

Old Zion

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**R.H. ALFRED**

Mr. R.H. Alfred, age 74 of Elkhart, passed away Feb. 23 at his residence. Mr. Alfred was born Oct. 11, 1924, in Houston County and resided in Elkhart for the past 30 years. He was a veteran of World War II serving in the United States Army.

Mr. Alfred was a retired mechanic and a farmer. He was a member of the Tabernacle Baptist Church where he also served as a Deacon.

Survivors include wife Ellen Marie Alfred of Elkhart; sons Claud William Alfred and wife Jennifer of Houston, Steve Richard Alfred and wife Mary of Palestine and Joe Alan Alfred and wife Patricia of Ladonia; daughter Lisa Marie Myers and husband Jimmy of Elkhart; ten grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; sisters Alpha Morgan of Houston, Frances Batee of Crockett and Ellena Hamlin of Lovelady; brother Elzie Alfred of Conroe; numerous nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Mr. Alfred was preceded in death by his parents, Richard Henry and Elzora Alfred; brother Moody Alfred and sister Effie Moffitt.

Funeral services for Mr. Alfred were held Feb. 25 in the Callaway-Allee Memorial Chapel with the Rev. T.D. Lunsford officiating. Interment followed in the Old Zion Cemetery.

**Callaway-Allee Funeral Home**