Troy Lee Cates

Troy Lee Cates, 38, of Grand Prairie, died, Tuesday, Feb. 20.

Mr. Cates was born March 4, 1957, in Dallas. He graduated from Nimitz High School in 1975.

Survivors include his mother, Dorothy Green Cates of Grand Prairie; brothers, Gorman Edward Cates of Grand Prairie, Gary Lynn Cates of Irving and Donald Ray Stevens of Rosharon; and several nieces and nephews.

A memorial service was held Monday, Feb. 26, at Inglewood Baptist in Grand Prairie.
Elaine Wright Chandler

Elaine Wright Chandler, 69, of Irving, died Thursday, Sept. 14, at Irving Hospital.

Mrs. Chandler was born October 8, 1925, in Waxahachie, Texas. She was a cosmetologist and a member of Episcopal Church of the Redeemer.

Survivors include her husband, George Chandler of Irving; daughter, Michelle Lawrence of Trophy Club, Texas; granddaughter, Patti Lawrence; and three brothers, William Wright, Jr., of New Orleans, Martin Right of Mexia and Billy Wright of Odessa.

Services are scheduled for 1 p.m., Monday, Sept. 18, at Episcopal Church of the Redeemer.

The family requests memorials to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 141274, Irving, Texas, 75014.
Jessie Wade Chandler Jr.

Jessie Wade Chandler Jr., 48, died on July 2 in Grand Prairie.

He was born in Dallas on June 5, 1947, and had lived in Irving and Duncanville. He was the owner of Chandler Tile Pool and Deck Company.

He is survived by his parents, Jessie and Dorothy Chandler of Duncanville; a sister, Dottie Chandler of Grand Prairie; three sons, Jessie Wade Chandler III of Red Oak, David Wade Chandler of Arlington and Mark Allen Chandler of Dallas; a daughter, Victoria Elizabeth Chandler of Arlington; eight grandchildren; and two brothers, Michael David Chandler of Red Oak and Ronald Wade Chandler.

Funeral service was Tuesday, July 4, at Chism-Smith Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Clyde Boyd officiating.
Tom Chandler, first Nimitz High School principal, dies

Tom Chandler, the first principal of Nimitz High School, died Wednesday, Oct. 4, at his Irving home.

Chandler, 69, was born Sept. 22, 1926, in Bowie. He was an educator in the Irving school district for 37 years.

"He was a very caring man who was respected by both students and educators," said school board trustee Barbara Cardwell.

Chandler, who held a bachelor of science degree and a master's of education degree from Texas Wesleyan College, came to Irving in 1950 when he began working for the Irving school district. He was the vice principal of Bowie Junior High School for two years and later became the school's principal. In 1969, Chandler left Bowie to become the first principal of Nimitz High School, where he stayed until 1975.

"Mr. Chandler was my junior high principal at Bowie and then he moved over to Nimitz. He was a super man, very caring and knowledgeable of the kids and the school business. He had a great hand in the traditions of Nimitz that are still going on today," said Randy Stipes, former educator and school board trustee. "I've known Mr. Chandler almost all my life and I think he was probably one of the best administrators that they could have chosen for Nimitz."

After leaving Nimitz, Chandler worked as an administrator at the IISD administration building until his retirement in 1987.

Cardwell said she will remember him as a dedicated educator and a fantastic friend.

Tom Chandler Services were Friday

She said his frank, honest way of dealing with people gained the respect of his peers.

"He told it like it was, but to me, he always reminded me of a big teddy bear," she said.

Stipes remembered the influence Chandler had on his own life.

"I'm just glad that I got to know the man. Having people like Mr. Chandler to kind of pattern my life after a little was a blessing. He'll be sorely missed by educators and the community as a whole," he said.

Chandler is survived by his wife of 40 years, Gail Chandler of Irving; and his brother, Kenneth Chandler of Ponca City, Okla.

Services were held Friday, Oct. 6, at First Baptist Church of Irving. Burial followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens under the direction of Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.
Janice Chavez

Janice Chavez, 50, of Irving died Tuesday, Sept. 5, at Harris Methodist HEB Hospital.

Mrs. Chavez was born April 2, 1945, in Fort Worth. She was a homemaker and a member of Unity Church of Irving. She also was a member of Trinity Arts Writers Association and a youth director for Unity Church.

Survivors include her husband, Roldan Chavez of Irving; sons, Bryan De Costa and Tony De Costa, both of Hurst; daughter, Nicky De Costa of Watagua; brother, Brent Rees of St. Louis, Mo.; and father, Jack King of Thornton, Colo.

Services were held Thursday, Sept. 7, at Unity Church of Irving.

The family requests memorials to Unity Church of Irving, 210 W. Virginia, Irving, TX 75061.
Wilmer Chumney

Wilmer Chumney, 53 of Irving died Friday, June 30 in Irving. Arrangements are being made through Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
W.C. Chumney

W.C. Chumney, 53, of Irving, died Friday, June 30, at Irving Hospital.

