

Odis Melton
Construction worker

GORMAN - Odis L. Melton of Merkel, a former Gorman resident, died Wednesday in Merkel. He was 69.

Funeral will be at 2 p.m. today at Higginbotham Funeral Home in Gorman. Burial will be in Alameda Cemetery, north of Gorman in Eastland County.

Mr. Melton was born in Eastland County. He was a construction worker and was a Baptist.

Survivors: Wife, Betty Lou Melton of Merkel, son, Eric Melton of Merkel; brother, Curtis Melton of Galveston; two sisters, Velma Carr of Gorman and Dorothy Crouch of Malakoff; and nine grandchildren.