

Juanita Blackwell

RANGER - Juanita Blackwell, 86, of Ranger passed away on Friday at a local nursing home. Services will be 2 p.m. Sunday at Mesquite and Rusk Streets Church of Christ. Burial will follow in Alameda Cemetery under the direction of Edwards Funeral Home in Ranger, Texas.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Saturday from 6 pm to 7 pm.

Mrs. Blackwell was born on May 30, 1918 in Eastland County, Texas to Jesse and Leora (Jones) McGaha. She was a graduate of Carbon High School. She met and married J. B. Blackwell on December 24, 1943 in Ranger, Texas and he preceded her in death on May 12, 1970. She was a homemaker and a member of the Mesquite and Rusk St. Church of Christ.

Mrs. Blackwell is survived by her daughter Gay Nell Burnett and husband Jim of Lake Leon; son, Larry Don Blackwell and wife, Jan of Bedford, Tx.; sister, Jo Johnson of Odessa, Tx.; eight grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of the Big Country, 4601 Hartford, Abilene, Tx., 79605.