Leger, Gene

Gene A. Leger, 65, died at 1:33 a.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 25, 2003. He was a native of Eunice, La. He moved to Holmwood, La. in 1943 and he lived there for 21 years. He was a graduate of Bell City High School, where he lettered in football, basketball and track. He served in the Air Force in Port Austin from 1958 to 1960. He was a farmer for 37 years before retiring. Survivors include his wife, Ruth Ann Courtney Leger of Lake Charles, La.; three sons, Joe Leger and his wife, Angie, of Iowa, Charlie Leger and his wife, Tonda, of Holmwood, La. and Mark Leger and his wife, Donna, of Lake Charles, La.; two daughters, Marie Wilde and her husband, Mark, of Ball, La. and Cindy L. Scharff and her husband, Gary, of Ardoin Cove, La.; one brother, Mike Leger and his wife, Edna Mae, of Holmwood; two sisters, Catherine Courville and her husband, John, Jackie Thibodeaux and her husband, Junior, all of Holmwood; 15 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his father and mother, Willy and Olive Leger. The funeral was conducted on Thursday, Feb. 27, 2003, in Louisiana.