Lewis A. Bates

Lewis A. Bates, 77, of Irving, died Tuesday at his home.

A Texas native, he was a tool die maker for Texas Instruments and a member of Tanner Hill Masonic Lodge No. 52 in Dallas.

Survivors include wife, Goldie Bates of Irving; daughters, Bobbie Wilmoth, Tommie Gehring, Jackie Wilson and Lynaveta Clegg; sons, Joe Bates and Rickie Bates; brother, Abernathy Bates; sisters, Mildred Knickerbocker and Sue Kimble; 14 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 1 p.m. Thursday at Restland Memorial Chapel in Dallas, the Rev. Carl Ryder officiating. Interment will follow at Restland Memorial Park.

31 Dec 1987

IDN PA
Richard D. Bates, M.D.

The family of Richard D. Bates, M.D., 60, of Irving, will receive friends from 6:30 to 7 p.m. today at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Services will be held 10 a.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church, Irving. Dr. Henry Kinkeade officiating. Burial will be in Restland Cemetery, Dallas.

He died early Monday at Irving Community Hospital.

He was born in Dallas and was a resident of Irving 35 years.

He had a family medical practice in Irving for 5 years and a private pediatric practice in Irving for 20 years. He was a clinical associate professor of pediatrics at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School.

He was medical consultant for the Irving ISD for eight years and a member of the district's Board of Trustees for 13 years. The author of articles on various topics, he directed in-service training and acted as consultant to various other school districts on the school health aspects of special education.

Professional positions also included chief of pediatrics at Irving Community Hospital, chief of pediatrics at St. Paul Hospital in Dallas, secretary and member of the board of directors of the Dallas County Medical Society, chairman of the Texas Medical Association Committee on School Health, secretary of the Texas Pediatrics Society and member of the Health Advisory Committee of the Dallas Independent School District.

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He received the Phi Delta Kappa Friend of Education Award, the Kiwanis Club Award for Leadership in Service for Youth and the Irving City Council of PTA award for Outstanding Contributions to Youth.

He was founder of the Medical and Surgical Clinic of Irving. He served as past director of Texas Commerce Bank-Las Colinas and as a member of the board of directors of Dallas County Crippled Children's Society. He was vice-president of the Irving Chamber of Commerce and a member of its board of directors. And he was president of the Kiwanis Club in Irving.

He married Norma Caplinger of Dallas. He held a bachelor's degree from Southern Methodist University and a master's degree in special education from East Texas State University. His medical degree was earned at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School, and he served his internship at Baylor Hospital and his residency in pediatrics at Children's Medical Center, Dallas.

Certified by the American Board of Pediatrics, he was a fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics and of the American School Health Society. He belonged to the American Medical Association, the Texas Medical Association, the Texas Pediatric Society, the Texas School Health Association and the Dallas County Medical Society.

Active in First Baptist Church, Irving, he had been a Sunday school teacher and served on various boards.


Memorials may be sent to the Irving Schools Scholarship Fund, Dr. Elaine Free, Irving ISD, P.O. Box 3637, Irving 75061.

[Signature: 24 May 1987]

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Oran Batton

Oran Batton, 81, of Jacksonville, died Tuesday after a brief illness.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Vida Batton of Pierces Chapel; son, Billy Gene of Jacksonville; daughter, Mrs. Sybil Stevens of Irving; four brothers, one sister, four grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, several nieces and nephews.

Services were held Thursday at Thompson Funeral Home in Jacksonville, with interment following in Pierces Chapel Cemetery.
Jean S. Bell

Jean S. Bell, 71, of Irving, died Tuesday at Irving Community Hospital.
Arrangements are pending with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

21 Jan 1987
Jean "Mimi" Bell

Jean "Mimi" Bell, 71, of Irving, died Tuesday at Irving Community Hospital.

She was an Irving resident for three years, previously from Spring Branch, Texas. She was a native of Sonora, Texas, also a member of the St. John's Episcopal Church and was retired from the florist industry.

She is survived by her son, John Michael Bell of San Antonio; brothers, Allan W. Saunders of New Braunfels and Richard E. Saunders of Bandera; a niece, Sherry Berger of Irving; and one grandson.

