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Manuela Garza Talamantez

Manuela Garza Talamantez, 72, of Irving died Monday, Jan. 4, at Columbia Hills Hospital in North Richland Hills.

Born Oct. 1926, to Serapio and Teodora Garcia Garza, she married Jessie Y. Talamantez Jan. 11, 1947, in San Antonio. She was a homemaker and a member of Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church in Irving.

Survivors include: her husband; sons, Jesse G. Talamantez of Grapevine, Rudy G. Talamantez of Irving and Manual G. Talamantez of McKinney; daughters Elvira T. Workman of McKinney and Elva Estella DeLeon of Cedar Hill; brother Jose Garza of Victoria; sisters Petra Villagomez of Port Comfort, Tilla Lerma of Port Comfort, Tina Castaneda of Charlotte and Aurora Vira of San Antonio; 12 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Wednesday, Jan. 6, at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Tim Gollob officiating. Burial was at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Rita Suzann Talbott

Rita Suzann Talbott, 49, died Saturday, June 12.

Born on April 28, 1950, in Schenectady, N.Y., she worked at Toyota of Irving for 28 years and was a graduate of Ranger (Texas) High School and Ranger Junior College.



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Survivors include her sons, Jeffrey Scott Brown and Timothy David Talbott; her sister and brother-in-law, Catherine Jane and Clifford Earl Robinson; and several other relatives.

Services took place on Tuesday, June 15, at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, with Pastor Dave Arden officiating.

Memorials may be made to the Susan G. Komen Foundation.

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Douglas T. Talley Sr.

Douglas T. Talley Sr., 47, died Thursday, Dec. 24, in Shreveport, La.

Born in Dallas, he attended Paul Keyes Elementary, Irving High School, Seventh Day Adventist Church School in Grand Prairie and Mountain View Junior College. He was a Dallas police officer before serving in the Vietnam conflict. After leaving the service, he moved to Minden, La., where he worked as a switcher for Hunt Oil Company. He was preceded in death by his father, Ernest T. Talley.

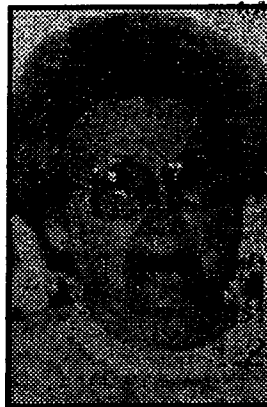
Survivors include his wife, Eretta Talley of Minden; mother, Vera Talley of Irving; son, Douglas T. Talley Jr. and wife, Amy, of Beaufort, S.C.; daughter, Melissa Cage and husband, Byron, of Minden, La.; sister, Jean Talley of Irving; two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, Dec. 27, at the Minden Rose-Neath Chapel with the Rev. Wayne Howington officiating. Burial was at the Gardens of Memory Cemetery.

Dorothy Tarpley

Dorothy Tarpley, 75, of Irving died Monday, May 31.

Born May 29, 1924, in Dallas, she was a member of Berean Baptist Church in Mesquite and The Eastern Star.



Survivors include her sons, Jim McIntire of Leonard, Joe Loving and his wife, Darlene, of Lufkin, and Bobby Loving and his wife, Charlene of Celeste; her daughters, Alta Gentry and her husband, Edward, of Lindale, and Cindy Guenter of Irving; her brothers, J.E. Jordan and his wife, Bonnie, of Irving, and Cletus Jordan and his wife, Dorothy, of Athens; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted Wednesday, June 2, with the Rev. David Mills officiating. Tarpley is buried beside her parents at IOOF Cemetery in Farmersville.

Memorials may be made to St. Paul Hospice, 5701 Maple #200, Dallas, TX 75535.

Arrangements were coordinated by Brown's Memorial Funeral

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Coy Everett Tate

Coy Everett Tate, 62, of Irving died Monday, May 17, in an Irving hospital.

Born March 30, 1937, in Picayune, Miss., he was a 38-year Irving resident and a retired electrical engineer with Texas Instruments. He also was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force. He was preceded in death by four brothers, Lester "Jack" Tate, Marvin Tate, Willie "Shorty" Tate and James "Pete" Tate.

