

## ETHEL OWENS

LAMAR - Services were at 2 p.m. Friday at Lohmeyer-Konantz Funeral Home, Lamar, for Ethel M. Buzzard Owens, 89, Lamar, who died at 1 a.m. Wednesday at a local nursing home after a long illness. The Rev. Bob McQueen officiated.

Burial was in Memory Gardens Cemetery.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

Contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association, in care of the funeral home.

Survivors include five sons, Lee Buzzard and Harvey Buzzard, both of Lamar, Wayne Buzzard, Grove, Okla., Harold Blades, Republic; and Donald Blades, Strafford; two stepsons, Calvin Owens, Springfield, and L.D. Owens, state of Texas; three stepdaughters, Lorene Winningham, Lamar, Betty Johnson, Stockton, Calif., and Florene Scherer, Moline, Ill.; two brothers, Marion White, Lamar, and Richard White, Twin Falls, Idaho; 19 grandchildren; and 23 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Owens was born Feb. 11, 1904, in Lamar to Charley and

Nanney (Crockett) White. She was a lifelong area resident. She was a homemaker and a member of the United Methodist Church, Lamar.

She was preceded in death by husbands William Blades, Roy "Dick" Buzzard, and E.J. Owens.