

A.K. Galloway Sr.

A.K. Galloway Sr. of Dallas died Thursday. He was 93.

A rosary will be recited at 7:30 p.m. Friday in Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home chapel. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning. Burial will follow at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas.

A native of Maryland, he had been a resident of Dallas for the past 66 years. He was a member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church and for several years was the owner of lawn and garden stores in Irving and Lewisville. He was a member of the Texas Association of Nurserymen.

He is survived by his sons, John Galloway of Irving and A.K. Galloway Jr. of Lewisville; daughters, Katherine Hall of Bowie, Mary Ross of Round Rock, Julia Welsh of Georgetown, and Tessie Patrick of Irving; brother, Robin Galloway of San Francisco, Calif.; 37 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren.

30 Sept 1985
IDN P3A

Bryce Todd Geer

Bryce Todd Geer of Graford died Sunday in a Mineral Wells hospital. He was 20.

Services were today at 2 p.m. in Live Oak Baptist Church in Jacksboro, with the Rev. Woody Singleton officiating. Burial was in Oak Wood Cemetery in Jacksboro. Arrangements by Maddox Marrier Funeral Home in Jacksboro.

He was born Feb. 2, 1965, and was a student. He was a member of Plymouth Park Baptist Church in Irving.

He is survived by his parents, Joe Geer of Irving and Sharon Johnson of Graford; three stepbrothers, Barry Geer of Irving, George Houston Johnson of Fort Bragg, N.C., and Christopher Johnson of Graford; two stepsisters, Kari Geer of Irving and Elizabeth Johnson of Denver City, Texas; his grandparents, Charlie and Kate Geer of Jacksboro and Lou Swafford of Mineral Wells.

*16 Sept 1985
JDN P2A*

Geraldine Gentry

Geraldine Gentry died Wednesday, and arrangements are pending with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

*13 June 1985
FDN PJA*

Geraldine Gentry

Geraldine "Gerry" Gentry, 67, of Alverado, Texas, died on June 12. She is survived by her husband, Ernest Gentry of Alverado; sons Cecil McGill of Irving, Harry Gentry of Mesquite and Larry Gentry of Mesquite; daughters Ann English of Houston and Connie Gregston of Dallas; brothers Tommy Jacobs and William Jacobs, both of Pasedena, Texas; sisters Billie Gosdin of Fort Worth, Bonnie Hatton of Lubbock, June Jacobs of Duncanville and Jo

Redwine of Fort Worth; 12 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

She was a resident of Alverado for the past three years and previously was from Arlington. Services were at 11 a.m. Friday at Colonial Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Wallace Philpot officiating.

A graveside service was held at 3:30 p.m. at Desdemona Cemetery, Desdemona, Texas.

14 June 1985
JED PJA

Marti Giampetro

Marti Giampetro died Tuesday in her home in Tool, Texas. She was 68.

Services will be Friday at 11 a.m. in the Eubank Funeral Home Chapel in Mabank, Texas. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.

She was a native of Ohio and a previous resident of Irving. She worked most of her life in newspaper sales and was a former employee of Cedar Creek Pilot, a newspaper in Seven Points, Texas. She was member of the VFW Ladies' Auxiliary in Seven Points and the American Le-

gion Auxiliary in Gun Barrel City. She was a member of the Catholic faith.

She is survived by her son, Lenny Giampetro of Carrollton; daughter-in-law, Ginger Giampetro of Carrollton; daughter, Jackie Fournier of Alvarado; son-in-law, Larry Fournier of Alvarado; sisters, Peggy Pivarnik of California and Betty Stockless of Florida; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

*6 June 1985
IDA PBA*

Roslyn June Gibson

Roslyn June Gibson of Irving died Sunday in Arlington. She was 63.

Services and burial will be in Jacksonville, Fla.

She was born May 1, 1922, in Atlanta, Ga. She had lived in Irving for 31 years, and was a retired banking accountant.

