Loren Darcy
rites pending

Loren Darcy, 75, of 1926 E. Shady Wood Court died last night at H.E.B. Hospital. Funeral arrangements are pending with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Lorne D’Arcy

Mass tomorrow

Lorne J. D’Arcy, 75, father of Lorne J. D’Arcy of Irving, died Sunday at Hurst-Euless-Bedford Hospital.

A resident of Bedford two years, D’Arcy was retired from the Detroit, Mich. board of education, where he had lived for 25 years before moving to Bedford.

Rosary will be recited at 7:30 p.m. today at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home. Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. tomorrow with the Rev. James Miller as celebrant. Burial will be in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

The family will be at 2512 Cantrell.

Survivors include his wife, Ellen; a sister, Mrs. Celia Kehoe of Michigan; and two grandsons, Gregory and Adam D’Arcy, both of Irving.
Mrs. Ellen Davis dies yesterday

Mrs. Ellen Elaine Davis, 42, 610 Hughes, a three-months resident of Irving, died Tuesday at Irving Community Hospital.

Mrs. Davis had lived in Westboro, Mass. prior to moving to Irving with her family. She was born at Lincoln, Ill., Aug. 24, 1935, and was a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church in Springfield, Ill.

Funeral services will be at the Moot-Hening Funeral Home in Athens, Ill.

Survivors include her husband, Leo H.; a son, Stephen G. Davis of Irving; a brother, Paul Kaiser of Greenview, Ill., and her parents Mr. and Edward Kaiser of Greenview.
Frances Davis
rites pending

Frances W. "Blondie" Davis, 78, of 409 Lucille
died Sunday night at Irving Community Hospital. Fu-
neral arrangements are pending with Chism-Smith
Funeral Home.
Funeral services for Mrs. Frances W. "Blondie" Davis, 78, 409 Lucille, who died Sunday at Irving Community Hospital, will be at 2 p.m. tomorrow at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Henry Kinkeade officiating. Burial will be in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens with Chism & Smith in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Davis, who was born at Rockwall, Tex. Jan. 1, 1899, had lived in Irving since 1934. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include a son, Wayne A. Davis of Blackwood, N.J.; one sister, Mrs. Winnie Mae Thomas of New York; and several nieces and nephews.
Memorial services for Foy Nichols Davis, 66, will be today at 3:30 at Oak View Baptist Church, 1004 Story Road, with the Rev. Wallace Philpot officiating.

Survivors include his wife Bonita four sons, Foy, Nik, Robert S., "Bud," and Jim Davis, and two grand-children. He is also survived by two brothers, W. C. "Bud" Davis and R. S. Davis Jr., a resident of 2423 Grove in Irving. He died Sunday afternoon in Farm to a charity of choice.

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Harrlis Davis services set

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. today for Harrlis Glen Davis, 30, of 121 Northeast 11th St., Grand Prairie. Davis died Saturday at an area hospital.

Born in Natchitoches, La., he had lived in Grand Prairie for the last four years where he was employed by the U.S. Post Office.

He is survived by his wife, Eva Davis, a son, Arlis Joe Davis, both of Grand Prairie; parents Mr. and Mrs. Harliss W. Davis of Irving; a brother, Homer Lynn Davis of Grand Prairie; a step-brother, Milton Platt of Ohio; and a sister, Lora Jean Mashburn of Mesquite.

The services were held in the Ben F. Brown funeral chapel with the Rev. David N. Freeman and the Rev. George Havens officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

19 Dec 77
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Marvin Davis
rites Tuesday

Marvin (Dukes) Davis, 58, of 2626 Hard Rock Road in Grand Prairie died Saturday at Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas.

Davis had lived on Hard Rock Road for the past 12 years. Previously he had lived in Irving for 13 years. He was a retired electrician.

Davis was born in Arkansas.

Funeral services are set for 2 p.m. tomorrow at the chapel of Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home with the Rev. C.O. Wylie officiating. Burial will be at Parkdale Cemetery in Arlington.

Survivors include sons, Marvin Davis of California and John Davis of Lewisville; a daughter, Mrs. Martha Renfro of Irving; brothers, Bill Davis of Oklahoma and Dallas Davis of Irving; and five grandchildren.

