

**Adams, Bettie Jane**[View/Sign Guest Book](#)

ADAMS, BETTIE JANE, Bettie was born on October 7, 1932 in Brownfield, Texas and passed away on May 27, 2006 in Irving, Texas. She is survived by her loving husband, Gary; sister, Wanda and Robert Fitzgerald; her children, Ron and Linda Adams, Nina and Rick Rogers, April and Steve Dodd; her grandchildren, Austin Adams, Andrew Adams, Aspen Adams; Hilary and Ryan Hignight, Gabrielle Rogers, and Addison

Rogers. She is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts and many spiritual family members and friends who knew and loved her. Bettie was raised in Quemado along the Rio Grande, the daughter of a farmer. She attended Eagle Pass High School graduating in 1951. While there she was a member of the National Honor Society and a member of the basketball team. The same year Bettie moved to San Antonio and graduated from Draughon's Business School. She married Gary on July 3, 1952 at which time they moved to Dallas. Over the years they made their home in Oak Cliff, Terrell, Dallas, Ferris and Coppell. Bettie worked at their family business, G & L Mechanical, from 1975 until 1997. While there she was instrumental in the development and success of the organization. Bettie served as President of the P.T.A. while fulfilling her own interests in Bible reading, quilting and baking. She loved gardening, fishing and games, especially 42, attending numerous State 42 Tournaments. She taught her children patience, the value of family, to be kind, to give and most importantly to read their Bible. A Memorial Service celebrating the life of Bettie Jane Adams was held on Monday, May 29, 2006 with interment in the family cemetery on their ranch in Slidell, Texas.

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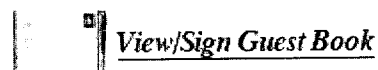
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ADAMS, MAXINE , Of Irving, TX devoted wife and mother, passed away Wednesday, December 6, 2006. She was born August 29, 1925 in Dallas TX to one of Irving's pioneer families, the Metkers. Preceded in death by sons Alan Adams in 1996 and Donald Adams in 2005 and husband Haskell L. Adams in 2006; survivors include daughters Sandra Jean Neal of Wylie and Aliscia Long and husband David of Rowlett; sister Nettie Lee Carpenter of Irving; 10 grandchildren; and 7 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Monday, December 11, 2006 at Brown's Memorial Chapel with Rev. Valerie Englert officiating. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Visitation: 5-7 PM Sunday at the funeral home. Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving TX(972) 254-4242

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December 2006

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**Aleman, Lugarda B.**[View/Sign Guest Book](#)

ALEMAN, LUGARDA B. Born in Ciudad Victoria, Tamps., Mexico on October 13, 1905. Passed away in Irving, TX on June 23, 2006. She arrived in Texas in 1919. She was a long time parishioner of Cathedral Santuario de Guadalupe in Dallas. She was preceded in death by her husband, Felix Aleman, sons, Joe, Sam, Frank and Carl Aleman. She is survived by children, John Aleman of West, TX, Minnie Gomez of Irving, TX, Pete Aleman, and Josie Rodriguez of Dallas, TX, 21 grandchildren, numerous great grandchildren, many great great grandchildren and several great great great grandchildren. Holy Rosary was recited 7PM, Sunday, June 25th, Mass of Christian Burial, 9:30AM, Cathedral Santuario de Guadalupe, Interment, Calvary Hill. , **Irving Calvary Funeral Home 624 East Second Street Irving Texas 75060 (972) 579-7356**

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**Allen, Bernice Duval**

ALLEN, BERNICE DUVAL , 90, formerly of Irving, died 4/4/2006. Visitation 7-9 p.m., Wednesday. Service 3:30 p.m., Thurs. 4/6/2006 at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel. Interment at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. For full obituary, please see [donnellycolonial.com](http://donnellycolonial.com).

**Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. Irving TX (972) 579-1313 [www.donnellycolonial.com](http://www.donnellycolonial.com)**

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**Irving: School mourns woman who possessed an 'abundance of love' IRVING - Brandenburg Ele...  
Teacher found dead inside burning**

IRVING - Brandenburg Elementary School teacher Cecelia Allen led her students in a Jeopardy-style math review Thursday in preparation for an upcoming state test.

