

James Fitzsimmons

October 28, 1914 – June 23, 1993

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JAMES T. FIZESIMMONS

James Thomas Fitzsimmons, 78, of Madams Creek, died at 3 a.m. Wed. June 23, 1993, in a Hinton hospital following a short illness.

Born Oct. 28, 1914, at Hinton, he was the son of the late William R. and Lydia Ann Matteson Fitzsimmons.

A lifelong Hinton resident, Mr. Fitzsimmons was a retired electrician for the C&O Railway Company with 30 years of service. He was a member of the Ascension Episcopal Church, Hinton, and attended the Hinton United Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Sara Parker Fitzsimmons, in May 1977 and a twin brother, William Fitzsimmons.

Survivors include his wife, Esther Bennett Reed Fitzsimmons; two sons, Thomas Parker Fitzsimmons of Hilldale and James R. Fitzsimmons of Hesperia, Calif.; a stepdaughter, Sandi Raines of Dayton, Oh.; a grandson, Thomas Saunders Fitzsimmons; a stepgrandson, Christopher Reed Raines; two granddaughters, Sara Fern Fitzsimmons and Monica Jane Fitzsimmons; a stepgranddaughter, Amy Leigh Raines and one great-grandchild.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sat. June 26 at Hinton United Methodist Church with the Revs. Eileen Schneider and Herbert Ellison officiating. Burial followed in the Hilltop Cemetery, Hinton.

The body was at the Pivont Funeral Home and at the church on Sat.

Pallbearers were Charles J. and Charles W. Saunders, Carl Bennett, Jerry Cole, Donnie Reed, Billy Don Farley, Dr. Steve Richman, Dr. Bill Matthews, Mark Meador, Tom Hutchinson and Eddie Cales.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the John Wesley Bible Class.

Arrangements by Pivont Funeral Home, Hinton.