

Arthur David Fairchild

Arthur David Fairchild of Irving died March 2 in The Irving Hospital. He was 61.

Mr. Fairchild was born Feb. 8 in Rosston, Ark. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran and attended First Baptist Church. He graduated Irving High School in 1953.

He is survived by his mother, Emma Lou Fairchild of Irving; two brothers, Terry Fairchild of Irving and Mike Fairchild of Arlington; five nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins. Services were held March 5 at Union Baptist Church. Interment

at Union Cemetery, Bodcow. Local arrangements by Chism and Smith Funeral Home.

March 6, 1997

Juanita Inez Farr

Juanita Inez Farr of Irving died Oct. 6. She was 67.

Born July 7, 1930, Mrs. Farr was a homemaker. She is survived by her husband, Fritz Farr and brothers Alvin and Jerrie Swindell of Irving; as well as six nieces and nephews.

Private family services are planned. The family requests memorials be made to the American Heart Association. Arrangements by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

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Luis William Farrar, Jr.

Luis William Farrar, Jr. of Clearmont, N.C. and former Irving resident died July 19 at Baylor Hospital in Dallas. He was 67.

Born Sept. 2, 1929 in Linden, Mr. Farrar was a veteran of the U.S. Navy and had been in the air condi-

tioning business.

He is survived by his son Phillip Dewayne Farrar of Pensacola, Fl.; daughter Sherry Genell Farrar of North Carolina; stepson Terry Ray Whaley of Waxahachie; stepdaughter Laurie Toumbs of Farmers Branch; grandson Justin Luis Coker of North Carolina; granddaughter Chasity Genell Coker of North Carolina; step-grandsons William Franklin Geter and Billy Frank Geter, Jr. of Hico as well as sister Velta Mae Clark of Fort Worth.

Services will be held Friday, July 25 at 2 p.m. at Chism and Smith Funeral Home Chapel. Interment is at Sowers Cemetery in Irving with the Rev. Weldon Lee officiating.

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Tyson Farris

Tyson Farris, 77, of Irving, died Wednesday, April 16 at an Irving hospital.

Mr. Farris was born Nov. 18,

1919, in Telephone. He was a veteran of the United States Army, serving during World War II. Mr. Farris was a member of Pioneer Drive Baptist Church, a member of Tana Hill Masonic Lodge of Dallas, Irving Shrine Club, Temple Shrine Club. He was a 50-year Irving resident.

Mr. Farris is survived by his wife, Geraldine Farris, of Irving; daughters, Donna Stovall of Euless, Karen Delmonico of State College, Pa., Janelle Morgan of Dallas, Patsy Sue Kirkpatrick of Irving, Betsy Ann Farris of Garland; sons, Neal Farris of Dallas, Gerald Farris of Irving.

Funeral services were held Saturday with interment at Sowers Cemetery in Irving. Rev. Stephen Shelton officiated. Arrangements by Chism and Smith Funeral Home.

April 20, 1997

James Farrow

Arrangements pending with
Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

Feb. 16, 1997

James Farrow

James Farrow, 35, of Irving, died Friday, Feb. 14.

Mr. Farrow was born Aug. 26, 1961, in Oklahoma City, Okla. He was a state inspector for the Irving Independent School District.

He is survived by his wife Bettina Rawlinson Farrow; mother, Kathryn Dobbs of Austin; daughter, Stephanie Farrow of Irving; son, Timothy Farrow of Irving; sisters, Theresa Barringer and Debbie and Tammy Farrow; and brothers, Gregg and Ricky Farrow.

Graveside funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 17, at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, with interment following. Local arrangements were with Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

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James Farrow

James Farrow, 35, of Irving, died Friday, Feb. 14.

Mr. Farrow was born Aug. 26, 1961, in Oklahoma City, Okla. He was a mechanic who performed state vehicle inspections.

He is survived by his wife Bettina Rawlinson Farrow; mother Kathryn Dobbs of Austin; daughter, Stephanie Farrow of Irving; son, Timothy Farrow of Irving; sisters, Theresa Barringer and Debbie and Tammy Farrow; and brothers, Gregg and Ricky Farrow.

