

Tryon

Services Held For Former Resident, Jessie Mae Rogers

Funeral services for Jessie Mae Tryon Rogers of Beaumont were held Friday, March 10, in the Community Funeral Chapel, Beaumont, with the Rev. R. L. Allen officiating. Graveside services and interment were held Saturday, March 11, at 12 Noon in the Tryon Cemetery, west of Grapeland.

Pallbearers were Samuel Bell, Michael Castille, Kevin Daire, Albert Bell, Gary Corprew, Donald LaFleur and Earnest Martin. Honorary pallbearers were Larry McClure, William Rawls, Joseph Rogers, Darryl Moaning, Johnathan Boutte and Rickey Mays, Jr.

Jessie Mae Tryon Rogers was born October 25, 1935, in Grapeland to the union of the late Tom and Katie Beatrice Howard Tryon. She died Tuesday, March 7, 2000, at Saint Elizabeth Hospital, Beaumont. A graduate of Grapeland's former W. R. Banks High School, Mrs. Rogers attended Prairie View College. A licensed beautician, she operated a beauty salon and was a homemaker. She was a member of Starlight Missionary Baptist Church.

On June 24, 1956, she married Mr. John David Rogers and their union was blessed with seven children.

Survivors include her husband, John David Rogers of Beaumont; sons, Melvin and

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wife Hattie, Bernard, James, Anthony, Thomas Rogers, all of Beaumont; step-son, Ronald Heath and wife Lavada of California; daughters, Jessica Denise Mays and husband Rickey Mays, Sr., and Alice Marie Rogers, all of Beaumont; brothers, Cornell Tryon and Samuel Tryon, both of Houston and Herman Tryon of Grapeland; sisters, Crezette Jones, Nellie Kate Bell, Arlillian Corprew, and Vivian Tryon, all of Dallas and Christine Richardson of Houston; thirteen grandchildren; Joseph, Johnathan, Joshua, Rickesha, Rickey, Webster, Michael, Samara, Jasmine, Sherrico, Daniel, James, and Jamal, and other family members and friends.