Victor Abousaid
1945 - 2001


Funeral: Wake service at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at Donnelly’s Colonial Chapel. Mass of Christian Burial: 2:30 p.m. Friday at Holy Family Catholic Church in Irving, with the Rev. Msgr. Jerome Duesman as celebrant. Burial: Bear Creek Cemetery in Euless. Visitation: begins 2 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

Memorials: ADS for benefit of poor children in Palestine, c/o 2212 CLEARSpring Drive S., Irving 75063.

Victor died Saturday evening, Dec. 15, of a sudden, painless heart attack. His life was full of love, and he will be remembered by many as a caring, generous man.

Survivors: He was husband to Mona Abousaid; father to Hiyam, Nisreen and Isam; brother to Hanna, George, Antone and Khamees; brother-in-law to George, Hanna, Issa, Mary, Gabi and Nicola; and son of Deeb and Eleanor.

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Victor Abousaid

Victor Abousaid, 56, of Irving, died Saturday. He was born on April 22, 1945, in Jerusalem. Visitation will be at 2 p.m. Thursday with a wake at 7:30 p.m. A funeral Mass will be at 2:30 p.m. Friday at Holy Family Catholic Church, 2323 Cheyenne St. Burial will be at Bear Creek Cemetery in Euless.

Survivors include his wife, Mona Abousaid of Irving; children, Hiyam Abousaid, Nisreen Abousaid, and Isam Abousaid, all of Irving; and siblings, Hanna, George, and Khamees of Palestine and Antone of Philadelphia.

Memorials may be made to ADC, c/o 2212 CLEARSpring Drive South, Irving, TX 75063.
"Gentleman" Chris Adams
1955 - 2001

"Gentleman" Chris Adams, 46, of Rowlett, Texas, a native of England, a three-time national and world champion in Judo and professional wrestler, passed away suddenly on Sunday, October 7, 2001. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, October 10, 2001, 6-8 p.m., at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway, Irving, Texas. Funeral services are scheduled for Thursday, October 11, 11 a.m., at the funeral home. Interment will be at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements entrusted to Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, Irving, Texas.

To view and sign the Guest Book for "Gentleman" Chris Adams click here.

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Chris Adams
Oct 18, 2001
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Chris Adams, 46, of Rowlett and formerly of Irving, died Oct. 7.

Born Feb. 10, 1955, in Rugby, England, he studied architecture for four years before becoming a three-time national and world Champion in judo. He became a professional wrestler, known as "Gentleman Chris Adams," and developed his signature "superkick." In the early 1990s, he operated a wrestling school in Dallas, where he trained "Stone Cold" Steve Austin.

Services were Thursday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Survivors include wife Karen Adams of Rowlett; children Jade, Shea, Christopher, Julia, and Tyler; parents Cyril and Jean Adams; brother Neil Adams; and one grandson.
Frank Clifton Adams Jr.

Frank Clifton Adams Jr. of Irving died Friday. Born on Aug. 6, 1928, in Clarksville, Texas, he worked as a tile setter. Services were Tuesday at Faith Temple Baptist Church with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Funeral arrangements were handled by Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home.

Survivors include stepdaughter Karen Bickley and her husband, Ted, of Canton; stepson William Richard Culver of Ohio; stepdaughter-in-law Doris Culver of Marietta, Okla.; and several grandchildren.

Frank Clifton Adams Jr.
1928 - 2001
Victor Warren Adams
1912 - 2001

Victor Warren Adams, 88, of Irving, Texas, a member of First Christian Church, passed away on Tuesday, February 6, 2001. Memorial services are scheduled for Saturday, February 10, 2001, 2 p.m., at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, 707 North MacArthur Boulevard, Irving. Memorial donations are appreciated to Pioneer Rehabilitation Center, 225 North Sowers Road, Irving, TX 75061 or Alzheimer's Association, 919 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 1100, Chicago, IL 60611-1676. Arrangements entrusted to Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, Inc., Irving, Texas.
ADAMSON