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Irving man thrown from vehicle dies

By **LIZABETH CARDENAS**
News Staff Writer

A 32-year-old Irving man was killed early Saturday morning when he lost control of his vehicle on Airport Freeway and crashed into a ditch on the side of the highway.

Juan Vega Ferrusca was taken to Parkland Memorial Hospital, where he died from his injuries.

According to police, Ferrusca was traveling westbound on east Airport Freeway at 2:15 a.m. Saturday in his white 1990 Chevrolet van. The accident occurred in the 3400 block of east Airport Freeway, and Ferrusca was thrown from his vehicle, reports said.

There were no passengers in his car, and no other vehicles involved in the accident, said David Tull, public information officer with the Irving Police Department.

"As he was traveling on the freeway, he failed to stay in one lane," Tull said. "His van left the roadway and traveled along the outside shoulder before heading into a ditch.

"His vehicle flipped over nose-first and rolled several times. He was ejected from the van, which came to rest in the ditch off of the service road."

Ferrusca's vehicle traveled off the right side of the freeway, police said.

Irving police do not believe alcohol or speed were factors in the accident, although detectives continue to investigate.

"He failed to maintain a single lane is all," Tull said. "Whether that's because of fatigue or because he got distracted, we don't know. He could've looked down to get something and by the time he came back up, he had already been traveling off the road."

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JUAN VEGA FERRUSCA

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Robert Martin Fielder

Robert Martin Fielder of Irving died Dec. 18 at Irving Hospital. He was 72.

Born Sept. 15, 1925 in Vernon, Mr. Fielder had lived in Irving since 1971. A graduate of Baylor University, Mr. Fielder was a U.S. Coast Guard veteran of World War II. He was a veteran's representative for the Texas Employment Commission and a member of Park Cities Baptist Church.

Mr. Fielder is survived by his wife, Lois Fielder; sons and daughters-in-law Bruce and Amy Fielder of Amarillo, John and Carla Fielder of Lake Dallas; son David Patrick Fielder of Irving; and two grandchildren. Mr. Fielder was preceded in death by his son, Grant Fielder.

Services are scheduled for 2 p.m. Dec. 22 at the Ellis Chapel in Park Cities Baptist Church, the Rev. Paul Royal officiating. The family will receive friends following the service. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be made to Global Mission Ventures, c/o Dr. Gerald Fielder, Baylor University, Waco, 76763. Arrangements by Chism-Smith Funeral Home.

Katherine E. Fields

Katherine E. Johnson Fields died at Columbus Hospital in McKinney March 26 after a brief and sudden illness. She was 60.

Born in Waco March 15, 1937, Mrs. Fields was a member of Bisbee Baptist Church in Mansfield. She is survived by her husband William F. (Cotton) Fields of Lone Oak; daughters Debbie Campau, Lorie and son-in-law Danny Vauble, all of Arlington; son and daughter-in-law Kenneth and Rae Jean Johnson of Irving; brother Jim Hicks of Temple; sisters Patricia Hardy of Cypress and Billie Joe Savickas of Irving; numerous nieces; a nephew; seven grand-

children; four step children; five step grandchildren and three step great grandchildren.

Services were held March 29 at Ben. F. Brown Funeral Home. Interment followed at Oak Grove Cemetery in Irving. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, Memphis, Tenn. or Scottish Rite Shriner's Hospital in Dallas.

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Arturo Figueroa Jr.

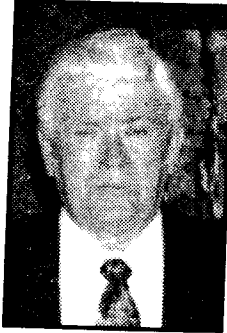
Arturo Figueroa Jr., infant, was born and died on March 2 at The Irving Hospital.

