

Forest Lawn H.C.C. Oct. 14, 2004

### TENOLA WYNNE KING

Funeral services for Mrs. Tenola Wynne King age 92, were held Saturday, October 9, 2004, 12 noon, Bethel Baptist Church, North 6th St., Crockett, the pastor, Rev. Earl Harris, officiated. Eternal resting place was in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Tenola A. Wynne King, a faithful follower of Christ, ended her earthly journey in the early morning hours of October 4, 2004 in Houston, Texas.

Mrs. King was the eldest child of the late Deacon Stephen and Mrs. Hattie Bell Sanders Wynne. This God-fearing woman was born in the Fodice Community on June 10, 1912. She attended the Fodice School.

In her young adulthood, the Wynne Family moved to the City of Crockett. In 1940,

She met and fell in love with William Smith King of the Beria Community. They were happily married for over fifty-six years.

In 1935, she moved to the north side of town. Always obedient to the will of God, she joined Bethel Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. Martin Reece. She remained a faithful member for nearly seventy years.

Mrs. King was a devoted servant for her Lord and Saviour. She was a true steward and messenger to all in need. She was a founding member of the Mission Society. She served in several capacities in the mission work at Bethel Baptist Church. Always sober and joyous in God's Word she was elected President of the Mission and served continuously as president for thirty years. She was active in the Junior Mission, Mission II, and in re-

cent years, the Senior Mission.

Guided by humility, she felt the need to teach God's Word to others. She taught Sunday School and taught in Vacation Bible School.

God's faithful servant, because of a lifetime devoted to Christian principles, was enabled to endure until His final calling. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, William Smith King, in 1997; a devoted son, James Robert Sr. in 1990; her parents, 3 sisters, Hattie Mae Wooten, Quincy Ealim, and Callie Bragg; 4 brothers, Porter Wynne, Henry Wynne, James Wynne, and J. C. Wynne; 1 nephew, Arthur Ealim. Those who grieve their loss also are sustained by the promises of II Corinthians, Chapter V. She is mourned by her daughter in law, Doris Wynne and granddaughters, Lori Wynne and Danita Wynne of Indianapolis, Indiana and 1 grandson, Robert Wynne Jr. and his wife, Judy of Alhambra, California, and 2 great grandchildren, James Barri-Lovell Washington and Jessica Wynne; 1 sister Mrs. Steve Lewis of Houston; 1 brother, Willie Wynne Sr., and his wife Doretha of Galveston, goddaughter, Roberta Mason of Crockett and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, church family, neighbors, and friends.

**McClain-Cleburn Funeral  
Service**