

November 4, 2007

Professor Langston C. Johnson

LIVINGSTON – Funeral services for Professor Langston C. Johnson Sr., 83, of Livingston will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 27, 2007, at Chesswood Baptist Church, with Col. Howard Daniel Jr. officiating. Interment will follow in Greenfield Cemetery, Livingston.

Professor Johnson died Oct. 21 at his residence.

He was born March 15, 1924 in Nigton, the son of the late Wayne Wright Johnson and the late Elsie Hedro Mark Johnson. He attended public school in Nigton and later graduated from Mary Allen College in Tyler. He retired as a teacher from the Livingston Independent School District. Professor Johnson was a Baptist and a U.S. Army veteran. He was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy Johnson.

Survivors include his son, Langston Johnson Jr. (Bobbie) of Livingston; grandchildren, Shawnaton, Johnathan and Alissa Johnson, all of Livingston; two sisters, Opal Smith (Joe) of Dallas and Versa Barnes of Houston and a host of nieces, nephews, special friends and other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers will be Otto Lyons, Byron Lyons, Stanley Pierson, Johnny Dewalt, Velton Price and Luther Earl Jackson. Honorary pallbearers will be L.C. Johnson Jr., Johnathan Johnson, Shawnaton Johnson, Dr. Kevin Smith, Dr. Cedric Smith, Joe Stephens Sr., Dr. Stanley Smith and Marion Johnson.

Duncan Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.