



## Billie Gene Henstley

April 25, 1936 - December 11, 2009

Billie Gene Henstley, 73, of Bald Knob, died Friday, December 11, 2009 in Searcy. He was born April 25, 1936 in Bald Knob. He was a retired pipeliner and an avid outdoorsman who especially loved to rabbit hunt.

He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Lucy Henstley; a daughter, Lola Kimbler of Bald Knob; 2 brothers, Les Henstley of Bald Knob and Wayne Hickmon of Oklahoma; sister, Laura Mae Newell of Little Rock; grandchildren, Billie Wayne Henstley and Kyle Kimbler both of Bald Knob.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Will and Bertha Hibbens.

Visitation will be on Sunday from 2 - 4 p.m. at Powell Funeral Home in Bald Knob. Services will be held on Monday, December 14, 2009 at 2:00 p.m. at the Velvet Ridge Church of Christ with Dewayne Warden officiating. Interment will follow in the Velvet Ridge Cemetery by Powell Funeral Home, Bald Knob-Judsonia. [www.powellfuneralhome.net](http://www.powellfuneralhome.net).