Funeral services will be at 4:30 p.m. today at Kirkwood United Methodist Church in Irving. The Rev. Joe Heaton officiating. Grave-side services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio.

Memorials are requested to the American Cancer Society and arrangements by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Stephan (Steve) Bell

Stephan (Steve) Bell, 18, of Irving died Friday in Methodist Central Hospital in Dallas.

He was an Irving native and a student at MacArthur High School.

Survivors include parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bell of Irving; brother, Michael Bell of Irving; sister, De-Anna Bell of Irving and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Horn of Corpus Christi.

Services were Monday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home chapel, the Rev. Clayton Boyer officiating. Interment was in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Nettie Clementine Bennington

Nettie Clementine Bennington, 82, of Irving died Thursday night in Lancaster.

Services are pending at Chism-Smith Funeral Home.
Nettie C. Bennington

Nettie C. Bennington, 82, of Irving died Thursday in the West Bridge Nursing Home in Lancaster. She was a member of Oak View Baptist Church in Irving and had been a housewife most of her life.

Survivors include six daughters, Rachel Weatherly of Seagonville, Mary Jeffcoat of Duncanville, Rubynelle Dixon of Nashville, Tenn., Helen Roberson of Washington, D.C., Linda Tooley of St. Louis, Mo., and Sandra Crawford of Irving; three sons, Tommy Bennington of Rancho Cucamonga, Calif., J.L. Bennington of Tucson, Ariz., and Raymond Bennington of Denver, Colo.; one brother, Elmer Cates; three sisters, Gladys Thornton of Fort Worth, Ima Robinson of Mathis, Texas, Lillian Grant of San Antonio, 15 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

Services are at 10 a.m. Monday at Oak View Baptist Church with Rev. Wallace Philpot and Rev. James E. Wilkerson officiating. Gravesides services and interment will follow in Mt. Zion Cemetery in Commerce at 2 p.m. The family will receive visitors and friends at Chism-Smith Funeral Home from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday.
Eldean Denette Benson

Eldean Denette Benson, 43, of Irving, died Tuesday morning at Irving Community Hospital.

She was in the auto insurance business and was a member of First Baptist Church in Irving. She had attended the University of Texas at Arlington from 1962 to 1965.

Survivors include husband Jim Benson of Irving, daughters, Laura Lee McLand, Emily Diane Benson and Amy Kathleen Benson, all of Irving; parents, Luther and Arnette Black of Wylie, sisters, Amy Lambert of Denver, Colo., Christine Carpenter and Darlene Hamm, both of Garland, and Nelda Allum of San Antonio; and brothers, David Black and Dennis Black, both of Wylie.

Services will be held 1 p.m. Thursday at First Baptist Church, Dr. C. H. Murphy and Dr. Henry H. Kinkead officiating. Burial will be in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements were made through Chism-Smith Funeral Home.
Robert Milton Bereuter

Robert Milton Bereuter, 61, of Irving, died Friday at Irving Community Hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Lois Bereuter of Irving; sons, Robert Bereuter of Irving, David Bereuter of Irving, James Bereuter of Hurst, John Bereuter of Grand Prairie, Michael Bereuter of Irving, Bill Bereuter of Irving and Jeff Bereuter of Irving; daughters, Sharon Armour of Carrollton, Marlene Mittendorf of Virginia, Rose Paxton of Irving, and Wanda Bereuter of Irving; three sisters; two brothers; and 16 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Monday at Ben F. Brown Funeral Home Chapel with Art McNeese officiating.

Family requests in lieu of usual remembrances, donations be made to the Notre Dame Special School in Irving.
Frankye Berry

Frankye Berry, 75, of Irving died in Irving Community Hospital today.

Services are pending with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Frankye E. Berry

Frankye E. Berry, 75, of Irving died in Irving Community Hospital Wednesday. She had been an Irving resident for the last seven years and was previously from Odessa. She was a member of the South Side Baptist Church in Odessa and the Rebecca Lodge. For the past 25 years she was a nurse at the Odessa Medical Center.

Survivors include sons, Billy D. Berry of Irving, Jesse L. Berry of Oklahoma City, Okla., Raymond C. Berry of Albuquerque, N.M.; daughter, Margie A. Dailey of Tacoma, Wash.; brother, Buford Melton of Ratcliff, Texas; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Services are 2 p.m. Friday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home chapel, the Revs. Joe Eaton and Clayton Northcutt officiating. Graveside services are 2 p.m. Saturday at Ector County Cemetery in Odessa.