Mr. Chumney was born January 8, 1942, in Hamilton, Texas. He was a retired employee of the city of Dallas, where he worked for 30 years. He also worked for P.P.G. Industry in Irving for 26 years. He was a member of Plymouth Park Baptist Church in Irving and had served in the military.

Survivors include his wife, Margaret Chumney of Irving; mother, Mary Chumney of Hamilton; daughter, Cindy Stringer of Arlington; brothers, Douglas Chumney of Fort Worth and Lonnie Chumney of Austin; sisters, Anita Adams of Hamilton and Wilma Drury of San Antonio; and granddaughter, Caitlin Stringer of Arlington.

Services were held 2 p.m., Monday, July 3, at Plymouth Park Baptist Church with the Rev. Keith Berryman officiating. Interment followed at Bear Creek Cemetery.

Arrangements were made through Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

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[Date: June 30, 1993]
Walter W. Churchill Sr.

Walter W. Churchill Sr., 95, of Irving died Monday, March 13, at an Irving nursing home.

Mr. Churchill was born June 22, 1899, in Redfield, Minn. He was a retired sheet metal press operator and was a member of Seventh Day Adventist.

He is survived by his daughter, Sylvia Wilson of Bedford; son, Walter Churchill Jr. of Long Island, N.Y.; sister, Ruth Davis of Illinois; and four grandchildren.

Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday, March 16, at Mount Vernon Cemetery in Mount Vernon, Wash., with the Rev. Philip White officiating. Local arrangements are with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Homer Lane Clancy

Homer Lane Clancy, 56, of Irving died Monday, April 24, at Park Manor Nursing Home.

Mr. Clancy was born Dec. 7, 1938, in Thornton. He was employed as a lead man with Taylor Publishing and was a member of the Graphic Communication Union.

Survivors include his daughters, Lisa Clancy-Rush and Kristi Clancy, both of Garland, and Karen Clancy of Irving; son, Steve Clancy of Duncanville; mother, Lois Clancy; grandchildren, Lindsey Clancy, Lauren Clancy, Lea Clancy, Katlin Clancy and Trent Clancy; and brothers, Jerry Clancy of Mesquite and Joe Clancy of Clovis, N.M.

He was preceded in death by his father, Haskell Clancy; one son, David Clancy; and a brother, Dwaine Clancy.

Funeral services were Wednesday, April 26, at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, with the Rev. Willis Lambert officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Emma V. Orr Clark

Emma V. Orr Clark, 92, of Irving died Wednesday, Aug. 30, at The Irving Hospital.

Mrs. Clark was born March 17, 1903, in Fredericksburg. She was an Irving resident for 12 years, previously living in Arizona for 25 years. She was a retired department store salesperson and was employed at Youngheim Clothing Store in Anadarko, Okla., from 1946-1955. She was also a member of First Christian Church in Anadarko, Okla.

She is survived by her daughter, Joann Watts of Irving; brother, Robert E. Oliver of Laguna Hills, Calif.; sister, Margaret Oliver of Showlow, Ariz.; grandchildren, Wayne and Cindie Watts of Plano, Lisa Watts of West Hills, Calif., and Paul Watts of Austin; great-grandchildren, Andy, Jason, David, Sean, Melissa and Elizabeth Watts, all of Plano; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held Thursday, Aug. 31, at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel, with Rev. Elder Alonzo Shelley officiating. Burial followed Friday at Memory Lane Cemetery in Anadarko, Okla.

The family requests memorials sent to the American Heart Association, 1615 Stemmons Freeway, Dallas, TX 75207.
Dallas man killed in motorcycle, car wreck

BY UZABETH CARDENAS

The man, who has not been identified, was killed when his motorcycle collided with a car on a road. The accident occurred around 4:00 p.m. on a Saturday afternoon. The man was riding a motorcycle on a rural road when another vehicle, which was traveling in the opposite direction, struck him. He was taken to the hospital with critical injuries and pronounced dead about two hours later. The investigation is ongoing, and police are searching for witnesses. The exact cause of the accident is still unknown. The Dallas Police Department has asked anyone with information to come forward.
Paul Francis Clarke

Paul Francis Clarke, 67, of Irving died Thursday, Jan. 12.

Mr. Clarke was born Jan. 10, 1928, in La Salle, Ill.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Lou Clarke, and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Saturday, Jan. 14, at Restland Memorial Chapel in Dallas. Burial followed at Restland Memorial Park. Arrangements were with Restland Funeral Home.
Patsy Jean Clary

Patsy Jean Clary, 61, of Irving died Sunday, April 16, at her home. Mrs. Clary was born Aug. 18, 1933, in Elkhart, Ind. She was a retired cosmetologist.

Survivors include her daughters, Peggy Jo Thompson of Escondido, Calif., and Dalejean Carter of Irving; sons, Robert Thompson of Charlton City, Mass., and Thomas D. Thompson of Irving; seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; sisters, Janice Hoffman, Pat Duncan, Emma Duncan and Mary Duncan, all of Florida; and brothers, Bill Duncan of Florida and Denny Duncan of Tennessee.

There will be no services following cremation at Martin Oaks Crematory. Arrangements are with Chism-Smith Funeral Home.
Johnny Mac Clay

Johnny Mac Clay, 41, of Irving died Sunday, July 30, at The Irving Hospital.

