Larry Doyle Cable

CABLE, LARRY DOYLE, born in Cameron, Texas on August 6, 1924, passed away on December 23, 2002. A Naval veteran, he served with distinction on the U.S.S. Nashville in the Pacific during WWII. He held a special fondness for SMU, where he was a student and later worked for a number of years in the Dean's Office of the School of Business. In spite of contending with Multiple Sclerosis for most of his adult life, Larry lived with grace, humor, and optimism. He always had a twinkle in his eyes, and anyone who knew him enjoyed his wit and enthusiasm for life. Graveside services will be conducted at Calvary Cemetery in Marlin, Texas at 2:00pm on Friday, December 27. Memorials may be made in Larry's name to SMU, the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, or the Veterans Administration.

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Joselin Calix

Joselin Calix, infant daughter of Jose Eduardo Calix and Erme-linda Maldonado Calix of Irving, died Sunday, the day she was born. Graveside services were Wednesday at Oak Grove Memorial Gar-dens in Irving.
Cameron, Karen

CAMERON, KAREN of Mesquite, born October 21, 1964, passed away peacefully in her sleep on July 5, 2003. Survived by husband, Brian Cameron; son, Zach Ragsdale age 14; daughter, Brianna Cameron age 11; son, Garrett Cameron age 2 1/2 all of Mesquite; mother, Bobbi Ford of Mesquite; brothers, Kieth Collins of Irving, Gary Collins of Euless; Jim Ford of Caddo Mills; several aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews. Karen was employed at Utica National Insurance Co. and formerly employed at Trinity-Unitran Insurance. Services will be 1:00PM Wednesday, July 9, 2003 at the New Hope Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will be at 4:00PM at the Haven of Memories Cemetery in Canton. Family will receive friends at the funeral home Tuesday evening from 6:30PM 8:30PM. For more information go to www.newhopefh.com. New Hope Funeral Home Family Owned and Operated 500 E. Hwy 80 - Sunnyvale 972-226-2111 www.newhopefh.com

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Beatrice Camp

Beatrice Camp, 95, of Irving died Thursday at her home. Grave-side services were Saturday at Restland Cemetery in Dallas. Arrangements were by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

Ms. Camp was born March 29, 1908, in Scroggins, Texas.

Survivors include her son, Jack Camp of Leavenworth, Wash.; daughters, Jo Ann Haley of Lone Star, Texas, and Johnnie Deel of Waller, Texas; eight grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.
March 20, 2003

Fausto O'Canas

Fausto Arrichiga O'Canas, 83, of Irving died Friday. A wake will be at 7 p.m. Sunday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Monday at Holy Family Catholic Church, 2323 Cheyenne St., with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, 1413 E. Irving Blvd.

Mr. O'Canas was born Dec. 25, 1919, in Reynosa, Mexico.

Survivors include his wife, Connie O'Canas of Irving; sons, Fausto O'Canas III of Irving and Jimmy O'Canas of Grand Prairie; daughters, Guadalupe O. Gonzalez, Janie Carabjal, Melissa Castillo and Julie O'Canas, all of Irving, and Maria Magdelena of Dallas; brothers, Rael Mancias of Havana, Texas, and Gonzalo Mancias of Mission, Texas; sisters, Elvira Reyna of California and Rachel Rodriguez of Edinburg, Texas; 27 grandchildren; and 35 great-grandchildren.
Cannon, Daniel Vernon

CANNON, DANIEL VERNON of Irving passed away March 30th. He was born on October 14, 1926 in Farwell, Texas. He is survived by wife of 54 years, Martha Cannon of Irving; daughters Jan Evans of Tampa, Florida; Carolyn Wylie of Rhome, Texas; sons and daughters-in-law Philip and Beverly Cannon of Farmers Branch; Kyle and Jackie Cannon of Flint, Texas; brother Derl Cannon of Canton; 11 grandchildren; 7 great-grandchildren and numerous other relatives. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 PM on Tuesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM Wednesday April 2, 2003 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow at Noon on Wednesday at DFW National Cemetery. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242

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Daniel Cannon

Daniel Vernon Cannon, 76, of Irving died March 30. Services were Wednesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home with burial at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery.

Mr. Cannon was born Oct. 14, 1926, in Farwell, Texas.

Survivors include his wife, Martha Cannon of Irving; daughters, Jan Evans of Tampa, Fla., and Carolyn Wylie of Rhome, Texas; sons, Philip Cannon of Farmers Branch and Kyle Cannon of Flint, Texas; brother, Derl Cannon of Canton; 11 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.
Lillie Candelaria

Lillie Mae “Rita” Candelaria, 62, of Irving died Monday. Services were Friday at Hilltop Church with burial following at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements were by Calvary Funeral Home.

Born Jan. 1, 1941, in Lake Arthur, N.M., Mrs. Candelaria had lived in Irving since 1974. She was a homemaker and a member of Hilltop Church.

Survivors include her husband, Arthur Candelaria of Irving; brother Gilbert Flores of Roswell, N.M.; five sisters: Rosemary Lucero, Josie Barreras and Ruby Rivera of Roswell, N.M.; Mary Ellen Rodriguez of Albuquerque, N.M. and Veretta Powell of Texarkana, Texas; eight daughters: Marcella Sanchez of Retreat, Texas; Regina Medina Clara Candelaria, Lucille Gadberry, Leslie Martin, Teri Candelaria and Grace Urias, all of Irving; Lucinda Fellows of Justin; one son, Martin Candelaria of Round Rock, Texas; 27 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.
**Peggy Canfield**  
**1935 - 2003**

Peggy Canfield, 68, died Thursday, Sept. 11, 2003, at an Irving hospital.

Graveside service: 11 a.m. Tuesday in Merritt Cemetery, Merritt. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Monday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

Survivors: Husband, Russell Canfield of Arlington; son and daughter-in-law, Terry and Twanna Pitts of Midlothian; daughter and son-in-law, Debbie and Jim Jordan of Grand Prairie; brother and sister-in-law, Sammy and Jewonna Bankston of Irving; four grandchildren; and two nieces.

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Maria Canto

Maria Cotinha Canto, 73, of Irving died Wednesday at her home. A graveside service was Friday at Johnson Station Cemetery in Arlington. Arrangements were by Calvary Funeral Home in Irving.

Ms. Canto was born Dec. 29, 1929, in Brazil. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include her sons Oswaldo Canto and Celso Canto, both of Irving; daughters Raquel Canto of Irving, Mabel Neumayer of Australia and Gloria Canto of Euless; sisters Eunice Macedo and Maria Paula Souze; and eight grandchildren.
CAREY, LANORA "Oneta", devoted wife, mother and Nana went to be with her husband of 54 years O. C. Carey on October 6, 2003. She was born on February 1, 1930 in Yuma, Oklahoma and has been a resident of Irving for 53 years. Survived by three daughters and one son: Carolyn Carey, Linda and Tom Hufham, Peggy and Larry Hartness and Larry and Dianna Carey, all of Irving; 1 sister June Savage of Irving, and 2 brothers: Freddie Savage of Bells, Texas, Don Savage of Savoy, Texas, and eight grandchildren. The family will receive friends from 7:00 to 8:30 PM on Wednesday, October 8th at Browns Memorial Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM on Thursday, October 9th at Browns Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow at Restland Memorial Park in Dallas. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242

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Lanora Carey

Lanora "Oneta" Carey, 73, of Irving died Monday. Services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, 707 N. MacArthur Blvd., with burial at Restland Memorial Park in Dallas.