She is survived by her husband, Raymond Gibson of Irving

*26 Nov 1985
IDA P2A*

Marion T. Gillen

Marion T. Gillen died
Monday at Living Community Hos-
pital, Harrisburg.

Arrangements are pending with
E. F. Brown Funeral Home.

30 Apr 1985
I.D.W. P2A



M. Timothy Gillen

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M. Timothy Gillen died Monday at Irving Community Hospital. He was 62.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church.

He was chairman of the board of Texas Commerce Bank, Irving Boulevard.

Mr. Gillen was a native of Canon City, Colo. He graduated from Sterling College in Sterling, Kan., and attended the School of Banking of the South.

He served in the U.S. Army for 22 years and retired with the rank of major. He served in World War II and the Korean War and received the Bronze Star.

~~He was past president of the Irving Rotary Club and the Irving Community Hospital Board. He was an elder in the First Presbyterian Church and was a member of the Irving Masonic Lodge, Irving Shrine Club and a 32nd degree Mason of the Dallas Scottish Rite Bodies.~~

He is survived by his wife, Edith McClellan Gillen of Irving; two daughters, Linda Sue Gillen of Spring, Texas, and Edith Jane Gillen-Hall of Hico, Texas; son, David Timothy Gillen of Wimberley, Texas; one grandson; three brothers; and two sisters.

The family requests that memorials be made to First Presbyterian Church, Irving Community Hospital or the Heart Fund.

17 May 1985
IDN P2

Troy Lee Gilliland

Troy Lee Gilliland of Irving died Monday at his home.

Arrangments are pending with Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.

5 Nov 1985
IDN P2A

Troy D. Gilliland

Troy D. Gilliland of Irving died Monday at home. He was 71.

Services will be 10 a.m. Thursday at the Ben F. Brown chapel, with the Rev. Ed Sample officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

He was born Nov. 16, 1913 and had been an Irving resident since 1948. He was retired from the aircraft industry and was the president of the advisory council of the Irving Senior Citizens Center.

Survivors include his son, Don Gilliland of Irving; two daughters, Margie Shelton and Jo Creech both of Irving; a brother, Jack Gilliland; two sisters, Oleta Sanders and Juanita Rich; and four grandchildren.

6 Nov 1985
IDN P2A

died Wednesday at Irving Community Hospital. She was 69.

Services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday at First Christian Church, 210 E. Sixth St., with the Rev. Terry White and the Rev. Deana Perdue officiating. Burial will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Joplin, Mo.

A resident of Joplin, Mo., she had lived in Irving for 20 years. She was employed as a manager with Hagar Properties in Irving. She was a member of First Christian Church and of the Mary Martha Group at the church.

Survivors include three sons, David A. Gilmore Sr. of Irving, Johnny R. Gilmore of Joplin, Mo., and Samuel K. Gilmore of Grapevine; eight grandchildren; and one niece.

Bobby Ann Gilmore

~~Bobby Ann Gilmore of Irving~~

23 Jan 1985
IDA P2A

Marie S. Gleason

Marie S. Gleason died Thursday in a nursing home in Tyler. She was 85.

Services will be noon Saturday at the Calvary Hill Cemetery Mausoleum in Dallas, with Father Brindley Mills officiating. Burial will be at Calvary Hill Cemetery. Arrangements are by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

She was a resident of Tyler for two years. She was previously a resident of Irving for 18 years. She was employed for 30 years by Joakes' in Dallas as a major appliance buyer. She retired in 1967. She was a member of Joakes' Quarter Century Club.

She is survived by her great-nephew, Dr. Ivan Alkes of Denver, Colo.; sisters-in-law, Nan Bulz of Dallas, and Louise Stevens of Houston; and numerous cousins, great-nephews and great-nieces.

24 May 1985
IDA PJA

~~Ruby Amanda~~
Glover

Ruby Amanda Gover of Irving died Tuesday. She was 86.

Graveside services will be Friday at Lockhart Cemetery in Lockhart, Texas.

