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RUTHIE ELLIOTT

Mrs. Ruthie Elliott, age 91 of Austonio, passed away Wednesday, November 17, 2004 in Crockett. Mrs. Elliott was born Ruthie Pearson on November 18, 1912 in the Volga Community near Weldon and had lived in Houston County most of her lifetime.

Mrs. Elliott was a talented musician and started teaching music when she was 15. Mrs. Elliott was known mostly of being an outstanding nurse and knew she wanted to be a nurse at an early age. When she was 18 she helped Dr. Heard in Latexo deliver 22 babies then, she trained and studied nursing under Dr. Butler at the Butler Hospital in Crockett.

Mrs. Elliott married Edgar Elliott and after he enlisted in the Army, she enlisted in the U.S. Army as a nurse and had served in various military and V.A. hospitals from 1942 until 1960. Mrs. Elliott had also drove an ambulance from New York to a military hospital near Philadelphia, transporting wounded soldiers as they arrived back in the country.

Mrs. Elliott was a member of the Georgia Camp Baptist Church and was also a member of the Woodmen of the World. Mrs. Elliott had just received the honor of being the Special Senior of the Week.

Survivors include her sisters Nellie Reiler, of Pearland, Ora Little, of Waco and Myrtle Richardson and husband Jim, of Simms; and numerous nieces, nephews and other relatives. Preceded in death by her husband Edgar Elliott in 1995; parents Bennie and Cynda Scott Pearson; four sisters; and one brother.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ruthie Elliott will be held Sunday, November 21 at 2:00 in Callaway-Allee Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Charles Goodson officiating. Interment will follow in the Creek Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 4000 S. Medford Dr., Suite 17E, Lufkin, TX. 75901.

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