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HOUSTON COUNTY COURIER-SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1998

# Obituaries

## NELVA FORSYTH PERKINS

Nelva Forsyth Perkins, age 77, of Tyler, formerly of Mesquite and Beaumont, passed away Tuesday, Nov. 10, 1998 in a Tyler hospital. Mrs. Perkins was born Oct. 6, 1921 in Nacogdoches County. Mrs. Perkins was a resident of Tyler for the past 15 years and was a former resident of Mesquite and Beaumont. She was a member of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas, a graduate of Stephen F. Austin University where she was a member of the Alumni Association. She contributed her talents to the East Texas Christian Academy and was active and participated in other local organizations. She was an active member of the Glenwood Church of Christ. She was a retired school teacher.

Mrs. Perkins was preceded in death by her husband, Julian L. Perkins; daughter, Linda Herod.

Survivors include her daughter, LaWanda Hinckley of Alton, Ill.; sister, Buella McManus of Crane; grandsons, Jeff Walsh of Houston, Ray Carpenter of New York, N.Y.; nephews, Harlon E. Martin, Jr. of Houston, Malcolm Martin of Lake Charles, La.; nieces, Jan Fountain of Odessa, Brenda Ballard of Whitehouse, Cheryl Jeffus of Houston; sisters-in-law, Irene Perkins Welch of Latexo, Shirley Perkins Cashion of Austin; brother-in-law, Morris and Peggy Perkins of Groves.

Funeral services for Mrs. Perkins were held Friday, Nov. 13 at 2 p.m. in the Glenwood Church of Christ in Tyler with Tommy King officiating. Interment followed on Saturday, Nov. 14 at 10:30 a.m. in the Sunset Memorial Park in Nacogdoches.

Memorial may be made to the Glenwood Church of Christ, 5210 Hollytree Drive, Tyler, Texas 75703.

**Lloyd James Funeral Home**