



**JAMES DURWARD
OLIVER**

Mr. James Durward Oliver, age 83 of Lumberton, passed away Tuesday, July 1, 2008 at Memorial Hermann Baptist Beaumont Hospital.

A native of Crockett and resident of the Beaumont area for fifty-five years. Mr. Oliver was a retired mechanic with Kinsel Ford. Mr. Oliver was a United States Army veteran having served World War II in New Guinea, Philippines.

Mr. Oliver loved spending time with his family and was a member of Praise Christian Center. Mr. Oliver was an avid hunter, fisherman, loved old westerns and was a Houston Astros fan.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Janie Oliver, of Lumberton; daughters Susan Cox and husband Gary, of Lumberton and Debbie Ray and husband Kenny, of Beaumont; son-in-law Brad Butler, of Lumberton; Scott Apple and wife Carman; four grandsons; five granddaughters; one great-grandson; seven great-great-granddaughters; brother, Garlan Oliver, of San

Antonio; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Preceded in death by his daughter Robin Butler preceded him in death.

Funeral Services for Mr. James Durward Oliver were held Thursday, July 3, at 10:00 a.m. at Praise Christian Center. Interment followed in Daniel Cemetery in Kountze.

Memorial contributions may be made to Praise Christian Center, 8325 Walker Road, Beaumont, TX. 77708.

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