GEORGE of Irving passed away March 9, 2001. He was born Feb 22, 1921 in Hastings, Nebraska. He retired from Giltsch Inc. after 37 years and served as a School crossing guard for 13 years for Irving School District. He was preceded in death by his father, George W. Adamson, mother, Rachel Marie Adamson, sister, Marie Douglas and son, Lamar Love-Lace. He is survived by Opal, his wife of 56 years and daughters and sons-in-law, Jeanette and Richard Thomas of Cedar Creek Lake, TX, Ellen and A.J. LaVallee of Lake Kiowa, TX, Wanda Sue King and friend, Bill Bandlo of Cedar Creek, Rachel and Jerry Vogt of Arlington, Kathie and Van Savage of Belton, Son and daughter-in-law George and Jo Carol Adamson of Irving, brother, Harold Adamson of Frost, 18 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Funeral service will be 1:30 PM Tuesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home in Irving with Don Thomas officiating. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Family will receive friends at the Funeral Home Monday 6:30-8:30 PM. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the 1st United Methodist Church.

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March 11, 2001
Man accused of abuse

Roy was born, he noticed that Ms. Hernandez ' didn't enjoy being around the children.

"I would tell her that the kids needed love," Mr. Aguilera said. "But she said that's not the way she was raised. It didn't come naturally to her."

Ms. Hernandez told social workers that she had been physically and sexually abused when she was a child.

Mr. Aguilera, a construction worker, said he would leave the house early each morning and wouldn't return until night. He said he worked so Ms. Hernandez could stay home with the children.

When he got home, his girlfriend would often tell him that Roy had fallen and injured himself.

Mr. Aguilera said Roy lost his bottom teeth after a fall. He said Ms. Hernandez told him she heard Roy's arm snap when she grabbed him to keep him from falling.

Mr. Aguilera said he was planning to take Roy to Mexico so he could receive medical care and live with his family.

On Aug. 30, the day Mr. Aguilera had planned to take Roy to Mexico, the child lost consciousness.

Mr. Aguilera said he and Ms. Hernandez were at the apartment when they noticed that Roy was not responding.

"I don't understand how that could've happened. And I can't say she [the baby's mother, Yesenia Hernandez] caused the injuries, because I didn't see her hit him."

Jose Guadalupe Aguilera, who is charged with injury to a child.

Mr. Aguilera said he called 911 and told his girlfriend to go to a relative's house to tell them what had happened.

The couple had not taken Roy to a doctor because they feared that Child Protective Services would remove him from the home, he said.

CPS had taken custody of Roy and his 5-year-old sister shortly after he was born.

Ms. Hernandez told hospital officials that she was concerned about taking the baby home because Mr. Aguilera was abusive to her daughter.

A jury ordered CPS to return the children to the couple in February.

"I would get mad at her because CPS had already taken the kids away from us, and I was scared they were going to do the same thing again if they saw any bruises on them," Mr. Aguilera said.

Irving resident, girlfriend held in 18-month-old's death

By CONNIE PILOTO
Staff Writer

An Irving man accused of abusing his girlfriend's 18-month-old son said Thursday that he did not cause the injuries that led to the boy's death.

In an interview at Lew Sterrett Justice Center, Jose Guadalupe Aguilera, 30, said he warned his girlfriend to take better care of her son.

"The baby was always getting injured," Mr. Aguilera said. "I told her to pay more attention to him."

Roy Aguilera died Monday from injuries that police say were inflicted by his mother, Yesenia Hernandez, 20, and Mr. Aguilera.

Ms. Hernandez, who is six months pregnant, has been charged with capital murder. Mr. Aguilera is charged with injury to a child.

Both are being held at Lew Sterrett Justice Center in lieu of $60,000 bail. Ms. Hernandez had not responded to Thursday's request for an interview.

Officer David Tull said Wednesday that the lesser charge against Mr. Aguilera would indicate a lesser involvement on his part.

Doctors who examined Roy at Children's Medical Center reported that the boy had a closed head injury, dislocated elbows, blunt trauma to the buttocks, broken ribs and several scars and burns. He had a bruise resembling a fingerprint on his upper left arm.

Doctors also found evidence that Roy may have been sexually abused.

CPS caseworker Kelly Mitchell said the boy suffered "atrocious terror."
Novetta May Ahearne of Fort Worth and formerly of Irving died Saturday. Born Jan. 9, 1922, in Bellvue, Texas, she was a registered nurse at Methodist Hospital and St. Paul's Hospital, and a school nurse for the Irving school district and Mountain View College. Services were Thursday at Kirkwood United Methodist Church with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Park in Irving. Funeral arrangements were handled by Thompson's Harveson and Cole Funeral Home in Fort Worth.