Ms. Carey was born Feb. 1, 1930, in Yuma, Okla. She was a resident of Irving for 53 years.

Survivors include her daughters, Carolyn Carey, Linda Hufham and husband Tom, and Peggy Hartness and husband Larry, all of Irving; son, Larry Carey and wife Dianna of Irving; sister, June Savage; brothers, Freddie Savage of Bells, Texas, and Don Savage of Savoy, Texas; and eight grandchildren.
William Carollo

Birth: Apr. 28, 1956
Death: Apr. 5, 2003

Officer Carollo served as Vice President of the Dallas Police Association and was instrumental in establishing the Assist the Officer Foundation. An 18-year veteran of the Dallas Police Department, Officer Carollo was killed in a head-on car wreck as a result of a drunk driver on April 5, 2003 at the age of 46.

His passing was a tragic loss to his family, his fellow officers and the entire community, and his legacy of heroic dedication to his duty and commitment to others will continue to be a source of inspiration for the countless people whose lives he touched.

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CARPENTER, ORA of Irving passed away May 17, 2003 in Euless. She was born September 28, 1908, in Camden Arkansas. She was a long time area resident and member of the Eastern Star and of the First United Methodist Church of Irving. She loved people, and enjoyed her flowers, cross stitching and quilting and playing Skip Bo. She was preceded in death by her husband Earl Albert Carpenter in 1970, and by a brother and sister. She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law John and Ann Carpenter of Irving, 3 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. Funeral Service will be 1:00 PM Monday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Chapel with Rev. George Strickland presiding. Interment will follow at Bluebonnet Hills Cemetery in Colleyville. Visitation will be open Sunday 12:30 until 8:00 PM. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242

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Ora Carpenter

Ora Carpenter, 94, of Irving died Saturday in Euless. Services were Monday at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home with burial at Bluebonnet Hills Cemetery in Colleyville.

Ms. Carpenter was born Sept. 28, 1908, in Camden, Ark. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Irving and the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her son, John Carpenter, and his wife, Ann, of Irving; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.
Virginia Carpenter

Virginia Carpenter, 80, of Irving died Tuesday. The family will receive visitors from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Services will be Friday at Brown's with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, 1413 E. Irving Blvd.

Ms. Carpenter was born Dec. 18, 1922, in Ashland, Ohio. She was a member of Faith Church of the Nazarene in Irving. She was a retired sales clerk for J. C. Penney. Her hobbies included painting, playing the piano and singing.

Survivors include her husband, Ralph Carpenter of Irving; son, David Carpenter of Las Vegas, Nev.; daughters Joyce Parades of West Yellowstone, Mont., and Pat Loveday of Jasper, Mich.; sisters Lois Melberg and Linda Martel, both of Arizona, Barbara Snook of Springfield, Ohio, and Levina Files of Mount Vernon, Ohio; 13 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Vitas Hospice or the Alzheimer's Association.
Jitter Carr

Jitter Carr, 64, of Seagoville died June 18 in Bedford. Services were Monday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home.

Ms. Carr was born Oct. 13, 1938, in Freer, Texas. Survivors include her daughter, Debra Head of Seagoville; sons, Mark Carr of Bedford and Monte Carr of Wills Point; sisters, Carol Wilson of Wills Point and Jackie Castor of Louisiana; six grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.
Marilla Carr

Marilla E. Carr, 68, of Irving died Friday at Ashford Hall Nursing Home in Irving. Services were Saturday at Sherwood Park Baptist Church in Irving with burial at Van Winkle Cemetery in Climax Community, Texas. Arrangements were by Calvary Funeral Home.

Ms. Carr was born June 16, 1934. She was a longtime Irving resident and a member of Sherwood Park Baptist Church. She was a retired baggage handler for Allied Transportation.

Survivors include her daughters, Kathy Rhyner of Seven Points, Texas, and Sharon Ricketts of Dallas; sisters, Arvila Fields of Forney and Minnie Sanders of Dallas; three grandchildren; and longtime friend and caretaker, Clara Taylor of Irving.
Anna Belle Carter

Anna Belle Carter, 88, of Irving died Saturday in a Jacksboro, Texas, care center. Services were Tuesday at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Ms. Carter was born Oct. 9, 1914, in Farmers Branch. She was a retired assembler for Crown Zellerbach Corp.

Survivors include her sister, Betty Lones of Jacksboro; brothers, Frank Harrison of Chattanooga, Tenn., and Robert Lee Harrison of Carrollton; and sister-in-law, Louise Harrison of Irving.
Castilla, Jay

Castilla, JAY was born in 1961 in Austin, and passed away on May 1, 2003 in Dallas. He was a loving son of Joe and Mary Ellen Castilla, wonderful brother to David Castilla and Sonya Castilla Noga. Jay was tremendously blessed with a natural athletic talent, determination and toughness which he demonstrated gloriously through his many accomplishments in wrestling and track at Irving High. Yet Jay was blessed with rare artistic ability and was always soft spoken and tender hearted with a great love of animals and the outdoors. Jay will be remembered as a wonderful and loyal friend to many in Irving as well as his classmates at Texas Tech where he graduated in 1985. Jay was a member of the Delta Chi fraternity at Texas Tech. Jay was employed at American Realty Trust where he was an accountant. Our lives were touched and made better by the gentle nature and giving spirit that Jay brought to all he met. Jay goes home now to be with his parents where he can find the rest and peace that he longed for in this life. He will be greatly missed. He is survived by his brother: David Castilla (Cynthia) and his sister: Sonya Noga (George Noga, Jr.) and by six nieces and nephews: George Noga III, Joseph Noga, Jessica Noga, Nicholas D. Castilla, Colson E. Castilla, and Conner E. Castilla. He was preceded in death by his parents. The Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday at 1:00 P.M. at Calvary Hill Cemetery Mausoleum North Chapel. Interment will follow at Calvary Hill Cemetery. Rosary will be recited at 7:00 P.M. Monday May 5, 2003 at Calvary Hill Funeral Home Chapel. The Family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 P.M. Dignity Memorial Calvary Hill 3235 Lombardy Lane Dallas (214) 357-5754

Juan Castillo

Juan Carlos Castillo, 27, of Irving died Monday in Dallas. A private funeral service will be held at a later date. Arrangements are by Calvary Funeral Home.

Mr. Castillo was born Aug. 19, 1975, in Tamaulipas, Mexico. He was a construction worker.

Survivors include his wife, Maria Isabel Castillo of Irving; son, Cesar Emanuel Castillo of Irving; father, Isaias Castillo of Tamaulipas, Mexico; brothers, Marcos Castillo, Christin Castillo and Jose Virginio Castillo, all of Tamaulipas; and sisters, Juana Castillo of Dallas, Macaria Castillo of Irving, and Clementa Castillo, Carolina Castillo and Claudia Castillo, all of Tamaulipas.
Lois Cates

Lois Cates, 88, of Irving died Tuesday at a Grapevine nursing home. Services were Friday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home with burial at Laurel Land Memorial Park in Dallas.

Ms. Cates was born Jan. 22, 1914, in Heath. She retired in 1985 after working 10 years for the Irving Independent School District. She had previously worked for the city of Irving for seven years. She was a member of Memorial Baptist Church in Irving.