She was a widow and lived in Irving for five years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Lockhart.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Nancy Rich of Irving; three grandsons; four great-grandchildren; and one great great-grandchild.

4 July 1985
J.D.D. PZ A

Germaine Gordon

Germaine Gordon of Irving died Monday at Irving Community Hospital. She was 50.

She is survived by her brother, George Thompson of Irving.

Arrangements are pending with Chism Smith Funeral Home.

27 Aug 1985
JDN PJA

Germaine M. Gordon

Germaine M. Gordon of Irving died Monday at Irving Community Hospital. She was 50.

Services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Rudy Kos officiating. Burial will be at 2 p.m. at Oakwood Cemetery in Waco.

She was an Irving resident for 15 years, and was a native of Dallas. She was a member of St. Luke's Catholic Church. For 12 years, she was an accountant for Recognition Equipment Co. in Irving.

She is survived by two sons, Berry A. Gordon of Duncanville and Mark S. Gordon of Dallas; a daughter, Phyllis Montgomery of Irving; two brothers, George P. Thompson of Irving and Jackie R. Thompson of Waco; a sister, Suzanne Goodman of Dallas; two grandchildren.

*28 Aug 1985
IDA PBA*

Robert Emmett Gorman

Robert Emmett Gorman of Dallas died at his home Sunday. He was 82.

Services are 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Dallas. A rosary will be recited at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Chism-Smith Funeral Home chapel. Burial will be at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas.

Survivors include his son, Robert Isaac Gorman of Subiaco, Ark.; two daughters, Rita G. Wilson of Dallas and Mary Henson of Edgewood, Texas; brother, John Gorman of Houston; 10 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

*25 Nov 1985
I.D.W. P2A*

T.B. Goyne

T.B. Goyne, 66, died Friday at St. Paul's Hospital, Dallas.

An Irving resident, he was born in Bonham, Texas, Aug. 13, 1918.

Arrangements are pending with Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.

*26 Mar 1985
IDD P2A*

Matthew Blake Graham

Matthew Blake Graham of Irving died Saturday in Arlington. He was 20.

Services will be 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Trinity Baptist Church, with the Rev. Robert Caviness officiating. Burial will be at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

He was a student at East Texas State University, a member of the Trinity Baptist Church in Irving and a 1983 graduate of Irving High School.

He is survived by his parents, Gary and Joan Graham of Irving; two sisters, Becky and Leah Graham of Irving; and grandparents, W.A. Graham of Dallas and Jewell May Pettus of Cedar Creek.

8 July 1985
E.D.W. PJA

Police hunt for motive, suspects in Grand Prairie double murders

By DAVID COURSEY
News-Texas Bureau

Police have no motive or suspect for the double murder of an elderly woman and her son stabbed to death Wednesday night inside the family's grocery store.

Investigators said a 13-year-old girl found the bodies of Lillian Grant, 93, and her son, George, 71, in the living area behind the small store.

"They had been stabbed numerous times in the back," said police spokesman Gaylord Hayes.

The family had operated Grant's Grocery, 1938 W. Main St., since the late 1940s, neighbors said.

"You couldn't have met two nicer people," said a neighbor who had seen Mrs. Grant probably less than an hour before she was killed.

"She was so precious. She just hugged me and I hugged her."

Hayes said investigators knew of no motive for the killings. Although robbery was considered a possibility, neighbors said the two kept only small amounts of money.

Investigators found some change in the cash register but said there was no apparent sign of a struggle.

"If somebody had wanted something, they just probably would have given it to them," a neighbor said.

Marie Mack, 23, who had known the Grants since she was a child, said they frequently gave credit to people needing food.

"They would have been rich if they had collected all that," Hayes said.

Ms. Mack said a man recently

walked to the store from far East Grand Prairie because he needed food for his family. The Grants gave him credit for the food and then drove him home, she said.

"They would have done anything for anyone. I used to call George, 'Papa George,'" Ms. Mack said.

