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## David Samuel Gallant

Mr. David Samuel Gallant, 64, Latexo farmer and rancher, died Wednesday, January 9, in a Houston hospital following a short illness.

Born on March 20, 1898, in Houston County, Mr. Gallant was a member of the Latexo Baptist Church and was chairman of the board of deacons.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Wessie Gallant of Latexo; a son, David Jr., of Houston; two daughters, Mrs. C. O. Beard of Houston, and Mrs. C. B. Spence of Pasadena; three brothers, W. L. of Crockett; J. D. of Houston and George of Latexo; a sister, Mrs. T. W. Tyer of Houston; mother, Mrs. Georgia Gallant of Crockett and four grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mr. Gallant were held at 2 p.m. Friday, January 11, from the Latexo Baptist Church with the Rev. Terry Cashion pastor officiating.

Interment was in the Latexo Cemetery, and pallbearers werer Norman Hooks, Bobby Mack Minter, Curtis Sims, Smith Clines, George Ed Gallant and Doyle Rayburn Gallant.

Callaway Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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