

Sandford "Sandy" Willis, 68, of Waynesville, died Monday, July 16, 2007, at Southeast Georgia Health System, Brunswick Campus.

A native of Franklin, he had previously lived at Lake Blackshear for 22 years, and Glynn County for the past 15 years. He was retired from Georgia Power Company with 36 years of service, and was the former mayor of Unadilla.

He was a member of the Horse Fly Hunting Club, member and chairman of the Board of Directors at Horse Stamp United Methodist Church, and was an avid hunter and fisherman.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Bennie and Tommie Willis.

Survivors include his wife, Cathy Willis, of Waynesville; four children, Bennie Willis, of Lake Blackshear, Blake Willis, of Waynesville, Tony Ray Edmondson, of Hampton and Sandra Brinson, of Perry; a sister, Mary Jane Filoso, of St. Marys; and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, July 18, 2007 from the King Memorial Baptist Church in Waynesville with the Rev. Guy Mathis and the Rev. Elliott Foss officiating. Burial to follow at Homeward Cemetery in Waverly.

Visitation was held from 6-7 p.m. Tuesday, July 17, at Chapman Funeral Chapel in Brunswick.

Pallbearers were Howard Martin, Doug Goode, C. W. Hunnewell, Wayne Walson, Greg Brown, Mack Burgess, Lynn Drury and William Hunnewell.

The family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to the American Cancer Society.