Survivors include her son, Charles E. Cates of Bridgeport; daughter, Brenda Kay Rodges of Irving; brothers, Harry Stovall of Corpus Christi and Herman Stovall of Kemp; sisters, Jewell Faulkner of Garland and Alma Sue King, Reba Rivers and Ruth Corn, all of Arp, Texas; nine grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.
Longtime Chuck’s Nursery owner

From Staff Reports

Charles Chambers, who died June 1, will be remembered for his sense of humor, said his brother Wade.

“He always had something to say,” recalled his younger brother, “always had a comeback line.”

Mr. Chambers, who was 68, owned Chuck’s Nursery for nearly 25 years and was known as Chuck to business associates and as Sonny to his family.

His brother said, “I didn’t even know his name was Charles until I was about 15.”

Mr. Chambers was born Sept. 21, 1934, in Ivanhoe, Texas, to Warren and Willie Mae Chambers. He picked cotton and worked on the family farm until he graduated from Ivanhoe High School.

He moved to Irving in 1952, where he worked with his uncles in home construction. He later worked in Dallas in the liquor business for 20 years.

In 1978, Mr. Chambers opened Chuck’s One-Stop Garden Center near State Highway 183. He was a member of the Irving Chamber of Commerce and the Texas Association of Nurserymen. He was inducted into the Irving Sports Hall of Fame in the early ’80s for his work with area sports teams, including the Chuck’s Nursery men’s softball team. Mr. Chambers sold Chuck’s Nursery in 1987 and went into semi-retirement. He went to work with his brother and sister at Chambers Nursery, also in Irving.

Mr. Chambers and his wife, Naomi, bought a ranch in the Mason-Menard County area near their friend James “Dink” Norris. Mr. Norris said he and his friend spent a lot of time at the ranch.

Wade Chambers, who has a ranch in the same area, said he will miss the times he and his brother spent there. “We enjoyed hanging out together at our ranches in the Hill Country,” he said.

Mr. Chambers’ daughter Lisa Odell said that her father was an avid deer hunter and fisherman, and was talented in landscape design.

“He loved all kinds of flowers, especially bluebonnets,” she recalled.

Services for Mr. Chambers were June 4 at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home. Burial was at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Additional survivors include daughter Tammy Poole of Houma, La.; son Charles Chambers II of Arlington; sisters Shirley Cowart and Moneta Rice, both of Irving; brother Bill Chambers of Bonham, Texas; and five grandchildren.
Chambers, Charles Warren

Charles, CHARLES WARREN "CHUCK", "SONNY" passed away June 1, 2003. He was born on September 21, 1934 in Ivanhoe, Texas. He owned and operated Chuck's Nursery for 23 years and worked for Chambers Nursery. Survived by wife of 48 years Naomi Chambers of Irving; daughters and sons-in-law Lisa and Royce Odell of Irving; Tammy and Jimmy Poole of Houma, Louisiana; son and daughter-in-law Charles, II and Tammy Chambers of Arlington; sisters Shirley Cowart of Irving; Moneta Rice of Irving; brothers Wade Chambers of Irving; Bill Chambers of Bonham, Texas. Grandchildren Justin Odell, Ashley Odell, Chase Chambers, Cody Chambers and Zac Poole; 5 great-grandchildren and sidekick Buford. Funeral services will be held at 2PM on Wednesday, June 4, 2003 at Browns Memorial Funeral Home with Brother Ken Ashlock officiating. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthor Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242
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Charles Chambers

Charles Warren "Chuck" Chambers, 68, of Irving died Sunday. Services were Wednesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Chambers was born Sept. 21, 1934, in Ivanhoe, Texas. He owned and operated Chuck's Nursery for 23 years and later worked for Chambers Nursery.

Survivors include his wife, Naomi Chambers of Irving; daughters, Lisa Odell of Irving and Tammy Poole of Houma, La.; son, Charles Chambers II of Arlington; sisters, Shirley Cowart and Moneta Rice, both of Irving; brothers, Wade Chambers of Irving and Bill Chambers of Bonham, Texas; five grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Jane 5, 2003
Jessie Chandler

Jessie Wade Chandler Sr., 77, of Duncanville and formerly of Irving died Sunday in Dallas. Services were Wednesday at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery.

Mr. Chandler was born June 13, 1925, in Olney, Texas. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was a retired cement truck driver.

Survivors include his son, Michael Chandler of Ennis; sister, Marie Rayen of Irving; 10 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.
Chapman, Velma O.

CHAPMAN, VELMA O. of Euless, Texas, formerly of Colleyville, Texas passed away December 5, 2003. Velma is survived by daughter Sherry Darnell & husband John of Lantana, Texas, grandchildren Joel, Kevin, Kelly, and Jon Howell, great grandchildren Justin, Meghan, Kayla, Riley, Kristin Howell. She is also survived by beloved niece Mary Jo Shadd & husband Fred and many other family and friends. Graveside services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Monday December 8, 2003 at Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Ft. Worth, Texas. The family will receive friends Sunday from 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home. Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home
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Voletta Childress

Voletta Jean Childress, 72, of Dallas died Monday. Services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, 707 N. MacArthur Blvd., with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, 1413 E. Irving Blvd.

Ms. Childress was born Dec. 7, 1930, in Sulphur Springs, Texas. She worked as a PBX operator at Neiman Marcus for more than 35 years.

Survivors include her daughter, Regina Dugas; brother, James Forrest Oakley; sisters, Louise Barnett and Frances McCreight; nine grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Children's Medical Center of Dallas or Cook Children's Hospital of Fort Worth.
Sang Son Chon

Sang Son Chon, 69, of Lewisville and formerly of Irving died Dec. 26 in Fort Worth. A memorial service will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 W. Airport Freeway, with burial at Bear Creek Cemetery.

Mr. Chon was born July 17, 1933, in South Korea. He was a deacon at Korean United Methodist Church in Irving.

Survivors include his daughters, Kyung Suk Cioffi of West Harrison, N.Y., Eun Suk Chon of Fort Worth, Yon Ung Kadota of Irving and Christy MacMaster of Lewisville; sister, Ok Cho Chon of Arlington; and three grandchildren.
Christiansen, Hanne Margrethe

CHRISTIANSEN, HANNE MARGRETHE, 58, a resident of Irving, beloved wife, mother, sister, and grandmother, passed away on Thursday May 8, 2003 following a valiant fight against cancer. A homemaker, she was born February 4, 1945 in Denmark. Preceded in death by her mother Amy Olsen. Survived by her husband Niels Christiansen; daughters Suzan Christensen and Majbritt Christensen, both of Denmark and Anita Rohde, husband Sean, of Irving; sisters Lone Knudsen, Birthe Beuse and Bente Kornerup, all of Denmark; step-father Erik Olsen. Memorial service 3 p.m., Monday, May 12, 2003 at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel. Rev. Linda Markham officiating. "Tak for din kærlighed" Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donnellyscolonial.com
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Hanne Christiansen

Hanne Margrethe Christiansen, 58, of Irving died May 8 at a Dallas hospital. A memorial service was Monday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

Ms. Christiansen was born Feb. 4, 1945, in Denmark. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband, Niels Christiansen of Irving; daughters, Suzan Christensen and Majbritt Christensen, both of Denmark, and Anita Rohde of Irving; sisters, Lone Knudsen, Birthe Beuse and Bente Kornerup, all of Denmark; and stepfather, Erik Olsen.
Emily Christie

Emily Ellen Christie, 89, of Granbury, Texas, died Sunday. Services were Wednesday at Martin's Funeral Home in Granbury.

Ms. Christie was born Oct. 11, 1913, in Neosho County, Kan. She was a manager in retail clothing. She had lived in Granbury since 1977 and was formerly a resident of Irving for 25 years.