Survivors include his wife, Carolyn Tate of Irving; his son and daughter-in-law, Kelly and Betty Tate of Irving; his son, Tim Tate of Irving; his daughter and son-in-law, Brenda and Shane Wilson of Royce City; his sisters, Rita Spears of Hattiesburg, Miss., Joy Purcell of Avondale, La., Clara Lenore of Picayune, Miss., Eula Daniels of Picayune, Miss., Eula Mae Wilcox of Gulf Port, Miss.; his brothers, Edward "Cat" Tate of Irving, and Elton Tate of Picayune, Miss.; and four grandchildren.

Services were conducted Friday, May 21, at Chism-Smith Funeral Home Chapel. Burial is in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Jimmie Taylor

Jimmie Taylor, 73, of Decatur and a former Irving resident died Friday, Nov. 19, in Decatur.

Born July 19, 1926, in San Antonio to Jim Carl and Margarite Taylor, he retired in 1985 after working for 35 years as a field engineer for Otis Elevator in Dallas. A U.S. Navy veteran who served in World War II, he was a member of Greenwood Baptist Church in Decatur and the Haltom City Masonic Lodge No. 1331.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Taylor of Decatur; his sons, Jim Ross Taylor of Dallas, Jack Denys Taylor of Richardson, David Shane Taylor of Flower Mound and Hank Taylor of Decatur; his sister, Rosemary Gilliam of San Antonio; 13 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services took place Monday, Nov. 22, at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel, with Jim Ozier officiating. Burial is in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Melba J. Taylor

Melba J. Taylor of Irving died recently.

Survivors include her husband, Charles "Tiny" Taylor, of Irving; her daughters and sons-in-law, Vicki and Michael D. Bailey of Irving, Becky and Paul Craker of Bedford and Tina Taylor and Mark Pence of Bedford; her brothers, Raymond Earl Morse of Irving, Bill Morse of Irving and Tracy Morse of Irving; her sister, Juanita Starks of Quinlan; and six grandchildren.

Services took place Tuesday, Sept. 7 at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Phil Mercer officiating. Burial is in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Thomas Elmer Thackerson

Thomas Elmer Thackerson, 96,
died Thursday, Feb. 4, at his home.

Born Sept. 15, 1902, in the
Cottonwood community to Oscar
Beason Thackerson and Doxie
Carlisle, he married Irene DeBusk on
Sept. 21, 1924. He was a farmer and
a peanut-mill worker. After his retire-
ment, he enjoyed Green Creek Sing-
A-longs at two rest homes in Dublin,
and attending Sunday School at
Golden Age Rest Home. He was pre-
ceded in death by his wife; grand-
sons, Dennis Gooch and Dickie
Allen; and great-granddaughter,
Daini Grissom.

Survivors include: children, Fay
Gooch of Red Oak, Okla., Florence
Allen of Grandbury, Juanita Davis of
Fort Worth, Elmer B. "Pete"
Thackerson of Irving, Alma "Sally"
Jackson of Weatherford, Artie
Mohler of Cedar Hill, Nora Carter
and James "Sonny" Thackerson of
Dublin; 20 grandchildren; and
51 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted
Saturday, Feb. 6, at Harrell Funeral
Home in Dublin. Burial was in Upper
Greens Creek Cemetery.

Memorials can be made to the
Upper Greens Creek Cemetery
Maintenance Fund.

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Don Thomas

Don "Donkey" Thomas, 66, of Irving died Wednesday, Sept. 1.

Born Dec. 29, 1932, in Snyder, he retired from Dunn Brothers Pipeline of Irving and was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 10454. He was preceded in death by his brothers J.W. "Bud" Thomas and Carl Franklin Thomas; and his sister Ruby Lucille May.

Survivors include his daughter and son-in-law, Sonya and Billy McKnight of Irving; his sisters Faye Evans of Hurst, May Nelson of Irving, Dorothy Hayes of Irene, Wanda Parr of Alpine, Betty Parrish of Alpine and Raye Reed of Oklahoma; his brother Joe Thomas of Roanoke; his grandchildren, Brandi Eversole of Irving and Misiti Anderson of Grand Prairie; and one great-grandchild.

Services took place Saturday, Sept. 4 at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, with Brother Weldon Lee officiating. Burial is in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Robert Lee Thomas

Robert Lee Thomas, 73, of Irving died Monday, April 12.

Born Oct. 31, 1925, in Mineola, he served in the Navy in World War II.

