



## *Ralph Owen Miller*

**Dec. 17, 1928 - Feb. 13, 2006**

Ralph Owen Miller, 77, of Benfield Landing Rd., Nebo, NC, the Lake James Community, died Monday, February 13, 2006 at his residence following a lengthy illness. He was born December 17, 1928 in Burke County, NC and was a son of the late William Cameron Miller and Etta Benfield Miller. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by brothers, Albert, Andrew, Mike, Ray, and Carrie Miller; and sisters, Gladys Whisnant, Pauline Whisnant, and Gwendolyn Pitts. Ralph was a US Army veteran of the Korean War, and a lifetime member of the DAV and VFW Post 5362.

Surviving are his wife, Nina Carpenter Miller, of the home; a son and his wife, Cameron and Amy Miller of the Lake James community; daughters, June Miller Brown of Hattiesburg, MS, Janet Miller Pollard and her husband, Samuel, of Morganton, and Joan Miller Arrowood, of Sparta, NC; a brother and his wife, Robert E. and Charlie Miller, of Morganton; a sister, Emma Sue Copeland, of Drexel, NC; 6 grandchildren; and 6 great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, February 16, 2006, in the Colonial Chapel of Sossoman Funeral Home. The family will receive friends Thursday from 1:00 until 2:00 pm at the funeral home. At other times, the family will be at the home, 5962 Benfield Landing Rd., Nebo. Memorial contributions may be made to Burke Hospice and Palliative Care, Inc., 1721 Enon Rd., Valdese, NC 28690.

# Tribute Wall

No tributes added yet.