9 May 77

1 Dec 77
Mrs. Jewel A. Dato, 62, Fort Worth, a former resident of George H. Dato Jr. of 3408 Plantation, died Tuesday in Fort Worth.

Funeral services were at 4 p.m. today at Lucas Memorial chapel in Fort Worth; Mrs. Dato is survived by her husband, George H. Dato Sr.; a brother, Johnny Luther of California; three sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Jackson of Fort Worth, Mrs. Lucille Kunkel of California, and Mrs. Hazel Leedy of Michigan; and two grandchildren.

9 June 17
Day 67
LaWayne Taylor Dean

Birth: Sep. 20, 1964
Death: Jan. 19, 1977

Of DeSoto TX; Survived by father Albert T. Dean; Mother Mrs. Mildred James; sisters, Mrs. Vivian Darleen Sanders; Miss Tamara Ruth Dean; Grandparents, Albert P. Dean, Mrs. Ida Louise Warner, Mrs. Elsie Whitten; Great-grandfather, Claude Dean. Services 3 p.m. Friday, Victory Baptist Church, Rev. H.L. Jenkins, Rev. Martin Jenkins Officiating. His Death was ruled a Homicide by Dallas County Medical Examiner.

Family links:
Parents:
Mildred Vivian Nixon Hangaman (1943 - 1989)

Burial:
Oak Grove Memorial Gardens
Irving
Dallas County
Texas, USA

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Farrell Decker

services today

Farrell Anthony Decker, 70, of 1902 Betsy Lane died Saturday at Irving Community Hospital.

Funeral services were at 11 a.m. today with at St. Mark's Episcopal Church Rev. Ewart Roland officiating. Burial was at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Decker had lived in Irving since 1950, and he was originally from Ohio.

He was a pharmacist, and he earned a degree in pharmacy and chemistry from the University of Cincinnati after attending Jesuit High School and Jesuit University in Cincinnati.

He was a member of the Texas Pharmaceutical Association and the American Apothecary Association. He was a member of the American Legion and the American Rose Society.

He served in the U.S. Naval Reserves during World War II.

He served on the vestry of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, and he was a senior warden for a year for Rev. Courtland Moore.

Survivors include his wife Nel; daughters, Sarah Decker of Houston and Laura Pietzsch of Tulsa, Okla.; children by a former marriage, William F. Decker of Tampa, Fla., and Joyce Scheller of Vista Hills, Ky.; a brother, Harry F. Decker of Cincinnati; and sisters, Mary Holthaus of Cincinnati and Margaret Reynolds of Indianapolis.

The family requests that memorials be made to the American Cancer Society or St. Mark's Episcopal Church.

Sally O. Decker
Funeral services for Loyd Edgar Deloch, 58, parts man for Teco of Irving, were at 11 a.m. yesterday at Memorial Baptist Church with the Rev. William Few officiating. Burial was in Restland Memorial Park.

Deloch, 2320 Meadowcrest, died Thursday at Irving Community Hospital. A resident of Irving 11 years, Deloch was a native of Durant, Okla., born May 15, 1918. He was a Marine veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Lena M.; a daughter, Mrs. Linda Atkins of Dallas; and five grandchildren.
Mrs. Billie C. Dennis, who lived in Irving for the past 14 years and was a telephone operator for General Telephone Co. of the Southwest, died Jan. 18 at St. Paul Hospital in Dallas. Funeral services were Jan. 20 in San Saba, Tex., with the Rev. Royce-Bell officiating. Burial was in City Cemetery.

She was born May 20, 1903.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs. James F. Clark of San Saba; four brothers, James L., Patrick S., and A.D. Beckner, all of San Saba and Clarence Beckner of Fort Worth.

18 Feb 77

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Jerry Dennis
rites Tuesday

Jerry Dean Dennis, 33, of 1817 E. Grauwyler Road died Sunday morning at Irving Community Hospital from a heart attack.

Funeral services are set for 11 a.m. tomorrow at the chapel of Ben F. Brown Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Dennis was owner of B&D Motors, and he had been an Irving resident for 18 years. He was born in Lindsey, Okla.

