JAMES E. AVERY

Mr. James E. Avery, age 71 of Crockett, passed away Saturday, September 23, 2006 in the Winfield Healthcare Center in Crockett. Mr. Avery was born October 24, 1934 in Houston County and had lived all of his lifetime in this area. Mr. Avery was retired from the Texas Department of Transportation and was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church.

survivors include his daughter Rene' Stevenson and husband, Kent, of Crockett; son: James David Avery and Patsy Lucas, of Pennington; grandchildren Brad LaRue and wife Jennifer, of Wylie and Marla Rabago and husband Troy, of Austin; great-grandchildren Avery Rabago, of Austin and Dillon LaRue, of Wylie; brother Paul Avery and wife Billie, of Pasadena; special nephew Brian Avery, of Pennington; numerous other relatives.

Preceded in death by his wife Lois Ann Avery in 1995; grandson Shannon LaRue in 2001; parents P. J. and Earthie Avery; and brother Billy Avery in 2006.

Funeral services for Mr. James E. Avery were held Monday, September 25, at 10:00 a.m. in the Callaway-Allee Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Terry Gibson officiating. Interment followed in the Pennington Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Pennington Cemetery Association, C/O Sandra Lee Henderson, PO Box 216, Pennington, TX. 75856.

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