FANELLE SKIPPER LANSFORD

Mrs. Fanelle Skipper Lansford, age 80 of Crockett, passed away, Tuesday, March 27, 2007 in the East Texas Medical Center-Crockett. Mrs. Lansford was born August 10, 1926 in Trinity and was a lifetime resident of Crockett.

Mrs. Lansford and her husband Mike owned and operated Lansford Refrigeration Service for many years. Mrs. Lansford will be remembered as a kind gentle lady always wanting to help others in need and also for her love of African Violets and for selling Watkins Products.

Mrs. Lansford was a member of the Open Door Baptist Mission currently serving as treasurer and bookkeeper.

Survivors include her children Kathryn Louise Ward and husband Al, of Crockett, Mike McCarty Lansford, Jr. and wife Sandra, of Huntsville, Nita Anne Reed and husband Glynn, of Crockett, Carolyn Sue Cerbo and husband Robert, of Lufkin; grandchildren Amanda Louise Walling and husband Theron, of Crockett, Audra Leigh Ainsworth and husband Patric, of Lufkin, Alfred Michael Ward, of Houston, Lacy LeaAnne Lansford, of San Antonio, John Marcus Harkins and wife April, of Lufkin, Jason Wayne Lansford, of Tyler, Megan Lucile Bruner, of Lufkin, Lisa Floyd, of Grapeland, Timothy Reed and wife Stephanie, of Grapeland, Jeffrey Cerbo, David Cerbo, both of Las Vegas, Nev., Christine Bonnono and husband Jim, of East Rutherford, N. J., Jeff Attaway and wife Karen, of Las Vegas, Nev.; great-grandchildren Barrett Steed, Bradley McLendon and Cole Walling, Connor Ainsworth, Adam Ainsworth and wife Nelly and Zach Ainsworth and wife Heather, Wesley, Max and Hannah Harkins, Lindsey and Ashley Floyd, Haylee Renee Reed, Katie Isabel, Sarah and Katie Attaway; great-great-grandsons Sean Ainsworth and Dominic Powell; sister-in-law Hope Skipper, of Nacogdoches; brother-in-law John F. Lansford and wife Clara Bow, of Beeville; numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Preceded in death by her husband Mike M. Lansford, Sr.; parents John W. Skipper, Sr. and Amanda D. Skipper; brothers Jesse, Monroe, Charlie and John W. Skipper, Jr.; and sisters Jewel Friday and Reba Jordan.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Fanelle Skipper Lansford were held Saturday, March 31, at 10:00 a.m. in the Callaway-Allee Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow in the Evergreen Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Open Door Baptist Mission, 816 S. 4th Street, Crockett, TX 75835.

Callaway-Allee Funeral Home