

*In Loving Memory
Of
Aaron Chester Strickland*



*Sunrise August 1, 1932
Mount Airy, NC*

*Sunset May 8, 2011
Dobson, NC*

*Kings Mountain View
Progressive Primitive Baptist Church
1020 Shuff Rd. Westfield, NC 27053*

*Elder Henry Wright /Officiating
Elder James R. Strickland, Pastor/Eulogist*

*Interment
Strickland Family Cemetery
Mount Airy, NC*

Order of Service

Earth's Final Glimpse	11a.m. until 12 noon
Words of Comfort	Elder Henry Wright
Invocation	Guest Minister
Selection	Kings Mtn. View Choir
Scripture	
Old Testament	Elder Caroline George
New Testament	Guest Minister
Selection	Kings Mtn. View Choir
Obituary/Acknowledgements	
Church Resolution	Sister Eunice Jessup
Selection	Kings Mtn. View Choir
Eulogy	Elder James R. Strickland
Recessional	Congregation Standing
Repast	KMV Fellowship Hall
Committal/Benediction	Elder James R. Strickland
Interment	Strickland Family Cemetery

Flower Bearers
Nieces

Casket Bearers
Army National Guard

Obituary

Aaron Chester Strickland of 151 Barbara Avenue Mount Airy, NC 27030 was called to his Heavenly home from the Joan and Howard Woltz Hospice Home, Dobson, NC on Sunday May 8, 2011. He was born to the late Florence Fralin and Chester Strickland in Surry County.

Aaron was retired MSGT of the United States Air Force and was a Vietnam Veteran. He attended Surry Community College and attained several degrees in automotives, detailing, horticulture, plumbing and light weight construction. He was a faithful member of the Kings Mountain View Progressive Primitive Baptist Church and served as a Trustee and sang in the Senior Choir, Male Chorus and the Inspirational Choir. His hobbies were golfing, bowling, horticulture, fishing and restoring old cars.

He was preceded in death by one brother: Thomas Strickland, and two sisters: Adie Nora Strickland, and Vella Marie Whitlock.

He is survived by three children Aaron Chester Strickland Jr. wife (Kimberly) of Salisbury NC, Angela Strickland of Cary NC, and Helen Denise Sawyers husband (Calvin) of Mount Airy NC; four grandchildren: Sedalia Strickland, Kado Strickland, Catherine Sawyers, and Jessica Sawyers. He leaves four brothers: James R. Strickland wife (Jennie Bell) of Mount Airy, George W. Strickland and wife (Connie) of Detroit MI, Joe L. Strickland and wife (Mary) of Detroit MI, and John D. Strickland of Arizona. Three sisters: Levolia Tumpkin, Helen Taylor both of MI, and Sadie George of Mount Airy, NC. One aunt: Beatrice Flippin of New York, and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

The Broken Chord

We little knew that morning, that God
Was going to call your name.
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we do the same.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
You did not go alone
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.
You left us peaceful memories,
Your love is still our guide:
And though we cannot see you,
You are always by our side.
Our family chain is broken,
And nothing seems the same:
But as God calls us, one by one,
The Chain will link again.

Acknowledgements

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thanks to each and everyone for the support and
kindness extended during this difficult time.

The Aaron C. Strickland Family

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Airy and the Joan and Howard Woltz Hospice Home of
Dobson, NC

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