Survivors include her husband, Evert Christie of Granbury; sons, Vic Christie and Marty Christie, both of Granbury; two grandchildren; and four great-grandsons.
Howard Christie

Howard Michael Christie, 57, of Irving died June 29. Graveside services were Thursday at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. Arrangements were by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

Mr. Christie was born Sept. 18, 1945, in Dallas. He was a U.S. Marine.

Survivors include his former wife, Martha Christie; son, Michael Wayne Christie; stepson, Alfonso Hernandez; and brother, Fred Hansen.
Christy, Carl D.

CHRISTY, CARL D., 79, of Irving, died July 30, 2003 at a Dallas hospital. Born July 11, 1924 in Brownfield, Texas, he was the owner of C & C Auto Sales in Irving for more than fifteen years. He was a member of Oak View Baptist Church, the Irving AMBUCS, Irving Elks Lodge 2334, T.I.A.D.A. and D.C.I.A.D.A. He is survived by his daughter and son-in-law Cindy and Gary Doughty of Dallas; son Michael Christy and his fiance Joyce Martin, of Irving; sisters Margaret Williams and Georgia Christy, both of Irving; brother Rev. John E. Christy of Alabama; four grandchildren; two great grandchildren; and over 125 nieces and great nieces, great nephews, and great nephews. Service 10:00 a.m., Saturday, August 2, 2003 at Oak View Baptist Church, Dr. Jim Gerlach officiating. Graveside service 1:00 p.m., Saturday at Ridgeview Memorial Park, McKinney. Family requests memorials to AMBUCS Amtrykes, Irving Elks Memorial Fund or the American Diabetes Assoc. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donnelycolonial.com

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Carl Christy

Carl D. Christy, 79, of Irving died Wednesday at a Dallas hospital. Services were Saturday at Oak View Baptist Church, with a graveside service at Ridgeview Memorial Park in McKinney. Arrangements were by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

Mr. Christy was born July 11, 1924, in Brownfield, Texas. He was the owner of C&C Auto Sales in Irving for more than 15 years. He was a member of Oak View Baptist Church, the Irving AMBUCS and Irving Elks Lodge No. 2334.

Survivors include his daughter, Cindy Doughty of Dallas; son, Michael Christy of Irving; sisters, Margaret Williams and Georgia Christy, both of Irving; brother, the Rev. John E. Christy of Alabama; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to AMBUCS Amtrykes, Irving Elks Memorial Fund or the American Diabetes Association.
Michael Clair

Michael Lee Clair, 25, of Mesquite died Friday in an Odessa hospital. Services were Tuesday at Starbuck Funeral Home in Merkel, Texas, with burial at Rose Hill Cemetery in Merkel.

Mr. Clair was born May 1, 1978, in Irving. He attended Calvary Christian Academy in Irving. He worked as head waiter at Forever Resorts. He also was a disc jockey and a music promoter. He worked with children at Camp Sweeney.

Survivors include his father, George Clair of Lake Stevens, Wash.; mother, Jean Clair of Mesquite; sisters, April Clair of Chandler, Ariz., and Alicia Elliott of Agar, Wash.; grandmother, Evelyn Read of Merkel; two nieces; and several aunts and uncles.

Memorials may be made to Merkel Cemetery Association, 201 Edwards St., Merkel, Texas 79536, or Juvenile Diabetes Resource Foundation, 9400 N. Central Expressway, Suite 1201, Dallas, Texas 75231.
Lisa Clark

Lisa Lynn Clark, 40, of Irving died Monday after a brief illness. No services are scheduled. The funeral home is Chism-Smith.

Ms. Clark was born Jan. 3, 1962, in Sulphur, La. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband, John Clark of Irving; daughter, Alicia Clark of Irving; mother, Dorothy Turner of Port Arthur, Texas; and sister, Penny St. Geomain of Moss Bluff, La.
Robert Clark

Robert Alan Clark, 52, of Grand Prairie died May 15. Services were Monday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home with burial at Laurel Land Memorial Park in Dallas.

Mr. Clark was born July 16, 1950, in Dallas. He was a member of Celebration Baptist Church in Irving.

Survivors include his wife, Deborah Clark of Grand Prairie; parents, Monroe and Nellie Clark of Irving; and children, David Clark and Kimberly Clark, both of Grand Prairie.
Claudine Ruth Conway
CONWAY, CLAUDINE RUTH of Folsom, California, passed away January 15, 2003. She was born on October 29, 1921 in Floydada, Texas. She was a member of Calvary Church in Irving; Survived by daughter Jodi Conway Salyers of Folsom, California; brother Marion Carpenter of Portsmouth, New Hampshire; 3 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. The family received friends from 6 to 8 PM on Thursday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home. Graveside services will be held at 10:00 AM on Friday, January 24th at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens with Pastor Edra Hudson officiating. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242
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Clason, Anna Mae

CLASON, ANNA MAE, 76, died quietly in her sleep early Friday morning, March 21, 2003, in Irving. A memorial service will be held at 7:00 P.M., Tuesday, at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church on Northgate Dr., in Irving Anna Mae drew great joy from her faith as a Christian and was a longtime member at Our Redeemer where she helped with proofreading and other tasks, as she was able. She was born March 5, 1927 in Los Angeles, Ca., and grew up in Pratt, Kansas. She earned her Bachelors degree from Kansas State Teachers College and taught school in Pratt for seven years. Moving to Texas in 1963, she earned a Masters degree at NTSU while teaching in Irving. She taught 27 years for JISD at Barton then Lively elementary schools, retiring in 1990. Anna Mae belonged to American Mensa Ltd, an organization for the mentally gifted. She was also a member of Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority, Irving Book Club, Irving Retired Teachers, AARP, and was a lifetime member of the PTA. Her son Charles Webster of Ben Wheeler, her daughter Rebecca Sue Williams, and another son Roger Webster, both of Irving, survive her. A granddaughter, Amanda Jean Redmon of Sanger, and a grandson Jedadiah James Williams of Thornton, Colo., as well as a great grand daughter Reagan Kennedy Redmon also survive her. Other survivors include Richard Lloyd Williams II, Jackie Jean Webster, Betty Laverne Chambers, P.J. Redmon, and Elwood McGuire. Flowers may be sent to Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, who handled the arrangements. Memorials should be sent to Irving Cares, Inc., 440 S. Nursery Rd in Irving. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242


Anna Clason

Anna Mae Clason, 76, of Irving died March 21. A memorial service was Tuesday at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in Irving.

Ms. Clason was born March 5, 1927, in Los Angeles. She grew up in Pratt, Kan. She earned a bachelor's degree from Kansas State Teachers College. She moved to Texas in 1963 and earned a master's degree from North Texas State University (now the University of North Texas). She taught for the Irving school district for 27 years before retiring in 1990.

She was a member of American Mensa Ltd., Alpha Delta Kappa sorority, Irving Book Club, Irving Retired Teachers Association and the AARP.

Survivors include her sons, Charles Webster of Ben Wheeler, Texas, and Roger Webster of Irving; daughter, Rebecca Sue Williams of Irving; two grandchildren; and one great-granddaughter.

Memorials may be made to Irving Cares, 440 S. Nursery Road, Irving, Texas 75061.
Irene Clayton

Irene E. Clayton, 81, of Irving died Sept. 22 at a Dallas hospital. Services were Friday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Ms. Clayton was born March 22, 1922, in Winnipeg, Canada. She was the owner and operator of Clayton Shoe Repair in Irving for 30 years. She was named National Employer of the Year for 1965-66.