Survivors include his children, Claudine Thomas Kaiser of Wylie, Bobby Lee Thomas of Cleburne, and Jerry Lee Thomas of Irving; sister, Poly Owen of Henderson; and six grandchildren.

Services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday, April 15, at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Robert Lee Thomas

Robert Lee Thomas, 73, of Irving died April 12.

Born Oct. 31, 1925, in Mineola to Sam and Lillie Thomas, he served in the Navy in World War II. He was preceded in death by his son, David Wayne Thomas.

Survivors include his children, Claudine Thomas Kaiser of Wylie, Bobby Lee Thomas of Cleburne, and Jerry Lee Thomas of Irving; former wife, Jerlene Thomas of Cleburne; sister, Poly Owen of Henderson; and six grandchildren.

Services were conducted Thursday, April 15 at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Selma O. Thomas

Selma O. Thomas, 85, of Irving, died on Monday, July 12, at an Arlington nursing home.

Born April 21, 1914, in Prescott, Ark., she owned the Thomas Neon Sign Company in Abilene and was a member of the South MacArthur Church of Christ in Irving. She was a Women's Army Corps veteran of World War II.

Survivors include her sisters, Dorothy Watson of Arlington and Virgie McWilliams of Texarkana, and several other relatives.

Graveside services took place on Wednesday, July 14, at Bluebonnet Hills Memorial Park in Colleyville, with Terry Slack officiating. Arrangements were directed by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

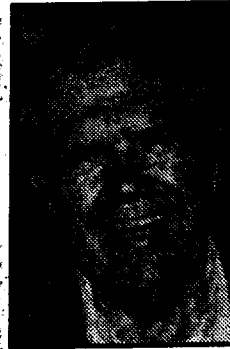
Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

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Edwin John Thomes

Edwin John Thomes, 85, of Eules and a former Irving resident died Sunday, Sept. 26, at a Bedford hospital.



Born May 4, 1914, in Port Washington, Wis., he was a retired mechanical engineer, a former member of the Sierra

Thomes

Club and a member of Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church in Irving. His wife, Evelyn Thomes, preceded him in death in 1997.

Survivors include his sons and daughters-in-law, Richard and Bettye Thomes of Irving, John and JoAnn Thomes of St. Louis and Toby and Kathy Thomes of Arlington; his son Paul Thomes of Eules; his daughters and sons-in-law, Pat and Duane Jubera of Upland, Calif., and Marilyn and John Hall of Austin; 22 grandchildren; and 36 great-grandchildren.

Services took place Tuesday, Sept. 28, at Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church, with Rev. Aidan O'Donovan officiating. Msgr. Jerome Duesman officiated at the wake on Monday, Sept. 27 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Burial is in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be made to MDA for Myasthenia Gravis research.

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Bobbie Thompson

Bobbie Thompson, 61, of Irving died Saturday, Oct. 23, at an

Irving hospital.

Born Feb. 18, 1938, in Thorndale, she was a member of the Forgotten Saints Ministry in Irving.

Survivors include her daughter, Beverly Laffin of Jeffersonville, Ind.; her sons and daughters-in-law, Ricky and Candy Thompson of Jacksonville, Ark., Terry and Tammie Thompson of Grand Prairie, Vernon Thompson of Houston and Kenneth Laffin Jr. of Abilene; her mother, Alta McGowan Worley of Irving; her sisters and brother-in-law, Mary and Bob Fuller of Lewisville and Debbie Armstrong of Irving; her brother and sister-in-law, John Jr. and Barbara Worley of South Carolina; 10 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and several other relatives.

Graveside services took place Tuesday, Oct. 26, at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, with Chaplain F. Edgar Sample officiating. Arrangements were directed by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 560089, Dallas, TX 75356.

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Carl Ray Thompson

Carl Ray Thompson, 77, of Denton and a former Irving resident died Tuesday, Nov. 23, at a Denton hospital.

Born Sept. 13, 1922, in Brookston to Clayton H. and Nellie Thompson, he retired from Ford Motor Company after more than 33 years as a service engineer. A U.S. Army-Air Force veteran who was a B-17 pilot in the Eighth Air Force in World War II, he was a member of First United Methodist Church in Denton, where he was a member of the Bungalow Sunday school class and the church maintenance committee.

