

January 18, 2012

Jacob "Jake" Parsons Sr.

Jacob "Jake" Parsons Sr., 76, of Malden passed away Monday, January 16, 2012, at CAMC Memorial Hospital.

Jake was born December 10, 1935, in Harmony, the son of the late Benjamin F. and Martha O. Rhodes Parsons. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Joyce Parsons; sister, Dorothy Canterbury; and brother, Vonnice Parsons.

He was retired from West Virginia Office Products, and was a lifetime member of Malden Volunteer Fire Department.

He is survived by his children, Brenda (Jon) Goodall, Diane (Greg) Reese, Gale (Mike) Roberts, Joe Parsons, Terry (Diane) Parsons, Robert Parsons and Tim (Cindy) Parsons; grandchildren, Jeremy Parsons, Jason Parsons, Jessica Reese, John Reese, Jelyssa Parsons, Joshua Reese, Jana Goodall, Katrina Mertz, Dustin Parsons, Meredith Parsons, Amber Parsons and Bryce Parsons; great-grandchildren, Lyric and Draidyn Goodall; sister, Emilee Holstein; and brother, Jimmy Parsons.

The funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, January 19, at Stevens & Grass Funeral Home, Malden with Pastor Greg Reese officiating. The committal service will be held at 2 p.m. in Rhodes Cemetery, Harmony.

Family and friends will gather for the visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, January 18, at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations, in honor of Jake, to Malden Volunteer Fire Department, 3924 Malden Drive, Malden, WV 25306; or, to a charity of your choice.

The online guestbook for Jacob "Jake" Parsons Sr. may be accessed at www.stevensandgrass.com.