

Evergreen
Perkins

Lena Mae Tate

Funeral services for Lena Mae Tate were held Friday, October 10, 2003 at 10:00a.m. in the Evergreen Chapel with the Rev. Roy Beard officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Bailey & Foster.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

Mrs. Tate passed away on

Tuesday, October 7, 2003 at Cartmell Home for the Aged. She was born July 1, 1913 in Cherokee County to Willie P. and Lena Turner Beard.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 70 years, Woodrow W. Tate in June 2003 and brothers, Oscar, W.P. and Arnold Beard.

She is survived by her

daughter, Lena M. Kellum and husband, Lloyd of Fairfield; son, W. Ray Tate and wife, Doris of Tyler; sister, Lois Cummings of Elkhart; sister-in-laws, Elva Beard of Palestine, Maria Wallis of Washington and Lillian Beard of Elkhart; 10 grandchildren; 24 great grandchildren and 10 great-great grandchildren.