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DORIS O. TATE

Mrs. Doris O. Tate, 86 of Houston, formerly of Crockett, passed away Sunday, May 21, 2006 in Lexington Place Nursing Home in Houston. Mrs. Tate was born January 6, 1920 to W.L. and Ora Pringle in Miami, Florida and moved to Arden, Texas (near San Angelo) in 1926. Mrs. Tate married Willie Nolan Olie Sartain in 1935 and had six children. After Mr. Sartain's death, she met and married Oscar T. Tate on October 22, 1947 in Ballinger. They merged their two families together with her five children and his two and proceeded to have two more children. Mrs. Tate was a seamstress and held numerous varied positions in her lifetime.

Mrs. Tate was preceded in death by her parents W.L. and Ora Pringle; infant son Leonard Sartain; first husband Olie Sartain; second husband Oscar T. Tate; great-grandson, Justin Simmons; brothers Earl and Robert Pringle; sister Mary White; brother-in-law Roy Sartain; sister-in-law Frankie Pringle; and nephew David Pringle.

Survivors include her daughters Jean Bofman and husband Jerry, of Albuquerque, NM, Juanell Boyd and husband Danny, of Crockett; sons Royce Sartain and wife Loveta, of Penn., Ron Sartain, of Albuquerque, NM, Wayne Sartain, of Houston, Bob Sartain, of Dallas, Jerry Tate and wife Denise, of Euless; step-children Doug Tate, of Shady Point, OK, Tommie Roye, of Dallas area; grandchildren, Terry Bofman and wife Rhonda, of Albuquerque, NM, Tim Bofman and wife Lori, of R.I., Tammy Simmons and husband Jimmy, of Phoenix, Ariz., Trina Deer and husband Bryan, of Albuquerque, NM, Cara Tracy and husband Rob of Pennsylvania, Lori Riggs and husband, Jon, of Colo., Beth Sartain of Austin, Brynn Sartain, Shawnda Sartain, all of Albuquerque, NM, Jon Sartain of Albany, Ore., LaChelle Tate, of Edgewood, Darak Tate of Italy, Briana Srogi, of Edgewood, Karyn James and husband Albert, of Crockett, Kelye Liljequist and husband, Sterling, of Crockett; local great-grandchildren Macie and Carter James, Nathaniel Boyd, Brice Liljequist, and Trevor Liljequist, all of Crockett; 23 additional great-grandchildren; 10 step-grandchildren; 24 step-great-grandchildren; one step-great-great-grandchild;

sisters, Eunice Sartain, Juanell Robertson and husband Red; and brother Burl Pringle all of San Angelo; numerous nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services for Mrs. Tate will be held Thursday, May 25, at the Johnson's Funeral Home Chapel in San Angelo with interment to follow in the Lawnhaven Cemetery in San Angelo.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, or the ETMC Cancer Support Group C/O of Carol Dawson at ETMC Crockett, the American Heart Association, or to the charity of your choice.