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**J. C. (YOUNG)
ROBERTS**

Mr. J. C. (Young) Roberts was born Sept. 1, 1928, in Angelina County, Texas.

Mr. Roberts accepted Christ at age 15. He was baptized in Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Josseland Community, Groveton, Texas by the Rev. Hoseah Dolphus, Sr.

Mr. Roberts attended public schools in Groveton, Texas where he graduated in 1947.

After graduation he joined the United States Air Force where he served as an air craft mechanic and copilot.

He married Marcelle Marie Smith, his sweetheart since grade school.

To this union there were five children; Darrell, J. C. Jr., Donald, Dwayne and Deloris.

In 1965, Mr. Roberts was honorable discharged from the Air Force after serving 16 1/2 years. He then located in Santa Ana, Calif. where he and his family united with Second Baptist Church. J. C. served as Worshipful Master (highest office in any Masonic Lodge).

J. C. worked many years at Chart Pak Rotex Mfrg. Company of Santa Ana and was a long time self employed auto mechanic.

On Sept. 5, after a lengthy illness, J. C. passed away at St. Joseph Hospital in Or-

Calif. and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends who loved him dearly.

ange, Calif.

He was preceded in death by his parents; Jason and Clydie Young of Santa Ana, and Griffin Roberts of Los Angeles, two sons, J. C. Jr. and Donald Elzie.

Survivors include wife Marcelle Roberts of Fountain Valley, Calif., son, Darrell P. Roberts (& Donna) of Santa Ana, Calif., Dwayne T. Roberts of Aliso Viego, Calif., daughter, Deloris V. White, of Fountain Valley, Calif., seven grandchildren; Dana, Damien, Derrick, Dendra, Danielle, Damani, and Desmond J. C., three great-grandchildren; Devin, Dilandria and Deja, three sisters; Alice Creag of Crockett, Emma Lee Young of Groveton, Mary Williams of Los Angeles, CA., one aunt, Olivia Vonner of Waco, Texas, mother-in-law, Virgie Kennedy of Santa Ana,