Hatler Rites In Houston

Funeral services for Rev. James Morton Hatler, Jr., 63, of Houston were held February 13 in the Lindale Assembly of God Church, Houston, with the Rev. James McKeehan and the Rev. Bill Walker officiating. Bruial was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Pallbearers were Randy Hatler, Bobby Hatler, Leroy DeVore, Don McKeehan, Rev. W. L. Suter and Rev. Vincent Roccaforte.

Aformer Grapeland resident and pastor, Rev. Hatler was serving as Minister of Out-reach for Lindale Assembly of God Church at the time of his death on Tuesday, February 11. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge of Augusta.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ellen Hatler of Houston; a daughter, Mrs. Karen Thomas of Port Neches; sons, Jim Hatler III of Grand Prairie, Bill Hatler of League City, Paul Hatler of Houston; eight grandchildren; sisters, Mrs. Leroy Tidwell of Arcadia California, Mrs. Louise Ehrlich of Los Angeles; brothers, Raymond Hatler of Liberty and Robert Hatler of Austin

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