Survivors include his wife, Martha Thompson of Denton; his daughters and sons-in-law, Janis Ann and John McCuiston of Irving and Cynthia Kay and Scott Carrell of Searcy, Ark.; his sons and daughters-in-law, Ronald Scott and Ann Thompson of Austin and Carl Wayne and Lorraine Thompson of Carrollton; his brother, Crayton Beville Thompson of Durham, N.C.; eight grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

Services will take place at 10 a.m., Saturday, Nov. 27, at First United Methodist Church in Denton, with Rev. Gary Mueller and Rev. Williams C. Crouch officiating. Burial will follow in Roselawn Memorial Park in Denton. Visitation will take place from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 26, at Mulkey-Mason/Jack Schmitz and Son Funeral Home in Denton.

Memorials may be made to the National Kidney Foundation of Texas, 13500 Midway Road, Suite 101, Dallas, TX 75244; the Eighth Air Force Historical Society, P.O. Box 1787, Savannah, GA 31401; or First United Methodist Church, 201 S. Locust, Denton, TX 76201.

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Nelda P. Thomson

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Nelda Prather Thomson, 87, of
Beaumont died Sunday, Dec. 12, at
a Beaumont hospital.

She was a retired bookkeeper
for the Beaumont Independent
School District.

Survivors include her daughter,
Janis Thomson Coffey of Irving;
her sister, Ruth Prather Chandler of
Beaumont; three grandchildren;
and one great-grandchild.

Services took place Tuesday,
Dec. 14, at Broussard's Mortuary
Chapel in Beaumont.

Memorials may be made to the
Trinity United Methodist Church
Day School, 3430 Harrison,
Beaumont, TX 77702; or to the
American Cancer Society, P.O. Box
5144, Beaumont, TX 77726.

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Walter M. Thomson

Walter Morrison Thomson of Irving died Friday, Dec. 3, in Irving.

Born in Stamford, Conn., he was a communicant of the Church of the Apostles in Coppel. He was preceded in death by his mother, Elizabeth Thomson, and his adopted mother, Miriam Scofield.

Survivors include his wife, Nancy Thomson of Irving; his son, Andrew S. Thomson Sr. of Bridgeport, Conn.; his daughter, Sarah O'Shea of East Longmeadow, Mass.; and four grandchildren.

A memorial service will take place at a later date at the Church of the Apostles. Funeral services will take place in Norwalk, Conn., where he lived for many years.

Memorials may be made to the Norwalk High School Athletic Department, County Street, Norwalk, CT 06851.

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Dorlisca Thorn

Dorlisca Ione Rasco Thorn, 79, of Irving died Saturday, Nov. 13, in Irving.

Born March 5, 1920, in Navarro County, she was a homemaker and a member of Barry Baptist Church. Her husband, Glenn Curtress Thorn, preceded her in death.

Survivors include her daughters, Carlis Antuna of Irving, Diana Sorrells of Irving and Evelyn Kitchens of Westcliff, Colo.; her son, Lowell Thorn of Angleton; her brother, Billy Rasco of Purdon; her sister, Juanita Shepard of Red Oak; eight grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and several other relatives.

Services took place Tuesday, Nov. 16, at Corley Funeral Home in Corsicana, with Rev. Werner Dyer officiating. Burial is in Hamilton-Beeman Cemetery.

Douglas R. Throop

Douglas R. Throop, 80, died Sunday, June 13, at an Irving Hospital.

Born Dec. 20, 1918, in Erie, Pa., he was retired from the U.S. Air Force, in which he attained the rank of major. He served in World War II and the Korean conflict, during which he was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. After his tour of duty, he was a flight inspector for the Federal Aviation Administration in Dallas, became a designated pilot examiner and taught aviation courses at Mountain View College.

Throop was a member of the Greater Dallas Retired Officers Association, a 50-year member of Patterson Lodge 1177 in San Antonio and a life member of the B.P.O. Elks in Erie.

Survivors include his wife of 58 years, Martha Jane Throop of Irving; his daughter and son-in-law, Cheryl Ann and Vernon A. Neel of Fort Worth; his son, Douglas R. Throop Jr. of Irving; and several other relatives, including brother-in-law Bethel R. Coopwood of Irving.

Burial will take place at 2:15 p.m. today, June 17, at the National Cemetery at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio. The family received friends on Tuesday, June 15, at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to Scottish Rite Hospital of Dallas or to the charity of the donor's choice.

