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Vernon Irvine

Services for Vernon Irvine, 90, of Tyler, will be held on Wednesday, January 30, 2008 at 2 p.m. at the Woodville United Methodist Church; 201 West First Street, Woodville, with Reverend Ernest Elliot officiating.

Burial will follow in Magnolia Cemetery in Woodville under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Mr. Irvine passed away on Sunday, Jan. 27 at the Chandler Nursing Home in Tyler. He was born on Jan. 25, 1918 in Trinity to the late Luther W. and Ollie Irvine.

Vernon was a long time member of United Methodist Church where he served in many offices over the years. He was a dedicated and hard worker for Southern Union Gas Company and later retired after 42 years of service.

Mr. Irvine was active in the Masonic Lodge for 60 years, the Knights Templar, and the Shriners. He also served in the following civic organizations including the President of Pt. Neches Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, and the Tuberculosis Association.

He was preceded by his wife of 59 years, Kate Bonnette Irvine and wife of 5 years, Ruby Fugman Irvine; son, Eugene Vernon Irvine; seven brothers; and one sister.

Vernon is survived by a loving family including his daughter, Judy Logan and husband, Bob of Brownsboro; daughter-in-law, Lynnda Irvine of Rockwall; brother, Raymond Irvine and wife, Dorothy of Pt. Neches; seven grandchildren; twelve great grandchildren and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Pallbearers will be Shawn Irvine, Chad Irvine, Bobby Logan, Randy Black, Ryan Black, Parker Black, Jerry McGraw, and Stan Carter.

Honorary pallbearer will be Brien Meyer.

Visitation is for Wednesday, Jan. 30, one hour prior to the service at Woodville United Methodist Church.