Survivors include her daughter, Carol Bele Casey of Mabank; son, Arthur Darold Clayton of Southlake; brother, Al Walters of Winnipeg; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.
Thelma Clemens

Thelma Christine Clemens, 78, of Irving died Friday. Services were Saturday at Celebration Worship Center in Irving with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements were by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

Ms. Clemens was born Aug. 10, 1924, in Georgetown, Ky.

Survivors include her children, Richard Larry Clemens of Irving and Ronald Gary Clemens of Lovington, N.M.; brother, Jim Brannock of Denver, Colo.; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.
Diane J. Clemons

CLEMONS, DIANE J., 50, of Irving, died Feb 12, 2003. Survived by her husband William Clemons, son Daniel Clemons and daughter Jacqueline Clemons, all of Irving; and brother Thomas Mank of Pennsylvania. Memorial service 7:30 p.m., Tuesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donellyscolonial.com

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Thelma Clemens

Thelma Christine Clemens, 78, of Irving died Friday. Services were Saturday at Celebration Worship Center in Irving with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements were by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

Ms. Clemens was born Aug. 10, 1924, in Georgetown, Ky.

Survivors include her children, Richard Larry Clemens of Irving and Ronald Gary Clemens of Lovington, N.M.; brother, Jim Brannock of Denver, Colo.; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.
Coffman, Mark Alan

COFFMAN, MARK ALAN, 45 of Dallas, TX died Saturday, May 3, 2003 in Dallas. He was born September 11, 1957 in Granite City, Illinois. Mark served with the U.S. Marine Corp as an MP, and continued his security career at Six Flags Theme Park and Prestonwood Mall. He worked from 1983 to 2000 for Ogden Aviation Services as an aircraft fueler at DFW Intl. Airport. Mark's generous nature and warm heart made a cherished group of lifelong friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Ronald Coffman and sister Carolyn Coffman. Survivors include partner Sean Robertson; mother Joyce Coffman of Jackson, MO; sister and brother-in-law Mary and Jim Johnson of Millersville, MO and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. His human loss will be felt deeply by the Robertson and Shorter families. A special note of gratitude for the staff of MD Anderson, Houston, especially Dr. Lance Pagliaro and staff; Dr. Jaime Vasquez and staff, Dallas; the VITAS staff and the congregation of St. James of Jerusalem Episcopal Church, Carrollton. Thank you Denise, GU Oncology. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society or the MD Anderson Volunteer Services Organization of Houston. A celebratory memorial will be held 10:30 a.m., Thursday, May 8, 2003 at the Orand Chapel of St. Nicholas Episcopal Church, 4800 Wichita Trail, Flower Mound, TX 75022. Reception to follow. For directions, please call 972-691-8826 or Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donnellycolonial.com Published in the Dallas Morning News on 5/6/2003.

Mark Alan Coffman
1957 - 2003

Mark Alan Coffman, 45, an aircraft fueler, died Saturday, May 3, 2003, at home.

Memorial service: 10:30 a.m. Thursday in the Orand Chapel of St. Nicholas Episcopal Church, 4800 Wichita Trail, Flower Mound. Reception to follow. For directions, please call 972-691-8826 or Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

Memorials: In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society or the M.D. Anderson Volunteer Services Organization of Houston.

Born Sept. 11, 1957, in Granite City, Ill., Mark served with the U.S. Marine Corps as an MP and continued his security career at Six Flags Theme Park and Prestonwood Mall. He worked from 1983 to 2000 for Ogden Aviation Services as an aircraft fueler at D/FW International Airport. Mark's generous nature and warm heart made a cherished group of lifelong friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Ronald Coffman, and sister, Carolyn Coffman. A special note of gratitude to the staff of M.D. Anderson, Houston, especially Dr. Lance Pagliaro and staff; Dr. Jaime Vasquez and staff, Dallas; the Vitas staff and the congregation of St. James of Jerusalem Episcopal Church, Carrollton. You, Denise, of GU Oncology.

Survivors: Partner, Sean Robertson; mother, Joyce Coffman of Jackson, Mo.; sister and brother-in-law, Mary and Jim Johnson of Millersville, Mo.; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. His human loss will be felt deeply by the Robertson and Shorter families. Published in the Star-Telegram on 5/6/2003.
Collinsworth, J. T.

Collinsworth, J. T., age 69, a lifetime resident of Irving and nearly 40 year employee of Bell Helicopter, died Sunday, April 27, 2003 in Bedford. Born October 10, 1933 in Irving, he served in the US Marines and was a member of the Elks Lodge. Married to Eugenia Langston November 20, 1955 at Kaufman. Survived by wife; son, Jay of Duncanville; brothers, Levi William of Seymour, Ruben of Mansfield; sisters, Mollie Jo of Mansfield and Helen Hawkins of Grapevine; and a granddaughter, April of Duncanville. The family will receive friends at the funeral home 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Monday. Funeral service 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel with burial to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donnellycolonial.com

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J.T. Collinsworth

J.T. Collinsworth, 69, of Irving died Sunday in Bedford. Services were Tuesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Collinsworth was born Oct. 10, 1933, in Irving. He worked nearly 40 years with Bell Helicopter. He served in the U.S. Marines and was a member of the Elks Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, Eugenia Collinsworth of Irving; son, Jay Collinsworth of Duncanville; brothers, Levi William Collinsworth of Seymour, Texas, and Ruben Collinsworth of Mansfield; sisters, Mollie Jo Collinsworth of Mansfield and Helen Hawkins of Grapevine; and one granddaughter.
Colona, Diane J.

COLONA, DIANE J. COLONA, age 52, resident of Irving, Texas, died July 14, 2003 at a Lewisville hospital. Born January 21, 1951 in Mount Vernon, New York, a customer service representative for Ford Motor Credit in Irving, she is survived by her nephew Mark Flowers, his wife Renee; sister Hazel Flowers and a great niece and nephew, all of New York. Family to receive friends 6 to 8 p.m., Friday at the funeral home. Service 10 a.m., Saturday, July 19, 2003 at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel, Virginia Washington and Brenda Price officiating. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donnelyscolonial.com

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Sunday, July 20, 2003

Diane Colona

Diane J. Colona, 52, of Irving died Monday at a Lewisville hospital. Services were Saturday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

Ms. Colona was born Jan. 21, 1951, in Mount Vernon, N.Y. She was a customer service representative for Ford Motor Credit in Irving for three years.

Survivors include her nephew, Mark Flowers, and his wife, Renee; and sister, Hazel Flowers of New York.
Colvin, David

COLVIN, DAVID COLVIN, 63, of Grand Prairie, formerly of Irving, TX and Walkers Creek, AR, died September 14, 2003. He was born May 30, 1940 in Taylor, Arkansas. David retired in 1995 after 26 years at Coca-Cola, USA and was a member of Masonic Lodge #1218. He is survived by his wife of 41 years, Carrie Colvin; sons Mike Colvin and his wife Ronnie of Bedford, and Mark Colvin of Grand Prairie; his parents, ET and Audrey Colvin of Walkers Creek, AR; brother Larry Colvin and his wife Patsy of Taylor, AR; four grandchildren, Geoff and Chelsea Colvin of Bedford, TX and Carly and David Colvin of Grand Prairie; as well as several nieces, nephews, relatives and many friends. A Memorial Service will be held at 6:30 pm Thursday, September 18th, 2003 at Donnellys Colonial Chapel. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donnellyscolonial.com

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David Colvin
1940 - 2003

David Colvin, 63, of Grand Prairie, formerly of Irving and Walkers Creek, Ark., died Saturday, Sept. 13, 2003.