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Leonard Anthony Tibbets ¹⁻⁷⁻⁹⁹ _{IN, P, 34}

Leonard Anthony Tibbets, 52, died Tuesday, Jan. 5, in Irving.

Born Sept. 11, 1946, in Odessa, he was assistant vice president of Foreign Credit Insurance Association in New York, and most recently, senior vice president of credit policy for Nations Bank. He was member of the United Way, Irving Symphony Board and Plymouth Park United Methodist Church finance committee. He was

preceded in death by parents, Leonard and Era Tibbets, and father-in-law Duane Rost.

Survivors include: wife, Wendy Tibbets of Irving; daughter Kathryn Tibbets of Irving; son, Michael Tibbets of Lubbock; sister, Juanita Hudson and husband Donald of Grandbury; mother- and father-in-law Patricia Rost and James M. Shilstone of Irving; brothers-in-law, Randal Rost and wife Christy of Dallas, Mark Rost and wife Susan of Brentwood, Tenn.; nephews, Timothy Rost and Robert Rost; and nieces, Donna Smith, Holly Hudson and Jennifer Rost.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, Jan. 6, at Sparkman/Hillcrest Funeral Home. Graveside services are 2 p.m. today, Jan. 7, at Hillcrest Memorial Park. A memorial service will be conducted at 3 p.m. at Plymouth Park United Methodist Church, 1615 W. Airport Freeway, Irving with the Rev. Dee Wiksten officiating. Honorary pallbearers will be: Michael Tibbets, Randy Rost, Don Hudson, James Shilstone Jr., Doug Smith, Steve Melzer, Jerry Zvoncek and Ralph Hawkins.

Memorials may be made to the Plymouth Park United Methodist Church of the American Cancer Society.

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Lai Kin To

Lai Kin To, 86, of Irving died Monday, Oct. 18, in a Carrollton nursing home.

Born June 23, 1913, in China, she was a doctor.

Survivors include her daughter, Kathleen To of Irving; and her son, Richard To of Bellevue, Wash.

No formal services are planned. Arrangements are directed by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

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Agatha S. Toler

Agatha S. Toler, 50, of Irving died Friday, Oct. 15, in Irving.

Born March 1, 1949, in Kyong Buk, South Korea, she was a homemaker and a member of St. Andrew's Kim Catholic Church in Dallas.

Survivors include her husband, Jackie Toler of Irving; her daughter, Sonya Toler of Irving; her sister, Kil Cha Cotter of Irving; and several other relatives.

Services took place Monday, Oct. 18, at St. Andrew's Kim Catholic Church, with Rev. Joseph Lee officiating. Burial is in Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas. Arrangements were directed by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

Richard G. Tomlinson

Richard G. "Tommy" Tomlinson, 74, of Irving died Tuesday, Dec. 21.

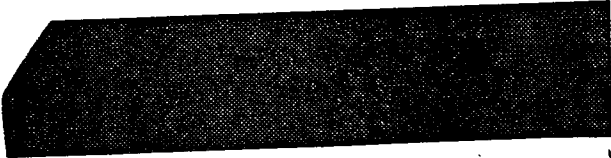
Born Feb. 6, 1925, in Columbus, Ohio, to the late Gerald and Catherine Tomlinson, he was a medic in the U.S. Navy at the Pacific front during World War II. A machinist for the Chicago Northwestern and Conrail railroads, he worked for Kroger foods after his retirement.

Survivors include his wife, Anne Tomlinson of Irving; 13 children; 26 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services took place Thursday, Dec. 23, at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel. Burial is in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Suvit Tongrasmee

Suvit Tongrasmee, 53, of Irving died Tuesday, June 1, in Irving.

Born Feb. 8, 1946, he was a self-employed taxi driver for City Cab in Dallas.

Survivors include his son, Thanavoui Tongrasmee of Irving; and his daughters, Natéera Tongrasmee and Natayene Tongrasmee, both of Irving.

Services were conducted Saturday, June 5, at Calvary Funeral Home Chapel.

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Hans Heinrich Tormolen

Hans Heinrich Tormolen, 86, of Irving died Saturday, March 27, at his home.

