

H. E. "Shorty" McKay

Funeral services for H.E. "Shorty" McKay, age 75 of Grapeland, were held Monday, December 9 at 1:00 p.m. at Felders Chapel Assembly of God in Grapeland with Rev. Randy Shipman officiating. Burial followed in the Refuge Cemetery east of Grapeland. Arrangements were under the direction of Bailey & Foster, Grapeland.

Pallbearers were Randy Sick, Steve Owens, Jack Shoultz, Terry Owens, Wes Langston and Woody Woodall.

Mr. McKay passed away on Friday, December 6, 2002 at Whitehall Nursing Center in Crockett. He was born May 10, 1927 in Beth Eden, Mississippi to Bestus McKay and Eva Sue Kinard McKay. He was a member of the Felders Chapel Assembly of God Church. He was veteran of the U.S. Army and served in World War II. He was a heavy equipment mechanic.

His parents and a brother, Ellis Leon McKay, preceded him in death.

He is survived by his

wife, Joyce Owens McKay of Grapeland; two sons, Kenneth Wayne McKay & wife, Amy of Frisco and Jeffery Howard McKay & wife, Jacqueline of Crosby; three sisters, Annie Bess Todd of Louisville, Mississippi, Nell Humphries of Harrison, Tennessee and Marie Prisock of Jackson, Mississippi; a brother, O.D. McKay of Louisville, Mississippi and five grandchildren, Jason McKay, Justin McKay, Jacob McKay, Ryanne McKay and Stone McKay.

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