TOM PERDUE



Mr. Tom Perdue, age 71 of Crockett, passed away Saturday, July 13, 2002. Mr. Perdue was born December 19, 1930 in Crockett and was a lifetime resident in this area. Mr. Perdue was a graduate of Sam Houston State University and owned and operated Dairy King before entering into the family business of Perdue's Jewelry in 1956. Mr. Perdue was a member of the Lothrop Lodge #21 serving as a past Worshipful Master, the Noon Lion's Club, and the Spring

Creek Country Club. Mr. Perdre was retired from the National Guard and was a member of the First United Methodist Church and had presently been attending First Christian Church.

Survivors include his daughters Vicki Gamble and husband Roy, of Cedar Creek, Lisa Perdue, and Jeri Lu Perdue, of Crockett; grandchildren Jamie Buford, April Jo Buford, both of Colorado, Thomas Adam Hopkins, Jeremy Andrew Hopkins, and Austin O'Brien Balusek, all of Crockett; brother William Elkins Perdue, of Dallas; very special friend Peggy Clark, of Crockett.

Preceded in death by his wife Beverly Perdue; parents Ben and Toots Perdue; and granddaughter Samantha Hopkins.

Funeral services for Mr. Tom Perdue were held Monday, July 15, at 3:00 p.m. in the Callaway-Allee Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Darrell Hoffmaster and the Rev. Johnny Bear officiating, Interment followed in the Evergreen Memorial Park.

In lieu of Flowers, memorial contributions may be made to a charity of choice.

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