Survivors include sons Joe Ahearne and wife Gloria, Patrick Ahearne and wife Siri; brothers Henry Grady May, Jr., and Dr. James Lambeth May; nine grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.
Bobby Akin, of Irving, Texas, a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, husband of Jean Akin, passed away on Monday, January 22, 2001. The family will receive friends on Thursday, January 25, 2001, 6-8 p.m., at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, Inc., 707 North MacArthur Boulevard, Irving. Funeral services are scheduled for Friday, January 26, 2 p.m., at the funeral home. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements entrusted to Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

Bobby Akin of Irving died Monday. Born on April 3, 1924, in Irving, he was a WWII Navy veteran. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home in Irving. Services will be 2 p.m. Friday at Brown’s with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Survivors include wife Jean Akin of Irving; daughter and son-in-law Suzanne and Alex Mills of Venus, Texas; sister Pauline Lee of Fort Worth; two grandchildren; and one great-grandson.
ALEXANDER EUNICE ROGERS, 95, of Irving. Preceded in death by her husbands Louie B. Rogers and C.L. Alexander; sons Kenneth J. Rogers and Raymond L. Rogers; brothers L.D. Arnold and Doyle Arnold and sisters Alma Dean Parsons, Jewell Remedis and Willow Stanley. Survived by children Mary Frances and Charles LaCava, Charles F. and Mae Rogers, all of California, Jerry G. Rogers of Dallas, Martha L. Knowles of Irving, G. Wayne and Carol Rogers of California, Buddy Alexander of Irving, Son and Dorothy Alexander of Dallas, Billie and George Cowand of Duncanville; 24 grandchildren, 42 great grandchildren and six great great grandchildren. Also survived by her brother and sister-in-law Harlan and Helen Arnold of Pennsylvania; sisters Mary Nell Boswell, Brooksey Nell Gray and Lillian Rogers, all of Arkansas. Family to receive friends 7 to 9 p.m., Tuesday at the funeral home. Service 11 a.m., Wednesday at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel. Rev. Emmitt Knowles officiating. Graveside service 2:30 p.m., Wednesday at Mt. Sylvan Cemetery, Mt. Sylvan, TX. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. (972) 579-1313 www.legacy.com

Deaths Funerals - The Dallas Morning News - 06/19/2001

Eunice Alexander

Eunice Rogers Alexander, 95, of Irving died Sunday at Baylor Medical Center at Irving. Born April 24, 1906, in Stamps, Ark., she was a retired nurse and a member of Grace Temple Baptist Church and the church's quilting group. Services were Wednesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, with burial at Mt. Sylvan Cemetery in Mt. Sylvan, Texas.

Survivors include her children, Buddy Alexander of Irving, Son Alexander of Dallas, Jerry G. Rogers of Dallas, G. Wayne Rogers and Charles F. Rogers, both of California, Billie Cowand of Duncanville, Martha L. Knowles of Irving and Mary Frances LaCava of California; a brother, Harlan Arnold of Pennsylvania; sisters Mary Nell Boswell, Brooksey Nell Gray and Lillian Rogers, all of Arkansas; 24 grandchildren; 42 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.
ALEXANDER

V.J., Funeral Services for
V.J. Alexander, age 28, of
Irving, will be held 3:00
P.M. Monday at Bailey &
Foster Chapel with Rev.
Carl Lane officiating. In-
terment will follow in
Mount Piegah Cemetery
in Leon County. Mr. Alex-
ander died early Saturday
morning at Presbyterian
Hospital in Dallas. He was
born February 12, 1973 in
Garland to James H. and
Melanie Marie Wells Al-
exander. At the time of his
death Mr. Alexander was
an auto painter with Colli-
sion King in Irving. He is
survived by his mother
Melanie Marie Mason of
Irving, his father: James
Alexander II, and step-
mother Roxie Alexander
of Garland; grandparents:
Jack Alexander of Oak-
wood; V.I. Wells of Mis-
sion and Louise Hamilton
of Irving; sisters: Mechelle Tuttle of
Killeen and Paige Alex-
ander of Antlers, Oklaho-
a and brothers James
Wayne Alexander of Ant-
lers Oklahoma and
Charles Alexander of
Berne. Pallbearers will be
Michael Tuttle, John
Wayne Lemley, Jonathan
Winter, and Rocky Alex-
ander. Arrangements un-
der the direction of Bailey
& Foster, Palestine

