

Smylie Coleman

Services for Smylie Coleman of Hazlehurst are 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 3, at Galilee A.M.E. Church in Caseyville with burial in the church cemetery. Visitation will be from noon to 7 p.m. today with a friends and family hour to follow from 7-8 p.m.

Coleman, 94, died Dec. 28, 1991, at his residence. A Jefferson County native and son of the late Henry Coleman and Dora Coleman, he was a farmer, logger and retired public worker. He was pastor, trustee, steward and class leader at Galilee A.M.E. Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Jo Anna Coleman; and daughter, Rosie Bell Coleman.

Survivors include: sons, Daniel Coleman, Smylie Coleman, Elmer Coleman and Willie P. Coleman, all of Milwaukee; daughters, Ada M. Williams and Dorothy N. Tyler, both of Milwaukee, Lue Dora Ball of Fayetteville, N.C., Jurlean Thomas of Sacramento, Calif., Dorcas M. Thompson of Brookhaven; brothers, Henry Coleman of Brookhaven, Woodrow Coleman of Goodman; sister, Dorcas E. Williams of Columbia; and many grandchildren, nieces and nephews.