

Union Prairie



**GLADYS ODEAN BAKER
BOWENS**

Mrs. Gladys Odean Baker Bowens was born to the paren-
rage of Parish and Salima
Baker on December 7, 1919 in
Crockett. She was educated at
Mt. Zion Ash and Williams
High Schools. At an early age
she joined Mt. Zion Ash Bap-
tist Church and later Pleasant
Grove Baptist Church where
she was a member of the choir.

On October 29, 1939 she was
married to the late Connie
Bowens. Life's departure was
on August 9, 2003 at her
home.

Survivors are: son; Pearlon
Bowens and wife Baby Ruth of
Dallas, four grandchildren;
Tony Bowens and wife La-
Donna of Dallas, Sheri Bowens
of Phoenix, AZ., Radford
Bowens and Connie Bowens of
Dallas, two great-
grandchildren; Casey and Sa-
voy Bowens, two sisters; Ada B.
Sapp of Compton, CA., Earles-
tine and husband Joe Lennox
of Houston, nieces, nephews,
cousins, and friends.

Funeral services will be held
Saturday, August 16, 2003, 11
a.m. Pleasant Grove Baptist
Church, Simon Springs Com-
munity, Rev. L.T. Merchant,
pastor and officiant. Eternal
resting place will be in **Union**
Prairie Cemetery.

**McClain-Clebourn Funeral
Service**