4 June 1987
Dwight L. Bicknell

Dwight L. Bicknell, 74, of Irving, died Monday at Irving Community Hospital.

He had been an Irving resident since 1951. He was born in Fannin County, Texas and was a former Exxon dealer.

He is survived by his wife, Lois Bicknell of Irving; son and daughter-in-law, Jimmy and DeLinda Bicknell of Garland; one daughter, Donna Bicknell of Irving; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at Ben F. Brown Chapel with the Rev. Henry H. Kinkaid officiating. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Escue Bilbrey

Escue Bilbrey, 65, of Irving, died early Saturday at Irving Community Hospital. Arrangements are pending at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

25 Jan 1987
IN 82A
E.B. Bilbrey Jr.

E. B. Bilbrey Jr., 65, of Irving, died Saturday at Irving Community Hospital.

He had lived in Irving for 26 years. He was the owner of the E.B. Speed Wash. He was a member of the Commanders Club of the Disabled American Veterans.

He is survived by his wife, Doris Bilbrey of Irving; mother, Bess Bilbrey of Dallas; sons, Larry Bilbrey, Jerry Bilbrey, and Glenn Bilbrey, all of Garland.

Services were 10 a.m. Monday at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel with the Mr. W.A. Harrison officiating. Interment followed at Grove Hill Cemetery in Dallas.

26 Jan 1987
IN 22A
Etta Jo Bates-Black

Etta Jo Bates-Black, 46, of Irving, died Saturday in Sid Peterson Memorial Hospital in Kerrville, Texas. She was an employee of the General Telephone Company.

She is survived by her husband, Woodrow F. Black; two daughters, Lori M. Anderson of Dallas, Angie Bradford of Fort Worth; two brothers, Edward Parrish of Dallas, Donnie Sechrest of Dallas; a sister, Helen B. Davenport of Bandera, Texas; and two grandchildren.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Ben F. Brown Chapel with the Rev. Dale Parkhill officiating.
Jean Black

Jean Black, 64, of Irving, died today at Saint Paul Hospital in Dallas. She was born in Lowell, Ky. She has been an Irving resident for 38 years. She was an accountant with Vecta Contract Company and a member of the First Baptist Church in Irving.

She is survived by her husband, Jim Black of Irving two sons, Stuart H. Black and Dean Black, both of Irving; two brothers, James Howard of Idaho Falls, Idaho, Col. Freeman Howard of Colorado Springs, Colo.; and one grandson, Cody Black of Irving.

Services pending with Ben E. Brown Funeral Home.
Jean Black

Jean Black, 64, of Irving, died Tuesday at St. Paul Hospital in Dallas.

She was born in Lowell, Ky., and was an accountant for Vecta Contract Co. A resident of Irving for 38 years, she was a member of First Baptist Church in Irving.

Survivors include husband, Jim Black of Irving, sons, Stuart H. Black and Brian Black, both of Irving, brothers, James Howard of Idaho Falls, Idaho, and Col. Freeman Howard of Colorado Springs, Colo.; sister-in-law, Catherine Black of Mineola, and one grandchild, Cody Black.

Services will be held 2 p.m. Thursday at Ben F. Brown Funeral Home chapel, Dr. Henry Kinkade and the Rev. Wallace Philpot officiating. Internment will be at Restland in Dallas.

14 Oct 1987

IDN P2
Woman dies; illness believed murder motive

The wife of an Irving man accused of killing their son died Saturday at Irving Community Hospital.

Mary Lee Blair, 66, wife of Delmos Blair, had been diagnosed as having stomach cancer.

On Thanksgiving evening, Delmos Blair, 67, was arrested and charged with killing the couple's 45-year-old son, Jimmie Dale Blair.

Investigators said Blair was apparently disturbed after learning that his wife was terminally ill.

Along with her husband, she is survived by a son, William Blair of Reno, Nevada; a sister, Helen Morgan of Irving; and a brother, Bernie Brashears of San Antonio.

Graveside services are scheduled for 1 p.m. Monday at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Ben F. Brown Funeral Home is in arrangements.

