

OBITUARIES

James Maurice Adams _____ August 17, 1927 - December 18, 1998

James Maurice Adams, 71, of Sheridan, passed away Friday, December 18, 1998, at his residence.

Born August 17, 1927, in Axtell, McLennan County, Texas, he was the son of James Leonard and Frances Leah Owen Adams.

Adams was raised in Jackson County and attended La Ward High School when he enlisted into military service. He served honorably with the US Navy in WWII and Korean Conflict.

Following his discharge, he worked in the oilfield a number of years and later as a security guard with Industrial Security of Houston.

He married Bertha Schueneman on August 15, 1981, in Sheridan.

He was active in the Victoria Methodist District Emmaus Group and a member of Rock Island United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Bertha Adams of Sheridan; daughter, Roxanne Lewis and husband, Kevin, of Houston; son, Mickey Adams of Baytown; sister, Margie Jones of

Winnie; brother, Everett Adams and wife, Dottie, of La Grange; grandchildren, Doug Petty, Jennifer Petty, Kristen Lewis and Candice Lewis of Houston; and a host of nieces, nephews other relatives and loved ones.

Funeral services were held Monday, December 21, at 2 p.m. from the Rock Island United Methodist Church with Rev. Paul Beard, Pastor of Rock Island United Methodist Church, and Rev. Ken Sellers Jr., Pastor of First United Methodist Church of Brackerville, officiating.

Interment followed in the Cheatham Cemetery in Sheridan.

Arrangements were under the direction of Dulany Funeral Home in Eagle Lake.

Pallbearers were James Yancey, David Parker, Jerry Greck, Lawrence Porter, George Woods and Herman Schueneman.

Honorary pallbearers were Pat Brandenburg and Eldon Ohm.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Rose Adeline Hopkins Lange

Rose Adeline Hopkins Lange, 97, of Eagle Lake, passed away Saturday, December 19, 1998, at 7:34 p.m. at Rice Medical Center.

She was born January 12, 1901, in Ravenna, Nebraska, to John D. and Minnie Pauline Wilde Hopkins.

An Eagle Lake resident since 1933, she was a very active and much involved person in the Order of the

Eastern Star; Pink Ladies and all church affairs.

She was a member and faithful servant of the First Baptist Church of Eagle Lake.

Her distinguished teaching career began in 1922 and, after retirement in 1979, Ms. Lange continued to teach home-bound students for years before her health began to fail.

Agnes Armstrong Jones _____ October 21, 1906 - December 17, 1998

Agnes Armstrong Jones, 92, of Eagle Lake, passed away Thursday, December 17, 1998, in Statesboro, Georgia.

She was born October 21, 1906, in Attala County, Mississippi.

At the age of 15, she graduated as Valedictorian from Carmack (MS) High School. She also graduated Valedictorian from Chickasaw College in Pontotoc, Mississippi, with a teaching certificate at age 17. She accepted her first teaching job in Harlan, Kentucky, before her 18th birth-

day.

She returned to teach in several communities in Mississippi, until marrying Mitchell M. (Mac) Jones on February 8, 1931, in Senatobia, Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones moved from Kosciusko to LaPorte in 1945 and to Eagle Lake in 1946.

She taught full time in Lissie in 1946 and 1947 and then served as a substitute teacher in all grades of Eagle Lake Schools throughout the mid-1960s.

During her 52 years in Eagle Lake, Ms. Jones was an active participant in many community organizations. Some of the offices she held included Worthy Matron in the Order of the Eastern Star, President of the Eagle Lake Study Club and President of the PTA.

Mrs. Jones was a prominent member of the First Presbyterian Church of Eagle Lake for all her 52 years in the community, serving as a Sunday School and Bible School teacher, leading soprano in the choir and later as both a Deacon and an Elder in the church.

Her life revolved around family, church and education. One of her passions was playing bridge, and she continued to enjoy the game until the time of her death.

In late August 1998, Mrs. Jones moved to Willow Pond, an assisted care living facility in Statesboro, Georgia. She did so on short notice and without the opportunity to say good-bye to all her many friends in Eagle Lake.

They should all know that, while she missed them greatly right up to the time of her death, she made an outstanding adjustment to her new environment and was making new friends on a daily basis.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 62 years, M.M. "Mac" Jones in 1993.

Survivors include her daughter and son-in-law, Eleanor and Ori James of Statesboro, Georgia; son and daughter-in-law, Walter and Barbara Jones of Vienna, Virginia; grandchildren, Jean James of Statesboro and Laura James of Greensboro, North Carolina; great-grandchild, Amy Hamon, attending University of Georgia; and other relatives and a host of loved ones.

Funeral services were held Monday, December 21, at 10 a.m., from the Chapel of Dulany Funeral Home in Eagle Lake with Rev. Emmett Adair, Pastor First Presbyterian Church of Eagle Lake, officiating.

Patty Stephens served as organist. Interment followed in the Masonic Cemetery in Eagle Lake.

Arrangements were under the direction of Dulany Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Joe Wendel, Eagle Lake Mayor Michael Cooper, George Cason, Walter Fmka, Bruce Waddell and Lawrence Stallman.

The family request memorials be made to the First Presbyterian Church of Eagle Lake, P.O. Box 605, Eagle Lake, Texas 77434; or the American Heart Association.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Bakers' grandson baptized

Mary and Rollin Baker proudly looked on as their grandson, Justin Thomas Baker of East Lansing, Michigan, was baptized at Christ Church Sunday, Dec. 20, with the Rev. William Houghton officiating.

Justin, whose parents are Tracy and Bruce Baker, was born in Lansing May 19, 1995. He is named for his great-great-great grandfather, Justin Baker, who served with the Continental Army in the Revolutionary War and his great grandfather, the late Thomas T. Waddell of Eagle Lake.

