

# NARRATIVE TEXTS

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*Camp meeting, Nueces River, 1890s*

## Faith

In all times and for all immigrants to Texas—from the earliest American Indians to the arrivals of today—faiths and organized religious groups helped Texans to find their way, settle, and survive in hard times and good times. In celebration of their faith, many Texans support religious denominations with pride and passion from the cradle to the grave.



*The funeral of Lebanese Reverend Elias Negem at St. George Maronite Catholic Church, San Antonio, 1939*



*Grave of Joseph Moravietz, Polish American veteran of the Civil War, St. Stanislaus Cemetery, Bandera*

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*Confirmation class photo of Temple B'nai Israel, Galveston, c. 1926; Rabbi Henry Cohen is seated in the center.*



*Mexican nativity scene, or nacimiento, Institute of Texan Cultures, San Antonio, 1972*



*Large Catholic yard shrine constructed in Corpus Christi, 1999*

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*Muslim women at prayer on Eid  
al-Adha, Houston, July 2, 1990*