CARRIE LEA BENNETT

Mrs. Carrie Lea Bennett, age 85 of Crockett, passed away Wednesday, February 16, 2011 at the Texas Medical Center-Crockett. Mrs. Bennett was born October 21, 1925 in Bellott, Texas and had lived in Crockett most of her lifetime. Mrs. Bennett was a member of the Phythian Sisters in Crockett. She was retired from nursing after 50 years of service. Mrs. Bennett loved watching hummingbirds, enjoyed reading and cooking for her family.

The Lord is my shepherd: I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; he leadeth me beside the still waters. Psalm 23.

Survivors include her sons Kenneth Bennett and wife Carla, of Slidell, La. and Larry Bennett and wife Myra, of Crockett; daughter Sue Sirban and husband Steve of Crockett; grandchildren, Steve Sirban, Chris Bennett, both of Crockett, Kevin Bennett, of Shreveport, La., Laura and Brian Faust, of Slidell, La., Kimberly and Randy Duhan, of Grapeeland, Jake and Yi Jia Chen Rutherford, of China, Jacey Rutherford, of Slidell, La., Stanley Freeman, of Oscoda, Mich., Nathan Freeman, of Houston and Chad and Lis Freeman, of Dallas; 10 great-grandchildren.

Preceded in death by her husband L. C. Bennett; parents Grover and Nora Bell Mintzer, brothers Grover Minter Jr. and Wendall Minter; and sisters Berta Nell Gilbert, Nora Bell Minter and Betty Sue LeRue.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Carrie Lea Bennett were held Saturday, February 19, 2011 at 2:00 p.m. in the Callaway-Allee Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Randy Shipman officiating. Interment followed in the Weches Cemetery.

Condolences for Mrs. Carrie Lea Bennett may be left at online obituaries www.callaway-allee.com.

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