

Thursday, Feb. 6, 1975

Rites Held For Sister of Local Resident

Hazel Marie Foster

Mrs. Hazel Marie Foster of Rusk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Dickson of Palestine, died at her home Friday morning, January 31, of an apparent heart attack. She was 40.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, February 1, in the Wallace Funeral Chapel in Rusk with Grover Talbert officiating. Burial followed in the Muse Cemetery in Anderson County.

Pallbearers were Ed Dickie, Harold Littlejohn, Earl Ross, Billy Cornelius, Charles Ray Peters and Arlis Corley.

Mrs. Foster was born July 10, 1934 near Grapeland, and had made her home in Rusk for the past 15 years. A member of the Church of Christ, she was a registered nurse and was employed by the Rusk State Hospital for 17 years. At the time of her death, she was employed by Memorial Hospital in Risk and prior to that had worked for a number of months at Nan Travis Hospital in Jacksonville.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by her husband, Truman A. Foster, of Risk; two sons, Jackie W. Foster and Ricky Dean Foster, both of Risk; a brother, Sonny Dickson, of Elkhart; and three sisters, Mrs. Mona Bennett of Grapeland; Mrs. Fern Gillispie of Germany; and Mrs. Carol Gammage of Elkhart.

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