

William Parks dies at age 77, rites Saturday

AZLE—William Franklin Parks, 77, of Azle, a retired field supervisor for Mobil Oil Co., died Thursday in a hospital after a heart attack.

Parks was a native of Eastland County and had lived in Tarrant County since 1950. He was a Mason and a member of the Walnut Creek Baptist Church at Reno.

Surviving are his wife, Lorene; a stepson, Tommy Green of Atlanta, Ga.; a stepdaughter, Betty Earthman of Vernon; two sisters, Mrs. Beullah Long of La Habra, Calif. and Mrs. Clydene Pence of Ojai, Calif.; grandson, Larry James, Fort Worth; step-grandchildren, Jeffery Earthman, San Antonio, Merrell Earthman, Vernon, Elizabeth Green, Atlanta, Georgia.

Funeral will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at Walnut Creek Baptist Church with Masonic graveside services at Alameda Cemetery in Eastland County.