

Thurs. March 15, 1973

Billy Boy Gates

Mr. Billy Boy Gates, 44, of 9117 1/2 Friendly Road, Houston, passed away in Houston Sunday, March 11.

Mr. Gates was formerly of Houston County. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Ivie Baptist Church. Interment followed in the Ivie Cemetery.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Allie Gates of Kennard; stepfather, David Currie of Kennard; a son, Billy Carol Gats of Houston; four daughters, Mrs. Linda Ymada, and Misses Barbara, Gale and Elizabeth Gates, all of Houston; three brothers, Douglas Gates of Houston, Leroy Gates of Goodrich and David Lynn Currie of Corrigan; a sister, Mrs. Bessie Mae Hamilton of Houston; also several nieces and nephews.

Waller Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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