

The Brazos County Historical Commission cordially invites you to the

## Rock Prairie School and Church

Marker Dedication on Sunday, November 22, 1992 12:00 noon

Rock Prairie Baptist Church 105 Rock Prairie Rd. E. College Station, Tx.

## Program

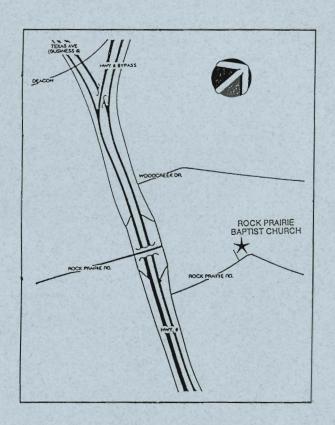
...... Dr. Charles Schultz, Welcome ..... Chairman, Brazos County Liwoedten Historical Commission Recognition of Quests ...... Dr. Gary Halter, Chairman, College Station Historic Preservation Committee Comments about the Rock Prairie School and Church ...... Brief Remarks by members of the church Clarice Royder Presentation ..... Church Member of the Marker ..... Bendictor

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## ROCK PRAIRIE SCHOOL AND CHURCH

GERMAN IMMIGRANT ADAM ROYDER (D.1894) DONATED ONE ACRE OF LAND HERE FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES IN 1891. A ONE-ROOM SCHOOLHOUSE WAS CONSTRUCTED WHERE AREA STUDENTS RECEIVED INSTRUCTION THROUGH THE SEVENTH GRADE. THE ROCK PRAIRIE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH WAS ORGANIZED IN THE SCHOOLHOUSE IN 1900, AND CHURCH SERVICES WERE SUBSEQUENTLY HELD THERE, AS WELL. THE ROCK PRAIRIE SCHOOL WAS DISCONTINUED IN 1919 AFTER IT WAS CONSOLIDATED WITH THE NEARBY SHILOH SCHOOL, BUT THE SCHOOLHOUSE CONTINUED TO SERVE AREA BAPTISTS AS A HOUSE OF WORSHIP.





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