Mr. Clay was born July 11, 1954, in Hugo, Okla. He was employed as a cook with Burger Station restaurant and was a member of Cornerstone Church of Irving.

He is survived by his wife, Karen Clay of Irving; sons, George Clay and John Clay, both of Irving; daughter, Dawn Clay Tucker of Paris; sisters, Jan Gonzalez of McAllen and BettyJo Dearman of Atlanta, Ga.; and brother, John Knapp of Houston.

Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 3, at Chism-Smith Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. George Jurecka officiating. Graveside service will be at 3 p.m. at Henrietta Cemetery in Avery. Local arrangements are with Chism-Smith Funeral Home.

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In P3A
Carol Clements

Carol Clements, 53, of Paris, Texas, formerly of Irving, died Wednesday, April 26, in Paris.

Mrs. Clements was born Dec. 5, 1941, in Athens. She was a 1960 graduate of Athens public schools, attended Trinity Valley Junior College, and graduated from University of North Texas in 1963 with a bachelor of arts degree. She received a master of arts degree in 1970 and taught in Friona public schools, Big Springs public schools and the Irving Independent School District. She was also a substitute teacher for the Paris school district and was a charter member of Lambda Theta chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Irving from 1969-1992 and was a current member of First Baptist Church of Paris, Texas State Teachers Association, Classroom Teachers Association and National Educational Association.

She is survived by her husband, Bailey Clements of Paris; son, William Collier Clements of Dallas; daughter, Claudia Clements of Paris; and brother, Dr. J.L. Collier Jr. of Naples. She was preceded in death by her mother, Evelyn Matthews Collier.

Services were Saturday, April 29, at First Baptist Church of Irving, with the Rev. E.L. McNeal officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens under the direction of Chism-Smith Funeral Home.
Mildred Clements

Mildred Clements, 74, of Irving died Wednesday, April 12, at the Irving Care Center.

She was born March 4, 1921, in Wichita Falls. She came to Irving in 1959 and was a member of First Baptist Church of Irving.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, Frank and Linda Goodman and James and Laurie Goodman of Irving; brother, R.M. Miller of Shreveport, La.; six grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

Services were scheduled for 2 p.m., Friday, April 14, at First Baptist Church of Irving, with Dr. Randy Rudisell officiating. Interment followed at Five Mile Cemetery in Dallas under the direction of Chism-Smith Funeral Home.
Della Clifton

Della Clifton, 97, of Irving, died Friday, September 15, at Irving Living Center.

Ms. Clifton was born October 7, 1897. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Irving.

Survivors include her daughter, Ava Lacefield of Irving; two sons, O.B. Clifton of Bryan, Texas and Buel Clifton of Horseshoe Bay, Texas; brother, Otis Newkirk of Peerless, Texas; 14 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; and 1 great-great-grandchild.

Services are scheduled for 11 a.m., Monday, September 18, in the chapel at First Baptist Church of Irving. Rev. Charles Stevenson and Dr. Randy Rutilisell will officiate.
Scott Cobb

Scott Cobb, 15, of Irving died Friday, Nov. 10, near Evant.

Mr. Cobb was born Oct. 14, 1980, in Dallas. He was a student in the Star (Texas) Independent School District, a member of Holy Family Catholic Church and an avid baseball player.

Survivors include his mother, Candy Cobb of Irving; father, Tom Knickerbocker and his wife Beverly of Garland; brothers, Chris Cobb and R.J. Cobb, both of Irving, Jon Turner of Arlington, Chad Cobb of Farmers Branch, Casey Cobb of Longview and Cody Cobb of Farmers Branch; sister, Tracey Turner of Garland; grandfather, Frank Knickerbocker of Dallas; grandmother, Kathreen Cobb of Venus; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

Rosary was Sunday, Nov. 12, at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Chapel, and mass of Christian burial was celebrated Monday, Nov. 13, at Chapel of Incarnation at the University of Dallas, with the Rev. Greg Kelly celebrant. Burial followed at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas. Arrangements were with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

The family requests memorials to the American Cancer Society.
Dennis G. Codling

Dennis G. “Denny” Codling, 50, of Irving died Thursday, Dec. 28, at The Irving Hospital.

The Irving Hospital.

Mr. Codling was born Sept. 3, 1945, in Clarksburg, W.Va. He worked for seven years as a customer service technician for Xerox Corp. in Las Colinas, and he served in the U.S. Air Force for 22 years, retiring in 1988 as a master sergeant. He was a member of Landmark Baptist Church in Irving.

Survivors include his wife, Kris Codling of Irving; sons, Clint Codling of Irving, Rodney Codling of Euless and Corey Codling of Exeter, N.H.; daughter, Stacey Codling of New Market, N.H.; brother, Donald R. Codling of Clarksburg, W.Va.; mother, Julia A. Codling of Bridgeport, W.Va.; and grandchildren, Austin J. Codling of Southlake, Darren M. Codling of Exeter, N.H. and Lauren Ashley Codling of New Market, N.H.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 31, at Donnelly’s Colonial Chapel, with Billy Buckingham officiating. Burial will be at Bear Creek Cemetery in Euless. Arrangements are with Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home.

