

# Houstonite Charged In Murder

HOUSTON (UPI) —A heavily tattooed laborer was charged Wednesday with the knife slaying of Aniceto Cheto Guerrero, known widely among Houston Latin Americans as a man who had no enemies.

The 21-year-old suspect has the letters "love" tattooed on the fingers of one hand and those of "hate" on the other hand. He sullenly denied the killing and said he didn't know the victim.

Charges were filed against David Gonzales Meza after he was identified in a police showup as the man who fled from the scene of the killing early Sunday.

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# Irvingite's Father Dies In Fort Worth

Funeral services for P. A. Haley, 63, of Fort Worth were held in that city Tuesday morning at 10. He was the father of Robert Haley, 209 W. 14th, Irving.

Mr. Haley, who had been a Fort Worth resident since 1919, died Sunday. He was a sheet metal worker for Machine Fabricating Company.

In addition to the son in Irving, he is survived by his wife; a son, C.A. Haley, Ft. Worth; a daughter, Mrs. Mina Russell, Ft. Worth; two sisters, three brothers, and four grandchildren.

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**KILLED** - United Nations' Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold was killed in the crash of an airplane in the Congo. The 56-year-old Swedish diplomat was enroute to a meeting with Moïse Tshombe, president of the Katanga government whose men have been battling U. N. troops.

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## Irvingite's Mother Dies

— Mrs. V. M. Hampton, 77, of Tatum, mother of Retus (Dick) Williams of Irving, died in Longview in Sheppard Hospital on May 8.

Also surviving are her husband, another son, three daughters and 11 grandchildren.

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# Hand Rites Are Held on Saturday

Mrs. R.L. Hand, 89, a former Fort Worth resident who had been living with her son, John A. Beckley, 1428 S. Irving Heights for the last four years, was buried at Greenwood in Fort Worth Saturday. She died in a Dallas hospital Friday.

Mrs. Hand, a native of Dublin, Ireland, had lived in Fort Worth for about 70 years. She came with her parents to the United States in 1881. She was a member of Bethel Temple in Fort Worth.

Survivors include two sons, John A. Beckley of Irving and Roy Burns of Los Angeles; three stepdaughters, Mmes. Katherine Torres, Lavina Sisson and Cora Lee Goode, all of Fort Worth; three grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

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# Dead Man Taken Off Train Here

Albert Hansen, 77, of McCook, Neb., was pronounced

dead here at 2:45 p.m. Friday after his body was discovered aboard a passenger train between Dallas and Irving. Peace Justice Glen Davies said that apparent cause of death was a coronary occlusion.

The body of the man was found in an apparent state of death by the conductor at 2:10 p.m. The train had left Dallas at 1:54 p.m., and the conductor, C. C. Piper of Wichita Falls, said the man seemed in a "jolly mood" when the train left Dallas.

Three women, Mrs. Bob Hill of Thatcher, Colo., Mrs. Ed Chaisson and Mrs. Calvin Solar, both of Norman City, La., said they thought perhaps the man had been dead since the train had left Dallas. He had not changed his seating position since that time, they said.

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# FORMER SLAVE MAY GET PAUPER'S BURIAL

SAN ANTONIO (UPI) -- Mrs. Amanda 'Aunt Mandy' Harris, a 117-year-old former slave who died last Monday, may get a pauper's burial in a pine box.

Mrs. Harris left a total estate of \$8.50.

Some of her relatives came to see her about two years ago, but officials at the old folks' home where she died haven't been able to find any of her relatives.

They said Mrs. Harris would be given a pauper's burial, tentatively arranged for Friday morning.

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**Services Set  
For Father Of  
Rupurt Harris**

H.J. Harris, father of former Irvingite Rupurt Harris, will be buried in Restland Park today following funeral services at the Gaston Ave. Baptist Church at 2 p.m.

He lived at 7547 Greenbriar in Dallas. Rupurt Harris is also of Dallas.

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# Father of Jerry Harrison Buried in Daingerfield

G.W. Harrison of Daingerfield, father of Jerry Harrison of Irving, was buried Sunday in Daingerfield. He died Friday at Hospital of the Pines in Lone Star at the age of 87.

Besides his son, he is survived by his wife, Mrs. Faye Currie Harrison; one daughter, Mrs. William Hadlock of Marshall; and four grandchildren.

