

Helen Poncho Battise

LIVINGSTON – Funeral services for Helen Poncho Battise, 86, were held Tuesday, April 10, 2007, at the Indian Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. Bill Heck, Bro. David Busby and Bro. Hugh Klodzinski officiating. Burial followed in the Indian Reservation Cemetery.

Mrs. Battise died Saturday, April 7, at Dogwood Trails Nursing Home in Woodville. She was born Sept. 23, 1920 in Elton, La., the daughter of Asa and Niece (Langley) Poncho. She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph; her parents; grandchildren, Selena R. Battise and Jeremy E.K. Battise and great-grandchild, Shailey K. Abbey. Survivors include her brother, Jameson Poncho of Elton, La.; sons and daughters-in-law, Clifton and Ardeena Battise of Livingston, Claudie Battise of Livingston and Darrell and Kara Battise of Livingston; daughter and son-in-law, Olivia and Harvey Williams of Livingston; grandchildren, Ken Battise, Kerwin Battise, Roddy Battise, Bonnie Battise Rodriguez, Ester Battise, Ginger Battise, Sheldon Thompson and Blanche, Devina Thompson, Lance Battise, Shannon Thompson, Regina, Tracy and Raina Thompson Morris, Beverly Abbey and Gilman, Marsha Williams, Jonathan Williams, Emily Battise, Kierston Battise, David and Kaedi Battise, Hedeia Battise, Anthony Battise and Taylor Battise; great-grandchildren, Sabrina Rodriguez, Anthony Rodriguez, Sebastian Huerta, Tiara Battise, Christian Long, Taylor and Shelby Thompson, Aaron, Austin and Adrian Thompson, Ryan, Ryanna and Rylan Thompson, Gladys, Tyreni and Tyray Abbey, Evan Williams, Skyler Thompson and Selena, Brentice, Nivagah and Jeremykk Battise; nephew, Lovelin Battise and niece, Adrian Sylestine.

Pallbearers were Sheldon Thompson, Shannon Thompson, Taylor Thompson, Sebastian Huerta, Christopher Sylestine, Ray Battise, Kerwin Battise and Ken Randall Battise.

Honorary pallbearers were the Dogwood EMS of Woodville.

Cochran Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.