The family requests memorials to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 141274, Irving, TX 75014.

31 Dec 1995
In P3A
Gene Coffey

Gene Coffey, 61, of Irving died Saturday, Oct. 28, at The Irving Hospital.

Mr. Coffey was born Sept. 17, 1934, in Maple. He was formerly employed as an auto mechanic and was a member of Christ Temple of Irving.

Survivors include his wife, Linda Coffey of Irving; son, Ricky Coffey of Euless; grandson, Ryan Alexander Coffey; brothers, Kenneth D. Coffey of San Antonio, J.L. Coffey of Oregon and Tommy D. Coffey of California; and sisters, Janet Ann Attebery and Judy C. Davidson, both of Colorado, Shirley K. Morrow of California and Norma Faye Rice of Oklahoma.

Services were Monday, Oct. 30, at Donnelly’s Colonial Chapel, with the Revs. Jack DeHart and John Davis officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens under the direction of Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home.

The family requests memorials to the American Heart Association, 1615 Stemmons Freeway, Dallas, TX 75207.
Annie Bell Colbert

Annie Bell Colbert, 71, of Quanah died Tuesday, March 14, at Vichita General Hospital.

Mrs. Colbert was born May 21, 1923, in Paris, Texas. She was a member of the Nazarene Church and was a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband, Charles Colbert of Quanah; daughter, Shirley Ferguson of Irving; sons, Jessie Dickerson of Watauga, Earl Colbert of Quanah, Charles Edward Colbert of Lubbock and David Colbert of Chillicothe; sister, Ima Bounds of Weatherford; bothers, Luther Harris and Edward Harris, both of Quanah; 10 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were held Thursday, March 16, at Church of the Nazarene in Quanah, with the Rev. J.D. Benson officiating. Burial followed at Quanah Memorial Park.
Christine M. Coleman

Christine M. Coleman, 79, of Grapevine died Wednesday, Jan. 18, in Grapevine.

She was born Dec. 16, 1916, in Eufala, Okla. She worked as a proof inspector for Taylor Publishing Company and was a member of the Ore City Church of God.

She is survived by her husband, Floyd Coleman of Grapevine; daughters, Lenora E. Hudson of Colleyville and Loretta Sparks of Irving; son, Danny G. Walters of McAlister, Okla.; sister, Lavanda Davis of California; nine grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday, Jan. 20, at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, with the Rev. Wedena Oliver officiating. Burial was at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Arrangements were with Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.
David Coleman

David Coleman of Irving died Friday, Jan. 13, at The Irving Hospital.
Arrangements are pending with Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home.
Eleanor J. Colligan

Eleanor J. Colligan, 96, of Irving died Tuesday, Dec. 12, at her residence.

Mrs. Colligan was born March 19, 1899, in Hungary. She was a homemaker and a member of St. Luke's Catholic Church.

Survivors include her daughter, Mary Murdoch of Irving; sons, John Colligan of Virginia, William Colligan of Ridgewood, N.J., and Joseph Colligan of Sussex, N.J.; nine grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday, Dec. 15, at St. Bonaventure Catholic Church in Patterson, N.J. Burial was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Patterson, N.J. Local arrangements were with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

The family requests memorials to the Visiting Nurses Association, 1440 W. Mockingbird, Dallas, TX 75247; or to Family Hospice Memorial Fund, 1140 Empire Central, Suite 235, Dallas, TX 75247.
Eula Irene Barnes Collins

Eula Irene Barnes Collins, 86, of Irving died Monday, Jan. 2, at Irving Care Center.

Mrs. Collins was born July 17, 1908, in Rhome.

She is survived by her sister, Maude Patterson of Irving; nieces, Elizabeth Dobbs, Patricia McCain and Jean Pichette, all of Irving; grandsons, Morris Brooks, Randall Brooks and Woodrow Brooks; and numerous other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Woodrow H. Collins; daughter, Helen Marie Brooks; two sisters, Bessie Vestal and Marie Rutherford; and two brothers, Jack Barnes and Barney Barnes.

Services and burial were held Wednesday, Jan. 4, at Condon Grove in Tishomingo, Okla.
Ronald Conner

Ronald Conner, 59, of Grapevine died Thursday, Aug. 31.

Mr. Conner was born Jan. 8, 1936, in Charleston, W. Va. He was retired.

Survivors include his wife, Sharon Conner of Grapevine; daughters and sons-in-laws, Cheri and Jess Smith of Pflugerville and Pam and Kenneth Stegman of Irving; son, John Conner of Grapevine; grandchildren, Kari and Jared Smith of Pflugerville and Taylor Marks of Irving.

There are no scheduled services.

Arrangements were with Bluebonnet Hills Funeral Homes and Cemetery in Colleyville.
Ronald Conner

Ronald Conner, 59, of Grapevine died Thursday, Aug. 31, in Grapevine.

Mr. Conner was born Jan. 8, 1936. He was retired.