Born Aug. 5, 1912, in Darport, Estonia, Russia, he was the son of Russian royalty. At the age of 10, he fled Russia with his family during the Bolshivek Revolution and made

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his home in Germany until he came to the United States in 1952. He was a resident of Irving for the past 35 years. He was an accomplished pilot and flight instructor, making his first solo flight at 14 and serving in the German Air Force during World War II. He was a tool and dye maker, artist, inventor and philosopher. He authored and published two books and held several patents. He was preceded in death by his parents, Arved and Louse Von Zurmuehlen; son, Patrick Von Zurmuehlen; brother, Patrik Von Zurmuehlen; sister, Louise Von Keller; and former spouse, Ursala Von Zurmuehlen.

He is survived by his wife of 36 years, Smokey Tormolen of Irving; daughters, Barbara Friese and Inez Von Zurmuehlen, both of Germany, Barbara Eben of Hardin, Mont., and Rosemarie Von Zurmuehlen of Wimberly; sons,

Arved Von Zurmuehlen of Dallas, and Victor Von Zurmuehlen of Austin; Smokey's adopted son, Octavio Perez of Dallas; 10 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were conducted Monday, March 29, at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens with Karl Kuby officiating.

Arrangements were coordinated by Chism-Smith Funeral Home.

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Ok-Nan Torres

Ok-Nan Torres, 47, of Irving died Thursday, Feb. 18.

She was born Dec. 27, 1952, in Grumpel, South Korea.

Survivors include her husband, Peter Torres of Irving; and her daughter, Denise Torres of Irving.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, Feb. 22, at Bown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jake Blankenship officiating. Burial was in Restland Cemetery in Rotan.

Robert Lee Townsend

Robert Lee "Bob" Townsend, 76, of Irving died Wednesday, Nov. 24, in Irving.

Born Jan. 26, 1923, in Dacoma, Okla., to the late Zula Margaret Gottsch and Robert L. Townsend, he served more than 28 years in the U.S. Army, retiring in 1973 as a sergeant. He served with the Thunderbird Division in the United States and Europe during World War II and later served in Turkey, Korea and Panama. His awards include the French Croix de Guerre, Meritorious Unit Commendation, U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, Meritorious Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Oklahoma Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, nine Good Conduct Medals, seven Battle Stars for European Theater campaigns and the National Defense Service with Oak Leaf Cluster.

He was named Irving police department volunteer of the year in 1996 and volunteered with the department for seven years. He is also preceded in death by his stepfather, Ernest G. Gottsch, and his brother, Carrol W. Townsend.

Survivors include his wife of 53 years, Betty Townsend of Irving; his daughter and son-in-law, Carol L. and David Wright of Lewisville; his son and daughter-in-law, Scott A. and Pamela K. Townsend of Flower Mound; four grandchildren; and several other relatives.

Services took place Saturday, Nov. 27, at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Ken Parlin officiating. Graveside services will take place Monday, Nov. 29, at Alva Cemetery in Alva, Okla.

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Mary B. Moore Travis

Mary B. Moore Travis, 86, died Friday, June 11, at a Dallas hospital.

Born Dec. 13, 1912, she was a Past Worthy Matron and life member of the Order of Eastern Star Chapter Delta Florial No. 794, of which she served as secretary for 14 years. She was a 57-year member of Bethel Temple, for which she was class secretary for 25 years.

She was preceded in death by her husbands, Leon Moore and Floyd Travis; her parents Bryant and Berta Helton; one sister; and four brothers.

Survivors include her brother and sister-in-law, Charles and Ruby Helton of Irving; step-children, Joy and Ray Travis and Martha Leeny; godchild Mary Elizabeth Giles; Courtney Giles; and several other relatives.

Services took place on Monday, June 14, and Chism-Smith Funeral Home Chapel. Burial with Eastern Star Rites took place at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Flora Elizabeth Trester

Flora Elizabeth Trester, 84, died Saturday, May 1, at a Dallas hospital.

Born March 10, 1915, in Santa Maria, Calif., she has been a resident of Dallas since 1994 where she moved after living in Winterset, Iowa. She was a member of the Madison County Genealogy Society and the Winterset Gem & Mineral Club. She was preceded in death by her husband, Dwight Albert Trester.

Survivors include her daughter, Doris Patrick of Irving; her son, Craig Trester of Mackburg, Iowa; six grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were conducted Wednesday, May 5, at Winterset Memorial Park in Winterset, Iowa. Arrangements were coordinated by Chism-Smith Funeral Home.

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Glen Douglas Tribble

Glen Douglas Tribble, 64, of Tioga, formerly of Irving, died Sunday, Feb. 14, at Kern Manor Nursing Home in Pilot Point.

