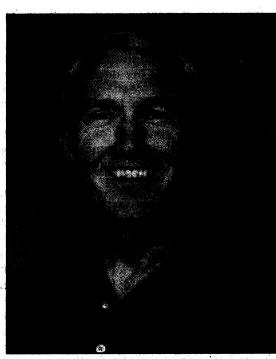
## GRAPELAND MESSENGER

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Funeral services for Kenneth Hill "Sam" Huff age 55 of Grapeland were held Sunday, December 28, 2003 at 3:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church, Grapeland with Rev. David Bradley officiating. Internment followed in the Dailey Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Bailey & Foster, Grapeland.

Pallbearers were Rajah Huff, Sheldon Huff, Mitchell Huff, Shaver Huff (stood in for Steven Huff), Scott Huff, Dan Huff, Paul Huff, Mark Huff, Artie Starr and Gene Ross Lively.

Mr. Huff passed away on Thursday, December 25, 2003 at Presbyterian Hospital in Plano, Texas. He was born August 9, 1948 in Palestine to S. W. "Pete" Huff and Martha Jane Yount Huff. He graduated from Grapeland High School and attended Santa Barbara City College, Santa Barbara, CA and Sam Houston State University. Mr. Huff was an employee of Nucor Corporation for 30 years. He served as general manager of the Fulcra Division in Grapeland and retired as general manager of Nucor Steel in Jewett and as a Vice-President of Nucor Corporation in July of 1999. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Grapeland.

His father, S. W. "Pete" Huff and a brother, David Mark Huff, preceded him in death.

He is survived by his wife, Patti Gayle Huff of Grapeland; daughter and son-in-law, Mary Jane and Greg Gunter of Frisco; granddaughter, Katherine and Sarah Gunter of Frisco; mother and stepfather, Jane and Howard Van Winkle of Auburn, CA; sister, Lisa Bleakley of Allen; brother Barry Grant and wife, Judy of Bardstown, KY; numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Anyone wishing to contribute to a memorial in memory of Kenneth may do so by contributing to the First Baptist Church, Grapeland, building fund.