Memorial service: 6:30 p.m. Thursday at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel, 606 W. Airport Frwy., Irving, Texas (972) 579-1313.

David Colvin was born May 30, 1940, in Taylor, Ark. He retired in 1995, after 26 years Coca-Cola, USA, and was a member of Masonic Lodge #1218.

Survivors: Wife of 41 years, Carrie Colvin; sons, Mike Colvin and wife, Ronnie, of Bedford, and Mark Colvin of Grand Prairie; his parents, ET and Audrey Colvin of Walkers Creek; brother, Larry Colvin and wife, Patsy, of Taylor, Ark.; grandchildren, Geoff and Chelsea Colvin of Bedford and Carly and David Colvin of Grand Prairie; and several nieces, nephews, relatives and many friends.

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COMBS, DOLORES born February 26, 1926 in Dallas, Texas passed away September 29, 2003 in Irving. She was a lifelong resident of Dallas County an Irving resident for the past 36 years and a member of St. Lukes Catholic Church in Irving. Preceded in death by parents Ray and Santos Tamayo and brother Johnny Ray Tamayo; survivors include daughter and son-in-law Sabrina Dolores and Ruben Hernandez, Sr.; brother Daniel Tamayo; sisters Pauline Scott; Linda Villareal; Margaret Ramirez; Cindy Reyes; grandchildren Ruben Ray Hernandez; Kevin Teodoro Hernandez and numerous nieces and nephews. The Rosary will be held at 7PM on Wednesday, October 1, 2003 at Browns Memorial Funeral Home. The Funeral Mass will be held at 10:00 AM Thursday, October 2nd at St. Luke's Catholic Church with Father Aidan O'Donovan officiating with interment to follow at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 10/1/2003.

Dolores Combs

Dolores Combs, 47, of Irving died Wednesday. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. Luke's Catholic Church, 202 S. MacArthur Blvd., with burial at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas. Arrangements are by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

Ms. Combs was born Feb. 26, 1956, in Dallas. She had lived in Irving for 36 years and was a member of St. Luke's Catholic Church.

Survivors include her daughter and son-in-law, Sabrina Dolores Hernandez and Ruben Hernandez Sr.; brother, Daniel Tamayo; sisters, Pauline Scott, Linda Villareal, Margaret Ramirez and Cindy Reyes; and two grandchildren.
Richard M. Conroy  
1916 - 2003  

Richard M. Conroy, 87, a former vice president, died Monday, Sept. 1, 2003, at a Bedford nursing home.

Funeral: 1 p.m. Thursday at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel, the Rev. Byron Jackson officiating. Burial: Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, Irving. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorials: American Heart Association.

Born Jan. 21, 1916 in Mount Pleasant, he was a vice president at Red Diamond Batteries in Hot Springs, Ark., for 17 years.


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Claudine Conway

Claudine Ruth Conway, 81, of Folsom, Calif., and formerly of Irving, died Jan. 15. Services were Thursday at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home. A graveside service was Friday at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Ms. Conway was born Oct. 29, 1921, in Floydada, Texas. She was a member of Calvary Temple Church in Irving.

Survivors include her daughter, Jodi Conway Salyers of Folsom; brother, Marion Carpenter of Portsmouth, N.H.; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.
Coppedge, Mark Thomas

COPPEDGE, MARK THOMAS COPPEDGE has gone to dwell in the house of the Lord forever on November 18, 2003. He will be missed by his wife, Wendy, children, Stephanie, Boston and Keith, and loyal friend in Christ, Ted Gomez. He loved the Lord and always tried to do His will each day. Services are private. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Fwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donnellycolonial.com

Carol Ann Cooper

Carol Ann Cooper, 60, of Irving died Sunday in Dallas. Services were Wednesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Ms. Cooper was born July 26, 1942, in Gainesville, Texas.

Survivors include her husband, Robert Cooper of Irving; mother, Doris Thompson of Irving; daughter, Amanda Cooper of Irving; and sister, Joann Keeper of Irving.
Corley, Martie Maxine Akers

Corley, MARTIE MAXINE AKERS , age 81, died at James L. West Hospice House in Fort Worth, Tx. on Sunday December 28, 2003. Maxine was born March 8, 1922 in Llano, Texas to the late Henning McPherson Akers and Ora Lee Wiley Akers. Maxine graduated from Yoe High School class of 1939 in Cameron, Texas. She attended the University of Texas, Austin and graduated Magna Cum Laude from Baylor University in Waco in 1943. After graduation she was a chemist at Camp Hood before moving back to Cameron. In 1960 she moved to Grand Prairie, Tx. and trained at Parkland Hospital in Dallas. She then worked at Southwest Medical School in Dallas for ten years. She later worked in medical research and retired from Warner Lamburt.

Maxine was a member of First Baptist Church in Grand Prairie since 1960 and was a member of the Serendipity Choir. She was also active with several bridge clubs. She loved doing yard work. Maxine is survived by her Daughters: Jennylee Corley of Grand Prairie, Tx. Jamie Corley Donaldson and husband Scott Of Grand Prairie, Tx. Grandchildren: Martie Donaldson, Stacey Donaldson Harycki and husband Jim. Great Grandson: Jackson Harycki. Sisters: Jenny Akers Read of Grand Prairie, Tx. Judy Akers McKinney of Cameron, Tx. And many other family members and friends. Funeral Services: 1:00 p.m. Tuesday December 30, 2003 in the Bean Massey Burge Funeral Chapel Interment: 11:00 a.m. Wednesday December 31, 2003 in the Oak Hill Cemetery in Cameron, Tx. Memorials may Community Hospice of Texas, 6100 Western Place, Be made to: Suite 500, Fort Worth, Tx. 76107. Dignity Bean Massey Burge 733 Dalworth St. Grand Prairie (972) 263-7200
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 12/30/2003.
Coronado, Nathan Alexander

CORONADO, NATHAN ALEXANDER of Irving passed away June 12th in Irving. He was born on December 1, 1999 in Irving. Survived by parents Victor and Anna Coronado; brothers Michael and Markus Coronado; paternal grandparents Cleo and Gloria Coronado; maternal grandparents Carlos and Margaret Tobias all of Irving. Rosary to be held at 7:00 PM on Monday, June 16th at Browns Memorial Funeral Home. Funeral Mass to be held at 10:00 AM Tuesday, June 17th at St. Lukes Catholic Church in Irving. Interment will follow at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242

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Nathan Coronado

Nathan Alexander Coronado, 3, of Irving died Thursday in Irving. A Rosary will be at 7 p.m. Monday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home. A funeral Mass be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Luke's Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas.

Nathan was born on Dec. 1, 1999, in Irving.

Survivors include his parents, Victor and Anna Coronado; brothers, Michael and Markus Coronado; paternal grandparents, Cleo and Gloria Coronado; and maternal grandparents, Carlos and Margaret Tobias all of Irving.
Walt Cowden

Walt “Lucky” Cowden, 39, of Irving died Friday. Services were Sunday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home.

Mr. Cowden was born Nov. 22, 1963, at Three Rivers, Texas. He was a diesel mechanic and had lived in Irving for nine years.