Survivors include his wife, Sharon Conner of Grapevine; daughters, Cheri and husband Jess Smith of Pflugerville, and Pam Stegman and Kenneth Marks of Irving; son, John Conner of Grapevine; and grandchildren, Kari and Jared Smith of Pflugerville and Taylor Marks of Irving.

No formal services are planned.
Imogene S. Conway

Imogene S. Conway, 86, of Irving died Wednesday, June 14, at an Irving nursing home.

Mrs. Conway was born Dec. 28, 1908, in Venus. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church of Everman.

Survivors include her husband, David Conway of Irving; daughter, Glenda L. Rutledge of Kentucky; sons, Gayle Conway of Irving and David Conway of Chapel Hill; sister, Mable Poteet of Haltom City; seven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services were Saturday, June 17, at First Baptist Church in Venus, with the Rev. Harold Elliot officiating. Burial followed at Venus Cemetery. Local arrangements were with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Arthur L. Cook Sr.

Services for Arthur L. Cook Sr. are pending with Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home.

25 May 1995

I N P A
Arthur Lee Cook Sr.

Arthur Lee Cook Sr., 86, of Irving died Wednesday, May 24.

Mr. Cook was born Dec. 8, 1908. He was a shift supervisor with Ben E. Keith for 40 years and was a member of Oakview Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Hattie Cook of Farmers Branch; daughters and sons-in-law, Maxine and Gilbert Patellio of Lake Kiowa, Betty Williams of Carrollton and Connie and Carter Hallmark of Irving; sons and daughters-in-law, Arthur L. Jr. and Jody Cook of Lubbock, and Walter and Judy Cook of Terrell; 15 grandchildren; and 26 great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday, May 26, at Oakview Baptist Church. Burial followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
**Billy Harold Cook**

Billy Harold Cook, 66, of Irving died Sunday, April 9, at his home in Irving.

Mr. Cook was retired from the U.S. Air Force and Gifford-Hill, Inc. of Dallas. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Irving, the Masonic Lodge #61 of Magnum, Okla. and the D.A.V. Alamo #5 of San Antonio.

He is survived by his wife, Gerri Cook of Irving; daughter and son-in-law, Cheryl and Thomas Reece of Black Mountain, N.C.; son and daughter-in-law, Steven and Ann Cook of Georgetown; grandchildren, Kevin, Andrew and Benjamin Cook and Miranda and Steven Reece; brother, C.W. Cook of Irving; and sisters, Bettly Olive of Magnum, Okla., and Loetta Vaughn of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Services were held Wednesday, April 12, at the First Baptist Church Chapel in Irving, with Revs. Henry Kinkeade and Randy Rudisell officiating.

The family requests memorials to The American Heart Association, 1615 Stemmons Freeway, Dallas, Texas 75207.
Hattie Cook

Hattie Cook, 83, of Farmers Branch died Friday, June 23, at Carroll Care Center in Terrell.

Mrs. Cook was born Dec. 6, 1911, in Durant, Okla. She was a member of Oak View Baptist Church of Irving.

Survivors include her daughters and sons-in-law, Maxine and Gilbert Pattillo of Lake Kiowa, Connie and Carter Hallmark of Irving and Betty Williams of Carrollton; sons and daughters-in-law, Aurther Lee Cook Jr. and Jody of Lubbock and Walter and Judy Cook of Terrell; 15 grandchildren; and 26 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday, June 26, at Oak View Baptist Church, with the Rev. Wallace Philpot officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens under the direction of Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.
Mary Ruth Cook
Services were Friday

Mary Ruth Cook

Mary Ruth Cook, 102, of Irving died Wednesday, Aug. 30.

Mrs. Cook was born Jan. 14, 1893, in Winters. She was a homemaker.

She was preceeded in death by one daughter, Jackie Travers.

She is survived by her daughters, Norma Mikovsky of Irving and Melba McCormick of Ocala, Fla.; son-in-law, George Mikovsky of Irving; sister, Trixie Root of Dallas; 11 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday, Sept. 1, at Brown's Memorial Chapel, with the Rev. David Johnson officiating. Burial followed at Restland Memorial Gardens in Dallas.
George A. Cooks

George A. Cooks, 58, of Grand Prairie died Wednesday, April 19, in Irving.

Mr. Cooks was born April 22, 1936. He was self-employed with P&G Moving Co. and was a member of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include his wife, Pearl Cooks of Grand Prairie; sons, Darnell Cooks of Irving and Johnny Cooks of Detroit, Mich.; daughter, Georgia McQueen of Irving; sisters, Lilli Pearl Redder of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Lizzie Helen Dorsey of Pittsburgh; and eight grandchildren.

Services were held Monday, April 24, at Ben Washington Baptist Church in Grand Prairie, with the Rev. Joseph Sheppard officiating. Burial was at Moore Memorial Gardens under the direction of Washington Memorial Funeral Home.
Theda F. Cooksey

Theda F. Cooksey, 76, of Irving died Sunday, July 16, at her home. Mrs. Cooksey was born May 31, 1919, in Pampa.

