

W. E. BOWEN

Masonic graveside service for W.E. Bowen age 88, of Palestine will be held at 1:00 pm, Tuesday, August 28, 2007 at Chita Cemetery with members of the Joe Werner Masonic Lodge # 553 officiating.

Mr. Bowen died Sunday at the David E. Foster Hospice Unit at Palestine Regional Medical Center. He was born April 4, 1919 in Groveton, Texas to A.Y. and Ida Rasberry Bowen. Mr. Bowen was a long time resident of Anderson County. He retired from Brown & Root Marine Division after many years of service. He served in the U.S. Navy during WWII. He was a member of the Hickory Hill Masonic Lodge # 156 since 1960, and was a Scottish Rite 32nd Degree Mason. He was a member of the Congregational Methodist Church.

W.E. Bowen lived a full life, and had many friends.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of East Texas, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, TX. 75701, Heart to Heart Hospice, 1402 Rice Rd., Tyler, TX. 75703, or to the Chita Cemetery Association, c/o Nelda C. Allen, 9000 FM 355, Trinity, TX. 75862 or to a charity of choice.

Bailey & Foster Funeral Home, Palestine.