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Haggard-Sefton & Hirschy Funeral Home. Burial will take place in the Decatur Cemetery. Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church. To sign our guest book, click on www.haggardandsefton.com

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