She is survived by her husband, Frank V. Cooksey of Irving; son, Frank A. Cooksey of Dallas; daughter, Debbie Cooksey Gentry of Richardson; brother, William H. Stone of Alvin; grandchildren, Sheri Crandall, Jim Cooksey, Candice Cooksey and Carly Cooksey; and, great-grandchild, Mallory K. Crandall.

Funeral services were Wednesday, July 19, at Wildwood Chapel, with the Rev. Steve Hickson officiating. Burial was at Restland Memorial Park. Arrangements were with Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

20 July 1995

IN P3A
George Van Cooper

George Van Cooper, 71, of Irving, died Thursday, Feb. 9, at The Irving Hospital.

He was born Feb. 16, 1913, in Pickway, Ohio. He had been employed as a pipe welder and was a member of Midlothian Masonic Lodge No. 584.

Survivors include his brother-in-law, Harvey Myers of Grand Prairie; nieces, Anita Hickey and Billie Stephan of Irving; and nephew, Ralph Arnold of Kansas City, Mo.

Services were Saturday, Feb. 11, at Southland Cemetery, with the Rev. Jerry Power officiating. Arrangements were with Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

13 Feb 1995
IN 83A
Majory Gleghorn Cooper

Majory Gleghorn Cooper, 82, of Irving died Saturday, July 1, in Lampasas.

Mrs. Cooper was born in Irving on April 6, 1913. She attended Irving schools, graduating from Irving High School. She went on to receive a degree in elementary education from Mary Hardin Baylor in Belton, Texas, and she taught in Estelle, Sowers and Coppell communities before moving to Lampasas, where she taught for the last several years. She was a member of the Lampasas Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel T. Cooper.

She is survived by her sons, Bob Cooper of Kempner and Tom Cooper of Robstown; a daughter, Ann Canipe of Austin; brothers, Alvin Gleghorn of Canton, Milton Gleghorn of Weleetka, Okla. and Glenn Gleghorn of Euless; sisters, Marinel Zaun and Vera Lou Gleghorn, both of Irving; aunts, Bess Parker and C.C. "Vera" Anderson, both of Irving; nine grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held at the Briggs-Gamel Funeral Home in Lampasas, with burial following at the Kempner Cemetery.
Josie Canzada Copeland

Josie Canzada Copeland, 87, of Irving died Monday, Dec. 25.

Mrs. Copeland was born in Fort Smith, Ark., on Dec. 14, 1908. She was a homemaker.

She was preceeded in death by her son, Wayne Jackson.

She is survived by her daughter, Wanda Lavarnway of Irving; sons, Dueford Jackson of McAlester, Okla., Q.D. Jackson of San Diego, Calif., Willis Jackson of Irving, Teddy E. Jackson of Irving and Ricky D. Jackson of Casper, Wyo.; sisters, Oletha Gray of McAlester, Okla., and Ann Martin and Gladys Cagle, both of California; brother, Preston Justice of Broken Bow, Okla.; 25 grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, Dec. 30, at 1 p.m. at the Tannehill Cemetery in McAlester, Okla., with Rev. Ronald Price officiating. Interment will follow.

Local arrangements are with Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

28 Dec 1995

IN P3A
Don L. Cordray

Don L. Cordray, 57, of Irving died Tuesday, Dec. 5, at St. Paul Hospital in Dallas.

Mr. Cordray was born Nov. 8, 1938, in Dallas. He was employed as a printer and was a military veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Margarita Cordray of Irving; daughters, Claudia Cordray and Linda Michelle Cordray, both of Irving, Teresa Baker of Mesquite and Lisa Clay of San Antonio; sons, Don R. Cordray of Irving and Robert James of San Antonio; seven grandchildren; brother, Johnny Cordray of Houston; and sisters, Pauline Pritchett of Houston and Sue of Illinois.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Paul Cordray.

Graveside services were Thursday, Dec. 7, at Laurel Land Memorial Park in Dallas, with the Rev. Doug Deshotel officiating. Local arrangements were with Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home.
Bernard Paul Corich

Bernard Paul Corich, 75, of Irving died Wednesday, Nov. 29, at Irving Living Center.

Mr. Corich was born March 20, 1920, in Trogir, Yugoslavia. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II and was a retired telephone exchange repairman for Southwestern Bell before retiring. He was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Pat Corich of Irving; son, Chris Corich of Portland, Oregon; daughters, Vicki Nenner of San Diego, Calif., Paula Susat of Waxahachie and Elizabeth Bradshaw of Richardson; sisters, Edna Festa of Norwalk, Conn., Florence Archilla of Florida, Sally Ostendorp of New Jersey and Cornelia Colwell of Paradise, Ariz.; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 30, at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, with the Rev. Byron Stark officiating. Arrangements are with Chism-Smith Funeral Home.
Paul L. Coronado

Paul L. Coronado, 80, of Irving died Wednesday, Nov. 8, in Irving.
Mr. Coronado was born March 2, 1915, in Hondo. He was a retired truck driver.