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John Henry Allen
1919 - 2001


John Henry Allen

John Henry Allen, 81, of El Paso and formerly of Irving, died July 3. Born Dec. 14, 1919, in Barstow, Texas, he was a decorated World War II veteran and a member of First Presbyterian Church in Irving. Graveside services were Saturday at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. Arrangements were by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

Norma Allen

Norma Carter Allen, formerly of Irving, died Monday. She was born Aug. 19, 1909, in Alba, Texas. Services were Thursday at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.

Survivors include sons Jack H. Allen Jr., of Lindale, Texas, and Gene W. Allen of Euless; daughters Patsy J. Lindley of Dallas and Janice E. Miller of Fort Worth; stepdaughter Ruphine Prell of Lake Havasu City, Ariz.; 18 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren; and eight great-great-grandchildren.
Roy Allen

Roy Bradford Allen of Irving died Saturday. Born Sept. 19, 1916, in Scroggins, Texas, he was a retired cabinet and trim contractor. Services were Monday at Brown's Memorial Chapel with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.


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Ruby "Granny" Allen
1902 - 2001

Ruby "Granny" Allen, 98, who liked to quilt and was noted for a very large flower garden, died in Lancaster, Texas, on Tuesday, July 3, 2001. Funeral services are scheduled for Friday, July 6, 2001, 10:30 a.m., at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, Inc., 707 North MacArthur Boulevard, Irving, Texas, officiated by Brother Bob Mashburn. Interment will be on Friday, 2:30 p.m., at Cedar Mills Cemetery, Whitesboro, Texas. Arrangements entrusted to Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, Inc., Irving, Texas.

ALLEN RUBY was born September 17, 1902 in Grayson County near Gordonville, Texas. Died July 3, 2001 at age 98 in Lancaster, Texas. Ruby (Granny) liked to quilt and was noted for a very large flower garden. Starting with her 80th birthday an annual birthday party in her honor, attended by a large mass of friends and family, was held at her son Ervin Allen's home near Cedar Creek, Texas. She loved children and was frequently greeted by them Sunday's while attending Countryside Baptist Church in Lancaster. She was preceded in death by first husband, Robert Higgins in 1933; second husband Elmer Allen in 1988; sons, Lonnie Higgins, Virgil Higgins, Howard Higgins and daughter, Emma Scott. Survivors include sons, John Higgins of Lancaster; Ervin Allen of Scurry; daughters, Linnie Allen of DeSoto; Dee Tiner of Irving; brother, Clyde Louis of Arlington; sister, Vera Burns of Pottsboro; grandchildren Doreen, Tommy Ruby Mae, Mike, Grace, Geneva, Randy, Stanley, Sue, Mala, Larry, Phil, Pat, Ginger, Barbara, Hollis, Joey, John Wayne, Patsy, Eddie Dean; Kenneth, Sherry, Gary, Tammy, Rick and Debbie. There is a multitude of precious great and great-great children as well. Funeral services will be held at 10:30 AM Friday July 6, 2001 at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel with Brother Bob Mashburn officiating. Interment will follow at Cedar Mills Cemetery in Whitesboro at 2:30 PM on Friday. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.legacy.com

Deaths Funerals - The Dallas Morning News - 07/05/2001
Shirley Ann Allen, 64, a 38-year resident of Irving, Texas, a packer for 24 years with Frito Lay in Irving before her retirement in 1991, died at Baylor Medical Center in Irving on Saturday, January 20, 2001. Services are scheduled for Tuesday, January 23, 2001, 10 a.m., at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway, Irving, officiated by Dr. Jim Gerlach. Arrangements entrusted to Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, Irving, Texas.

Shirley Allen

Shirley Ann Allen of Irving died Saturday at Baylor Medical Center at Irving. Born on July 11, 1936, in Texarkana, Ark., she was retired from Frito-Lay in Irving. Services were Tuesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home in Irving with Dr. Jim Gerlach officiating.