The bodies were discovered shortly after 8 p.m. Hayes said, it appeared they were killed about two hours earlier.

The bodies were found in their home, located in the rear of the small white wood-frame building. A red pick-up truck was parked in the yard outside.

"It was a Mom and Pop store," Hayes said.

Investigators said a 13-year-old girl, believed to be a member of the Grant's Bible study group, found the bodies.

Ms. Mack said she heard a child run screaming from the store shortly before officers arrived.

Roy Holland, pastor of the Free-town Road Church of Christ, said the Grants usually would have been attending services there on Wednesday nights.

"Normally they would have been there. We were having a film series and they would have come. But I talked to her Monday and she was feeling pretty rough," Holland said.

"At her age she had good days and bad. But, Wednesday night was normally church night," Holland said.

He said Mrs. Grant had suffered a stroke and used a walker to get around.

Investigators said they were un-

able to determine whether the store was open when the killings took place.

But, Ms. Mack said it wouldn't have mattered if the store was closed, because the Grants would let customers in anyway.

"If somebody needed something, they just stopped by, knocked on the door and went inside and got it," Hayes said.

Word of the killings quickly spread through the low-income West Grand Prairie neighborhood near the store and to the family's church, located across town.

Holland said he received word of the deaths during services and immediately rushed to the store.

"They were Christians in every sense of the word. They had nothing but love," Holland said.

"They didn't need to stay here for their livelihood. They were staying here because they were part of the neighborhood, part of the community," Holland said.

"They were making their contribution."

Neighbors, some of them crying, gathered on street corners across from the store to share their grief while police combed the scene.

Holland said it was not uncommon for the store to be burglarized.

"I don't know how many times in the last year or two years they've had people come in or they've come in and found people going through their house," Holland said.

"But they continued to assume that everything would be all right. Last week, she had some jewelry taken. She had one ring left."

24 July 1985
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**Willie Bertha
Grantham**

Willie Bertha Grantham of Irving died Friday. She was 80.

Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, with the Rev. Joe White officiating.

Mrs. Grantham was born April 17, 1904, in Poolville, Texas. She was an Irving resident for 26 years and a member of Northgate Baptist Church.

Survivors include: three sons, Lloyd Grantham of Gainesville, Kenneth Grantham of Dallas and Thomas Grantham of Irving; eight grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

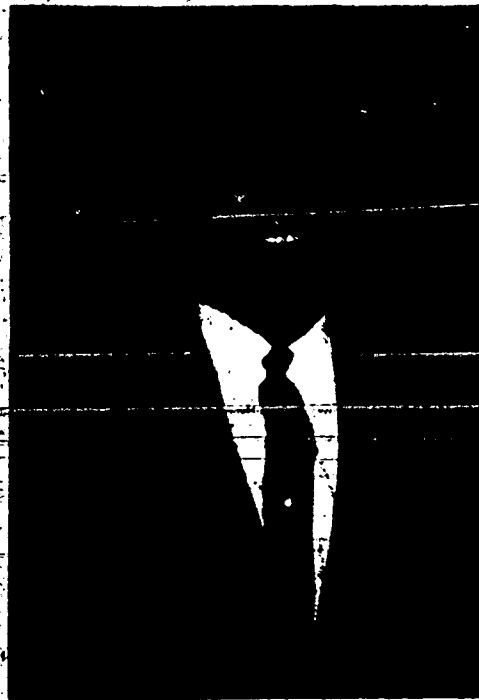
*15 Feb 1985
EDN PZ*

J.O. "Buck" Graves

J.O. "Buck" Graves of Irving died Monday at Irving Community Hospital.

Services will be 3 p.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church in Irving. Burial will be at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.

*16 July 1985
J.D. PZA*



James O. Graves

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James O. Graves of Irving died Monday at Irving Community Hospital. He was 66.

