Amos Caskey

Services for Amos Caskev age 88 were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25,2008 at Guiceland Chapel with Rev. Tommy Caskey officiating. Burial followed in the Guiceland Cemetery. Full military honors were accorded by Barksdale Air Force Base, Bossier City, LA. Arrangements were under the direction of Bailey & Foster Funeral Home, Palestine. Mr. Caskey died Saturday at his residence. He was born October 14. 1919 in Anderson County to Sam and Denora Hardin Caskey. Mr. Caskey was coowner of the Hillside Trading Post. He served in the U.S. Air Force during WWII and Korea, and retired in 1962 as a Master Sergeant. Mr. Caskey was a charter member of the VFW Post 3907.

His parents, a stepmother, eight brothers and sisters, two step-brothers, and one step-sister preceded Mr. Caskey in death. He is survived by his wife Nelda Jean Caskey of Grapeland, sons Tommy Caskey and wife Reana of Grapeland, Dale Caskey of Mississippi, a sister and a step-sister, Five grandchildren Amanda Reynolds and husband Jared, Rachel Chapman and husband Michael, Jennifer Ervin and husband Eddie, Erin Dudley and husband Chris, and Charlie Caskey and wife Heather, and two great grandchildren Jonathan Ervin and Samuel Ervin.

Condolence calls were held from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday at Bailey and Foster Funeral Home, Palestine.