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**WILLIAM JACKSON
RAINS**

Mr. William Jackson Rains, age 90, of Clifton, passed away Monday, Jan. 10, 2000, in the Clifton Lutheran Sunset Home in Clifton. Mr. Rains was born April 26, 1909, in Houston County and had resided in Clifton for the past 11 years.

He was retired from Mobil Oil Corp. Refinery as a chief operator where he earned the title from his co-workers as "Old Master." He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include wife Claudia Barnes Rains of Clifton; twin daughters Zona Earle Ransom and husband Dean of Clifton and Anna Pearl Rains of Galveston; grandchildren Dean Ransom, Jr. of College Station, William Jay Ransom of Meridan and Anna Kay Ransom of Irving; great-grandchildren Jason Tyler Ransom of Clifton and Jacob Lane Ransom of Meridan; numerous brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Mr. Rains was preceded in death by parents Frank and Annie Withers Rains; four sisters Aggie Black, Ola Michaels, Erma Davidson and Anna Belle Sanders; two brothers, Warren Rains and Ward Rains.

Graveside funeral services for Mr. Rains were held Jan. 11, at 2 p.m. in the Lovelady Evergreen Cemetery with Mark Smith officiating. Interment followed.

**Callaway-Allee Funeral
Home**