

BETTY JOYCE HOLLEY

Betty Joyce Holley, 68, of Bridgeport, died September 19, 2006 in Decatur.

Mrs. Holley was born November 1, 1937 in Abilene to Claude and Ruby Pike Niblett. She was a homemaker and co-founder of Bridgeport Tank Trucks. She married Lawrence Holley on June 8, 1955 in Bridgeport. Together they founded Bridgeport Tank Trucks in 1975. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, Cottondale and the Bridgeport Civic Club. She was preceded in death by her parents; brother, Gene Niblett; and her sister, Claudine (Tommye) Foreman.

Survivors include her husband of 51 years, Lawrence Holley of Bridgeport; daughter, Jan Holley Cook and husband Leslie of Bridgeport; sons, David L. Holley and wife Rhonda, Ronald W. Holley and wife Millie and Randal S. Holley and wife Gale, all of Bridgeport; grandchildren, Brian, Brad, Jason and Kristen, Casey, Michelene, Michelle, Sommer, Rider, Kenneth and

Michael; great-grandchildren, Cole Kyler, Kalista, Kalliope, Tanner, Courtland and Tim; and sisters, Inez White, Lorene Gentry, Imogene Gentry and Edna Wood.

Funeral service was September 21, 2006 at the First Baptist Church in Cottondale with Rev. Charles Pugh and Terry Terry officiating. Interment was at the Boonsville Cemetery. Pallbearers were Brian Holley, Brad Holley, Jason Holley, Rider Holley, Michael Cook, Chris Sargent, Matthew Baird, Josh Slimp and Kenneth Cook. The family request in lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Cottondale First Baptist Church Building Fund.

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