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Wife's husband charged in shooting death

Police drop charges against Wooley

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By KIMBERLY DURMAN / Dallas Web Staff

An Allen firefighter has confessed to his wife's shooting death and been charged with murder, McKinney police said Thursday.

Raymond Wingfield of Celina was arrested at 6:30 a.m., authorities said, in connection with the double shooting of his 31-year-old wife, Amy Wingfield, and Alisa Stewart, 40, of Plano outside North Central Medical Center on May 16.

Ms. Wingfield died of a gunshot wound to the head. Ms. Stewart is recovering from being shot in the back.

The nurses were shot from a range of 100 feet with a large-caliber handgun or rifle in the parking lot of a hospital last week as they exited Ms. Wingfield's white 2000 Ford Expedition upon returning from lunch.

Police dropped a murder charge against Paul Edward Wooley, 46, early Thursday. Cell phone records indicated Mr. Wooley was not in McKinney during the time of the shootings, police said.

"No one can expect us to be perfect; we can only be reasonable," said McKinney Police Chief Doug Kowalski. "Based on the facts and the circumstances that we knew at the time, we had to place Mr. Wooley under arrest."

Chief Kowalski said Mr. Wooley's family and lawyer had been alerted to his release. "We're trying to get him some assistance," he said.

Mr. Wingfield called the Collin County Sheriff's Office on Wednesday around 5:45 p.m. to say an unknown person shot at him at Cottage Hills Cemetery in Celina, where his wife was buried Monday. After talking with Mr. Wingfield, deputies determined the incident was staged.

"He was trying to deflect the focus away from him toward some phantom shooter that doesn't exist, probably because of the polygraph that he was supposed to take today," Chief Kowalski said.

Mr. Wingfield provided a written statement about his involvement in the nurses' shootings, authorities said. He also led police to a rural field about 10 miles north of the shooting scene where a rifle thought to have been used in the attacks was found, they said.

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Amy Wingfield



"The investigation paid off," Chief Kowalski said. "We have a suspect in custody that we are confident is responsible for the shooting."

McKinney police Capt. Robert Dean said Mr. Wingfield had been a suspect since the beginning of the investigation. He said police do not believe there were any accomplices in the shooting.

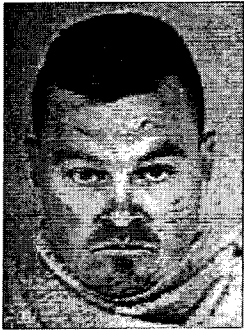
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1997 photo of the Wingfields, with daughter Lindsey, 2.

Ms. Wingfield worked as a pediatric nurse and was the mother of two children, Lindsey, 7, and Zach, 3. Neighbors said the couple had just built a new home in the last few months. The couple had been married for eight years.

Mr. Wingfield is a firefighter for the Allen Fire Department. Shortly after the shooting, firefighters gathered at the Wingfield home to support the family by running errands and bringing them food.

Firefighters at the Allen Fire Department were stunned Thursday by news of the arrest of Kenneth Lindsey, assistant chief training, who referred all calls regarding Mr. Wingfield to the Police Department.



Mr. Wingfield is known as an avid athlete and outdoorsman. In 2000, Mr. Wingfield and two Allen firefighters placed 10th in the corporate division of the Hi-Tec Adventure Series. After nearly 4 1/2 hours of kayaking, trail running and mountain biking in rugged Cedar Hill State Park, Mr. Wingfield told *The Dallas Morning News* he enjoyed the challenge.

Ms. Wingfield grew up in Irving and graduated from Nimitz High School. She attended the University of Texas at Arlington and obtained her bachelor's degree in nursing. She coached her daughter's Frisco soccer team and was deeply committed to her two children, neighbors said.

Collin County Sheriff's Office

Raymond Wingfield

The Dallas Morning News staff writer Manolo Barco and WFAA-TV reporter Brad Hawkins contributed to this report.