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4 Jan 1987

IN 12A
Beverly A. Blanks

Beverly A. Blanks, 31, died in her Irving residence Wednesday.

She had been an Irving resident for 26 years and was a member of St. Luke’s Catholic Church. For the past 12 years she was a supervisor for CCH-Computax.

Survivors include husband, Milton Blanks of Irving; sons, Milton B. Blanks II of Kentucky and Christopher Shane Blanks of Irving; daughter, Stephanie Rae Blanks of Irving; sister, Barbara Barry of Irving; brother, Robert Barry of Grand Prairie and mother, Betty Jane Barry of Irving.

A memorial service is pending with Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home.

In lieu of the usual remembrances, the family requests donations be made to the Scottish Rite Crippled Children’s Hospital.

25 June 1987
IN 75A
Vera Blanks

Vera Blanks, 73, of Irving, died Thursday at Methodist Central Hospital in Dallas.
Arrangements are pending at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Joyce C. Blundell

Joyce C. Blundell, 66, died Thursday at her home in Irving.

She was born in Gloster, England, and has been an Irving resident for about 20 years.

She is survived by her husband, John T. Blundell of Irving; one son, Graham J. Blundell of Irving; one daughter, Patricia A. Rohman of England; and one sister, Eleanor Wright of England.

Funeral services were 2 p.m. Saturday at the Kirkwood Methodist Church with the Rev. Joe Heaton and the Rev. George Harris officiating. Interment followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Claude Justin
Board

Graveside services for Claude Justin Board, 73, of Irving were 2 p.m. today in Oak Lawn Cemetery, Cooper, the Rev. Ed Sample officiating. He died Tuesday at Irving Community Hospital.

Born in East Delta County, he was a longtime resident of Irving.

Survivors include son, Charles J. Board of Irving.

Arrangements were made through Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.

28 Oct 1987

LNP 12
Otto Bodiford

Otto Bodiford, 60, died in his home Monday. Funeral service arrangements are pending.
Otto Bodiford

Otto Bodiford, 60, died in his residence Monday.

Survivors include his wife, Esther May Bodiford of Irving; father, Silas Bodiford of Irving; daughter, Linda Baggs of Victoria; son, David Bodiford of Lake Dallas; brothers Joe Bodiford and Charles Bodiford, both of Irving; and two grandchildren.

Bodiford was a Navy veteran and affiliated with the Church of God in Irving.

Services will be conducted 1 p.m. Thursday at Chisum-Smith Chapel. Interment will be at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Elmer Eugene Boeding

Elmer Eugene Boeding, 75, of Irving, died Friday at his home.

A 10-year resident of Irving, he was employed at Bearden's Furniture in Dallas for 15 years. He was married Oct. 8, 1938 in St. Louis, Mo., and was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church in Irving.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy Boeding of Irving; one son, Michael A. Boeding of Irving; daughters, Pat McMurtry of Bedford and Barbara Ryan and Betty Maxvill of Irving; one sister, Irene Atterbury of Missouri, and 13 grandchildren.

A rosary will be held 7 p.m. Sunday at Holy Family Catholic Church with a Mass at 10 a.m. Monday with the Rev. George Monaghan officiating. Interment will follow at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas.
Mackie "Mack" Gene Booher

Mackie "Mack" Gene Booher, 51, of Irving died recently on vacation in Mexico. Arrangements are pending at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
An Irving resident for 27 years, he was previously from Dallas and a native of Ely, Texas. He was a member of the Plymouth Park Methodist Church. He was an electrician and belonged to the Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include wife Ora Booher of Irving; daughters Gena Pellyman of Coppell and Sonia Booher of Denton, mother Jewell Booher of Irving; and an uncle, Bob Booher of Cartwright, Okla.

Funeral services are 10 a.m. Monday at the Plymouth Park United Methodist Church with the Rev. R. David Shawver officiating. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Family requests memorials to the Plymouth Park United Methodist Church's outside lighting fund. 1615 W. Airport Freeway, Irving.

Arrangements were made by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Teri Booher

Teri Booher, of Fort Worth, died Monday in a Fort Worth hospital.

