

**CHARLES EDWARD
WESTBROOK**

Mr. Charles Edward Westbrook, Sr., age 61 of Houston, passed away August 20, 2002 ending a long and courageous battle with cancer. Mr. Westbrook was born June 9, 1941 in Houston County and had lived most of his life in Houston. Mr. Westbrook was a General Contractor in the Houston area since 1974, earning a reputation as an honest and reliable businessman and accomplished craftsman. Mr. Westbrook devoted much of his time to his farm in East Texas, providing weekends and holiday enjoyment for his family and preparing for retirement to the place he loved so much.

Preceded in death by his father Winfred Westbrook.

Survivors include his faithful wife of 43 years, Anita Westbrook; his devoted children daughter Chalotte Atkinson and husband Tommy; son Charles (Bubba) Westbrook Jr. and wife Michelle; four beloved grandchildren Jennifer and Jacob Atkinson and Sarah and Charlie III Westbrook; loving mother Gladys Westbrook; brothers Richard, Ray and Sammy Westbrook; five nephews; two nieces; a large extended family that he cherished and a host of very good friends.

Funeral services for Mr. Charles Edward Westbrook were held Thursday, August 22, at 3:00 p.m. at Earthman Resthaven Chapel with Reverend Terry Gibson officiating. Interment followed at 3:00 p.m. in Hill Cemetery in Kennard.

Pallbearers were Larry Westbrook, Greg Westbrook, Jason Westbrook, Danny Westbrook, David Westbrook, Wayne Lowry and Doug Lowry.

Serving as Honorary Pallbearers were grandsons Jacob

Atkinson and Charlie Westbrook.

Earthman Resthaven Funeral Home