

Grapeland Messenger  
5-6-1999

Evergreen  
Percilla

### **Evergreen Rites Held Saturday For Mrs. Edna Horton**

Funeral services for Edna Oates Horton, age 80, of Grapeland were held Saturday, May 1, in the Evergreen Chapel, near Percilla, with the Rev. Kenneth Mobley and Rev. David Bradley officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Bailey & Foster, Grapeland.

Pallbearers were James Horton, Jason Horton, Jerrod Horton, Dan Huff, Kyle Huff and Danny Luce.

Mrs. Horton died Thursday evening, April 29, 1999, at Trinity Valley Medical Center in Palestine. She was born on November 3, 1918, in Houston County to Henry Pink Oates and Annie Lois Jackson Oates. Mrs. Horton had worked for North American Aviation during World War II. She was a homemaker.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Doyle Horton, in 1990 and a brother, Louis Oates, in 1992.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Nelia and Dan Huff of Grapeland; a son and daughter-in-law, James and Sandy Horton of Grapeland; three sisters, Ozie Schmid of LaRue, Owena Oates and Lavoyce Tinsley, both of Tomball; a sister-in-law, Sue Oates of Tyler; four grandchildren, Jason and Jerrod Horton, Carrie Luce and Kyle Huff; two great grandchildren, Kelsey and Colton Luce; nieces and nephews.