Survivors include his wife Kathleen; sons, Jerry Jr. and Jason, both of Irving; a brother, James who is in the U.S. Navy; and sisters, Sandra Strickland of Seagoville and Judy Melton of Irving.

The family will be at 1524 Cripple Creek.

28 March 77
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James Dickens funeral today

James Lee Dickens Sr., 50, 1501 Carlisle, an assistant director of West and South Texas regions of the U.S. Labor Department, died yesterday at Irving Community Hospital.

An 18-year resident of Irving, Dickens had previously lived in McAllen, Tex. He was a native of Mexico, born July 3, 1927.

Survivors include his wife, Celia; a son, James Lee Dickens Jr. of Irving; two daughters, Eileen Dickens of Irving and Linda Gray of Kileen, Tex.; several brothers and sisters; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were at 11 a.m. today at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Roy Barton officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Don Dickerson dies today

Donald P. Dickerson, an advertising representative at the Irving Daily News since June, 1974, died this morning at Irving Community Hospital at age 58.

Dickerson, born December 10, 1919, was a member of Plymouth Park United Methodist Church here. He was also a member of Tannehill Masonic Lodge AF&AM 52; Scottish Rite.

Bodies — Valley of Dallas; and Hella Temple Shrine.

He resided at 2018 Canterbury.

Dickerson is survived by his wife, Betty Jo.

Funeral arrangements are pending.
Dickerson

rites set

Funeral services for Donald Paul Dickerson, 60, who died Monday, will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday in the chapel of Chism-Smith Funeral Home. Masonic graveside rites will be conducted at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the Blanket Cemetery in Blanket, Tex.

Dickerson, an advertising representative for the Irving Daily News for the last four years, is survived by his wife, Betty Jo. The family will see friends at Olin-Chism Funeral Home from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday.

A 1951 graduate of Stanford University, Dickerson worked in news and advertising sales for various news and business organizations.

He was a member of Tannehill Masonic Lodge No. 52, A.F. & A.M.; Scottish Rite Bodies—Valley of Dallas, Dallas Chapter No. 47, Council 18, Dallas Commandery of Knights Templar; Hella Temple Shrine of Dallas; Big Brothers Association of Dallas and a lifetime member in the Stanford Alumni Association.

He lived at 2018 Canterbury in Irving.
Dorothy Dozier
rites pending

Dorothy May Dozier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams of Irving, died at Irving Community Hospital this morning.
She lived at 38 W. Mountain Creek Drive in Grand Prairie.

Funeral services are pending with Chism-Smith Funeral Home.

23 May 77
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Dorothy Dozier

Dorothy May Fisk Dozier, 52, of 38 W. Mountain Creek Drive in Grand Prairie died Monday at Irving Community Hospital. A former Irving resident, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams of Irving.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. today at the chapel of South MacArthur Church of Christ with the Rev. Johnny Jackson and the Rev. Charles Whitmire officiating. Burial was at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Survivors include her husband Ted of Grand Prairie; sons, Franklin Earl Fisk of Fairbanks, Alaska, and Richard Lee Fisk of Irving; stepchildren, Deborah Strain of Seagoville, Cathy Renee Dozier of Mesquite and James William Dozier of Mesquite; one grandson; and one step-granddaughter.

24 May 77
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John Melvin Drake rites held today

Services were held today at 2 p.m. for John Melvin Drake, 51, of Grand Prairie, who died at Irving Community Hospital Monday.

Drake was born Aug. 30, 1926 in Temple and was a veteran of World War II with the Marine Corp. He was a tool engineer with Vought Corporation in Grand Prairie. He is survived by wife Irene, daughter Sharon Drake of Grand Prairie, stepson Daryl Davis of Irving, mother Sadie Drake of Wichita Falls, brother Bill Drake of Wichita Falls, sister Dorotha Kitchen of Tucson, Ariz. and grandson Cory Davis of Irving. Services were held at Ben F. Brown Chapel, with interment at Southland Memorial Park in Grand Prairie. Rev. Johnny Johnson officiated.
Arthur Driscoll

services today

Services for Arthur Michael Driscoll, who died Sunday at 79, were this morning in the chapel of Chism-Smith Funeral Home. Interment is at Pleasant Grove Cemetery in Ringgold, La.

