

Horace Elmer (Bud) Brock and Mary Louise Hinote

MARY LOUISE HINOTE

Feb. 13, 1911 - Dec. 9, 1991

Horace Elmer (Bud) Brock was born August 24, 1906 in Santa Rosa Co., Fl.. He was the son of William Leonard Brock and Alva Delia Summerlin. Mary Louise Hinote was born Feb.13, 1911 in Santa Rosa Co, Fl. She was the daughter of James Henry Hinote and Annie Mae Cooper. Bud and Louise were married July 25, 1930 in Milton, Fl.

There were three sons from this marriage. Jimmie, who resides in Milton and is retired from the U.S. Postal Service. Jerauld, who is a Church of Christ minister in Jackson, Ms. and works for the Post Office and Johnnie, who retired from Delchamps and died on July 19, 1999.

Bud worked in the turpentine woods with his father until he married. They then moved to Pensacola and he worked as a carpenter and other odd jobs. About 1937 Bud went to work at the Southern Hide, Wool and Junk Co. on Palafox Street in Pensacola. He installed the scales for weighing in the trucks. The owner was so impressed with his abilities that he hired him as manager of the junk company. While working there, he built Direct Plumbing Supplies. This was started by buying excess plumbing items from Pensacola Naval Air Station. Bud worked there until he had to retire in 1955 because of a brain tumor. Bud died May 11, 1974 and is buried in Strickland cemetery.

Louise was primarily a mother and homemaker. After Bud retired she worked at A & W Rootbeer in Milton to supplement the family income. She retired in 1974. Louise died December 9, 1991. She is buried in Strickland cemetery.

Bud and Louise were instrumental in starting and building Ensley Church Of Christ in Pensacola. At their death they were members of the Bagdad Church of Christ in Bagdad, Fl.

Written by: Jimmie Leonard Brock, son of Mary Louisa Hinote and Horace Elmer (Bud) Brock. 2002