BIDDIE BEULAH CARPENTER

Services for Mrs. Biddie Beulah Carpenter, age 98, of Huntsville, were held Monday, February 18, at 11:30 a.m. in the Gipson-Metcalf Funeral Home Chapel in Lufkin with the Rev. Bud Bonner officiating. Interment followed in the Largent Cemetery.

Mrs. Carpenter was born February 5, 1904, in Angelina County, the daughter of Frances Carolina (Brock) and George Dunn. Mrs. Carpenter passed away Thursday, February 14, 2002 in Huntsville. Mrs. Carpenter was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother and grandmother. Mrs. Carpenter was a member of the First Baptist Church of Lovelady. A resident of Lovelady since 1946, Mrs. Carpenter had also lived in Lufkin and Texas City.

Survivors include her sons Melvin T. Carpenter, and wife Martha of Huntsville, and Floyd Elvis Carpenter, of Spring; Mrs. Mary Carpenter, of Houston; seven grandchildren Kim, and Jerry Morris, of Richmond, Todd Carpenter, of Huntsville, Karen and Roy Boney, of Kingwood, Col. Floyd Leslie Carpenter, of Honolulu, Hawaii, Craig and Lisa Carpenter of Houston, Debbie and Norman Holmes, of Huffman, and Kathey and Mark Dietz, of Austin; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Carpenter was preceded in death by her husband Leslie Medford Carpenter; a son Horace Vernon Carpenter; and a foster child

Jessie L. Brown.

Pallbearers were Mrs. Carpenter's grandsons.

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