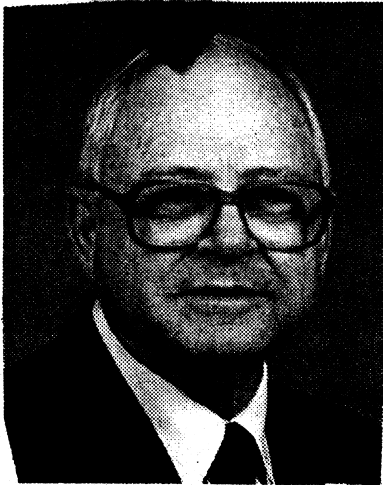


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**LLOYD PIPES**

Mr. Lloyd Pipes, age 84 of Rusk, passed away Wednesday, September 17, 2003 in Tyler. Mr. Pipes was born March 31, 1919 in Frankston, to Claude and Eunice Lloyd Pipes. Mr. Pipes graduated from Frankston High School and attended Wichita University, and the University of Texas. Mr. Pipes served in the Army Air Corp., flying 34 combat missions over Europe during WWII.

Mr. Pipes was a member of the Catipillar Club. Mr. Pipes was a 32<sup>nd</sup> degree Mason for over 50 years. Mr. Pipes was a former President and Director of First State Bank of Rusk and was owner and a director and Board Chairman of the Crockett State Bank, Director and Vice President of Empire Life Ins. Co., former President of the Rusk Lions Club, Zone Chairman of Lions Int'l, past President of Rusk Chamber of Commerce, Vice President and

director of Cherokee County Crippled Childrens Assoc. Mr. Pipes was a director of the Rusk Industrial Foundation, director Cherokee County T.B. Assoc., director of the Cherokee Co. Wildlife Assoc., past President of the East TX. Bankers Assoc., past director of American Bankers Assoc. Mr. Pipes received the Silver Beaver Award for his many years of work with the Boy Scouts of America. Mr. Pipes served on the first Cherokee County Airport Board and assisted in the building of the airport. Mr. Pipes was an avid pilot, golfer, and fisherman. Mr. Pipes' first love was his family and friends. Mr. Pipes was a former member of the First United Methodist Church where he served as Chairman of the Board of Stewards and various boards and Commit-

tees. Mr. Pipes was a member of the Congregational Methodist Church of Rusk, at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years Jimye Arnwine Pipes, of Rusk; two sons and daughters-in-law Jerry and Dina Pipes, of Crockett, Steven and Annette Pipes, of Plano; three grandsons Brandon and Blake Pipes, of College Station, and Cameron Pipes, of Plano.

Preceded in death by his parents and a sister.

Funeral services for Mr. Lloyd Pipes were held Saturday, September 20, at 2:00 p.m. at Autry Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ray Robbins officiating. Interment followed at Pleasant Grove Cemetery near Maydelle.

Pallbearers were Johnnie McKay, Lewie Byers, James P. Richards, Bill Holland, Tom Haddock, Raymond Vermillion, Howard "Hank" Watson, Don Crawford.

Honorary Pallbearers were James Long, Charles Long, Robert Stover, Don Crawford, Smith Satterwhite, Lester Hughes, Bob Mattox, James Campbell, Dustin Hood, Shelor Edmiston, H.B. "Mutt" Knox, Bill Clark, John Fuchs, Jr., Hobb Atwood, Earl Finley, Dr. Bill Hyman, Dr. Brock Lutz, Dr. Jonathan Markowitz, Janet Morrison, Staff of ETMC-Tyler and Tyler Cancer Center, and members of Congregational Methodist Church, Rusk.

Memorials may be made in honor of Mr. Pipes to the Charity of the donor's choice.

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