Winters, Juanita Adelle [View/Sign Guest Book](#)

WINTERS, JUANITA ADELLE born in Paducah, Texas on April 3, 1926 went to be with her heavenly Father on May 13, 2003. Her mother Adelle, father Dewey Cabaniss and brother Billie Joe Cabaniss and sister Christine Murphree preceded her in death. She is survived by many and loved by all. She was the loving wife of William "Pat" L. Winters for 60 years. A loving and devoted mother to Jeany Winters, Shirley Frank, Carolyn (Richard) Knight and Linda (Steve) Wilson. To her credit she raised a grandson Michael and a great grand-daughter Shannon. Juanita was Nanny to 18 grandchildren and 37 great-grandchildren. A loving sister to Freddie, James and Ethel. "Neeta" retired from J.C. Penney's and loved square dancing and was a great chili cook but her life's work and pleasure came from helping those she loved in times of need. We love you and will miss you greatly. Till we meet again. Watch over us! Funeral services will be held at 1:00 AM on Friday, May 16th at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will follow at 3:00 PM at DFW National Cemetery in Dallas. **Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242**
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Sunday, May 18, 2003

Juanita Winters

Juanita Adelle Winters, 77, of Irving died Tuesday. Services were Friday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home with burial at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery.

Ms. Winters was born April 3, 1926, in Paducah, Texas. She was retired from J.C. Penney's.

Survivors include her husband, William "Pat" L. Winters of Irving; children, Jeany Winters of Mesquite, Shirley Frank of Lake Dallas, Carolyn Knight of Lebanon, Tenn., and Linda Wilson of Granbury; grandson, Michael Farmer, and great-granddaughter, Shannon Landon, both of whom she raised; 17 other grandchildren; and 36 other great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to CASI Scholarship Fund, 4 Green Cedar Road, Boerne, Texas 78006.

 [View/Sign Guest Book](#)**Billy Roland Wise**

WISE, BILLY ROLAND WISE, 79, born March 3, 1923 in Picher, OK, died January 23, 2003 in Irving. Survived by loving wife Mary Ellen; sisters Betty Austin of El Paso and Faith Ann Micholson of Hawaii; two children, Ross and wife Sharon Wise of Dallas and Maryla and husband Ron Zimmerman of Irving; two grandchildren Marci and husband Dr. Darren Duvall of Longview and Kylee Wise of Dallas and fiance Andrew Compton of Euless; three great grandchildren Ross, Madeline and Mary Ellen Duvall; many nieces, nephews and a host of friends. Bill served his country in England during WW II as a sergeant in the 8th Army Air Corp. He volunteered as an aid at the DFW National Cemetery in recent years. He was a member of Beltline Road Church of Christ in Irving and formerly of South MacArthur Church of Christ in Irving. Bill worked for Browning-Ferris for years and retired from Shovel Supply Co. in 1985. Always quick with a joke and a sly smile, he always wore red socks no matter what the occasion. With his gift of gab, Bill always made everyone feel at ease in his presence. He will be sorely missed by all who knew him. Visitation 2 to 4 p.m., Sunday at the funeral home. Services at Beltline Road Church of Christ, Monday, Jan 27th at 11 a.m., Don Hatch officiating. Interment 1 p.m., Monday at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. **Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donnelyscolonial.com**

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Bill Wise

Bill Wise, 79, of Irving died Thursday at Baylor Medical Center at Irving. Arrangements by Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home are pending.

Wiseman, Leta [View/Sign Guest Book](#)

WISEMAN, LETA, 95, of Midland, died Wednesday, April 23, 2003. Graveside services will be at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, April 26 at Covington Cemetery. Mrs. Wiseman was born on February 7, 1908 in Alvarado to Hugh and Minnie Nunn. She lived in Covington and Waco most of her life. She lived in Midland since 2000. She married James Wiseman on May 22, 1932 and he preceded her in death on June 1, 1994. She graduated from Tarlton College and attended Baylor where she received her teaching certificate. She taught school at Parker and Covington. She was a member of Herring Avenue Methodist Church in Waco. Survivors include a daughter, Ann Johnson and husband, Erd, of Midland; two grandchildren; and one great-granddaughter. Marshall & Marshall Funeral Directors Hillsboro, TX 254-582-2581

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Glenda Wood

Glenda Rose Wood, 60, of Irving died Saturday in Arlington. Services were Tuesday at Brown's



Memorial Funeral Home with burial at Crown Hill Memorial Cemetery in Dallas.

Ms. Wood was born Feb. 2, 1943, in Sweetwater, Texas.

She was a member of First Baptist Church of Irving.

Survivors include her son, Kyle Green of Murfreesboro, Tenn.; daughter, Joyce Brister of Arlington; sister, Betty Shores of Irving; and five grandchildren.

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Wade Wood

Wade Nathaniel Wood, 79, of Irving died Friday after a lengthy illness. Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Chism-Smith Funeral Home, 129 S. O'Connor Road. Services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Chism-Smith Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, 1413 E. Irving Blvd.

