



Laura James

November 7, 1899 - July 30, 2005

Laura Belle James, resident of Lampassas, Texas, formerly of Corsicana passed away July 30, 2005 in Temple at Scott & White Hospital at the age of 105. She was born on November 7, 1899 in Chatfield, Texas. She lived in Blooming Grove, Texas when she met J.E. James. She met him the first time when she was 16 years old (1915). Her cousin brought him to their house to pick cotton. He lived in Kerens, Texas and when he would come to see her he would ride his bicycle. She got married when she was 21 and he was 22. He was ordained in 1932 and started preaching. Edith was born that year. A baby boy Alton Edith who died at the age of 21 months old of pneumonia was born 1922. Louise (Lucy) was born in 1924 and another daughter Mary Lois was born 1928. She passed away in 1967 from a brain tumor. J.E. pastored a lot of different churches until he passed away in 1967 with leukemia. He was a pastor at Petty's Chapel, a church in Corsicana, Texas. That's where J.E. was buried. Mrs. James in preceded in death by Husband, Rev. J.E. James, Son Alton James, Daughter Mary Lois hoggatt and Floy Edith Black. She is survived by Daughter Lucy Wallace of Lampasas, 9 Grandchildren, 23 Great Grandchildren, 7 Great Great Grandchildren. Brother Emory Tipping of Dallas, Sisters Bethel Lewis and Vera Hester both of Corsicana. Visitation will be held 6-8pm Tuesday August 2, 2005 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. Services will be 10:00am Wednesday August 3, 2005 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Charles Wallace officiating. Burial will follow at Petty's Chapel Cemetery. Pallbearers are Josh Wallace, Jordan Wallace, Aaron

Barton, Turner Barton, John Smith, Shawn Bender. Arrangements by Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Corsicana Texas.

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