The next morning, principal Pam Meredith and district grief counselors faced the difficult task of telling the fifth-graders their teacher had died hours earlier in a fire.

The cause of the fire is not known, and police and fire officials are investigating. They were called to her home on Markland Street in south Irving about 4:52 a.m. Friday to respond to the fire, and she was found dead inside her bedroom.

Ms. Allen, 40, taught math and social studies and often tutored students before school and on weekends. Her team taught a total of about 45 students. Her daughter, Dianna Hornsby, attends The Academy of Irving ISD.

Anna Allen said her daughter worked to overcome challenges and become a teacher. She struggled with lupus and cleaned houses to earn money to put herself through college as an adult. Born in Dallas, she had taught at Brandenburg for six years.

"She had an abundance of love for her students," said Anna Allen, who also lives in Irving. "She just said to me, 'Even if I won the lottery, I'd still teach.' "

About 10 counselors met with students Friday morning and will be available next week. Parents were permitted to pick up their children early on Friday, and the school sent a letter home to parents as well. But she said they shared in small groups the many memories of their teacher - describing her as never giving up, being strong, making learning fun, acting kind - like a second mom. It's difficult, Ms. Nicolle said, because the children have many questions, most notably, "Why?"

A memorial has been established at the Irving City Employees Federal Credit Union, 1408 W. Pioneer Drive, under Ms. Allen's name to help with funeral arrangements and with college funds for her daughter.

In addition to her mother and daughter, she is survived by her father, James Allen of Canton; sisters Mitzi Roach and Jennifer Cline, both of Irving, and Nadalin Acevedo of Bronx, New York; a niece, and several nephews, aunts and uncles.

The funeral service will be 6 p.m. Tuesday at the First United Methodist Church, 211 W. Third St. in Irving. Visitation will be 6 to 9 p.m. Monday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home, 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. in Irving.



M.H.S.



**Allen, Jewel Daniel**[View/Sign Guest Book](#)

ALLEN, JEWEL DANIEL, 96, passed away on April 8, 2006 in Dallas, Texas. Mr. Allen was born on December 3, 1909 in Dallas. He lived in the family home place most of his life, was retired from LTV where he had been a aircraft assembly worker for over 20 years and was the owner of many rental properties in the Dallas area. Mr. Allen was preceded in death by his wife: Esther Belle English Allen. He is survived by his Son & Daughter-In-Law: Jack & Bobbie Allen of Dallas, Two Daughters: Shirley Robnett of Garland and Jean Black of Tulsa, Ok., Four Grandchildren and Several Great Grandchildren. The family will receive friends for visitation on Monday evening from 6:00p.m. to 8:00p.m. A graveside service will be held on Tuesday, April 11, 2006 at 10:00a.m. at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, TX. **Irving Calvary Funeral Home 624 East Second Street Irving Texas 75060 (972) 579-7356**

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**Allen, Karen Owens**

, ALLEN, KAREN OWENS Our beloved Karen was a great friend to everyone who knew her and consistently made a difference in the lives of others. She was a loving, thoughtful daughter, mother, sister and friend. Karen was born January 19, 1956, in Colorado Springs, Colorado, to Katherine and Kenneth Owens. After a year long bout with cancer, Karen passed away Sunday, July 2, 2006 at her home surrounded by family. She was preceded in death by her youngest daughter Rebecca Allen and her grandparents; Rozelle and Tirey C. Wilemon and Altha Lee and Jesse Foy Owens. She is survived by her parents, daughters Rachel K. Allen and Kirsten R. Allen of Irving, sister Karol Owens Welsh and husband Raymond E. of Irving, brother Keith Owens and wife Shawn of Irving, aunt Alice Wilemon Zerof of Atlanta, GA, uncle William P. Wilemon and wife Sheryl of Scottsdale, AZ, uncle Jesse R. Owens and wife Mary Alice of Waxahachie, TX and nieces and nephews Liz Welsh Mathews and her husband Stephen of Dallas, Kayla and Ryan Owens of Carrollton, and other family and friends. During the 90's she worked as office manager for several doctors and health care organizations. Since March 4, 1996, she worked for United Health Group. At the time of her illness she was Service Director of Health Plan Operations where she touched the lives of many of her co-workers who became her friends as she became their mentor and inspiration. Karen also surrounded herself with a women's Bible Study group that gave her much needed support following the death of her daughter Rebecca. Visitation will be on Tuesday, July 4, 2006 at Restland Funeral Home from 6-8 P.M. Services will be held at Restland Memorial Chapel on Wednesday, July 5, 2006 at 10:00 A.M. A private burial will follow the service. Karen requested that in lieu of flowers, memorials be made to The Susan G. Komen Foundation, P.O. Box 650309, Dallas, TX 75265.

