

Thursday, July 27, 1972

## Palestine Rites For Mr. Grounds

### Grady L. Grounds

Funeral services for Grady L. Grounds, 71, of 102 Bedford, Houston, formerly of Palestine and Percilla, were held Sunday, July 23, at 1:30 p.m. in Hassell & Foster Chapel, Palestine, with Dan Manuel officiating. Burial was in Roselawn Park, Palestine.

Mr. Grounds was born September 23, 1900 in Percilla to the late William Lee Grounds and Mrs. Fannie Sullivan Grounds, and he died Friday, July 21, at 8:25 a.m. in a Houston hospital following a brief illness. A Methodist, he had resided in Houston over 20 years and was employed as a desk clerk for the Danner Guard Service. Before moving to Houston, he was in the cafe business in Palestine.

Survivors: wife, Mrs. Eddie Lou Bridges Grounds of Houston; a sister, Mrs. Mary Bell Mullett, Big Springs; nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a brother W. H. (Hall) Grounds on July 22, 1966, and a sister, Mrs. Nodie Grounds on April 4, 1972.

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