

**Polk Co. Ent**

**Feb. 3, 2008**

**Robert Dale Gates**

LIVINGSTON – Funeral services for Robert Dale Gates, 53, will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 31, 2008, in the Cochran Funeral Home Chapel, with Bro. Frank Hood officiating.

Mr. Gates died Sunday, Jan. 27, in St. Elizabeth Hospital in Beaumont.

He was born June 16, 1954 in Star City, Ark., the son of George and Norma Miller Gates. He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, Frankie Leon Gates.

Survivors include his wife of 32 years, Judy Gates of Livingston; son and daughter-in-law, Michael Shane and Angelica Gates of McKinney; daughter, Shannon Adele Gates of Livingston; grandsons, Dakota Shane Gates, Dalton Gip Wells, Sabastian Michael Gates, Julian Shane Gates and Jayden Jose Gates; granddaughter, Adele Wells; brothers and sisters-in-law, Billy Ray and Jeanette Miller and Bobby Gene and Linda Gates; brothers, Caroll Lyn Gates, Ronnie Dewayne Gates and Jerry David Gates and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, buddies and friends.