Survivors include husband Stanley Allen of Irving; son Robert Allen and wife Debbie of Irving; daughters Kelly Allen of Dallas, Cynthia Minshall and husband Harry of Arlington, Sara Ruple and husband David of Fort Wayne, Ind.; brother Dan Canup of Granby, Colo.; and four grandchildren.

ALLEN, Shirley Ann, 64, of Irving, a retired packer, from complications of a stroke
Mary Altom

Mary Altom, formerly of Irving, died Monday at Denton Regional Hospital. Funeral arrangements by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home are pending.

Mary Lee Altom

Mary Lee Altom, 77, of Krugerville, Texas, and formerly of Irving, died Monday at Denton Regional Hospital. Born on May 31, 1924, in Dallas County, she was a former account manager for the University of Texas Health Science Center in Dallas. She was a member of Midway Baptist Church in Aubrey. Services were Thursday at Midway Baptist Church, with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements were by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

Survivors include: husband Milton W. Altom of Krugerville; daughter Rita Adkinson of Fauke, Ark.; sisters Bessie L. Millican of Mexico and Dollie McGuire of Arlington; two grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.
AMYX
LINDA FAYE AMYX of Terrell passed away on September 5, 2001 in Irving, Texas. She was born on August 16, 1948 in Childress, Texas. Linda was preceded in death by her father, Harold L. Gressett. She is survived by her loving mother, Dixie Thorne of Terrell; brother, Lester Thorne and his wife Terry of Balch Springs; sister, Jody Gressett of Terrell; numerous uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews and other relatives. Graveside Service will be held at 2:00 p.m., Monday, September 10, 2001 at DFW National Cemetery with Rev. Earl Sides officiating. Family will receive friends from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sun, September 9, 2001 at Anderson-Clayton Bros. Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers send donations to The American Cancer Society.
ANDERSON LILLIAN "POTSY" IVES ANDERSON, 79, a loving mother and grandmother, died unexpectedly Saturday morning, October 13, 2001, at an Irving hospital. Funeral: 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 17, at Rush Creek Christian Church, 2401 Green Oaks Blvd., S.W., in Arlington. The Rev. Dr. Richard Lord and Chaplain Harold Elliott, Arlington Police Department, will officiate, Burial: Following committal services. Potsy will be laid to rest next to her husband, Andy, in Greenwood Memorial Park. Visitation: She will lie in state at Robertson Mueller Harper where her family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday. Memorials: Those desiring, please make memorial contributions to a charity of choice. A native of Dallas, Lillian Marie "Potsy" Ives was born February 27, 1922, the daughter of Jack and Lucille Sullivan Ives. She was a longtime resident of Fort Worth and a graduate of R. L. Paschal High School. Potsy warned D. Bayne "Andy" Anderson October 7, 1950, at the First Christian Church of Fort Worth. Mr. Anderson died in 1996. She was a life member of the Disciples of Christ church and was a member of Rush Creek Christian Church in Arlington. In addition to her husband and parents, Potsy was preceded in death by her granddaughter, Penelope Ptak. Survivors: Daughter, Debbie Anderson Ptak and her husband, Paul, Irving; son, Dee Anderson, Sheriff of Tarrant County, and his wife, Rebecca, Kennedale; grandchildren, Hannah Marie and Benjamin Bayne Anderson and Kelly Swearingin. ROBERTSON MUELLER HARPER Funeral Directors 1500 8th Ave Fort Worth, TX 76104 817-924-4233
Corene Arensman

Corene Elizabeth Arensman of Mount Pleasant, formerly of Irving, died Jan. 18. She was born on Feb. 13, 1922, in Coppell. Services were Saturday at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving with the Rev. Charles Newman officiating. Funeral arrangements were handled by Chism-Smith Funeral Home.