Services are 3 p.m. today at the First Baptist Church in Irving, with the Rev. Leonard Manson officiating. Burial will be at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Graves was a veteran of World War II and worked as a paint contractor in Irving.

He is survived by his wife, Irene Graves; two daughters, Glenda Graves White of Nacogdoches, Texas, and Carol Ann Wodson of Beaumont, Texas; one step-daughter, Cheryl Carter of Houston; one step-son, Jerry Harnden of Richardson; three sisters, Jewel Gaddie of Whitesboro, Texas, Oma Brune of Whitesboro and Sue Harwood of Tioga, Texas, and seven grandchildren.

17 July 1985
I.D.A. P2A

Joe Will Graves Sr.

Joe Will Graves Sr. of Irving died Thursday. He was 48.

Services will be 2 p.m. Saturday in the chapel of Chism-Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Robert Collins officiating. Burial will be at Laurel Land Memorial Park.

He is survived by his wife, Judith Ann Graves of Irving; three sons, Larry Brooks of Waco, Joe Graves Jr. of Irving and Curtis Graves of Irving; a daughter, Pamela Graves of Irving; and a brother, Homer Harper of Dallas.

15 Nov 1985
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Rita Elaine Grayson

Rita Elaine Grayson, 25, of Irving died Wednesday at home.

Rosary will be recited at 7:30 p.m. Friday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home chapel. Mass will be 1 p.m. Saturday at Holy Family Catholic Church, with Father Richard Brown as celebrant.

She was an Irving resident for the last 24 years, originally from Wichita, Kan. She was a member of the Holy Family Catholic Church in Irving and a 1979 graduate of MacArthur High School where she was a Cardette. She also was a Texette for the Dallas Cowboys.

She is survived by her husband, Steve Grayson of Irving; parents, Rodney and Marie Mohon of Irving; two brothers, David Mohon of Bedford and Paul Mohon of Irving; a sister, Lisa Marie Morris of Van Alstyne; two grandmothers, Harriet Swingley of Wichita, Kan., and Mildred Mohon of Dallas; and a great-grandmother Ada Lee Shaw of Dallas.

19 Dec 1985
IDA PJA

Cue E. Green

Cue E. Green of Irving died Friday at a local hospital. He was 56. Arrangements are pending with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

31 May 1985
JDN P2A

Donald E. Green

Donald E. Green of Irving died Thursday at Pioneer Park Medical Center. He was 50.

Services were today at 1 p.m. in the chapel at Chism Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Joe Moody officiating. Burial will be Saturday in Velma, Okla.

He was a 13-year resident of Irving. He worked as a maintenance engineer for the Marriott Hotels.

He is survived by his wife, Bobby Ann Green of Irving; mother, Mrs. Gladys Green of Duncan, Okla.; two daughters, Elizabeth M. Green and Wanice Green, both of Irving; two sons, Verner (Cal) Green and Charles (Bruce) Green, both of Irving; a sister, Marie Mitchell of Duncan, Okla.

23 Aug 1985
IDN P2A

Kenneth Green

Kenneth Green, 68, of Irving died Tuesday at Irving Community Hospital.

Services are pending with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

18 Sept 1985
IDN P3A

Kenneth N. Green

Kenneth N. Green, 67, of Irving died Tuesday at Irving Community Hospital.

Services will be 3 p.m. Friday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home chapel, with the Rev. Wallace Philpot officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

A resident of Irving for 31 years, he was previously from Tyler and a native of Winnsboro. He was a member of the Methodist Church and the Irving Masonic Lodge No. 1218 AF&AM. He was a sales manager for Triangle Supply Co.

Survivors include his wife, Jessie M. Green of Irving; son, Kenneth H. Green Jr. of Irving; daughter, Karen Warren of Grand Prairie; mother, Desser Green of Irving; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

19 Sept 1985
JDN PJA

Shellie Gregory Jr.

Shellie Gregory Jr. of Irving died Saturday at Irving Community Hos-

pital. He was 56.

