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**JESSIE MERLE BURSON**

Mrs. Jessie Merle Burson, age 69 of Crockett passed away Monday, July 15, 2002 in the Whitehall Nursing Center. Mrs. Burson was born October 15, 1932 in Oakwood and had lived in Crockett for the past 27 years. Mrs. Burson was a member of the Eastern Star and also a member of the Calvary Baptist Church. Mrs. Burson was a housewife.

Survivors include her daughter Bonnie Foster, of Crockett; granddaughters Denise Price and husband Christopher, Shannon Foster-North and husband Jay all of Crockett; great-granddaughters Jordan, Kennedy, and Remington; brother James Gleason and wife Flo, of Jacksonville; sisters Florence Henry, of Crockett, Mildred Pope, of Jacksonville; numerous nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

Preceded in death by her husband Major C.D. Burson in 1980; son John William "Billy" Burson in 1978; son-in-law Dewitt Foster in 2000; and several brothers and sisters.

Funeral services for Mrs. Jessie Merle Burson were held Wednesday, July 17 at 10:00 a.m. in the Callaway-Allee Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Lynn Stephens officiating.

Graveside funeral services will be held Thursday, July 18, at 10:30 a.m. in the Restwood Cemetery in Lake Jackson with the Rev. Cecil Uzzel officiating. Interment will follow.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Calvary Baptist Church Building Fund, South Eighth Street, Crockett, TX. 75835.

**Callaway-Allee Funeral Home**