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Walter William Gossett

Mr. Walter William Gossett, 87, died Thursday, November 22, in a local hospital. Born in Crockett November 15, 1875, Mr. Gossett was a retired farmer and a descendant of A. E. Gossett, who donated the land on which the city of Crockett is located.

Funeral Services were held from the Calvary Baptist Church at 2 p.m. Friday, with Rev. W. A. Corley and Rev. Deward Mullens officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Memorial Park.

Pallbearers were Elbert Burks, Mayes Hale, Dozier Gossett, Everett Davis, Dozier Gossett, Everett Davis, Eugene Sawyer and George Lane. Honorary pallbearers were Dr. A. B. Brown Jr., Dr. C. B. Goolsby, Leonard Arnold, W. R. Killingsworth, W. E. Hall, George Lane, Bill Lane, Jack Williamson, Ansel Turner, Guy Hale, Robert Hazlett, Dock Blankenship, A. M. Decuir, Justin Fuller, Steve Allee and all members of the Calvary Baptist Church.

Survivors include the wife, Mrs. Ida Mae Hale Gossett of Crockett; two daughters, Mrs. Wilsie Maye White and Mrs. Bobbie White both of Houston; a sister, Hula; four grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Callaway Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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