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# Jessie Hart Rites Held

Funeral services for Mrs. Jessie S. Hart, 82; mother of Mrs. Pauline Dagley, 4002 N. Greenview, were held Tuesday at Bonham. ~~Interment was at Willow Wild Cemetery there.~~

Survivors include a son, Ernest Hart, Bonham; five daughters, Mrs. Marie Atkins, Carson; Mrs. Alice Baker, Elwood; Mrs. Lonnie Cooper, Bonham; Mrs. Cronie Walls, Telephone; and Mrs. Dagley.

A native of Griffin, Ga., Mrs. Hart resided at Bonham for many years.

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# Irving Man's Father Passes

Funeral services were held Saturday at First Methodist Church, McKinney, for R. L. Hays, 83. He was a retired Collin County farmer. He died Friday in a McKinney hospital. Burial was in Restland Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, five daughters and three sons, one of whom is Kenneth Hays of Irving. Two sisters also survive.

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# Hemingway Buried In Beloved Peaks

BY RICHARD CHARNOCK  
KETCHUM, Idaho (UPI) -

Ernest Hemingway was buried Thursday in the soil of the western mountains he loved and near the home where he wrote much of his prize-winning literature.

The white-bearded novelist, short story writer and war correspondent, dead at 61 of a self inflicted shotgun blast, was laid to rest under a blanket of red roses alongside the grave of one of his closest friends.

It was a simple, private graveside service attended only by Hemingway's fourth wife, Mary, members of his

immediate family and a few invited friends.

Mrs. Hemingway, making her first public appearance since her husband's death early Sunday, came to tiny Ketchum public cemetery only a minute before a hearse arrived from Bailey, Idaho, with the body.

Wearing a plain black jersey dress, a black hat without a veil and dark glasses, she held the arm of her son John as they walked to chairs beside the grave. Hemingway's other two sons, Gregory and Patrick, accompanied them.

Hemingway's three sisters, his brother and a nephew sat on the opposite side of the grave as services were conducted by the Rev. Robert J. Walkmann, Roman Catholic pastor of St. Charles Church in Hailey and of Our Lady of the Snows in Ketchum.

The service, which was not a formal Catholic ceremony, began at 1:22 p.m. EDT and lasted 24 minutes.

Hemingway was killed by the twin blast of a double-barreled 12-gauge shotgun in the foyer of his three-story Ketchum home.

Mrs. Hemingway said he had been cleaning the gun. The coroner, McGoldrick, said he died of "a self-inflicted gunshot wound" in the head. He said that "people can make up their own minds" whether it was an accident or suicide.

Other members of the family attending the funeral, together for the first time in more than 30 years, were his three sisters, Mrs. Sterling Sanford, Grosse Pointe, Mich., Mrs. Ursula Jepson, Honolulu, and Mrs. Ernest Miller, Petoskey, Mich., and a brother, Leicester Hemingway of Miami.

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# Teenagers Kill Two Brothers

CONYERS, Ga., (UPI) -- A girl two teen-age brothers had been dating lured them into an automobile Wednesday night and they were taken for a gangland-style death ride by

a jealous suitor, police said Thursday.

The victim--Douglas Wayne Henderson, 16, and his 15-year-old brother, William Thomas were driven to a lonely spot near a religious camp ground, hobbled with leg-chains and blasted with a 16-gauge shotgun.

A third boy, James Michael Flanagan, 16, was lined up against the car with his friends, but his wounds were not fatal and he crawled away for help while the bodies of his companions were being dumped in a well.

Authorities jailed 20-year-old Charles Byrd and 15-year-old Dorothy Bradford in connection with the shootings. Also taken into custody was ~~Byrd's 15-year-old brother, Richard.~~

Rockdale County Sheriff W. T. Wallace said no charges were placed immediately but the juveniles were held in the county jail here. Byrd whisked to the Dekalb County jail at Decatur.

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# Rites Today For Aunt Of Irvingite

Funeral services will be held today at 2:30 p.m. in Black's Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Nora Adele Hendry, 924 N. Winnetka of Dallas, aunt of Jim Black of Irving. Interment will be in Laurel Land in Dallas.

Other survivors are her husband, Maxwell T. Hendry; a son, D.J. Hendry of Dallas; her mother, Mrs. Jess Woodley; a sister, Mrs. Jessie May Beggs. She lived in Dallas 21 years and was a member of Kessler Park Methodist Church.

