

#### CASKET BEARERS

James Zimmerman  
Elester Zimmerman  
Joe Winston Rischer

Herman Rischer, Jr.  
Don Rischer  
Leon Rischer

#### HONORARY BEARERS

Sylvester Rischer, Jr.  
Ned Craw  
Bault Keaton

Sylvester Bonner  
Fred Polk  
Ulyseus Perkins

#### FLOWER BEARERS

Choir

#### INTERMENT

Rhode Island Cemetery

Will those driving in the funeral procession  
kindly turn on headlights for safety.

#### DORSEY-KEATTS FUNERAL HOME

211 North Belknap Street  
Mexia, Texas



## In Loving Memory

—OF—

MRS. KATIE MAE RISCHER



†SERVICE†

Friday, January 1, 1982 — 1:00 P. M.

JONES CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Reverend J. D. Brown, Pastor - Officiating



## ORDER OF SERVICES

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN OF COMFORT

PRAYER — Rev. A. M. Mayes

SCRIPTURE

SONG — Mammie Day

OBITUARY — (Read Silently, Soft Music)

RESOLUTION — (Rhode Island United Methodist Church) — Buby Gibson

SELECTION — R. D. Carter & Walter Tolliver

REMARKS — Limit 2 Minutes

SOLO — Eva Lois McIveen

EULOGY — Rev. J. D. Brown

RECESSIONAL

SUNRISE

November 8, 1920

SUNSET

December 27, 1981



*"A winner never quits and a quitter never wins."*

### THE 23RD PSALM

*The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.*

*He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:  
He leadeth me beside the still waters.*

*He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness  
for His name's sake.*

*Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I  
will fear no evil: for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy  
staff they comfort me.*

*Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:  
Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.*

*Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my  
life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.*

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Katie Mae Smith Rischer, daughter of Mr. Horace Lee Smith and the late Vera Phillips, was born November 8, 1920 in Buffalo, Texas, where she spent her early childhood and soon moved to Mexia, Texas. At the age of eight she moved to Kerens where she attended Booker T. Washington High School, there she graduated. Katie attended Samaria Baptist Church in Samaria during her life in Kerens.

Later after her marriage to Joe Columbus Rischer, she joined Rhode Island United Methodist to be with her husband.

To this union were born fourteen children, one preceded her in death, Mary Eliza.

Her survivors: Husband, Joe Columbus Rischer; Father, Horace Lee Smith, Sr.; Step-mother, Beatrice Smith; 1 Sister, Bobbie Spiller, Houston, Texas; 1 Brother, Horace Lee Smith, Jr., who preceded her in death. Thirteen living Children, Bobby F. Rischer, Vernice Foster, Mervie Chandler, Vera Miner, George Rischer, Fort Worth, Texas, Betty Jones, Carlton Rischer, Columbus Rischer, Jr., Horace Rischer, Wanice Rischer, Fairfield, Texas, Jimmy Rischer, Katie Marie Rischer, Dallas, Texas, Carol McDonald, Trinidad, Texas; Seventeen grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, four uncles, three aunts preceded her in death.