

# OBITUARIES

## Louis Beard

Services for Louis Beard of Brookhaven are 1 p.m., Wednesday, March 13, at New Hope M. B. Church with burial in New Hope Cemetery.

Visitation is Tuesday, March 12, from noon until 7 p.m. with family hour from 7-8 p.m. at Williams Mortuary.

Mr. Beard, 81, died March 7, 1996, at his residence. He was born in Lincoln County on Dec. 12, 1914, to the late Ida Nelson and James Beard.

He was a retired employee of Hartman-Henderson Funeral Home and a member of New Hope M. B. Church.

Preceding him in death were his wife, Amy Beard; his son, John Henry Beard; and several brothers and sisters.

Survivors are his sons, Louis Beard Jr. of Lansing, Mich., James Ray Beard of Dallas, Texas, Ken Lewis of Brookhaven, and Gregory Lewis of Coppeas Cove, Texas; his daughters, Latrell Sanders, Eddie J. Beard, and Glenda Lewis, all of Brookhaven, and Anita Collins of Chicago, Ill.; his brothers, Joe Beard of Chicago, Ill., and R. T. Beard of California; 17 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.