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# Henry Rites Set Saturday

HURST -- Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday for Mrs. A. N. Henry 85 of Arlington, mother of Mrs. Opal Crenshaw of Hurst, at the Abram Church of Christ in Arlington with burial in Parkdale Cemetery.

A native of Tennessee, Mrs. Henry, died Friday at her home after a long illness.

Survivors include six other daughters; three sons; 12 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; four brothers and one sister.

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**W.H. Hensley**  
**Rites Planned**  
**For Thursday**

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 10:30 a.m. at Sowers' Church of Christ for William Henry Hensley, 84, who died early Tuesday in a Dallas hospital. He had been ill for some time. Mr. Hensley lived on W. Shady Grove Rd.

Burial will be in Laurel Land.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mae Bell Hensley; three daughters, Mrs. T.S. Hensley, Corpus; Mrs. Joan Drake, Dallas; Mrs. Harry Butler, New York; sons, W.C. Hensley, Dallas; T.G. Tinsley, Dallas; Al K. Weact, W.L. Bush, R.N.S. Archiball, and A.L. Bryant; 10 grandchildren, five great-children. He was a member of Sowers Church of Christ.

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# Hickman Rites Set Saturday

IRVING. — Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 at Black Funeral Home for Mrs. Sadie Jane Hickman, 84, 315 E. Cason, who died Thursday in Corsicana Memorial Hospital.

Survivors include six daughters; Mrs. John Bogart of Irving, Mrs. E.C. Carson of Dallas, Mrs. E.E. Burkhalter of Childress, Mrs. B.J. Travis of Corsicana; Mrs. Walter Bond of Dallas, and Mrs. Florence Elliott, Greenville; two sons, W.M. Hickman of Wichita Falls and Clarence M. Hickman of Childress.

Burial will be in Western Heights in Dallas.

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# Rites Today For Victim Of Shooting

Funeral services will be held today at 11 a.m. in First Baptist Church for Richard Don Higginbotham, 1440 Abbott, who was killed in an accidental shooting Wednesday at Kirtland, Tex. Rev. Henry Kinkeade will officiate, and interments will be in Oak Grove Memorial Park.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.O. Higginbotham; a sister, Lasona Higginbotham; a brother, Werner Higginbotham; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Werner of Kirtland; great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. McCord of Quinlan.

The 15-year-old Bowie Junior High School student was shot in an accident while hunting with his younger brother. Relatives of the boy told police that the gun held by the younger boy accidentally discharged.

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**Monday Rite  
For Brother  
Of Irvingite**

Burial was in Grove Hill Memorial Park for Guy E. Harper, 57, brother of Mrs. Eya High of Irving.

He is survived by his wife, Stella; a son, Thomas; one brother, Roy of Gilmer; two sisters, Mrs. J.R. Coffman of Dallas and Mrs. High of Irving. Dr. Fred Edger of Oak Lawn Methodist Church conducted funeral services at the Welland - Merritt Funeral Chapel on Monday.

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# Irvingite Drowns In Lake Grapevine

Jimmy Lee Hill, 24, 1010 E. Shady Grove Rd. was drowned Tuesday afternoon when the boat he was driving swerved and pitched him out into Grapevine Lake.

Hill was fishing with two other men near Twin Coves Resort. His companions were making coffee on the bank and Hill went for a ride in the boat. He was returning to shore when the boat turned sharply and threw him over the back of the boat. The boat continued across the lake and Hill floundered in the water. The two men on the shore swam out to him, but he was going down for the third time just before they reached him.

He was in the water about an hour and 15 minutes. Grapevine volunteer fire department members recovered the body about 50-60 feet from shore where he went down. The

water was estimated to be 10-12 feet deep at that location, which is northwest of the dam.

Hill was married and the father of four children, officers said. Funeral arrangements are pending at Black's Funeral Home.

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# Hill Rites Scheduled For Today

Funeral services will be held in Black's Funeral Chapel at 11 a.m. Thursday for Jimmy Lee Hill, 24, of 1010 E. Shady Grove, who drowned in Grapevine Lake Tuesday afternoon in a boating accident.

Rev. R. E. Strong, pastor of Gospel Tabernacle Church, will officiate. Interment will be in Elm Grove Cemetery in Westminster, Tex.