**Restland 972-238-7111 [restlandfuneralhome.com](http://restlandfuneralhome.com)**

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**Allen, Stanley Wayne**

ALLEN, STANLEY WAYNE, 70, of Sherman, formerly of Irving, died Wed., July 26, 2006. Visitation 6-8 pm, Friday. Service 4 pm, Sat., July 29th at Donnellys Colonial Chapel. For full obituary, please see donnellyscolonial.com. **Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W.**

**Airport Frwy. Irving TX (972) 579-1313**

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Allen, Velma Elizabeth




ALLEN, , VELMA ELIZABETH Born January 16, 1909 in Collin County, TX went to be with the Lord on January 15, 2006 in Dallas, TX. She retired from the Carrollton-Farmers Branch Independent School District. In 1998 the Mayor of Farmers Branch presented her the Most Distinguished Citizen Award. She is preceded in death by her parents Mote and Iva Mae Farley; 7 brothers and sisters and her husband George P. Allen. She is survived by her 6 children, Lois Riddle; Martha Eggleston, Charles Allen, George Allen, Gracie Malone and Harold Allen; 15 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; 9 great-great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be Monday, January 16, 2006 6-8 PM at Rhoton Funeral Home. Funeral Service will be Tuesday, January 17, 2006 1:00 PM at First Baptist Church of Farmers Branch, Rev. Sam Underwood officiating. Interment will follow at Ridgeview Cemetery in McKinney, TX. **Dignity Memorial Rhoton Funeral Home 135 at Crosby Rd. Carrollton (972) 242-5261**

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Mr William Allender

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Mr William Allender

September 23, 1950 - March 22, 2006

ALLENDER, BILL Beloved husband, father, and friend, Bill Allender departed this life on March 22, 2006 due to an unexpected heart attack from Dallas, TX. Born in Dallas TX in 1950, Bill graduated from MacArthur High School and attended SMU on a golf scholarship where he received a BBA degree. He was active in Alpha Tau Omega (where he was known as "lizard"). Later he received his MBA from SMU. Always active in his daughters' sporting events. Bill will be remembered for his unsolicited, unofficial and outspoken "assistance" with officiating. While having a specialty in accounting, Bill's skills extended far into financial and corporate management at a variety of companies. These include Selkirk, Gardner-Denver, Michigan General and Cytomedix. He is survived by his wife of over 30 years, Nancy; twin 19 year old daughters Christine Nicole and Jaqueline Diane, and sister, Cathy Morton. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Heart Association, Lake Highlands High School Swim Team, or Lake Highlands Area Choir Booster Club (LHACBC). Services are scheduled for Monday March 27 at 2:00 PM, at Lake Highlands United Methodist Church located at 9015 Plano Road.

**ROY GORDON ALLEY, SR.**

Roy Gordon Alley Senior entered this world on July 3, 1920 to Gordon and Buella (Bird) Alley in Wichita Falls, TX. He served in the U S Army during World War II. During the time of his service he drove trucks and worked on maintenance in Germany.

After the war he and his family moved to Irving where he worked on various jobs. He also owned and operated Alley's Garage in Irving for over 53 years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Las Colinas and the Masonic Lodge of Irving. The joys of his life was his family and listening to bluegrass and gospel music.

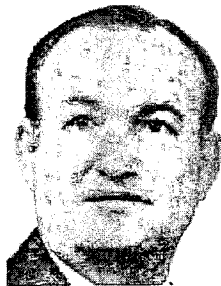
It pleased the Lord to call him to his arms on July 17, 2006. Also there to greet him were his parents, one brother James, one granddaughter Barbara Alley, one brother-in-law Wayne Lynn and two sisters-in-law, Clyde and Virginia. He will be deeply missed by his loving wife of 67 years Jean, of Irving, daughters, Betty Wealthy of Red Oak, and Connie Hughes of Irving; sons, Roy Junior of Irving and Richard of Gun Barrel, TX, 7 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild: his brothers Doyle, and Claude and his wife Jean of Wichita Falls, TX; one sister Billy Jean Lynn of Gun Barrel; and numerous nieces and nephews. Blessed be his memory.