Driscoll, who resided at 3233 Finley, was a native of New York City, and lived in Irving for the past two years before his death.

A member of Northgate United Methodist Church, he was also a member of the Veterans of World War I Barracks No. 1634 and American Legion Post No. 334 in Little Rock, Ark.

Driscoll was a retired oil field worker.

He is survived by his wife, Eleanor; one daughter Mrs. Robert Bajorek of Irving; two grandchildren, Deborah and Ronald; and one sister Mrs. Ethel Gale of Los Angeles, Calif.

18 Feb 77
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Melvin Duffield

Melvin D. Duffield, 50, 213 White Oak, an eight-year resident of Irving and diesel mechanic for United Leasing, died yesterday at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Dallas.

A veteran of the Korean War with the U.S. Marine Corps, Duffield was a native of Eastland, Tex., born Oct. 13, 1927.

He is survived by his wife, Pauline; one son, Tim Duffield daughter, Paula all of Irving; a brother, William Duffield of Eastland; and two sisters, Mrs. Vernon Hallum of Dallas and Mrs. Eddie Grisham of Eastland.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. tomorrow at Baker Funeral Home chapel in Eastland. Burial will be in Eastland Cemetery.
Dorothy Duke
rites tomorrow

Mrs. Dorothy W. Duke, 71, a 4117 N. Greenview, a 30-year resident of Irving, died Friday at Irving Community Hospital.

A member of First Baptist Church, Mrs. Duke was a native of Columbus, Ga., born May 20, 1906.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. tomorrow at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Henry Kinkeade officiating. Burial will be in Sowers Cemetery.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Leon Brantham, Lemoore, Calif.; two sons, Jim Duke of Kansas City, Mo., and L. Vance Duke Jr. of Lamesa, Calif.; nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild; four brothers, Bill White and Edward White of Gainesville, Ga., and Jo White and Paul White of Jacksonville, Fla.; and one sister, Virginia White.

25 Sep 77

Dr. F. L.
Jewell Dunkin
rites pending

Jewell Leola Dunkin, 82, of 1236 Lazy St. died Sunday night at Irving Community Hospital.
Funeral arrangements are pending with Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.

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10-7-17
Jewell Dunkin
rites tomorrow

Funeral services for Mrs. Jewell Leola Dunkin, 82, 1236 Lazy St., a 35-year resident of Irving, will be at 2 p.m. tomorrow in Oak Haven United Methodist Church with the Rev. Glen Vickers officiating. Burial will be in Forest Park Cemetery at Greenville, Tex.

She died Sunday at Irving Community Hospital.

Mrs. Dunkin was a native of Miller Grove, Tex., born Jan. 25, 1895. She was a member of Oak Haven United Methodist Church.

She is survived by one son, Morris Dunkin of Irving; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Virginia Alford of Highland, N.C.; and six grandchildren.
Eva Dunn
dies Tuesday

Mrs. Eva Dunn, 59,
104 Woodland Drive, died
at her home Tuesday.

She is survived by a
son, Charles Harrington,
of Irving; four grand-
children; two brothers
and two sisters.

Memorials may be
made to the American
Heart Association or to
the American Cancer
Society.

Mrs. Dunn was born
Oct. 31, 1918 at Groes-
beck, Tex.

Funeral services will
be at 11:30 a.m. tomor-
row at Restland Memo-
rial chapel with Dr. Tom
Shipp officiating. Burial
will be in Restland Mem-
orial Park.

3 April 1977
Services for Samuel Dyer

Samuel Edward Dyer, a recent resident of Fort Worth, died yesterday. Services will be at 2 p.m. tomorrow at Ben P. Brown Funeral Home chapel, and interment will be at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. The Rev. Charles McGee will officiate.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dyer of Irving, Dyer was employed as branch manager for Household Finance in Fort Worth. He was born Jan. 8, 1930 in Dallas.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Belinda Dyer of Fort Worth; daughter, Andrea Dyer; parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Wesley Dyer, living; brothers, Rob Dyer and Jim Dyer of Irving; and grandmother, Mrs. Effie Dyer of Colorado.

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