Funeral services were at 1 p.m. Monday at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel, with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

He was a resident of Irving for the past 37 years and a native of Bailey, Texas. He was a carpenter with McKee's Building Services of Dallas.

Survivors include: his mother, Roxie Gregory of Irving; three brothers, Alvin Gregory, Roy Gregory and Bobbie Gregory, all of Irving; and two sisters, Mary Lovell of Garland and Willeta Brandon of Canton, Texas.

*25 Feb 1985
IDA P2A*

Amie Isabelle Griffin

Amie Isabelle Griffin, 68, of Dallas, died Saturday after a short illness.

Services were Monday at Southland Funeral Chapel, Grand Prairie, the Rev. Leslie White of Lake Highlands Baptist Church officiated. Burial was at Southland Memorial Park, Grand Prairie.

~~Born in Dallas Aug. 2, 1916, she was a longtime resident of Grand Prairie and Irving. Ms. Griffin retired in 1978 after 33 years as an assembly line worker at LTV Industries. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, Grand Prairie.~~

Survivors include a son, Dowell William Griffin of Garden Grove,

Cal.; two daughters, Geraldine Mudry and Delores Beaty, both of Dallas; four brothers, A.A. Hendrix Jr., Houston Hendrix, and Billy Hendrix, all of Irving, and James Ray Hendrix of Dallas; five sisters, Lillie Mae McNeil and Betty Mayhall, both of Irving, Louise Fortune of Midland, Evelyn Fort of Austin and Pearl Hancock of Hutchins; 13 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces and nephews.

15 June 1985
IDA P2A

George E. Gross Sr.

George E. Gross Sr. of Irving died Saturday at Irving Community Hospital. He was 75.

Services will be at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the chapel at Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.

He was a retired chiropractor and an Irving resident for four years.

He is survived by his wife, Iola Gross of Irving; two sons, Donald Gross of Colorado and Dr. George E. Gross Jr. of Grand Prairie; four daughters, Betty Steinkuehler of League City, Texas, Sheila Davis of Irving, Nadine Wilson of Texas City and Marilyn Savage of Merrimac, N.H.; four brothers, Ralph Gross of Garden City, Kan., Dr. Howard Gross of Kirksville, Mo., William Gross of Lexington, Colo., and Willard Gross of Burlington, Colo.; two sisters, Pearl Hall of Scott City, Kan., and Ruth Blair of Midland, Mich; and many grandchildren.

1 Apr 1985
IDA PZA

Billy Gunn

**Billy Gunn of Irving died Friday.
He was 16.**

**Arrangements are pending with
Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.**

31 Mar 1985
IDA P2A

Billy Eugene Gunn

Billy Eugene Gunn of Irving died Friday in Arlington. He was 16.

Services were Monday at Ben F. Brown Funeral Home with the Rev. E.H. Fielding officiating. Burial will be in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

He was a student at Sam Houston High School in Arlington. He was formerly a student at Nimitz High School in Irving.

He is survived by his mother, Yvonne Gunn of Irving; his father, Douglas Gunn of Arlington; brother, Gerald Gunn of Irving; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Boswell of Quinlan, Texas, and Maggie McAeehan of Brownwood, Texas.

1 Apr 1985
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Lydian P. Guttman

Memorial Hospital, Corpus Christi.

Dr. Lydian P. Guttman, 89, died Friday morning at Irving Community Hospital.

A resident of Corpus Christi for many years, he moved to Irving to be with his wife in June, 1984.

Services will be Monday, care of the Seaside Funeral Home, Corpus Christi.

Dr. Guttman was born in March, 1895, in Corpus Christi, where he had a medical practice for a long time. He was former chief of staff at

He was an active member of the Masons and the Shriners; the American Medical Association, the Texas Medical Association, and the Nueces County Medical Association.

Survivors include his wife, Margaret Guttman of Irving; a step-daughter, Peggy Caldwell of Irving; two grandchildren; and two step-grandchildren.

24 Feb 1985
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