell Cemetery North in Baxter.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home today, Feb. 5, from 4-9 p.m. and tomorrow, Feb. 6, from 11 a.m. until time of the services.

Mr. Maxwell died Tuesday, Feb. 4, 2003, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

He was born Jan. 23, 1920, in Putnam County to the late William Robert and Phoebe Kansas Neal Maxwell.

He was employed by Wilson Sporting Goods of Cookeville for 34 years and served as the plant manager for 20 years. He was a member and elder for many years of the previous Lee Seminary Cumberland Presbyterian Church. In 1980, Mr. Maxwell served as a founding member of Christ's Community Church, located on West Jackson Street in Cookeville. He was an active member of that church until his death. He enjoyed attending church, working on the farm and watching sports of all kinds. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, serving as a sergeant.

His family includes his wife of 61 years, Lucy Irene Willhite Maxwell of Cookeville; three sons and daughters-in-law, Melvin and Mary Maxwell and Terry and Helen Maxwell, all of Cookeville, and Dale and Barbara Maxwell of Lebanon; two daughters and sons-in-law, Janice and Dennis Tennant of Cookeville and Kimberly and Bobby Maxwell of Douglasville, Ga.; two brothers and sisters-in-law, Robert and Betty Maxwell of Baxter and Harry and Pat Maxwell of Cookeville; a sister and brother-in-law, Alda and Jere Pippin of Warren, Mich.; eight grandchildren, Sherry Wheaton-Scott, D.D. Tennant, Kathy Jo Prater and Karen Maxwell, all of Cookeville, Enitra Overstreet of Nashville, Kevin Maxwell of Atlanta and Chad and Brett Maxwell of Douglasville, Ga.; seven great-grandchildren, Maxwell Wheaton, Alexis Reagan, Emily Prater, Taylor and Alex Overstreet and Alexis and Chandra Sawyer.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by seven brothers, Oron, Hillard, Willard, Everett, Arnold, Alvin and James Lyndon Maxwell.

Pallbearers will be D.D. Tennant, Kevin, Chad and Brett Maxwell, Ronnie Overstreet, Billy Scott and John Sawyer. Honorary pallbearers will be Zina Mitchell, Vestel Jaquess, Charlie Masters, Steve Forgey and John Wells.

Paster Ed Malone of Christ Community Church will officiate the services.

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