Survivors include his wife, Rea Cowden of Irving; children, Jessika, Josh and Jeremy, all of Kiowa, Okla., and Cory, Tiffany and Justin, all of Irving; mother, Liz Pittmon of Lake Dallas; stepfather, T.J. Pittmon of Pasadena, Texas; father, Walter P. Cowden Sr. of Whitney, Texas; brother, Guy Earl Cowden of Houston; and sister, Rose Wigham of Blanket, Texas.
Cox, Shannon Elizabeth

COX, SHANNON ELIZABETH. Devoted daughter, sister, friend and Godmother was instantly taken by a careless, speeding driver in Beasley, TX, June 1st, 2003. She was born May 16, 1959 to Leah (Cook) and Grover Medford Cox. She is survived by her mother Leah Bass, Irving, her father and stepmother, Med and Pat Cox, Emory, sister Cheryl McCutcheon (Doug), Plano. "Almost sisters" and best friends, Denise McKelvain Joslin & Val Pettigrew, several aunts uncles and cousins and her "Babies", Pawlie and Ling Ling. Shannon was preceded in death by her brother, Gary Wayne Cox, her "Mer", Elizabeth Cook, grandfather, Roy Cook, grandmother, Clara Cox and her "Nanno", Leah Daniels. She graduated from Kimball High, where she was a photographer for the paper. She was a drummer at both Kimball and Nathan Hale (Tulsa) and participated in the Cotton Bowl Parade. She also attended Mountain View. Sam was head baker at the Peanut Butter Warehouse and worked for UTMB, both in Galveston. She was most recently employed by Gulf Coast Mkts in Pt. Bolivar. Sam was an accomplished musician, avid fisherman, loved photography, and never met a stranger. She had many, many friends from Dallas to Tulsa to the Coast. Numerous hearts are saddened by our loss. Please join us for a celebration of Sam's life at Northwood Univ. Chapel, Thurs., June 12th at 1:00 p.m., 1114 W. 1382 (off I-20), Cedar Hill, TX. Visitation to follow. If desired memorials may be made to VH1's' Save the Music or to the S.P.C.A.

J.M. Cox

J.M. Cox, 74, of Irving died Friday. Services were Monday at Plymouth Park Baptist Church with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Cox was born Dec. 6, 1928, in New Boston, Texas. He was a retired employee of Central Freight Lines and a member of Plymouth Park Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Joyce Matkin of Irving; daughters, Tricia Marie Wade of Aurora, Colo., and Vicki Marie Fiveash; sons, James and Bill Rambo, both of Irving; sister, Oneta Brown of Simms, Texas; three grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the Leukemia Society of America, 12850 Spurling Drive, Suite 220, Dallas, Texas 75230.
Thomas Weldon Cox and Mavis Arzell Cox

COX, THOMAS WELDON COX MAVIS ARZELL Thomas Weldon Cox & Mavis Arzell Cox are together forever in Heaven. Tommy, a beloved husband and father was born Sept. 1928 in Avery, Texas. He passed away March 1st 2003. Arzell, a beloved wife and mother was born on April 4th 1925. She passed away March 2nd 2003. The two married on April 17th 1948. Tommy served in the Armed Forces during WWII and the Korean War. He retired from General Battery after 32 years. Arzell was a homemaker and devoted mother and daycare teacher. Survived by their children, Beverly Shaddox; Lois Nix and Shane Madigan; and Debi and Rick Davis; six grandchildren, Mike Shaddox, Ken and Naomi Shaddox; Trey Nix; Kim Nix; Lacy and Zeb Higginbotham; Shelby Davis, and Four Great Grandchildren, Austin Nix, Nicholas Hernandez, James Higginbotham, and Madison Nix. Memorial services to be held at 10:00 AM on Wednesday March 5th at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Wallace Philiott officiating. Interment to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242


Thomas and Mavis Cox

Thomas Weldon Cox, 74, of Irving died Saturday. His wife, Mavis Arzell Cox, 77, of Irving died Sunday. A memorial service was Wednesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Cox was born Sept. 5, 1928, in Avery, Texas. He served in the armed forces during World War II and the Korean War. He retired from General Battery after 32 years of service.

Ms. Cox was born April 4, 1925, in Star City, Ark. She and Mr. Cox married in 1948. She was a homemaker and daycare teacher.

Survivors include their children, Beverly Shaddox, Lois Nix, Shane Madigan and Debi Davis; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.
Charles Cramer

Charles Cramer, 83, of Grand Prairie and formerly of Irving died Tuesday in DeSoto. Arrangements by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home are pending.

March 13, 2003

5 pm. Bray
Jean Crawford

Jean Crawford, 77, of Irving died Monday at Baylor Medical Center at Irving after a short illness. Services were Friday at Pioneer Drive Baptist Church with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Arrangements were by Cism-Smith Funeral Home.

Ms. Crawford was born on Nov. 9, 1926, in Winters, Texas. She was a member of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her daughter, Laura Parker of Albuquerque, N.M.; son, Anson Crawford of Grapevine; sisters, Anice Price of Irving, Rita Woodruff of Plano, Jennie Fitch of Bedford and Lana Downs of Mount Pleasant, Texas; brother, Pete Bailey of Austin; four grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.
Mary Cross

Mary Charles Cross, 81, of Irving died Wednesday.

The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel.

Mrs. Cross was born Aug. 4, 1921, in Dallas. She was a member of Berean Memorial Church in Irving.

Survivors include her husband of 62 years, Wayne Cross of Irving; sons Charles Cross of Frisco and Thomas Cross of Irving; three grandsons; and five great-grandchildren.
Crouch, Bernice Marie

CROUCH, BERNICE MARIE, 74 passed away peacefully at home Sunday, July 20, 2003. Bernice was born to Franklin and Clara Cloninger on November 10, 1928 in Copeville, Texas. She married Paul Crouch in 1943 and they had 4 children. Paul and Bernice owned and operated Crouch Sand and Gravel. In addition, Bernice was also a realtor, real estate broker and co-owner of Chez Pat Beauty Salon. The most important things in her life were her family, friends, plants and flowers. She is preceded in death by beloved daughter Patricia Crouch Schnee. Survivors include mother, Clara Mae Cloninger, husband, Paul E. Crouch; sons Carl M. Crouch; Roger P. Crouch and wife Becky; Guy F. Crouch and wife Jo; sisters Laverne Hudson; Ruby Buckner; Margaret Orr; grandchildren Lisa Jacobs and husband Adrian; Alisha Grecu; Ty and Todd Crouch; great-grandchildren Tristan Grecu; Patricia and Jett Jacobs and many loving nieces, nephews and friends. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 PM on Tuesday at Browns Memorial Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM, Wednesday, July 23rd at Browns Memorial Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. The family would like to give a special thank you to Teresa Hernandez for her exceptional care of our beloved mother. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242

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Bernice Marie Crouch  
1928 - 2003

Bernice Marie Crouch, 74, died Sunday, July 20, 2003, at her residence.

Funeral: 2 p.m. Wednesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home. Burial: Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Bernice was born to Franklin and Clara Cloninger on Nov. 10, 1928, in Copeville. She married Paul Crouch in 1943, and they had four children. Paul and Bernice owned and operated Crouch Sand and Gravel. In addition, Bernice was also a Realtor, real estate broker and co-owner of Chez Pat Beauty Salon. The most important things in her life were her family, friends, and plants and flowers. She was preceded in death by beloved daughter, Patricia Crouch Schnee.

The family would like to give a special thank-you to Teresa Hernandez for her exceptional care of our beloved mother.

