

Howard Maxwell Obt.

COOKEVILLE -- Funeral services for Howard Edward Maxwell, 98, of Cookeville, will be held Friday, Dec. 22, at 11 a.m. in the Cookeville chapel of Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home. Burial will be in Crest Lawn Memorial Cemetery.

Family will receive friends today, Thursday, Dec. 21, from 5-8 p.m., and Friday, Dec. 22, from 9 a.m. until time of services at the funeral home.

Mr. Maxwell died Wednesday, Dec. 20, 2006, at his residence.

He was born July 22, 1908, in Putnam County to the late Alfred and Mattie Mitchell Maxwell.

Mr. Maxwell was a member of Cookeville Free Will Baptist Church. He was a retired carpenter with Arnold Lacy & Sons Contractors. He married his wife of 78 years, Della Whittaker Maxwell of Cookeville, on June 17, 1929, in Putnam County.

In addition to his wife, his family includes two brothers and a sister-in-law, Junior Maxwell of Baxter and Clay and Beulah Maxwell of Cookeville; a sister, Thelma Bussell of Baxter; two grandchildren, Elayne Farley Montgomery and Douglas E. Farley, both of Cookeville; five great-grandchildren, Lora Montgomery, Carrie Montgomery White and Robert, Michael and Mark Farley; two great-great-grandchildren, Chandler and Logan White; and a host of nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Maxwell was preceded in death by a daughter, Vada Farley Burton; two sisters, Allie Saylor and Hazel Webb; and two brothers, Hollie and Clifford Maxwell.

Family and friends will serve as pallbearers.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society by contacting the funeral home.

Revs. Carson Whiteaker, Arvil Lee and Sterl Paramore will officiate the services.

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