Mr. Hill was employed by Fry Roofing Co.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Paula Hill; four daughters, Dorinda Hill, Sonja Hill, Regina Hill and Angela Hill; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hill of Dallas; a sister, Mrs. Laquetia Cochran of Grand Prairie; a brother, Gary Hill of Fort Hood.

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## ***Former Irving Resident Dies***

Funeral services are pending at Wood Funeral Home in Golden, Colo., for Cynthia Jane Himes, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Himes, 2298 Zinnia Way, Golden, former Irving residents.

Miss Himes died Sunday night in Children's Hospital in Denver of leukemia.

Besides her parents, she is survived by two brothers, Ricky Himes and Robert Himes, and one sister, Laura.

Interment will be in Golden, Colo. The family, who lived at 1805 Standish Dr. here until October, 1960, has requested that instead of flowers, contributions be made for leukemia research.

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## **Rites Held**

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at Field City Baptist Church for Alvin A. Hodges, Dallas; brother of Marvin Hodges and Mrs. Charlene Emmons, both of Irving.

Interment was in Crown Hill.

Other survivors include his wife, three sons, his mother, four other brothers, six other sisters and six grandchildren.

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# Funeral For 7-Year-Old Set Today

Funeral services will be held today at 3 p.m. in Union Bower Pentecostal Church for Donald Ray Holder, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Holder, 1913 Union Bower Rd. The youngster died in a Dallas hospital Thursday following a long illness.

Rev. Milton F. Robbins will officiate, and interment will be in Oak Grove Memorial Park. Arrangements are with Black's Funeral Home.

Survivors, besides his parents, are two sisters, Jennie Elaine and Lona Jane Holder; brothers, Gary Don, Richard Floyd and Randy Lynn Holder.

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# Hollobaugh Services Are Set

Funeral services for Mrs. Euna Hollobaugh will be held at 2 p.m. Friday in Leach Funeral Chapel. Mrs. Hollobaugh lived in Irving until about five years ago when she moved to Dallas.

She is survived by one son, and burial will be in Oak Grove Cemetery.

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# Hollowell Services Held Monday

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Clinton Hollowell, 23, of 1444 Lindy Lane, who died Sunday after a long illness.

Mr. Hollowell, who was born in Ada, Okla., was graduated from Irving High School in 1955. He attended the University of Dallas.

Rev. Henry Kinkeade officiated at services in First Baptist Church. Interment was in Oak Grove Memorial Park.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Hollowell; two brothers, Ronnie Hollowell of Dallas and Mike Hollowell of Irving.

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# Jerry Holmes'

## Mother Dies

Funeral services were held Tuesday in Mystic, Conn., for Mrs. Julia Park Avery Holmes, 85, mother of Jerry A. Holmes, formerly of 1609 W. Eighth St.

Mrs. Holmes was an early organizer of the Parent Teacher Association in Connecticut and had lived in Bridgeport and Brooklyn, N.Y. prior to her return to Connecticut.

~~She was a senior deaconess of a Congregational Church in Brooklyn and member of the Daughters of American Revolution.~~

She is also survived by her husband, a sister, two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Her son, Jerry, and his family recently moved from Irving to Tulsa, Okla.

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# Hoskins Funeral Is Held Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. J. Howard Hoskins, 62, of Dallas, were held in Dallas on Monday.

Mrs. Hoskins, a fifth grade teacher and sister of Mrs. Lewis Hancock of Irving, died Friday enroute to a Dallas hospital after a heart attack in her classroom.

She had been a teacher in the Dallas school system for 27 years.

Survivors are her husband and one sister Mrs. Hancock.

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10 Jan 1961  
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# Train-Car

## Wreck Kills 2

PAMPA, Tex. (UPI) -- The Santa Fe Chief passenger train hit an automobile at a crossing five miles west of Pampa Wednesday and killed Mrs. Sammy Jo Houchin, 20, her one-year-old daughter, Cecilia. Mrs. Houchin was expecting another child.

Two trains passed about the time she reached the crossing. One was eastbound from Amarillo and the Chief was westbound.

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# Crash Hurts Irving Youth, Kills Couple

Two people - an elderly couple - were killed and a third was injured in a head-on collision in west Grand Prairie Saturday morning.

Dead on arrival at Mid-Cities hospital were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Houston, both in their upper 60s. They resided at 1624 Tantor in the south fringe of Farmers Branch.

At Parkland hospital is a 17-year-old Irving youth, Robert Ellis Smith, who, police say, was driver of the other car.