The baby is survived his parents, Arturo and Enadelia Figueroa Sr.; grandparents Domino and Eufemia Moreno, all of Irving; and grandparents Gabriel and Juanita Figueroa of Mexico. Services were held March 3 at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, Pastor Federico Sanchez officiating.

March 6, 1997

Marvin C. Fincher

Marvin C. Fincher, 67, of Euleless died Tuesday, Feb. 18.



Mr. Fincher

Mr. Fincher was born July 21, 1929 in Levelland. He worked with A.B.F. and E. T. M. F. Frieghtlines.

He is survived by his wife, Monetta Stroud Fincher; daughters, Denise Quermemoen of Lewisville; step daughters, Deann Dillion, Sindy Bonelli and Sherry Carter; sister, Sandra Fincher; five nieces and nephews; and six grandchildren.

Services were held Friday, Feb. 21 at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Bob Joyce officiating. Interment followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Moses Fiske

Moses Fiske, 73, of Harlingen died Monday, June 23, in an Irving hospital.

Born Oct. 11, 1923, in Nashville, Tenn., he was the retired owner of a photo-engineering company in Harlingen. A member of the Faith That Pleases God Church in Harlingen, he served in the U.S. Navy and was a member of the Confederate Air Force.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy Fisk of Harlingen; his daughters, Deborak Fiske Prosser of Irving, Sharon West of Houston, and Nanci Fiske of Houston; his brothers, Charles Fiske of San Antonio, Harold Fiske of San Antonio, and Ormel Fiske of Houston; his granddaughters, Jessica Marie West of Houston, and Amy Lillian Prosser of Irving; and his grandson, Gareth Lee Fiske of Houston.

Memorial services were held this week. Arrangements were coordinated by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

June 26, 1997

Clifford Fleeman

Clifford Fleeman, 88, of Irving, died Saturday, May 10, in Irving.

Mr. Fleeman was born Sept. 21, 1908, in Sardis. He worked as an interior decorator and a paint contractor until he retired.



He is survived by his wife, Clarice

Fleeman

Fleeman of Irving; daughter and son-in-law, Angia Nell and Robert Wallace of Irving; grandchildren, Kathy and Kenneth Wallace of Irving; and brothers, J.D. Fleeman of Midlothian and Richard Fleeman of DeSoto.

Graveside services were held Monday, May 12, at Sardis Cemetery in Sardis.

MAY 15, 1997

Howard R. Fortenberry

Howard R. Fortenberry of Irving died June 15 at an Irving nursing home of natural causes. He was 77.

Born Jan. 14, 1920 in Morton, Miss. to Robert C. and Ellen Irby Fortenberry, Howard Fortenberry was a heavy equipment operator until he retired. He was a Baptist and a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

Fortenberry is survived by his wife Jo Fortenberry of Irving, son Paul Fortenberry of Irving, daughter Jean Grabeel of Irving, sister Jonese Harrell of Mississippi and brothers Duncan Fortenberry and Grady Fortenberry of Mississippi as well as five grandchildren and seventeen great grandchildren.

Services were held June 18 at Bear Creek Cemetery in Eules with the Rev. Ken Parlin officiating. Arrangements by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

19, June 1997

Dorothy Barbara Fowler

Dorothy Barbara Fowler of Irving died March 23 in her home of natural causes. She was 73.

Mrs. Fowler was born Aug. 10, 1923 in Williamantic, Ct. She was a former secretary at St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Irving and a member of the church's choir and alter guild.

She is survived by her husband, Clarence Fowler; son James Fowler of Grafton, Mass.; daughters Barbara Radunsky of Dallas, Susan Conklin of Houston, Leslie Guess of Irving; brother William Bevan of Connecticut and seven grandchildren.

Services were held March 25 at St. Marks, the Revs. John Johnson and Lawrence Williams officiated. The family requests memorials be made to the D/FW Humane Society of Irving, 1611 W. Irving Blvd.

MARCH 27, 1997

James Clay Fox, Sr.

James Clay Fox, Sr. of Irving died July 19. He was 68.

