

William Ballard “Sonny” Dean

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William Dean

HINTON — William (Sonny) Dean, 54, of Hinton, a retired chief petty officer with the U. S. Navy with 18 years service, died Tuesday at the Veterans Hospital in Lexington, Ky.

He was a resident of Hinton most of his life.

Survivors: daughter, Diana of Chicago; sisters, Mrs. Winnie Gallagher and Mrs. Mary Rushford of Hinton, Mrs. Pattie Wheeler of Hurricane, Mrs. Emma Lee Benson of Norfolk, Va., Mrs. Betty Parker of Dayton, Ohio.

The Ronald Meadows Funeral Home, here is in charge of arrangements.