He was alone in the vehicle, investigators stated.

Sgt. A.Q. Lynch, who conducted the investigation, said he had information from eye-witnesses which revealed that the Houston car, a late model Metropolitan Nash with little more than 15,000 miles on the speedometer, "was traveling west on West Main. The Smith car was going east and had crossed to the north side of the vein ~~was~~ dividing east-west traffic."

Smith was treated at an Irving clinic and later transferred to Parkland in Dallas. Information from Irving indicated his condition as "not too serious."

~~The front end of the small car was caved in and probably will be classed as a total loss.~~

~~The other car, a Ford of about 1950 model, also was badly damaged in the front section.~~

The investigator said the watch worn by Houston had stopped at 9:03. Records at the police station indicate that the call was received by the dispatcher at about the same time.

The bodies were at Moore's up to noon Saturday. Meanwhile, contacts had been made with relatives in Dallas, as well as neighbors.

A neighbor, W.T. Henson, who said he had lived nearby the couple for 15 years, "told the News Texan by telephone that he had no idea where the Houstons were going. "I didn't know they had left," he said. "They did very little traveling."

Sgt. Lynch said the investigation is continuing.

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**Mrs. Howard**  
**Services Held**

Mrs. Bertha Howard, 73, sister of Carl Baker of Irving, passed away at her home in Rylie last Thursday.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in the McCullough Funeral Chapel in Mesquite. Burial was in the Mesquite cemetery.

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## Huckaby Rites

### Held Saturday

Funeral services were held Saturday in Black's Funeral Chapel for Leslie A. Huckaby, 44, of 314 S. Hastings, a water department employe for the city.

Mr. Huckaby died Thursday. He had lived in Irving for 12 years.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Thelma Huckaby; daughters, Nancy Gail Huckaby, Sandra Kay Huckaby; sons, Jimmy Keith Huckaby and Leslie Dale Huckaby, all of Irving; sister, Mrs. Willie A. Swafford; brothers, Armon Huckaby, Leon Huckaby and Kenneth Huckaby.

C. R. McClure officiated at services. Burial was in Oak Grove Memorial Park.

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# Three Hurt One Killed In Explosion

BISHOP, Tex. (UPI) --One man was killed and three others were injured when an explosion occurred at the Champlin Refinery 10 miles northwest of Bishop early Friday.

Otto Huff, an operator from Bishop, was killed. Mark Wagner of Kingsville was injured critically and Billy Murray and Fred Carter were less seriously hurt.

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# *Funeral Rites For Irvingite's Mother Held*

Funeral services for Mrs. J.R. Hunnicutt, mother of Mrs. Jewell Looper of Irving, were held yesterday at the Restland Memorial Chapel in Dallas.

Mrs. Hunnicutt, who lived at 4200 Bryn Mawr in Dallas, is survived by a son, Mathew B. Hunnicutt, Dallas; and three daughters, Mrs. Looper, Mrs. Mildred Packer of Los Angeles, and Miss Vivtan Hunnicutt of Dallas. Other survivors include three grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. R.C. Nelms of Lubbock; and several nieces and nephews.

Rev. Harrison Baker and Rev. Glendell Jones officiated at the services, and interment was at Restland. Pallbearers were Bill Smith, Hugo Hickfang, A.T. Lindsey, Harry Freeman, Fred Goerdel and John Wayne Looper.

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# Funeral Set for Victim of Crash

HALTOM CITY-- Funeral services for Mrs. Audrey Evelyn Hunter; 35, of 5109 Nadine, who died Thursday afternoon 13 hours after being injured in a two-car wreck here, will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday in Lucas Funeral Chapel.

Burial will be in Spring Creek Cemetery near Meridian.

Her death was the first in Tarrant County since May 5 and brought the total for this year to 25.

A native of Meridian, Mrs. Hunter was the wife of Haltom

City Policeman Charles Hunter. She was a Baptist.

Survivors also include two daughters, Armelda Donita and Anita Kay Hunter; two sons, Junior and David Wayne Hunter; father, C. E. Cockrell of Meridian; three sisters, Mmes. Dessie Mae Cobb of Fort Worth, Bryan Bateman of Iredell and Louise Price of Oxnard, Calif.; and six brothers, Charles, Odell and James of Fort Worth, Odonal of Waco, Willis of Norfolk, Va. and Sidney Cockrell with the armed forces in Korea.

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