Survivors include daughter, Connie Medlenka of Fort Worth; stepmother Estelle Holland of Fort Worth; sisters Marie Warne of Wichita, Kan., Jan Baze of San Jose, Calif., and Yvonne Harscher of Wichita; granddaughters Becky Pursley of Austin and Paula Merharg of Keller; and great-granddaughter Amber Lee Merharg of Keller; and several nieces and nephews.

She was a retired cosmetician from Derma Science Inc. in Irving. She came to Fort Worth from Kansas City, Mo. in 1940.

She was a member of Easter Star Chapter 98 in Haltom City.

Services will be 11 a.m. Thursday in Mount Olivet Chapel. Interment will follow at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

18 Mar 1987

In p2a
George W. Boot

George W. Boot, 85, of Dallas, died Tuesday. Arrangements are pending with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Aubrey Boswell

Aubrey Boswell, 78, of Irving died Tuesday at Irving Community Hospital.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday at Faith Temple Baptist Church, with interment following at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Arrangements were handled by Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.

7 Jan 1987

In 82A
Aubrey Boswell

Aubrey Boswell, of Irving, died Tuesday at Irving Community Hospital. He was 78.

He was an employee of Red Arrow Freight.

He is survived by his wife, Lois Boswell of Irving; sons, Bobby Wayne Boswell of Irving and Jimmy Ray Boswell of Irving; brother, Cone Boswell of Bardwell, Texas; sisters, Virginia DeGarza of Jacksonville, and Ruby Boswell of Jacksonville; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 1 p.m. Thursday at Faith Temple Baptist, with the Rev. David Zimmerman officiating. Burial was at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements were by Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.

9 Jul 1987
IN 82A
Doris Boulware

Doris Boulware, 68, of Irving, died Monday at Irving Community Hospital.

She was a retired insurance clerk and a member of the First Baptist Church of Irving.

Survivors include husband, Louie Boulware of Irving; daughters, Sandra Lafeurs and Pat Lee of Irving; sister, Jackie Free of Port Arthur; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Graveside services will be 11 a.m. Thursday at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, the Rev. Henry Kinkeade officiating.

4 May 1987
IN 82A
Sterling Bradley

Sterling Bradley, 57, of Irving, died Friday at the Hurst-Euless-Bedford Hospital in Bedford.

Bradley had been a resident of Irving for the last 25 years and was previously from Houston. He was a member of the Woodhaven Presbyterian Church in Irving and was employed by Bell Helicopter in Hurst as an electrical engineer for 19 years.

He was a longtime member of the Irving Republican Club and was also a member of the Irving Civil Service Commission.

He is survived by his wife Charlene Bradley, of Irving; four sons, Marsh Bradley, of Houston, Dan Miles, of Oklahoma, Andy Miles, of Oregon, Steven Miles, of Oregon; two daughters, Beverly Baker, of Plano, and Stephanie Bradley, of Austin; one brother, Melton Bradley, of Houston; and five grandchildren.

Services are set for 10 a.m. Monday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home with Dr. Clifford Williams officiating. Internment will follow at Laurel Land Cemetery in Fort Worth.

The family request memorials to Irving Republican PAC, 620 Cox St. Irving, 75062 or to a favorite charity.

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6 Sep 1987
InPast
Anita R. Branca

Anita R. Branca, 72, of Irving, died Monday at Irving Community Hospital.

She had been an Irving resident for nine months, formerly of Montclair, N.J. She was a retired electronic technician.

She is survived by one daughter, Grace Alba McClure of Irving, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Wednesday at St. Cashin Catholic Church in Montclair. Interment will follow at Immaculate Conception Cemetery in Montclair.

Local arrangements were made by Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.

17 Feb 1987
IN PIA
Mrs. Verlia Maurine Brandenburg died Thursday at Irving Community Hospital. She was 78.

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Services were held at 3 p.m. Friday in the Ben F. Brown Chapel of the Memorial Gardens. The family requests that memorials be sent to the Irving Community Hospital.

Mrs. Brandenburg was a well-known Irving resident. She is survived by her daughter, Mary Sue Van Slyke of Irving, and her husband, John. She was preceded in death by her husband, John.

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Joseph Michael Brannock

Graveside services for Joseph Michael Brannock, the infant son of Richard and Elaine Brannock of Grand Prairie, are set for 11 a.m. Thursday at Heamline Cemetery in Gatesville. Services will be conducted by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

The child died after birth on Monday at an Arlington hospital.

