

### C.J. "BLUE" WOODS

Mr. C.J. "Blue" Woods, age 72, of Grapeland, passed away Monday, Nov. 8, 1999, in veterans hospital in Temple. Mr. Woods was born Nov. 17, 1926 in Grapeland to the late Boss and Josephine Woods.

He accepted Christ at an early age. "Blue", as he was affectionately known to his friends and family, demonstrated his love for Christ throughout his life by helping whomever he could. After a brief stay in Houston, he joined the Navy and proudly served his country. At the end of World War II, the Navy transferred him to the reserves and he returned to Houston. He pursued a successful career in trucking until he was drafted into the United States Army. After the Korean War, he received an honorable discharge. In the early 70's, he relocated to Grapeland because of his love for ranching, farming and outdoors. He enjoyed fishing, hunting and trapping.

Survivors include son Myrl E. Littleton; grandchildren Shannon and Darrin Littleton; sisters Amie Hicks and Norma Brown of Houston, Constance Todd of Kansas City, Mo.; aunt Florence Jenkins of Houston.

Funeral services for Mr. Woods were held Saturday, Nov. 13, 1999, at St John Baptist Church in Grapeland at 2 p.m. with the Rev. L.T. Session officiating. Final resting place Golden Gate Cemetery, Grapeland;

Pallbearers were Gus L. Walker, Kenneth Williams, Leon Davis, Joe

L. Hicks, Wendell Warfield and Tommy Wynn.

Honorary pallbearers: Freddie Whitting, Norman Hicks, John Hicks, Dennis Toddy, Vernon Hicks and Harold Todd.

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