

Grapeland Messenger

Thursday, August 22, 1974

Henderson Rites Held

## Leonard C. Henderson

Funeral services for Leonard C. Henderson, 94, of the Percilla community, Route 3, Grapeland, were held Saturday, August 17, at 2:00 p.m. in the Church of Christ, Grapeland, with James Mosley and Calvin Dickey officiating. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery, Percilla, under the direction of Hassell & Foster.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

Mr. Henderson was born in Delta County, Texas on July 6, 1880, a son of the late Dock, and Callie Henderson, and he died Wednesday, August 14, at 1:00 p.m. in Houston following a sudden illness. A retired farmer, he moved to Percilla in 1919 and was a member of the Church of Christ, Grapeland.

Survivors: three sons, Clay Henderson, Palestine, Gerald Henderson of Percilla, and Larry Henderson of Sherman; a daughter, Mrs. Clayton (Roberta) Williams of South Houston; a stepson, Leroy Cox of Houston, and a stepdaughter, Mrs. Guinn Caskey of Clyde, Texas; a half-brother, John Marshall Boyd of Phoenix, Arizona; 10 grandchildren; 10 great grandchildren.

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