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**HALLIE LORA
OMOGENE HEARD
WARREN**

Mrs. Hallie Lora Omogene Heard Warren was born in Bristol, Ellis County, on December 2, 1904 to Julius Lafayette Heard, M.D. and Florence Cornelia "Florrie" Gullede Heard. The Lively group of siblings that she was reared with could be found sliding down banisters and skating on the frozen pond, as well as working in their cotton field and gathering around their father as he knelt to pray by the fireplace.

The family moved to Crockett, in 1917 when she was twelve years old. As a teenager and young woman she was an accomplished pianist and soprano vocalist. Mrs. Warren was often invited to be the soloist at various churches in Crockett.

On February 18, 1930 she met the love of her life, Joe Henry Warren. He had been transferred to Crockett from Durant, Oklahoma as manager of Duke and Ayres Variety Store. They married four years to the day later at First Baptist Church in Crockett with Reverend A.S. Lee as officiant. Rev. Lee had also baptized her as a teenager.

Mrs. Warren was devoted to her church, her family, her God, and was an excellent Christian example. Mrs. Warren was a dedicated Sunday school teacher and choir member of many years. Mrs. Warren went to meet her Lord the evening of April 1, 2003 and is now singing with the saints in glory.

To this loving marriage and home was a son, Joe Heard Warren, deceased; and a daughter, Betty Roanne Warren Gilmer; five grandsons Thomas Hood Stevens, III, Barry Warren Stevens, Joe Heard Warren, Jr., Gary Wade Warren, Charles Wesley Warren; two great-grand-children Amber Elizabeth Warren, Niklas Seth Warren; one sister Flossie Eloise Heard Knox.

Preceded in death by her sister Katy Julia Ernestine Heard Straughan; five brothers Julius Alton Heard, Cecil Gullede Heard, Joe Reese Heard, Oscar Royse Heard, Julius Lafayette Heard, Jr.; and numerous beloved nieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hallie Lora Omogene Heard Warren were held Thursday, April 3, at 3:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Crockett with the Rev. Frank Oswald officiating. Interment followed in the Evergreen Memorial Park.

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