

Mrs. L. B. Willis, 92, Dies at Abilene; Funeral Here

Mrs. L. B. Willis, 92, a former resident of Denton, died at the home of her son, Tom Willis, in Abilene Thursday night and the body is to arrive here at 9:15 A. M. for burial Saturday.

Mrs. Willis had been in feeble health for several years and her death was not unexpected.

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Mrs. L. B. Willis of Abilene Buried in Denton Saturday

Commitment services for Mrs. L. B. Willis, 96, of Abilene, who died there Thursday night, were held at the I. O. O. F. cemetery here Saturday morning. Mrs. Willis, widow of the late Dr. Willis, was for many years a resident of Denton, where the family were pioneers, and moved to Abilene more than 30 years ago. She was an aunt of Mrs. Emory C. Smith of Denton.

The services were in charge of Rev. Sam Black, pastor of the Methodist Church, of which she had been a member since childhood. Funeral services were held at Abilene Friday. The pall-bearers were John H. Cleveland, L. L. Fry, Will Williams, Fred Keyte, George M. Hopkins, R. A. Sledge, W. C. Orr and Will C. Edwards.

Those here from out of town to attend the burial were Miss Sallie Willis of Fort Worth, Tom Willis of Abilene and John T. Willis of Waco.

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