Born Oct. 5, 1928 in Waltersville, Miss., Mr. Fox was a retired owner of Auto Detail Shop. He also was a World War II veteran who fought in the Battle of Okinawa.

He is survived by his mother Adell Fox of Memphis, Tenn.; daughter Felicia Jo. Fox of Grand Prairie; son Jim Fox, Jr. of Lewisville; sister Shirley Fox of Memphis, brother Bill Fox of Memphis and grandchild Brandt Laymon of Lewisville.

Services are scheduled for 3 p.m. July 27 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Arrangements by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

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Christie Frazier

Services are pending with
Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

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Christie Starr Frazier

Christie Starr Frazier, 20, of Grand Prairie died March 11 in Dallas.

Born Feb. 21, 1977, in Pasadena, Frazier was a student and member of the Channel 1 CB Club.

Frazier is survived by her husband, Jerry "D.C." Frazier; daughter Cassidy Frazier; son Cody Frazier; mother and stepfather Carolyn and J.R. Cox of Brownwood; sisters Rachel Hair of Brownwood and Amy Kelley of Irving; brother Travis Cox of Brownwood; stepbrothers Jason and Brandon Cox both of San Antonio; mother- and father-in-law Danny and Donna Griffin of Grand Prairie; and grandparents Ruth and Pat Hughes of Livingston.

Services took place March 12, at Brown's Memorial Chapel in Irving with the Rev. John Delgado officiating.

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Mayo Freeman

Mayo Freeman, formerly of Irving, died Aug. 6 of natural causes at Medical Center Mesquite. Arrangements pending with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

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Sue Frost

Sue Frost, formerly of Irving, died Nov. 11. She was 67.

Mrs. Frost, a retired executive secretary, is survived by her husband, the Rev. Hamilton H. "Shorty" Frost, of Carroll; son Rudy Frost of Payson, Ariz.; daughter Shelley Principe of Carroll; brothers Jack Dennis of Brownsboro, Richard Dennis of Canton, Lindy Dennis of Beaumont; sisters Christine Tiller of Newton, Juanita Johnson of Houston; five grandchildren and one great granddaughter.

Services are scheduled for 10 a.m. Nov. 14 at Caudle-Rutledge Funeral Home, Lindale, the Rev. James Cheatham officiating. Family visitation will be held from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Nov. 13.

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Robert Cope Fryer

Robert Cope Fryer, 34, of Irving died Sunday, Sept. 28, in an Irving hospital.

Born Jan. 12, 1963, in Stuttgart, Germany, he was a manager for Motorola in Fort Worth. A graduate of the Culinary Institute of America, he also owned his own business called Whose the Caterer for the past two years.

Survivors include his wife, Lisa Fryer of Irving; his brothers, Frank Fryer III of Fort Worth, and Don Fryer of Macon, Ga.; and his father,

Frank Fryer Jr. of Isle of Palms, S.C.
Services were conducted at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 1, at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Nick Olson officiating.

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Norman Edward Fuqua

Norman Edward Fuqua, 66, of Irving, died Monday, March 10.

Mr. Fuqua was born Sept. 17, 1930, in Caney, Kan. He was an insurance claims adjuster. He was a 32-degree Mason in Lawrence, Kan. and was a member of the Plymouth Park Baptist Church in Irving.

He is preceded in death by Rickland Edward Fuqua. He is survived by his wife, Shirley Snow Fuqua; mother-in-law, Bessie Bostick of Chandler, Texas; daughter and son-in-law, Turinda and Eddie Crawford; son and daughter-in-law, Jeff and Patti Fuqua of Missouri City, Texas; brothers, A.R. Fuqua of Bartlesville, Okla., Bill Fuqua of Torrance, Calif., Donald Fuqua Caney, Kan., and Ralph Fuqua of Mexico; and grandchildren, Bryan and Courtney Fuqua and Bubba, James, Clint and Cassie Crawford.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, March 12, at Brown's

Memorial Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Ken Branam officiating. Interment will take place Thursday morning at Sunnyside Cemetery, in Caney, Kan. Local arrangements by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

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