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Preston Lee Mericle

GROVETON – Services for Preston Lee Mericle, 78, of Livingston, and formerly of Groveton, were held at 11 a.m. Monday, Dec. 10, 2007, in the Groveton Funeral Home with Bro. Lewis Jones officiating.

Burial followed in the Bennett Cemetery.

Mr. Mericle died Saturday, Dec. 8, in Lufkin.

He was born July 31, 1929, in Polk County and was a retired truck driver. Mr. Mericle was a member of the Baptist church.

Mr. Mericle was preceded in death by a son, Earl Ray Mericle; his parents, Earl and Ollie Mericle; a sister, Merliene Mericle; and two brothers, J.L. Mericle and Edsor Mericle.

Survivors include a son and his spouse, Preston and Mary Mericle of Livingston; two daughters and a son-in-law, Billie and James White of Trinity and Floye Hall of Thibodaux, La.; two step-children, Paul Franka and Pattie Lynn Franka, both of California; a brother, E.J. Mericle of Livingston; eight grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Groveton Funeral Home directed the arrangements.