Other survivors include two brothers, Richard and Andrew Brannock of Grand Prairie, and his grandparents, R.A. (Dick) and Jill Brannock of Irving and Herbert and Nanita Gormley of Atlanta, Ga.
Ulman Brandon

Ulman Brandon, 91, of Irving died this morning at Irving Community Hospital.

Funeral arrangements are pending with Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.
Ulman Brandon

Ulman Brandon, 92, of Irving, died Wednesday at Irving Community Hospital.

He attended the Community Bible Church of Irving.

He is survived by his wife, Nora Brandon of Irving; four daughters, Betty Johnson of Fort Worth, Mildred Randolph of San Antonio, Barbara Buchanan of Irving and Martha Matthews of Hurst; 13 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. Saturday in the Ben F. Brown Chapel with the Rev. Homer Heater officiating. Interment will follow at Rose Hill Cemetery in Fort Worth.

8 Jun 1987

IN PA
Mr. Ulman R. Brandon

Mr. Ulman R. Brandon, of Irving, died Wednesday at Irving Community Hospital. He was 91.

He was a veteran of World War II. He was born in Decatur and attended the Community Bible Church in Irving.

He is survived by his wife, Nova Brandon of Irving; daughters, Betty Johnson of Fort Worth, Mildred Randolph of San Antonio, Barbara Buchanan of Irving and Martha Matthews of Hurst; 13 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Ben F. Brown Funeral Home Chapel, with Dr. Homer Heater officiating. Burial will be at Rose Hill Cemetery in Fort Worth.
Jewell "Dutch" Bredrick

Jewell "Dutch" Bredrick, 63; of Lewisville, died Saturday afternoon at Veteran's Administration Medical Center in Dallas.

He lived in Lewisville for the past year, having previously lived in Arkansas. He was employed as a mechanic at Randall Ford in Fort Smith, Ark. He was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9667 in Dallas and Disabled American Veterans.

Survivors include daughters, Carol Waltrip of Lewisville, Tawana Bergos of Carrollton, Linda Gray of Bossier City, La., and Jennifer Johnston of Fruitville; brothers, Eugene Bredrick and Doyle Bredrick, both of Fort Smith, Ark., and Raymond Bredrick of Van Buren, Ark.; sisters, Kathryn Parker of Grapevine, Carol Davis of Irving and Faye Ramey of Rudy, Ark.; mother, Lovie Stapleton of Van Buren, Ark., and 10 grandchildren.

Services were 10 a.m. Tuesday at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel, the Rev. Robert Werberig officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Thelma O. Brewer

Thelma O. Brewer, 86, died Sunday at the Irving Living Center.
- Survivors include son, Jack Brewer of Grapevine; daughter, Betty Olive of Irving; sister, Dorothy Irvine of Houston, four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.
- Services were held today at Ben F. Brown Chapel, with interment following in Bluebonnet Hills in Colleyville.

31 Mar 1987
IN P2A
Loretta Brians

Loretta Brians of Irving died Monday in her home at the age of 80.

A native of Charleston, Texas, she was a resident of Irving for 23 years. She was a housewife and a member of the Southside Baptist Church.

She is survived by son, Gary Brians of Irving; daughters, Joyce Simmons of Irving and Mary Lou Wilson of Arkansas; brothers, Arnold Stubblefield of Cooper, Texas; Olin Stubblefield of Grand Prairie, Paul Stubblefield of Paris and Boyce Earl Stubblefield of Sulphur Springs, eight grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Southside Baptist Church, with the Rev. Claude Tipps officiating. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements were handled by Ben F. Brown Funeral Home.

10 Nov 1987
IDN 62
Barbara June Brichetto

Barbara June Brichetto, 40, of Irving died Sunday at Irving Community Hospital.

She had been an Irving resident for 24 years. She was co-owner of a boat accessory company. She was a member of Crestview Baptist Church and the Irving Soccer Association where she was coach of the Dragons.

Survivors include husband, Arthur Brichetto, Jr., of Irving; sons, Michael Joseph Brichetto, John Eric Brichetto and Christopher Aaron Brichetto, all of Irving; daughter, Lora Christine Brichetto of Irving; brothers, Billy Joe Wright of Tenneha, Bobby Jack Wright of Canton, Donald Gene Wright of Grand Prairie and Buck Jim Wright of Canton and sister, Betty Jean Whisenhunt.

