

# James Fred McCory

Occupant Name: James Fred McCory

Location: **Section Y, Lot 15**

Date of Birth: 4/19/1909

Date of Death: 12/26/1978

Date of Burial: 12/28/1978

Veteran: Yes

Lot Owner: Fred McCory

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:

## James Fred McCory

Rev. James Fred "Shike" McCory, 69, of Brownstown Rt. 1, died at 12:15 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 26, at the Jackson County Hospital.

A native and lifelong resident of Jackson County, he was born April 19, 1909, to the late Thomas and Lola Butler McCory. On June 1, 1929, he married the former Nancy Lee Cockerham, who survives.

Involved in farming all his life, Rev. McCory retired in 1971 from Kieffer Paper Mill. He served as pastor of the Easyville Pentecostal Church for seven years and at the time of his death was pastor of the Freetown Pentecostal Church of Jesus Christ. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors in addition to the widow include three sons, Neal McCory of Brownstown Rt. 1, James, also of Brownstown Rt. 1, and Jerry McCory of Columbus Rt. 3; three sisters, Mrs. Frank (Barbara) Bennett and Mrs. Phillip (Joan) Elders, both of Indianapolis, and Mrs. Glen (Ronda) Skaggs, of Brownstown Rt. 1; four brothers, Foster, Myrel, and Cyrus Cresson, all of Brownstown, and Melvin, of Harrisburg, Pa.; two sisters, Mrs. J.C. (Vesta) Allman of Brownstown Rt. 1, and Mrs. George (LaVada) Hughes of Bedford; 18 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. One daughter preceded him in death.

Funeral services for Rev. McCory will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday from the Winklepleck-Weesner Funeral Home. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Friends may call after 1 p.m. today, Wednesday, Dec. 27, at the Winklepleck-Weesner Funeral Home in Brownstown.