Justin joins his brother, Rollin, his cousin, Baker Waddell Prescott, and aunt, Betsy Baker Prescott, both of League City, his father, his uncle, Byron Baker of New York City, and his grandmother, Mary Waddell Baker, in being baptized in Christ Church.

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January 12, 1901 - December 19, 1998

She earned her Masters degree from the University of Houston.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Rupert L. Lange in 1973; son, Duane Sheridan of Hempstead; and two brothers, Elmer and Arthur Hopkins.

Survivors include a son and daughter-in-law, Hugh D. and Emy Sheridan of Eagle Lake; brother, Fred Hopkins of Houston; grandchildren, Janie Sheridan Greene and husband, C. Jack, of San Antonio, Pat John Sheridan and wife, Brenda, of Dallas, and Rupert Daniel Sheridan and wife, Michelle, of Hempstead; great-grandchildren, Christy Erin Greene of Dallas, Brian Sheridan Greene and wife, Melissa, of Gainesville, David Lee Greene and Ben and Sam Sheridan, all of Dallas; great-great granddaughter, Alexis Sheridan Greene of Gainesville; other relatives and a host of loved ones.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, December 22, at 2 p.m., from the Chapel of Dulany Funeral Home with

Rev. Brent Beasley, Pastor of First Baptist Church of Eagle Lake, officiating.

Patty Stephens served as organist. Interment followed in the Masonic Cemetery in Eagle Lake.

Arrangements were under the direction of Dulany Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Jack, David and Brian Greene; Pat and Rupert Sheridan; and Robert Griffith. Honorary pallbearers were Joe Lee McCreary, Dr. Raymond Thomas, Dr. Russell Thomas, W.H. Harrison Sr., Bill Harrison Jr., Major Bengel and J.H. Clippson Jr.

The family requests memorials be made to First Baptist Church of Eagle Lake, P.O. Box 339, Eagle Lake, Texas 77434; Rice Medical Center Auxiliary, P.O. Box 277, Eagle Lake, Texas 77434; or the Eula and David Wintermann Library, 101 N. Walnut, Eagle Lake, Texas 77434.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Rev. Lemmie McGrew Jr.

February 20, 1927 - December 13, 1998

Lemmie McGrew Jr. was born February 20, 1927, in Altair to the union of Mr. Lemmie McGrew Sr. and Ms. Mary Dancy McGrew. He was the first born of six brothers and sisters. Both parents; one sister, Lillie P. Miller; and one brother, Tommy McGrew; preceded him in death.

He attended school in the Garwood-Vox Populi area. He confessed Christ at an early age, under the leadership of Rev. W.L. Gibbs and served well.

December 17, 1945, he was united in marriage to Miss Marian V. Vann. Unto this union, four daughters were born.

Under the leadership of Rev. Leon Ford, he was chosen a deacon of the South Baptist Church and served for 21 years.

In the year of 1980, under the leadership of Rev. L.D. Smith, God called him to minister to his people. God placed him over two wonderful flocks of Christians. He lead his flock for 14 years until his health became failing; namely, The Olive Branch Baptist Church, Glidden and The New Home Garwood Baptist Church, Garwood.

In October 1997, Rev. McGrew resigned from the pulpit, but not from God. He continued to serve His Lord, not able to go to the House of Worship, but never lost faith in God. His favorite words were, "I'm not worried. I got my trust in God. God is able and He is going to take care of me."

Although the Rev. McGrew suffered many pains, he never stopped smiling and trusting in God until He called him home to be with Him in paradise, Sunday, December 13, at 9:45 a.m. at West Houston Medical Center.

Rev. McGrew leaves to cherish his memory a devoted wife, Marian; four daughters, Jannet and husband, Rev. Isiah Edwards, and Veronica McGrew Daniels of Garwood, Lemmie and husband, William Parker, of

Houston and Caryl Linnette McGrew of Houston; nine grandchildren, Teresa Christal, Mechealinda and husband, Rodney Sanford, Ron and wife, Vantrese McGrew, Twaymon and wife, Shaie Boone, Durward and wife, Armena Purdue, Isley Edwards, Audie Gilmore, DeEgra Smith and Ella Edwards; 13 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Marcella and husband, Horace Johnson, of Altair and Ezella and husband, R.C. Glover, of Fort Worth; three brothers, Henry McGrew of Eagle Lake, Leo James of Altair and Wilbert Douglas McGrew of Weimar; and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Saturday, December 19, at 11 a.m., from South Point Baptist Church in Garwood with Rev. A.J. Jones officiating.

Interment followed in the William Paradise Cemetery in Vox Populi.

Arrangements were under the direction of Ben Davis Funeral Home in Columbus.

Pallbearers were Arthur Dabney, George King, Douglas Tillman Jr., Douglas Tillman Sr., Eddie Reed and Willie Sanford.

Honorary pallbearers were Henry, Leo, Wilbert and Ron McGrew; Twaymon Boone; Durward Purdue; Isley Edwards; and Audie Gilmore.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

"We think our children a part of ourselves, though as they grow up they might very well deceive us." — Lord Halifax

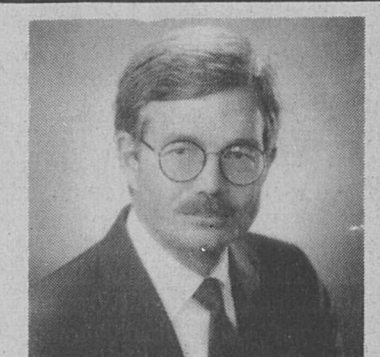
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