



## Robert C. Parker

July 5, 1929 - May 31, 2011

Robert C. "Punkin" Parker, 81, of Laurel died Tuesday, May 31, 2011 at South Central Regional Medical Center in Laurel. Funeral services will be held at 10 am Thursday, June 2, 2011 at Memory Chapel with burial in Palestine Cemetery. Revs. Nonnie Jefcoat and James Balliet will officiate. He was retired from Mengles and was a member of Plainway Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank Parker and Lula Sumrall Parker; son, Jeff Parker and grandson, John Parker. Survivors include wife, Edna Parker of Laurel; two sons, Kenneth McElhenney and wife Kathy of Laurel and Jarvis McElhenney and wife Paula of Laurel; two daughters, Jocelyn Peters and husband Wayne of Pensacola, FL and Brenda Craft and husband Vernon of Raleigh; 16 grandchildren; 13 great grandchildren. Pallbearers will be Aieron Cooley, Tommy Segrest, Marcus Kelley, Douglas Kelley, Chris Taylor, and Brandon McElhenney. Visitation will be held from 5 until 9 pm Wednesday, June 1, at Memory Chapel of Laurel which is in charge of the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Punkin Parker was a wonderful dad and I know that he is walking with Jesus on the streets of gold. Although greatly missed I know that God's choir is sounding even sweeter with a fiddle player tonight.*

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**Brenda Craft** - June 05, 2011 at 04:42 PM

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“ *punkin parker took the step out of stepfather. he loved all of his childern and grandchildern with all of his body and soul. he will be missed by all that knew him love kenneth and kathryn mcelhenney*

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**kenneth mcelhenney** - June 02, 2011 at 07:14 PM