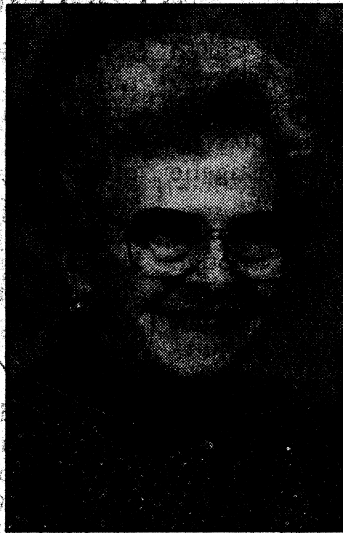


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Mary Lee Gayle

Services for Mary Lee Gayle, 87, of Grapeland were held Monday, October 03, 2005 at 3:00 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church with Dr. Jack Shoultz and Rev. Dick Dobbins officiating. Interment followed in the Grapeland City Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Bailey & Foster, Grapeland. Pallbearers were Mark Allen, Chad Gayle, Clint Gayle, Josh Shuman, William Gayle, Darrell Martin Gayle, Matthew Gayle, Caleb Gayle, Marshal Martin Gayle and Victor Harmon. Mrs. Gayle passed away Saturday, October 1, 2005 in a Crockett hospital. She was born July 25, 1918 in Telferner, Texas to Ward Irvin Brand and Ruby



Pendley Brand. Mrs. Gayle was a graduate of Liberty High School and attended Lon Morris Junior College. She was a homemaker, member of the First United Methodist Church in Grapeland, member of Love

Circle, and past president of Grapeland Garden Club. She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband Col. (Ret.) Charles Afton Gayle. She is survived by daughters, Patti Huff of Grapeland, Kathy Shuman of Angleton, and Nance Allen and husband, Bobby of Yuma, AZ; sons, Mike Gayle and wife, Marilyn of College Station, Steve Gayle of Waco, Bill Gayle and wife, Becky of Grapeland and Jeff Gayle and wife, Debra of Grapeland; sisters, Lorayne Telford of Liberty, and Dorothy Teel of Liberty; brother, Travis Brand and wife, Donnette of Liberty; sister-in-law, Mary Catherine Engel of Liberty; nineteen grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.