Survivors include his wife, Lucila Coronado; daughters, Beatrice Lozano, Mary Montalvo, Pauline Coronado, Dorothy Moreno, Tina Recio and Ricardo Serrano; stepdaughters, Juanita Torres and Nora Duenez; stepsons, Jesse Hernandez and Enrique Hernandez; and 14 grandchildren.

A prayer service will be held at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 9, at Brown’s Memorial Chapel. Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Nov. 10, at St. Luke’s Catholic Church, with Father Fowler officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens under the direction of Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home.
Edward Ray Cowley

Edward Ray Cowley, 62, of Irving died Tuesday, Oct. 31.

Mr. Cowley was born April 13, 1933, in Salt Lake City, Utah. He was a member of the U.S. Marine Corps, serving during the Korean War. He attended North Texas State University after the war and moved to Irving in 1957. He had a successful career in retail marketing for 27 years, and after retiring owned his own business as a home contractor.

Survivors include his wife, Jeanette Cowley; sons, Russell and Brent Cowley of Austin; daughter, Elayne Reid and husband Tobin of Tyler; brother, Bob Cowley and wife Betty of Lubbock; sister, Boo Ewing and husband Bob of Toledo Bend; stepdaughter, Eva Bauer and husband Steve of Coppell; stepson, Robert Smith and wife Lisa and children, Robbie and Jake, all of Nashville, Tenn.; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services were Friday, Nov. 3, at Laurel Land Memorial Chapel, with burial at Laurel Land Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Alcoholics Anonymous, c/o G.S.O. Grand Central Station, Box 459, New York, NY 10163.
June Cox

June Cox, 63, of Euless, formerly of Irving, died Friday, Feb. 23, at her home.

Mrs. Cox was born Oct. 4, 1932, in Petty. She was an operations manager for Challenger Freight Systems in Irving for nine years and was a member of Plymouth Park Baptist Church.

Survivors include her son, John Ed Jefferson Cox of DeSoto; daughters, Lou Ann Winn of Fort Worth, Jo Lanette Miller of Cedar Hill and June Yvette Beck of Arlington; sisters, Ann Bush of Paris and Pat and husband Ken Wood of Mesquite; mother, Maxel Landers of Paris; aunt, Zona Mae Bean of Dallas; 11 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Services were Monday, Feb. 26, at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel, with the Rev. Keith Smith officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

The family requests memorials to National Law Enforcement Officer's Memorial in Washington, D.C.
Irving’s first fire chief dies

Eugene Francis Cronan, Irving’s first fire chief, died Saturday, Oct. 28, at DFW Palliative Care Center in Hurst.

Mr. Cronan, 90, was born Jan. 23, 1905, in Enid, Okla. He retired from the Dallas Fire Department after 20 years of service before serving for 13 years as the City of Irving’s first chief. He was with the IFD from 1955 to 1968, and during his tenure, four fire stations were built and radios were installed in all Irving fire stations and IFD vehicles.

Assistant IFD Chief Perry Ray, who did not work at the same time as Cronan, said there are not many remaining IFD employees who worked at the department during Cronan’s time, but that Cronan is still “highly regarded” and will always be remembered at the IFD. After Cronan retired from the department, he and his wife made their home in Keller for the past 21 years, where he was a member of Baptist Church of Keller.

Mr. Cronan is survived by his wife, Wynemia Cronan of Keller; daughters, Mrs. Tommy Evans of Garland, Judy Blease of Paris, Texas, Judy Webb of Keller and June Compton of Denver, Colo.; 11 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday, Oct. 30, at Bluebonnet Hills Memorial Chapel, with burial at Bluebonnet Hills Memorial Park.
Merle V. Crotzer

Merle V. Crotzer, 75, of Irving died Tuesday, July 4, at his home.
Mr. Crotzer was born on Sept. 12, 1919, in Flasriner, Mo. He was a retired service station owner.
He is survived by his nephew, Ronald Crotzer of Bedford.
Services are pending under the direction of Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Adolph Crouch

Adolph Crouch, 74, of Irving died Sunday, April 23, at The Irving Hospital.

Mr. Crouch was born Dec. 18, 1920, in Waxahachie. He was owner of Crouch Plumbing in Irving for 31 years and was a member of New Life Christian Center of Irving, where he was a church elder, James V. Callan Masonic Lodge No. 1422, City of Irving Plumbing Board, Irving Chamber of Commerce and Irving Rotary Club. He was also a military veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Eva Crouch of Irving; daughters, Inez and husband Bob Flewelling of Bedford, Georgie and husband Buddy Hill of Teague, Cynthia and husband Bob Harper of Coppell and Sylvia and husband Steve Price of Irving; 14 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and a number of cousins, including Mary Turner of Waxahachie and Carl Crouch of Huntsville.

He was preceded in death by his son, Larry Adolph Crouch.

Services were Tuesday, April 25, at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel, with the Revs. John Chasteen and Roy Carpenter officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens under the direction of Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Edna Earl Crouch

Edna Earl Crouch of Irving died Tuesday, July 18, at St. Paul Hospital.

She was born in Pecan Gap and was an Irving resident for 43 years.

