



## Willard Gibson

January 13, 1919 - December 13, 2010

Willard Wesley Gibson, 91, of 172 McNeely Lane, died on Monday, December 13, 2010 at Riverside Health Care after being in declining health for the past five years. Mr. Gibson was born in Pittsylvania County, on January 13, 1919 the son to the late Charlie Gibson and the late Molly Mae Adkins Gibson. He spent all of his life in Pittsylvania County where he worked for Commodore Corporation as a road service technician until his retirement, after 30 years of service. He was a member of Laurel Grove Baptist Church. On November 4, 1965 he married Oleta S. Bedsaul Gibson, who survives of the residence. In addition to his wife, Mr. Gibson is also survived by, three daughters, Pamela G. Alexander, of Greensboro, NC, Patricia G. Holt, of Winterville, NC, and Shirley B. Wagner, of King George, VA; two sons, Ernest L. Bedsaul, of Fayetteville, GA, and Ohlen Bedsaul, of Keeling, VA; three sisters, Bernice G. Bailey, of Ringgold, VA, Oliva G. Hubbard, of Jacksonville, FL, and Alene G. Miller, of Miami, FL; sixteen grandchildren, twenty-five great grandchildren, and three great great grandchildren. He was predeceased by five brothers, C.W. Gibson, Luther Gibson, Munsey Gibson, Archie Gibson, and Gossie Gibson; and two sisters, Estelle G. Shelton, and Gladys G. Adkins. A graveside service will be conducted on Thursday, December 16, 2010 at 3:00 p.m. at Laurel Grove Baptist Church Cemetery with the Reverend Carl E. Burger officiating. The family will be at the residence, 172 McNeely Lane, Sutherlin, VA 24594. In lieu of flowers the family suggests that memorial donations be made to the Laurel Grove Fire and Rescue at P.O. Box 26,

Sutherlin, VA 24594 or to a charity of your choice. Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel is respectfully serving the Gibson family.