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**WAYNE R. STOCKTON**

Mr. Wayne R. Stockton, age 81 of Crockett, passed away Saturday, February 1, 2003 in the Nacogdoches Medical Center. Mr. Stockton was born October 23, 1921 in Houston County and had lived in Houston County most of his lifetime. Mr. Stockton graduated from Crockett High School in 1939 and left for World War II on August 7, 1940. After two years, he became a staff sergeant for the United States Army and served 5 years at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio, the North Africa, Italy, and France. Upon return, he located in Houston and was a civil service worker for several years. Mr. Stockton became self employed and was in the service station business for 30 years. Mr. Stockton later sold the business, retired, and returned to Crockett in 1978 to ~~work on his ranch which was~~ his utmost pleasure and he also enjoyed watching auto racing, boxing, and bull riding. Mr. Stockton was a member of the Willow Meadows Baptist Church in Houston and the Bellaire Masonic Lodge #1336.

Survivors include his wife Eddie Mae Adams Stockton, of Crockett; sons Dwayne Stockton and wife Frieda, of Austin, Kenneth Stockton, of Crockett; grandchildren Jessica Stockton, of Abilene, Adam Wayne Stockton, of San Marcos; brother J. Van Stockton and wife Gwynn, of Dallas; very special brother-in-law Dan M. Adams and wife Betty Ann, of Houston; numerous

nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

Preceded in death by his parents Howard and Lucy Belle Stockton; sister Marie Walling; and brother Howard Stockton, Jr.

Funeral services for Mr. Wayne R. Stockton were held Wednesday, February 5, at 2:00 p.m. in the Callaway-Allee Memorial Chapel with the Rev. John Goss officiating. Interment followed in the Evergreen Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Central Baptist Church Fund, 110 N. 7<sup>th</sup> St., Crockett, TX. 75835.

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