

Lovelady

Thurs. Sept 24, 1964

Mrs. Lela Viola Baker

Mrs. Lela Viola Baker, 61, of Lovelady, died Tuesday, Sept. 15, in the Grapeland Community Hospital. Mrs. Baker was born Nov. 28, 1903, in Houston County. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday from the Callaway Memorial Chapel, with Mr. M. E. Gimon and Mr. Darryl W. Pringle, both of Lovelady, officiating. Burial was in the Lovealady Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Robert Arnold, R. V. Harrelson, Bill Bray, Sam Elliott, Lester Goynes and Alec Williamson.

Survivors include the husband, Bill Baker of Lovealady; two sons, James D. Knox of Garland and Robert M. Baker, with the US Army in Honolulu; two daughters, Laura Anna Knox of Waco and Norma Jean Mareth of Corpus Christi; two brothers, David Goldman of Palestine and Homer Goldman of Groveton; a sister, Mrs. A. T. Searcy of Humble; a stepbrother, Tommy Williams of Spade; two stepsisters, Mrs. H. L. Searcy of Lovelady, and Mrs. Burtie Owens of Houston; and four grandchildren.

Callaway Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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