Mr. Wood was born Dec. 27, 1923, in Irving. He was a World War II Army veteran and received a Purple Heart award. He worked as a barber for many years. He was a musician and played the fiddle for the Dewey Groom Band and for other country and Western bands.

Survivors include his wife, Ruby Wood of Irving; sister, Marie Branscum of Springtown, Texas; and brothers, Billy Wood of Glenrose, Texas, and Charles Wood of Irving.

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WORKMAN, CAROLYN went to be with the Lord on January 15, 2003, after spending 61 loving years with us. Memorial service: Her life was remembered in a memorial service January 16 at Calvary Temple in Irving, Texas. Born in Waterbury, Connecticut, on June 22, 1941. She was the eldest child of Philip and Shirley Clark. She attended Fort Fairfield High School in Fort Fairfield, Maine, and graduated in 1959. She married William Workman on September 3, 1960. She was a mother deluxe to two children. Loving, supportive, and compassionate were her trademark qualities. Survivors: Her husband of 42 years, William Workman of Arlington, Texas; son, James, and daughter, Lisa. Granddaughter, Deanna. Brothers, Randy Clark and Kevin Clark. Sister, Candy Coffey. Cousins, Mike Blier and Nancy Parker of Maine. **Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242**

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Woods Sr., Robert E. "Bob" [View/Sign Guest Book](#)

WOODS, ROBERT "BOB" E. WOODS, SR., 67, of North Richland Hills, died Oct. 23, 2003 at a North Richland Hills hospital. Born July 10, 1936 in Grand Prairie, Texas. A U.S. Army veteran and an avid golfer, he was in retail sales at Lightning Components in Southlake for five years. Survivors include his wife Frances Woods; sons Robert E. Woods, Jr., wife Marsha, of Keller and Michael R. Woods, wife Fay Lynn, of North Richland Hills; daughters Sheri Lynn Woods of Canton, Diann Patricia Daniels, husband Bobby, of Arkansas and Anna Maria Woods of North Richland Hills; mother Edith Small of Dallas; and six grandchildren. Private family memorial services to be held at a later date. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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Wragg, Jayda Z.

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Wragg, JAYDA Z. born February 18, 1956 in Sebastopol, California passed away August 25, 2003 in Ft. Worth. Preceded in death by mother Lottie Osburn and sister Sally Stone; she is survived by husband John Wragg of Grand Prairie; father Richard Russell Osburn of Muskogee, Oklahoma; sisters Rica Jan Osburn of Grand Prairie; Vaula Osburn of Muskogee, Oklahoma; Marla Harwell of Bridge Creek, Oklahoma. Memorial services will be held at 2:00 P.M. Saturday, August 30th at Brown's Memorial

Funeral Home Chapel. Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242

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Sunday, August 31, 2003

Jayua wragg

Jayda Z. Wragg, 47, of Grand Prairie died Monday in Fort Worth. Services were Saturday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.



Ms. Wragg was born Feb. 18, 1956, in Sebastopol, Calif.

Survivors include her husband, John Wragg of Grand Prairie; father, Richard Russell Osburn of Muskogee, Okla.; and sisters, Rica Jan Osburn of Grand Prairie, Vaula Osburn of Muskogee and Marla Harwell of Bridge Creek, Okla.

Chester Wright

Chester Wright, 88, of Irving, died Dec. 21. Graveside services will be held 10 a.m. Tuesday at DFW National Cemetery.

He was born Jan. 12, 1915, in Ohio County, Kentucky.

Survivors include his wife, Lillian Wright of Irving; sons Glenn Wright of Irving; Palt Wright of Olatha, Kan; brother Joseph Wright of Hartford, Ky.; five grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

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 [View/Sign Guest Book](#)Wright, Minnette

WRIGHT, MINNETTE, 88, of Gun Barrel City passed away October 2, 2003 in Athens. Graveside service 3PM Sunday, October 5, 2003 Five Mile Cemetery, Dallas with Rev. Clayton McCord officiating. Born June 25, 1915 in Palestine to William and Florence (Smith) Brule. Minnette was employed 35 years at the IBEW Local #59, Dallas. She was preceded in death by her husband of 53 years James Lloyd Wright. Survivors include her daughter, Hyta Arline Sims of Gun Barrel City; brother, John R. (Jack) Brule of Pine Bluff, AR; two granddaughters, Carrie Patrick of Garland and Sandra Nitz of Duncanville; great-grandson, Jon C. Buck Jr. of Irving; three great-granddaughters, Starr Reynolds of Garland, Jessica Patrick of Ft. Worth and Christina Nitz of Dallas, nieces, nephews, other family members and many friends. Family will receive friends from 6PM-8PM Saturday at the funeral home. Eubank Cedar Creek Funeral Home & Cemetery Mabank (903) 887-3111
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Wurst, Mary Louise