Services are 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Crestview Baptist Church, Dr. Joe Moody and the Rev. Dan Tarno officiating. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Friends may pay their respects at Ben F. Brown Funeral Home until the services.
John V. Bridges

John V. Bridges, 85, died at his Irving residence Sunday morning. A retired self-employed paint contractor, Bridges was an Irving resident for 31 years, having lived previously in Dallas and his native Dodd City. He was a charter member of Calvary Temple Church in Irving and a Sunday school superintendent and deacon at Union Bower Assembly of God. He had used his carpenter skills to help build the Union Bower church.

Survivors include wife, Myrtle Bridges of Irving; son, L. C. Bridges of Quitman; daughter, Bettie Brock of Irving; foster daughter, Nadine Harp of Lewisville; sister, Minnie Mooney of Lewisville; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services were held 10 a.m. today in the Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home chapel, the Revs. Bill Ferrel and George Hicks officiating. Graveside services were 2 p.m. today in the Dodd City Cemetery, Dodd City, the Rev. Scott Edwards officiating.

Memorials may be sent to the American Cancer Society.

29 Sept 1987
IN P2A
Deward Briggs

Deward Briggs, 58, of Irving died Saturday at D/FW Medical Center in Grand Prairie.

Arrangements are pending with the Chism-Smith Funeral Home.
Keith Brown

Keith Brown, 53, of Arlington, died Sunday at an Arlington hospital. He was an officer of City National Bank of Irving, a member of the Irving Rotary Club, and a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church of Arlington. He was a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army Reserve.

Survivors include his wife, Mara Lee Brown of Arlington; one son, Dr. Mark Brown of Dallas; two daughters, Katherine Ann Hay of Arlington and Deborah Susanne Roberts of Waco; his mother, Ruvena Barnwell of Arlington; two brothers, Dr. Clayton Brown of Fort Worth and James Brown of Houston; and one granddaughter.

Funeral services were Tuesday at Trinity United Methodist Church in Arlington. Dr. Dick Jenkins officiated. Interment was at Moore Memorial Gardens. Donations may be made to the American Cancer or Heart funds or to the Memorial Library Fund at Trinity United Methodist Church.

11 Jul 1987
IN RSA
Alfred Tennison Brownlee

Alfred Tennison Brownlee, 97, died Sunday at Brookhollow Manor Nursing Home in Grapevine.

He is survived by a nephew, Ed H. Mims of Dallas.

Graveside services were at 11 a.m. today at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
died Thursday in Irving Community Hospital.

Bruce, a self-employed plumber, had been an Irving resident for 18 years. He was a member of the Assembly of God Tabernacle Church, Childress Lodge No. 695, Scottish Rite Valley of Dallas and the Maskot Temple of Shrine. He was a U.S. Army and Air Force veteran.

Survivors include wife, Dorothy Louise Bruce of Irving; sons, Mike Bruce of Dallas, Darrell Bruce of Irving and Kevin Bruce of Irving; daughter, Debra Hale of Irving; parents, Henry Lee and Lydia Bruce of Childress, Texas; brothers, Henry Lee Bruce, Jr. of Hayward, Calif., and Billy Don Bruce of Phoenix, Ariz.; sisters, Evalee Taylor of Newark, Texas, Evelyn Newberry of Kirkland, Texas, and Carolyn Lane of Childress; and four grandchildren.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at the Assembly of God Tabernacle Church, the Rev. David Brauchler officiating. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Alton James Bruce

Alton James Bruce, 58, of Irving

15 May 1987

IN 52A
Neil Buchanan

Neil Buchanan, 82, of Irving, died Thursday at Irving Community Hospital.

Funeral services for Buchanan were conducted at 3 p.m. Saturday at Chism-Smith Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Clyde Boyd officiating.

Graveside services are scheduled for 2 p.m. today in Hope, Ark.

Buchanan is survived by a son, Ernest G. Buchanan of Irving and three grandchildren.

A retired homebuilder, Buchanan had lived in Irving for the past 24 years.

