



## Albert T. "Square" Melton

February 8, 1914 - January 9, 2011

Albert T. "Square" Melton was born February 8, 1914 in the Griffin Chapel Community. The second child of Albert and Edna (Stovall) Melton. He attended school in Griffin Chapel and Aycock High School in Rockdale. He enjoyed his life as a farmer, construction worker, farm labor contractor and a salesman of scrapmetal and produce. He was an avid reader of the newspaper and western novels. Square was a member of Pecan Street Church of Christ in Rockdale. He and Viola Nichols were married and to this union two sons were raised. He later shared life with Lovie Flemings and to this union two daughters and a son were raised. In June 1971, he and Mary Lois Watkins were married and to this union seven children were raised. Square passed away Sunday afternoon, January 9, 2011 reaching the age of 96. He was preceded in death by his parents; A son, Elbert Melton; Two grandsons, Billy Joe Melton and Michael Watkins; Daughter-in-law, Rose Melton. Four brothers, Hezekiah Calhoun, George Melton, Robert (Bob) Melton and Edgar Glass; Two sisters, Willie Mae Melton and Mamie Melton. Surviving; His loving, devoted wife, Mary Lois Melton of Milano. Eleven children, Albert Melton, Sr. of Dallas, Inell Moore of Lubbock, Edna Mae Douglas of Altis, Oklahoma, Lawrence Melton of Lubbock, George Watkins and wife Ann of Huntsville, Rosie Watkins of Rockdale, Ezra McGowan of Cameron, Bobby McGowan and wife Brenda fo Cameron, Katherine Melton of Cameron, Carla Melton of Milano, Douglas Melton and wife Seleta of Milano. Sister, Lillian Moore and husband William of Griffin Chapel. 50 grandchildren,

33 great grandchildren and 12 great great grandchildren, a host of nephews, nieces, cousins and other relative and friends. Services are scheduled for 11:00 AM Saturday, January 15, 2011 in the Pecan Street Church of Christ in Rockdale. Burial will follow in the Griffin Chapel Cemetery. Visitation will be 2PM to 5PM Friday, January 14, 2011 at the funeral home. Pallbearers: C.J. Washington, Robert Clayton, Billy Tindle, Daniel Castaneda, Marfett Kelley, Darrell Moore. Honorary pallbearers: Jermane Watkins, Corey Watkins, Albert Melton, III, Winston Nelson, Ezra McGowan, Bobby McGowan.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Albert T. "Square" Melton*

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