

Trinity Standard

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Rufus Homer Owens

TRINITY - Graveside services for Rufus Homer Owens, 78, of Trinity were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, June 13, 2006, in the Cedar Grove Cemetery in Trinity with the Rev. Lyndsey Nimmons officiating.

Mr. Owens died Sunday, June 11, in Trinity.

He was born Sept. 21, 1927, in Jasper and served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He attended business college in Houston for two years and worked as a construction estimator prior to his retirement.

Mr. Owens was a member of the Dorcas Wills Memorial Baptist Church of Trinity, the Joe Werner Masonic Lodge and was a faithful Giddeon.

He was known as an avid fisherman and as a person who always was willing to share his catch of the day with friends and people in need.

Survivors include three sons and a daughter-in-law, Raymond and Kelley Owens, Edmond Owens and Robert Steven Owens; a sister and brother-in-law, Patricia "Sulie" and Kennie Garlington; six grandchil-

dren; three great-grandchildren; and a longtime friend, JoAnn Buckner.

Waller Thornton Funeral Home directed the arrangements.