26 JUNE 1987
IN PAA
JoAnn Buczkowski

JoAnn Buczkowski, 46, of Irving, died at home early Friday morning. Arrangements are pending with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

4 Dec 1987
IDN 92
Wilda Joann Buczkowski, 46, of Irving, died Friday at her home. She is survived by her husband, Ronald Buczkowski of Irving; two daughters, Julie Buczkowski of Dallas, Vickie Munguia of Austin; one son, Don Buczkowski of Dallas; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Ward Sr. of Illinois; brothers, Ronnie Ward of Missouri, Jim Ward Jr. of Illinois; two sisters, Bonnie Horn of Missouri, Ruth Gooden of Missouri; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Monday at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Dan Busdiecker officiating. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or the Hospice Society.
Wanda Joy Burkeen

Wanda Joy Burkeen, 53, of Irving died Wednesday at Irving Community Hospital.

She had lived in Irving for 11 years and was a native of South Dakota. She worked for Carlton Cards in Dallas.

She is survived by sons, Daniel Burkeen of Houston and Jerry Burkeen of Dallas; daughters, Kim Gamez of Irving and Deborah Latham of Caldwell; 10 grandchildren; and several brothers and sisters.

Services will be Saturday at 2 p.m. at the Blair Stubbs Funeral Home in Mexia. Interment will follow in Leon County.
Dorothy Marie Bush Burleson

Dorothy Marie Bush Burleson, 60, of Corsicana, died last Saturday in a Waco hospital. Survivors include her mother, Mrs. Earl Lewis Sr. of Corsicana; brother Earl Bush Jr. of Corsicana; daughters Dana Richland and Cassandra Jordan of Waco; son Bryant Burleson of Waco; sister Jimmie Nell Sutton of Irving; niece Karen Sutton Bucher of Irving; and nephew Kim Michael Sutton of Richardson. She was buried in Oak Wood Cemetery in Corsicana Monday.
Robert L. Burns

Robert L. Burns, 77, of Irving, died Tuesday night in an Irving hospital following a short illness.

He was a security officer and a World War II veteran.

He is survived by his wife, Grace Burns of Irving; stepsons, B.F. Borden and F.M. Borden; brothers, O.C. Burns and Alton Burns; sisters, Mattie Davis and Glenn Godley; five grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Restland’s Wildwood Chapel in Dallas with the Rev. Jim Everett of the West Side Church of Christ in Irving officiating. Interment will follow at Restland Memorial Park in Dallas.
Opal Marie Burst

"Opal Marie Burst, 71, of Irving, died Thursday at Arlington Memorial Hospital.

She was an Irving resident for 18 years and was an apartment manager.

She is survived by one son, Herman R. Burst of Irving; two sisters, Mildred Linden of San Antonio and Myrtle Goad of Hamilton, Ohio; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were 3 p.m. Saturday at Ben F. Brown Chapel with the Rev. Charles Hubbard officiating. Interment followed at Oakgrove Memorial Park.
Ellis E. Butcher III

Ellis E. Butcher, an infant, died Saturday at his home in Irving.

He is survived by his parents, Ellis E. Butcher Jr. and Carolyn Butcher, both of Irving; brother, Orlanthan Butcher of Irving; sister, Tyeesha Butcher of Irving; maternal grandfather, Odell Letson of Los Angeles, Calif.; paternal grandparents, Ernest and Bea Butcher of New Mexico.

Funeral Services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Clarence E. Butler

Clarence E. Butler, 72, of Irving died Wednesday at Irving Community Hospital.

He was an Irving resident 35 years, previously from Dallas. He was a member of Belt Line Road Church of Christ and in 1984, he retired after 27 years with Connelly Machine Shop in Dallas.

He is survived by his wife Viola Butler of Irving; sons Gene Butler of Mesquite, Don Butler of Keller and Jerry Butler of Burleson; step-daughter Linda Soto of Grand Prairie; step-son Charles Lee Fuller of Stephenville; brother Morris Butler of Mexia; sisters Sybil Robertson of Abilene and Mary Ann Carmean of Arizona; mother Annie Bell Butler of Mexia; 13 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Services were 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Belt Line Road Church of Christ. Graveside services were 4 p.m. at Vitmo Cemetery in Tom Bean, Texas. David Tappe officiated.

Arrangements were made by Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home.