Survivors include her son, Melvin Caillet of Irving; and brothers, Hayden Burnett of Farmers Branch and Buddy Burnett of Cedar Creek.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, July 20, at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, with the Rev. Jerry Power officiating. Arrangements are with Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.
Ray Croxton

Ray Croxton, 74, of Irving died Friday, Jan. 13, at his residence.

Mr. Croxton was born Nov. 29, 1920, in Rockwall. He was a U.S. Army veteran and was a retired machinist.

Survivors include his daughter, Linda Springfield of Irving; brother, Foy Croxton of Corpus Christi; three grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

Services are set for 10 a.m. Monday, Jan. 16, at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements are with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Charles Alton Culver

Charles Alton Culver, 43, of Irving died Tuesday, June 20, at The Irving Hospital.

Mr. Culver was born Nov. 24, 1951, in Wichita Falls. He was a self-employed cabinet maker.

He is survived by his sons, Chad Culver of Jerico Springs, Mo., and Brian Culver and Brent Culver, both of Irving; sister, Karen Bickley of Grand Prairie; brothers, Truman Culver of Montpelier, Ohio, and Richard Culver of Middle Point, Ohio; and one grandchild.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 22, at Faith Temple Baptist Church, with the Rev. Bob Uhls officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens under the direction of Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.
Angela Cummins

Angela Cummins, 25, of Irving died Monday, Nov. 27, at her home.

Ms. Cummins was born July 13, 1970, in Dallas. She was a homemaker and a member of Meadowbrook Baptist Church of Irving.

Survivors include her daughter, Sarah Cummins of Irving; mother, Gloria Sams of Irving; father, Bob Cummins of Houston; grandparents, Bobby and Mildred Caraway and Evelyn and Charles McCarley, all of Irving; aunt and uncle, Marsha and Larry Caraway of Irving; and cousins, Larry Joe and Adam Caraway of Irving.

Services will be at 3 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 30, at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel, with the Rev. Bob Joyce officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens under the direction of Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Martha Ann
Cunningham

Martha Ann Cunningham, 69, of Irving died Wednesday, March 1, at her residence.
Mrs. Cunningham was born May 21, 1925, in Slaton. She was employed as an administrative accountant with the Southland Corporation.
Survivors include her daughter, Janice Jones of Grand Prairie; sons, Clifford Jones of Waxahachie and Lewis Jones of Irving; sister, Artie S. Carpenter of Bonham; brother, George Lewis of Dallas; and grandchildren, Vanessa Jones and Gina Jones.
Services were Saturday, March 4, at The Living Word Church, with the Revs. Bob Bernard, Ron Bernard and Donald Skelton officiating. Burial was at Sowers Cemetery. Arrangements were with Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.
Paul A. Cunningham

Services were Wednesday

Paul Anderson Cunningham

Paul Anderson Cunningham, 78, of Irving died Sunday, Nov. 5, at The Irving Hospital.

Mr. Cunningham was born Feb. 26, 1917, in Irving. He was retired as superintendent of mail with the U.S. Postmaster in Irving. He was a member of First Baptist Church and served in the U.S. Air Force during World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Gertrude Cunningham of Irving; stepdaughter, Cloeta Poindexter of Bartlesville, Okla.; grandsons, Pride Edward Turner of Florida and Tracy Lee Turner of Irving; great-grandson, Pride Eddie Turner of Irving; sister, Ruth Upton of Irving; and brother, Gordon Cunningham of Garrets Bluff.

Funeral service was Wednesday, Nov. 8, at Chism-Smith Funeral Chapel, with burial at Old Kit Cemetery in Irving. Arrangements were with Chism-Smith Funeral Home.
Stanley Curry
Stanley Curry, 73, of Dallas died Wednesday, Nov. 29, at Presbyterian Hospital in Dallas. Arrangements are pending with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.
Stanley Curry

Services were Saturday

Stanley E. Curry

Stanley E. Curry, 73, of Dallas, died Wednesday, Nov. 29, at Presbyterian Hospital of Dallas.

Mr. Curry was born Dec. 11, 1921, in Abilene. He retired in 1987 from Forney Engineering after 17 years as quality control engineer. Mr. Curry served in the U.S. Army and had memberships in the National Guard of Texas and the 556th Bomb Squadron Association.

Survivors include his wife, Abbie Curry of Dallas; sons, Brian Curry of Dallas, Andrew Curry and wife Angela of Arlington and Owen Curry and wife Maria of Tennessee; daughters, Cecilia Pettit and husband Steve of Flower Mound, and Mary P. Curry of New Mexico; brother, Dudley Curry and wife Frances of South Carolina; grandchildren, Shane, Meghan and Brady Pettit of Flower Mound, and Travis, Felix and Devin Curry of Arlington; niece, Mellisa Curry of New Mexico; and nephew Eric Curry of Illinois.

Services began with a rosary Saturday, Dec. 2, at St. Rita Catholic Church in Dallas. Mass of Christian burial followed. The Rev. Neil Jarreau served as celebrant. Burial was at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas. Arrangements were with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

The family requests memorials to Jesuit College Preparatory Scholarship Fund, 12345 Inwood Road, Dallas, TX 75244.