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Rollie Mills, 78

Rollie Mills, 78, of California, MO, died Friday, March 25, 1994, at Cooper County Memorial Hospital in Boonville. Funeral services were Sunday with the Rev. Ivan Dameron and Dr. Loren Belt officiating. Burial was in the Masonic Cemetery in California.

Mr. Mills was born July 7, 1915 in Pilot Grove, MO, to Thomas R. and Florence Cartner Mills, who preceded him in death. He married Virginia A. Simmons on Sept. 6, 1936 in Camdenton, MO, and she preceded him in death on Aug. 6, 1984. He then married Eileen Seidel Hunziker on Sept.. 14, 1985, and she survives of the home. He was a well-known business man in the California vicinity. He was a longtime trucker and operated Mills feed store. In 1957 he opened Mills service station and retired in 1978. Mr. Mills was a member of the Salem Baptist Church north of California, where he served as an usher and he was a member of the Senior Adult Sunday school class.

Survivors include two sons, Jerry Mills of Odessa, MO., and Thomas Mills of Blue Springs, MO; two daughters, Judy Rosenmiller of Bowling Green, MO., and Kathy Hoelscher of Holts Summit, MO; one step-son, Donald Hunziker of Centertown, MO; two sisters, Helen Young of Sedalia, MO, and Bernice Shannon of Pekin, II; seven grandchildren, three step-grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by two sisters.

Memorials are suggested to Salem Baptist Church or the California Masonic Cemetery Fund.

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