

R. D. Hart

EASTLAND — R.D. Hart, 52, of Eastland, farmer and rancher, died at 10:40 a.m. Friday at Eastland Memorial Hospital. Services will be at 2 p.m. today at Bethel Baptist Church.

The Rev. Haston Brewer, chaplain at Hendrick Medical Center, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Dale Noska, pastor of Bethel Baptist Church. Burial will be at Eastland Cemetery, directed by Bakker Funeral Home in Eastland.

Born May 22, 1933, in Gorman, he married Betty Jo Carroll April 2, 1958, in Abilene. He grew up in the Alameda community and attended Gorman public schools. He was a retired farmer and rancher and was active in the Eastland County 4-H Club. He was Eastland County Farmer of the Year in 1976. He was a member of the Bethel Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Truett Hart of Eastland; two brothers, Jack Hart of Eastland and Carter Hart of Corsicana; three sisters, Foye Mahaffey of El Paso, Wanda Donohue of Coweta, Oklahoma, and Beth Ragsdale of Colleyville; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be George Austin, Bill Brown, Troy Cross, Walter Spradling, John Kidd and Billy D. Walton.