Survivors include daughter Anna Luster of Mount Pleasant, Texas, and one grandson.
Myrtie Arrington
July 7, 2001

Myrtie Arrington, 82, of Irving, died Saturday. Born on April 27, 1919, in Rusk, Texas, she retired in 1996 after 36 years as a beautician at Myrtie's Beauty Shop in Irving. She was a member of Plymouth Park Baptist Church. Services were Tuesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Survivors include sons Kenneth L. Arrington of Granbury and Tracy Arrington of Southlake; brothers Preston Wilcox, Leslie Wilcox, Grady Wilcox and Carl Wilcox, all of Rusk; sisters Lora Caperton of Tyler, Lorene Hardy of Crockett, Jane Naski of Jacksonville, Texas, and Vernene Odom of Conroe; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.
Jan 28, 2001

Karen Arthur

Karen Lea Arthur of Westlake, Texas, died Tuesday at All Saints Hospital in Fort Worth. Born on June 10, 1949, in Ardmore, Okla., she was a homemaker. Services were Thursday at Haley Cemetery in Irving. Funeral arrangements were handled by Charlotte Chism Waldrum at Calvary Funeral Home.

ASPLUND
ALFRED CLARK "AL". Beloved husband, father, granddad, and brother. A friend to everyone, Al was born in Enid, OK June 27, 1951, and passed away suddenly May 28, 2001 while vacationing in Hawaii with family. Al is survived by his loving wife Carol; three children, son Peter & Melinda Asplund, son Matt Asplund, and daughter Diana Johnson & Kyle; grandchildren Alyssa Johnson and Caden Asplund; brothers & sisters Pete & Carol Asplund, Anne Asplund, George & Sallie Asplund; mother-in-law "Mother Dear" Laverne Wylie; father-in-law Hoss & his wife, Monti Wylie; David & Karen Wylie & Phillip & Carolee Wylie. He was preceded in death by his father George Asplund, mother Maxine Asplund, and grandson Brendan Johnson. Al graduated from Oklahoma State University. He worked for 19 years as an agent at American National Insurance. For the past 8 years, Al has been a probation officer for Dallas County. Al is known and loved for his quick wit, and loving personality. He made everyone's day a little brighter. Funeral services will be 1:00p.m. Monday at First Presbyterian Church of Richardson. In lieu of flowers, please send a donation to the North Texas SIDS Alliance at 1401 Airport Fwy, Ste. 118, Richardson, TX.
ASPLUND PHYLLIS JEAN of Irving passed away August 23, 2001 in Irving. She was born on September 21, 1938 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. She graduated from Polytechnic High School in Ft. Worth; attended UT Austin and received her Masters Degree from the University of North Texas. She taught history and government at Irving High School; she also taught marketing education at Nimitz High School taught at Marcus High School in Flower Mound and retired from Lewisville ISD in December 1994. Ms. Asplund volunteered at DFW Humane Society and served on the Board of Friends of the Public Library. She also volunteered for The March of Dimes, and The Lively Senior Center. Her parents, E. M. (Swede) Asplund and Berty Asplund preceded her in death. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM on Sunday, August 26th at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel. Private interment will be held at 11:00 AM on Monday, August 27th at Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Ft. Worth. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to The DFW Humane Society, 1611 W. Irving Boulevard, Irving, TX 75061; The Salvation Army, P.O. Box 2608, Dallas, TX 75221. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.legacy.com

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Phyllis Jean Asplund

Phyllis Jean Asplund, 62, of Irving died Thursday. She was born on Sept. 21, 1938, in Oklahoma City. Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Private interment will be Monday in Fort Worth.

Ms. Asplund graduated from Polytechnic High School in Fort Worth, attended the University of Texas at Austin and received a master's degree from the University of North Texas. She taught history and government at Irving High School and marketing education at Nimitz High School. She also taught at Marcus High School in Flower Mound and retired from the Lewisville ISD in 1994.

She volunteered at the DFW Humane Society in Irving and for the March of Dimes and the Lively Senior Center. She served on the board of the Friends of the Irving Public Library.

Memorials may be made to the DFW Humane Society, 1611 W. Irving Blvd., Irving, TX 75061; or the Salvation Army, P. O. Box 2608, Dallas, TX 75221.
March 21, 2001

Joy Attkinson
1932 - 2001

Attkinson, 68, of Irving, Texas, wife of the late Wylie Lee Attkinson, passed away in Irving on Sunday, March 18, 2001. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, March 21, 2001, 7-8:30 p.m., at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, Inc., 707 North MacArthur Boulevard, Irving. Funeral services are scheduled for Thursday, March 22, 10 a.m., at the funeral home. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Memorial donations are appreciated to The Arthritis Foundation, 2824 Swiss Avenue, Dallas, TX 75204. Arrangements entrusted to Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, Inc., Irving, Texas.