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# Slain Man's Rites Read Friday

Funeral services for June H. Rogers, age 64 of Alto were held Friday afternoon at 2:00 in the First Baptist Church of Alto. Rev. John Barfield and Rev. Charles Haley officiated for the final rites. Interment was in the Douglas Cemetery of Nacogdoches County, under the direction of O. T. Allen Funeral Home.

Rogers was found shot in the woods near the Holcomb Cemetery in the Blah Community around 10:00 p.m. Wednesday evening. He had been working in the vicinity where his body was found. When he did not report in, his employer, Alton Hicks of Alto, became concerned and went to look for him. Mr. Hicks discovered the body.

Rogers was a native and lifetime resident of Alto and a member of the Assembly of God Church. He was employed as a pulpwood producer.

Survivors include his wife, Leila Rae Rogers of Alto; two sons, O. J. Rogers of Baytown and Talmadge Rogers of Alto; six daughters, Clarace Ann Owbsly of Fort Worth, Mrs. Doris Belrose of Lufkin, Mrs. Vivian Vaught of Rusk, Mrs. Carolyn Dosser, Miss Linda Rogers and Miss Earlene Rogers all of Alto; four brothers, Clyde Rogers of Alice, Arthur Rogers of Tyler, Mac Rogers of Columbus and Lane Rogers of New Ulm; three sisters, Mrs. Elsie Phifer of Rusk, Mrs. Audrey Word of LaMarque, and Mrs. Maxine Pyle of

Houston; his father-in-law Ervin McLain of Alto; eleven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were John Dea, P. D. Holloway, Carl Vaughn, Alton Hicks, Leo Hicks, and Pete James.

## NOTICE

Mrs. Edna Bingham, Librarian, Singletary Memorial Library has issued the following statement concerning the library:

"The year 1969 has been a very prosperous year for the Rusk Public Library, new Singletary Memorial Library. We moved into our new library the first of the year. "We have put over 5,000 books in circulation and added 460 books. Our aim for 1970 is to double this amount since we have plenty of room to care for some. We are growing daily. Keep helping us."

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