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### **BANKSTON, HELEN JENNIE ALFORD**

A retired school teacher and a resident of Hammond, she died Thursday, June 7, 2001, at Hammond Nursing Home. She was 97 and a native of Montegut. Visiting was at Harry McKneely & Son Funeral Home, Hammond, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Friday. Visiting at the funeral home chapel from 9 a.m. until religious services at 10 a.m. Saturday, conducted by the Rev. Lonnie Wascom. Interment in Lanier Cemetery, Loranger. Survived by a son, daughter-in-law and granddaughter, William Henkel Bankston Jr., Gretchen Gerstner Bankston and Merrill Jane Bankston, all of Baton Rouge; two sisters, Charity Johnson, Lake Charles, and Lillian McFarland, Houston; and a sister-in-law, Yvonne Alford, Hammond. Pre-ceeded in death by husband, William Henkel Bankston; a grandson, William Henkel Bankston III; three sisters, Haidee Reeves, Lucille Cole and Mary Cory; three brothers, Clyde Alford, Bailey Alford Jr. and Eulon Alford; and parents, Bailey and Jennie Brumfield Alford. She was a member of Immanuel Baptist Church, Hammond.

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