



Gary Kent Allen

February 1, 2008

Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford

Gary Kent Allen, 68, died Friday, February 1, 2008 at his residence in Lafayette County, MS.

Mr. Allen had lived in the Lafayette County area his entire life. A veteran of the U.S. Army, he was self-employed as a heavy equipment operator. Mr. Allen was a member of the Gideons and a member of Shiloh Baptist Church.

Visitation will be held Saturday, February 2, 2008 from 5:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. at Coleman Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held Sunday, February 3, 2008, at 2:00 p.m. at Shiloh Baptist Church with Bro. Ken White officiating. Interment will be in the Shiloh Cemetery located in Lafayette County, MS. Coleman Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Joan Bray Allen of Thaxton, MS; two sons, Gregory Allen of Birmingham, AL and Brian Allen of Olive Branch, MS; four sisters, Marie Russell of Thaxton, MS, Mary Seabury of San Diego, CA, Ruth Sneed of Belden, MS and Patricia Sheffield of Saltillo, MS; two brothers, Donald Allen and Gayle Allen, both of Oxford, MS; two grandchildren.

Mr. Allen was preceded in death by his parents, Grady and Ruth Allen; three

brothers, George Lee Allen, Dewayne Allen and Gene Allen.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Gideons, P.O. Box 142,
Oxford, MS 38655.