Funeral services were held July 20 at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel with interment to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

July 20, 2006  
Irving Rambler

Ancona, Tony [View/Sign Guest Book](#)

ANCONA, TONY, 91, of the Dallas area for 59 years, a mans man, formerly of Kansas City, MO, died Sunday, Jan. 15, 2006 in Irving. Born Oct. 28, 1914 in Kansas City, he was formerly employed at Bankers Life Insurance in Dallas. Preceded in death by his wife, Frances Ancona, he is survived by son, Leon Ancona and wife Martha of Irving; daughter, Rosalind Modrall and husband Nelson of Waco; grandchildren, Chris Witherspoon, M.D. and wife Heather of Dallas, Martin Ancona of Baton Rouge, LA and Tony Ancona, Jr. of Wichita Falls; great-granddaughter, Emerson Witherspoon; sister, Katie Menaguale and husband Paul of Fairport, NY; as well as, many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Visitation 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Friday followed by the Rosary to be said at 8:00 p.m., at Donnellys Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Mass of Christian Burial 11:00 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 21, 2006 at Saint Lukes Catholic Church in Irving. Rev. Francisco Orozco, celebrant. Interment to follow at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas. **Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. Irving TX (972) 579-1313 [www.donnellyscolonial.com](http://www.donnellyscolonial.com)**

*OB6 Obituaries, Notices**Published in the Dallas Morning News on 1/20/2006.**Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home***TONY ANCONA  
1914 - 2006**

TONY ANCONA, age 91, of the Dallas, Texas area for 59 years, a man's man, formerly of Kansas City, Missouri, died Sunday, Jan. 15, 2006 in Irving, Texas. Born Oct. 28, 1914 in Kansas City, he was formerly employed at Banker's Life Insurance in Dallas. Preceded in death by his wife, Frances Ancona, he is survived by son, Leon Ancona and wife Martha of Irving; daughter, Rosalind Modrall and husband Nelson of Waco; grandchildren, Chris Witherspoon, M.D. and wife Heather of Dallas, Martin Ancona of Baton Rouge, LA and Tony Ancona, Jr. of Wichita Falls; great-granddaughter, Emerson Witherspoon; sister, Katie Menaguale and husband Paul of Fairport, New York; as well as, many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Visitation 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Friday followed by the Rosary to be said at 8:00 p.m., at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Mass of Christian Burial 11:00 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 21, 2006 at Saint Luke's Catholic Church in Irving. Rev. Francisco Orozco, celebrant. Interment to follow at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas.

## CALEB REAGAN ANDERSON 1997 - 2006



Caleb Reagan Anderson, 9, a third grader at Brandenburg Elementary School, died Monday, May 29, 2006 at Children's Medical Center in Dallas. Born January 31, 1997 at Marshall, Texas, he is the son of Brady and Jennifer Anderson. Survivors include his parents of Irving; brother, Joshua Walker Anderson of Irving; grandparents, David and Mary Beth Anderson of Mansfield, Greg and Peg Oppenhuus of Murphy, TX; uncles and aunts, Larry and Kathy Wilshire, and Randy and Teresa Anderson of Mansfield, and Stephanie Oppenhuus of Wylie. The family will receive friends at First Baptist Church, 403 Main Street, Irving from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Friday. Funeral service will be 2:00 p.m. Saturday at the church. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Memorials may be made to Children's Brain Tumor Foundation of the Southwest 2201 Long Prairie Rd., Suite 107, #152

Flower Mound, TX 75022 or to the Children's Ministries of First Baptist Church, 401 Main Street, Irving, TX 75060. For complete obituary see [dannellyscolonial.com](http://dannellyscolonial.com)



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**CALEB REGAN ANDERSON**



Caleb Reagan Anderson, 9, a third grader at Brandenburg Elementary School, died May 29, 2006 at

Children's Medical Center in Dallas.

