

Mrs. Jerdie Herod Finch

Funeral services for Mrs. Jerdie Herod Finch, 73, of Rt. 1, Grapeland, will be held Thursday, Sept 17, at 2 p.m. in the First Methodist Church of Grapeland, with Rev. Jesse Roberson and Rev. Collin Farr officiating. Interment will be in the Parker Cemetery, west of Grapeland.

Nephews will serve as pallbearers.

A native of Houston County, Mrs. Finch was born in Grapeland on April 5, 1891, where she spent her entire life. A Methodist, she was the widow of Simon Edward Finch, who died Feb. 6, 1955. She died Tuesday at 9:15 a.m. in a Palestine hospital following a long illness.

Survivors include two sons, Troy of Pasadena, and Roland of Pleasanton; three daughters, Mrs. Calvin Brown of Elkhart, Mrs. Roy McDonald of Houston, and Mrs. Morris Goodnight of Grapeland; two sisters, Mrs. Harvey Collins of Grapeland and Mrs. Eunice Caskey of Crane; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Remains will be at Hassell and Foster, Grapeland.

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