Born Sept. 14, 1934, in Pilot Point to John Gilbert Tribble and Lottie Mae Conway, he was a courier-service driver. He was preceded in death by his father; brother, Jerry Tribble; and grandson Larry Ken Starr.

Survivors include: daughters, Karen Horn of Tioga, and Rhonda Wright of Denton; son, Dale Tribble of Tioga; mother and stepfather,

Lottie Mae and Ford Conway of Gainesville; brothers, James Kenneth Tribble of Pilot Point, Jimmy Tribble of Pilot Point, and Leslie Tribble of Pilot Point; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, Feb. 17, at the First Baptist Church in Tioga with the Rev. Bob Rowe officiating. Burial is in Belew Cemetery in Aubrey.

Arrangement were coordinated by Huff-Slay Funeral Home in Pilot Point.

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Myrtle Trigg

Myrtle Trigg, 92, of Terrell died Sunday, Nov. 14, in a Terrell nursing center.

Born July 27, 1907, in Grand Prairie, she was a homemaker and a longtime resident of Grand Prairie before recently moving to Terrell. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Clifton Trigg; her brothers Lonnie Jordan and Robert Jordan; and her sister Mabel Crutcher.

Survivors include her brother and sister-in-law Jay and Kathryn Jordan of Lake Creek; her sisters Nina Cordell of Irving, Iva Smith of Irving and Ruby Johnson of Terrell; and several other relatives.

Services took place Tuesday, Nov. 16, at Bean-Massey-Burge Funeral Home Chapel in Grand Prairie. Burial is in Jordan Hight

Cemetary in GRAND PRAIRIE

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Nevin E. Trostle

Nevin E. Trostle of Irving died Wednesday at Irving Community Hospital. He was 82.

Services are scheduled for 2 p.m. Sunday at Kirkwood Methodist Church with the Rev. Jerry Dellaney officiating.

A native of Shamrock, Texas, he was an Irving resident for 19 years. He was a retired engineer for the city of Irving. He was a member of the Kirkwood Methodist Church in Irving, the Irving Rotary Club, the American Society of Civil Engineers, the Society of Professional Engi-

neers, the League of Women Voters and the Lost Chord Club.

Survivors include his wife, Nellie Trostle of Irving; his daughter, Marie Moore of Irving; his brothers, Winston Trostle of Amarillo, Robert Trostle of Shamrock, Roscoe Trostle of Lubbock and Tom Trostle of McLean; his sister, Marie Snodgrass of Bovina; and four grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to the Rotary Foundation, in care of the Irving Rotary Club, Box 150876, Irving, 75015; the American Cancer Society, or the Home Hospice Service.

James E. Tucker

James E. Tucker of Irving died Monday, July 26.

He retired from Allied Fueling Company in 1979.

Survivors include his wife, Eva Lee Tucker of Irving; his son, Marvin Lee Tucker of Irving; his sisters, Evelyn Davidson of Bridgeport and Sarah New of Tennessee; his brother, Jake Tucker of Kerns; and one granddaughter.

Services took place Wednesday, July 28, at Hawkins Funeral Home Chapel in Bridgeport, with Rev. Kenneth Woods officiating. Burial is in Tucker Cemetery in Chico. Local arrangements were directed by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

7-29-99

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T.H. Turner

T.H. "Hank" Turner, 77, of Irving died Wednesday, April 14, at St. Paul Hospital in Dallas.

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Survivors include his wife; son, James Turner and wife, Donna, of Grand Prairie; daughters, Margie Cooper of Irving, Caran Chaney and husband, Ray, of Irving, and Eileen Kern and husband, Randy, of Grapevine; brother, Norman Turner and wife, Zonia, of Ovalle, Chile; eight grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, April 16, at Irving Bible Church with the Rev. Andrew McQuitty officiating. Burial was in Oak Groves Memorial Gardens.

The family requests memorials be made to American Lung Association, 1850 Brookriver Drive, Suite S-102, LB 102, Dallas, Tx 75247.

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11-18-99
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Survivors include his sisters, Edith Cox of Irving and Cammie McNabb of Los Angeles; and several other relatives, including his niece and her husband, Armelda and Cliff Orme of Irving.

Graveside services took place Monday, Nov. 15, at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, with Rev. Brent Hardy officiating. Arrangements were directed by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

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