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West Rites Held In Huntsville

Funeral services for Elizabeth Ann West, age 58, of Houston were held Friday, February 23, in the Forest Lawn Funeral Home chapel, Huntsville, with Rev. Leonard Ward and John Cross officiating. Burial followed in the Boswell Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Scotty Cross, Harold Cross, Gene Stokes, Ricky Luce, Dale Lucas, and Bubba Ward. Honorary pallbearer was Dustin Anderson.

Mrs. West died Tuesday, February 20, 2001, in Baytown. She was born in Montgomery County on February 13, 1943, to Harold and Irene Steadman. A graduate of Huntsville High School, Mrs. West was a homemaker.

Preceding her in death was her husband, Clarence West, on April 21, 1997; her father, Harold Steadman, Sr.; and a brother, Wilburn Gene Gibson.

Survivors include a son, Vernon L. Spencer and wife, Mary Ann, of Houston; two daughters, Rhonda Anderson and husband Wade of Houston and Shirley Jean Palacios of Pasadena; her mother, Irene Elizabeth Smith of Huntsville; three brothers, Harold W. Steadman, Jr. of Grangerland, Leonard Gobert of Baytown, and Eddie Sprayberry of Huntsville; four sisters, Linda Ray Gill of Oakhurst, Ruby Lee Cross of Baytown, Mary Sue Pickle of Highlands and Betty Jane Pegoda of Huntsville; along with six grandchildren and expected grandson, Vernon Spencer, Jr., and numerous nieces and nephews.