Survivors: Mother, Clara Mae Cloninger; husband, Paul E. Crouch; sons, Carl M. Crouch, Roger P. Crouch and wife, Becky, Guy F. Crouch and wife, Jo; sisters, Laverne Hudson, Ruby Buckner, Margaret Orr; grandchildren, Lisa Jacobs and husband, Adrian, Alisha Grecu, Ty and Todd Crouch; great-grandchildren, Tristan Grecu, Patricia and Jett Jacobs; and many loving nieces, nephews and friends.

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Bernice Crouch  
1928 - 2003

Bernice Marie Crouch, 74, of Irving died Sunday. Services were Wednesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Ms. Crouch was born Nov. 10, 1928, in Copeville, Texas. She and her husband, Paul Crouch, owned and operated Crouch Sand and Gravel in Irving. In addition to her husband, survivors include her mother, Clara Mae Cloninger; sons, Roger Crouch and Guy Crouch; sisters, Laverne Hudson, Ruby Buckner and Margaret Orr; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.
Paul Edward Crouch
1925 - 2003


Funeral: 10 a.m. Wednesday at Brown's Memorial Chapel, Pastor Jerry Perrill officiating. Burial: Interment will follow in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, Irving. Visitation: The family will receive friends 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

Mr. Crouch was born in Farmers Branch on June 8, 1925, to Arthur Bee and Annie Bell Crouch. He was a veteran of World War II. He fought with Company G, 179th Infantry, 45th Division, at Anzio Beach and in France and Germany. He also served in Company B, 61st Armored Infantry Battalion. He received a Purple Heart for wounds suffered in Germany. He was discharged in 1945 and returned to Dallas. He moved to Irving in 1949, where he resided until his death. He went into business for himself in 1950, opening Crouch Sand and Gravel and retired in 1983. He helped form the local Saddle Club for family and friends to enjoy. He loved his family, horses, fishing and hunting. He was preceded in death by his wife, Bernice Marie Crouch; his parents; his brothers, Clyde, J.B., Arthur B. Jr. Crouch; his sisters, Bernice Glass and Flois Crouch.

The family would like to thank Bill and Maxine Dulworth for their special friendship, love and care during this time and throughout the years.

Survivors: Sons, Carl Crouch, Roger Crouch and wife, Becky, Guy Crouch and wife, Jo; brother, Melvin Crouch; grandchildren, Lisa Jacobs, Alesha Grecu, Ty Crouch and Todd Crouch; great-grandchildren, Tristan Grecu, Patricia Ann and Jett Jacobs; many nieces and nephews; and extended family and friends whom he cherished.

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Bonnie Crowson

Bonnie Z. Crowson, 78, of Irving died Saturday at Baylor Medical Center at Irving. A memorial service was Monday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

Ms. Crowson was born Jan. 9, 1925, in Amarillo. She was an office clerk at Tom Thumb headquarters in Dallas for 20 years.

Survivors include her daughters, Kelly Kettrey of Irving and Jill Turnbull of Oklahoma; six grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and longtime companion, Manual Young of Irving.
Shirley Crump

Shirley Marie Bagwell Crump, 61, of Irving died Tuesday at Baylor Medical Center at Irving. Services were Thursday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home with burial at Restlawn Cemetery in Sulphur Springs, Texas.

Ms. Crump was born June 30, 1941, in Commerce, Texas. She was an accountant for JPI Real Estate Development in Irving.

Survivors include her mother, Merle E. Bagwell of Sulphur Springs, and sister, Jo Ann Jones of San Antonio.
Cullison, Marvin Gene

CULLISON, MARVIN GENE of Irving, passed away on Monday, April 7, 2003. He was born on a farm southwest of El Reno, Oklahoma on August 31, 1934 where he grew up. After graduating from high school, he was stationed in Germany for his military service, then later graduated from Central State University in Edmond, Oklahoma. He is survived by his wife Sue; daughters Holly Gerri and husband Steven of Bellevue, Washington; Page Finn and husband Rick of Flower Mound; son Todd Cullison of Santa Barbara, California; sister Claudina Franklin of El Reno, Oklahoma; granddaughter Whitney Vaughan; and grandsons Trey and Luke Finn. Marvin was an avid reader and loved animals, but mostly he loved his grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents Clarence and Avis Cullison. The family will receive friends from 6-8 pm on Thursday, April 10, 2003 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home in Irving. Graveside service will be held at 2 pm on Friday in El Reno, Oklahoma. Memorials may be made to DFW Humane Society of Irving, 1611 W. Irving Blvd., Irving, TX 75061. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Fwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donnellyscolonial.com

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Marvin Cullison

Marvin Gene Cullison, 68, of Irving died Monday. A graveside service was Friday in El Reno, Okla. Local arrangements were by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

Mr. Cullison was born Aug. 31, 1934, on a farm southwest of El Reno, Okla. After his high school graduation, he served in the military in Germany. He graduated from Central State University in Edmond, Okla.

Survivors include wife, Sue Cullison of Irving; daughters, Holly Gerri of Bellevue, Wash., and Page Finn of Flower Mound; son, Todd Cullison of Santa Barbara, Calif.; sister, Claudina Franklin of El Reno; and three grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the DFW Humane Society of Irving, 1611 W. Irving Blvd., Irving, Texas 75061.
Floyd Culpepper

Floyd Culpepper, 91, of Malakoff, Texas, died Thursday in Corsicana. Services were Saturday at Carroll-Lehr Funeral Home in Athens with burial at Oaklawn Memorial Park.

Mr. Culpepper was born March 26, 1912, in Section, Ala.

Survivors include his wife, Burmah Culpepper of Malakoff; son, K.E. "Bud" Culpepper of Irving; daughter, Betty Ruth Norwood of Malakoff; sister, Elsie Bryant of Talladega, Ala.; nine grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.
Cutler, Shirley F.

CUTLER, SHIRLEY F., age 55, most recently of Irving, TX, passed away Friday, May 9, 2003 after a brief and sudden illness. Memorial services will be held, Wednesday, May 14, at the Chism-Smith Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Keith Bulgerin officiating. Shirley worked for over 20 years at Eastman-Kodak in Dallas, retiring in 2002. Most recently Shirley was working as a teachers aid at Lamar Middle School in Irving. Her work with the kid's in Ms. Barbey's class filled her days with happiness and smiles. She was preceded in death by her parents; Floyd and Frances Cutler of Dallas, TX; her sisters Carrie Dossey of Irving, TX and Anna Adams of Allen, TX. We will miss her terribly all the rest of our days, especially Zoe and Izzy. Shirley's family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations be sent to: The Angelman Syndrome Foundation, 414 Plaza Dr. #209, Westmount, IL 60559. Survived by daughter; Sandy Bell; daughter-in-law, Deborah Dossett; grandsons Ben and Zach Dossett; Brother Floyd Cutler and wife Sylvia. Chism & Smith 129 S. O'Connor Irving (972) 259-7644

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Shirley Cutler

Shirley Cutler, 55, of Irving died Friday after a sudden illness. Services were Wednesday at Chism-Smith Funeral Home.

Ms. Cutler was born June 6, 1947, in Dallas. She worked for more than 20 years for Eastman-Kodak and retired in 2002. She recently worked as a teacher's aide at Lamar Middle School.

Survivors include her daughter, Sandy Bell of Denton; brother, Floyd Cutler of Irving; and two grandsons.

Memorials may be made in her name to the Angelman Syndrome Foundation, 414 Plaza Drive, Suite 209, Westmount, Ill. 60559.