WURST, MARY LOUISE, loving Mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend, a longtime resident of Irving, Texas, passed away on May 09, 2003. Born in Arcadia, Louisiana on October 31, 1918 to Ida (Pud) James Bryant and George (Dutch) Henry Goldman. Louise was preceded in death by her parents, her brother James Malvah Webb and her two sisters Ruth Mae Webb Griffin and Mary (Bay) Adeline Webb Dance. Louise is survived by her daughter and son in law, Charlotte Anne and Karl Russell of Houston, Texas, granddaughter Sherri Lyn Wineriter, three great grandsons, Nicholas and Canon Wineriter and Parker Jenschke, all of San Antonio, Texas and a small number of nieces and nephews. Louise's unselfish, thoughtful and giving ways to others were among her many attributes. Her generous and tireless contributions of time to charity work are incalculable. She was a charter member of Veterans Affairs Volunteer Service for the Dallas area. As a volunteer for more than 30 years for Amvets Ladies Auxiliary she received numerous awards and honors for her outstanding service, including member of the year awarded by past department Presidents. She received the Chapel of Four Chaplains award for her outstanding work for the auxiliary and time spent working in the hospitals. She served as Treasurer for the Auxiliary Foundation for more years than her fellow members can recall. She held numerous offices for State Amvets Ladies Auxiliary including hospital Chairman, 2nd Vice Chairman and 3rd Vice Chairman. She worked untiringly for Scottish Rite giving generously of her time and money. Bryan's House, very dear to her heart, recognized and honored her as a named donor for her generous donations of both time and money. Louise was also a longtime member of Eastern Star. Louise's dedication, honesty and integrity given to not only her charitable causes, but all areas of her life are examples of the truly wonderful human being she was. Pallbearers: E.B. Clay, E.T. Fogleman, Earl Markham, Tom McGriff, Don McFalls, Larry Trainer. Funeral service will be 11:00 a.m. Wednesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Garden. The family suggests that those desiring memorial gifts in lieu of flowers do so to Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children, Development Department, 2222 Welborn Street, Dallas, TX 75219; M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, P.O. Box 297153, Houston, Texas 77297. If you would like to contribute to the Auxiliary Foundation contact Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. (972) 579-1313 www.donnelys.com
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Mary Wurst

Mary Louise Wurst, 84, of Irving died Friday. Services were Wednesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home



with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.


Ms. Wurst was born Oct. 31, 1918, in Arcadia, La. She was a charter member of Veterans Affairs Volunteer Service for the Dallas area. She volunteered for more than 30 years for Amvets Ladies Auxiliary and received many honors for her service, including a member of the year award and the Chapel of Four Chaplains award. She served as

chairman and held numerous offices for State Amvets Ladies Auxiliary, including hospital chairman, second vice chairman and third vice chairman.

Ms. Wurst also helped Bryan's House and Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children. She was a longtime member of Eastern Star.

Survivors include her daughter, Charlotte Anne Russell, and son-in-law, Karl, of Houston; four grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children, Development Department, 2222 Welborn St., Dallas, Texas 75219; or M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, P. O. Box 297153,

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Danny Orville Wynne

Wynne, DANNY ORVILLE of Irving passed away January 22, 2003 in Irving. He was born on July 22, 1951 in Lubbock, Texas. Danny worked for the Boy Scouts of America. Preceded in death by parents Tommy and Bobbie Wynne and brother David Spencer, survivors include sisters Pat Ervin of Irving and Bobbie Lee Wood of Hillsboro, Texas. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 PM on Friday, January 24th at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 3:00 PM Saturday, January 25th at Brown's Memorial Chapel with Pastor David Jenkins officiating. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. **Brown's Memorial Funeral Home 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242**

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Danny Wynne

Danny Orville Wynne, 51, of Irving, died Wednesday. Services were Saturday at Brown's Memorial



Danny Wynne

Funeral Home with burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Wynne was born July 22, 1951, in Lubbock. He worked as a printer for the

Boy Scouts of America.

Survivors include his sisters, Pat Ervin of Irving and Bobbie Lee Wood of Hillsboro.

Jan 26, 2003