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Junior B. Redden

LIVINGSTON – Funeral services for Junior B. Redden, 81, were held Monday, Jan. 28, 2008, in the Cochran Funeral Home Chapel, with Chaplain Cecil Vaden and Brenda Hambrick officiating. Burial followed in Peebles Cemetery. Military honors were provided by VFW Post 8568.

Mr. Redden died Friday, Jan. 25, at his residence in Goodrich.

He was born Feb. 20, 1926 in Magee Bend, the son of Will and Mae Fredgill Redden. He served on the ship USSS JRV Blakely in the U.S. Navy from May 8, 1944 until May 20, 1946. He participated in battles in the Pacific and fought for his country during the Normandy Invasion on June 6, 1944. He was preceded in death by his parents, five brothers and one sister.

Survivors include his wife of nearly 61 years, Geneva Redden of Goodrich; son and daughter-in-law, Larry Redden Sr. and Cindy of Livingston; daughter and son-in-law, Connie Redden Hopper and Bobby of Humble; grandsons, Ronnie Wooton, Larry Redden Jr. and wife Tracy, Ricky Redden and wife Pam and Kevin Redden; granddaughter, Brandi McNallen and husband Mike; 13 great-grandchildren, Tori, Lacey, Emma, Abby, Justin, Ashley, Cheyenne, Bobby, Billy, Randi, Cody, Lauren and Kevin Jr.; and numerous nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were Larry Redden Jr., Ricky Redden, Cody Redden, Kevin Redden, Bobby Carlile and Billy Carlile. Honorary pallbearer was Justin Redden.