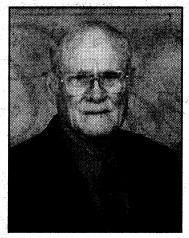
## **Troy Overton Whitesides**

Troy Overton Whitesides, of Grapeland, passed away September 29th at the age of 88. Troy was born October 31, 1914 to Charlie and Maude Whitesides in Overton, Texas.

He is preceded in death by his wife of 57 years Margarette Havard Whitesides, and son Jimmy Glenn.

He is survived by son Troy Wayne Whitesides, and wife Ginny of Houston, daughter Charlotte Wood and husband Tom of Baytown, son Terry Whitesides and wife Barbara of Highlands. He is also survived by brothers and sisters. Robert Thurman Whitesides. Whitesides, Veda Bobbit and Jessie -Shuttlesworth.

He is also survived by grandchildren Sherri, Bradley, Amy Sustaire and husband Roger, Lori Wilshire and husband Micah, Christy Dunham and husband Kelvin, Tommy



Wood and wife Janey, Cindy Owen and husband John, and Leana Whitesides.

His is also survived by 6 great-grandchildren, Jordan Bradley, Marshall Wood, Brent Owen, Julie Owen, Carli Dunham and Kegan

Sustaire.

Upon retiring from Exxon after 33 years as a carpenter, he and his wife Margarette moved to Grapeland. He was active as a deacon at the First Baptist Church of Grapeland. He spent his retirement years doing things that he enjoyed the most, raising cattle, gardening, hunting and fishing.

Pallbearers will be Tommy Wood, Jr., Gary Campbell, Neal Voytek, Roger Sustaire, Jr., Micah Wilshire, and Wallace Shuttlesworth.

Visitation was held from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, October 1st at Earthman Funeral Home in Baytown. Funeral services were today, Thursday, October 2nd at Earthman Funeral Home in Baytown at 10 a.m., graveside services immediately followed at Memory Gardens Cemetery.