

**December 9, 2007**

**Big Thicket Messenger**

**Aldridge**

Funeral services for Fannie Mae Aldridge, 70, were held Saturday, November 24, 2007, in the Cochran Funeral Home Chapel. Burial followed in Pollok Cemetery, near Lufkin. She was born August 17, 1937 in Montgomery County, the daughter of Martin and Fannie Puckett Free.

Mrs. Aldridge passed away on Monday, November 19, in Memorial Health System of East Texas in Lufkin. Her parents; grandson, William "TJ" Jago; and her sister, Doris Jean Kennedy, precede her in death.

Survivors include her husband, Percy William Cartwright of Onalaska; daughter, Johnnie Jago of Livingston; granddaughters, Christie Lynn Townsend of Arlington, Anita Freeman of Fayetteville, North Carolina, Julie Beavers of Houston and Katelynn Jago of Charlotte, North Carolina; grandson, Michael Brian Peterson of San Diego, California; sister, Joann Birdwell of Onalaska; brothers and sisters-in-law, Martin David and Melody Free of Tennessee and Dewie and Janice Free of Livingston; and great-granddaughters, Brittany Cheek and Ashley Cheek, both of Houston, Christian Renfro of Fayetteville, North Carolina and Raven Jago of Charlotte, North Carolina.

Pallbearers were Wayne Lindsey, Cliff Free, Marty Kennedy, Dewie Free Jr., Eddie Kennedy and Chris Meador. Honorary pallbearers were Jason Freeman, Steven Fair and Shawn Free.

Cochran Funeral Home, Livingston, was in charge of arrangements.