Mr. Floyd "Cob" Atkinson, age 66 of Lovelady, passed away Monday, January 11, 2010 in the Houston County Nursing Home. Mr. Atkinson was born August 8, 1943 in Houston County, Texas and was a lifetime resident of Lovelady. Mr. Atkinson had worked for Bench Mark in maintenance. He was a member of the Wooster Baptist Church in Baytown and was a former member of the Weldon Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife Janelle Atkinson, of La Porte; biological son Cleve Ford and wife Miriam of Weslaco; grandchildren Cooper, Lily and Cora Ford, of Weslaco; sisters Dorothy Weir, of Seagoville, Joyce Eklund and Willis Wilson of Splendora; brother Marvin Atkinson, of Louisville, Ky.; numerous nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Preceded in death by his parents Sara and J.L. Atkinson; brothers Lloyd Atkinson, Louis D. Atkinson, Thomas Atkinson and Rolland Atkinson; and sisters Louise Reagin, Mary Frances Thomas, Johnnie Mae Burnett and Josie Lee Moore.

Funeral Services for Mr. Floyd "Cob" Atkinson were held Thursday, January 14, 2010 at 10:30 a.m. in the Weldon Baptist Church with the Rev. Charles Butler officiating. Internment followed in the Creek Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Weldon Cemetery Association, Rt. 1 Box 211D, Lovelady, Texas 75851; Creek Cemetery Association, c/o Mary B. Lucas, 485 Briargrove, Crockett, Texas 75835 or Gideon's International, P.O. Box 1005, Crockett, Texas 75835.

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