Born January 31, 1997 at Marshall, TX, he is the son of Brady and Jennifer Anderson. Survivors include his parents of Irving; brother, Joshua Walker Anderson of Irving; grandparents, David and Mary Beth Anderson of Mansfield, Greg and Peg Oppenhuis of Murphy, TX; uncles and aunts, Larry and Kathy Wilshire, and Randy and Teresa Anderson of Mansfield, and Stephanie Oppenhuis of Wylie.

The family received friends at First Baptist Church, 403 Main Street, Irving Friday. Funeral service will be 2:00 p.m. Saturday at

the church. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Memorials may be made to Children's Brain Tumor Foundation of the Southwest 2201 Long Prairie Rd., Suite 107, #152 Flower Mound, TX 75022 or to the Children's Ministries of First Baptist Church, 401 Main Street, Irving, TX 75060.

*June 1, 2006  
Irving  
Rambler*

**Anderson, Connie May**

ANDERSON, CONNIE MAY Passed Saturday June 17. She is survived by her husband Homer Malcolme "Mac"; daughter Christina and son-in-law Richard Kearney; granddaughter Alora Kearney; mother Mary June and her husband Clarence Brooks; sister Dora June Thomas and her son Tommy Edward Scott Jr.; younger sister Theresa Lynn and her husband Keith Woods, and youngest sister Vicki Elaine and her husband Steven Ogden. Memorial on Friday, June 23 at 10am, at Oak View Baptist Church in Irving, Texas.,

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[View/Sign Guest Book](#)**Archer, Linda**

ARCHER, LINDA MARIE, Linda Archer went home to be with her LORD and Savior, Jesus Christ on Monday, November 13, 2006. She was born to Gene H. Smith, Sr. and Lorraine M. Smith on March 28th, 1949. Linda was preceded to be with the LORD by her father, Gene Smith. She is survived by her Husband Robert L. Archer and son Rocky Archer. Linda's passion was sharing her love for God with people of all ages and sitting in the warm morning sunshine. For the past few years she has resided in Clermont, Florida where she worked at Disney World as a "Pirate of the Caribbean." Before that time, she lived in Coppell, Texas, where she taught 5th & 6th grade girls Sunday School class at Calvary Church (formerly Calvary Temple) in Irving, Texas. She served in ministry there in the Sunday School department and for the annual Christmas Providers for over 20 years. Visitation with the family will be Wednesday, November 29 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Sparkman/Richardson Funeral Home, 1029 S. Greenville Ave. Richardson, TX 75081. A memorial service will be held at Calvary Church on Thursday, November 30th at 1:00 p.m. The address is 4401 N. State Highway 161, Irving, TX 75038 and the telephone number is (972)261-1919. Following the service, a motorcade will proceed to Hillcrest Memorial Park Cemetery for the interment service. **Dignity Memorial Sparkman Richardson 1029 S. Greenville Richardson (972) 238-7855**

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**Armstrong, James W. "Jim"**
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ARMSTRONG, JAMES W. James W. "Jim" Armstrong, 81, died peacefully in his home Aug. 24, 2006, after a long, courageous battle with Parkinson's Disease. He was born July 15, 1925 in Amarillo, Texas, to the late Thomas Harley and Myrtle Lee Hites Armstrong. Jim lived most of his life in the Dallas area, where he raised his family of four children and, through his 33 years managing commercial construction projects, literally helped change the skyline of Dallas. His "highest" achievements include

construction of: Stemmons Towers, Campbell Center, Prudential Insurance Building - Las Colinas; National ChemSearch - Irving; Boy Scouts National Headquarters; Texas Commerce Bank Building - "the keyhole" tower in downtown Dallas - and many others. Jim graduated from Amarillo High School in 1942. He voluntarily joined the Army Air Corps (Air Force) and became a navigator during World War II. Under the GI bill, he received his civil engineering degree at Tri-State College in Indiana. The native Texan moved to Dallas and worked under "the red flying horse" as petroleum engineer for Magnolia Oil, now known as Mobil Oil. In the same building, he met the love of his life, Louise Byrd. Once he invited her to the company picnic at White Rock Lake and followed up with a date to the State Fair of Texas, well, the rest is history. Shortly after they married, Jim and Louise moved to the untapped oilfields of West Texas. There he worked (not too far down the road from George Bush Sr.) as a "doodlebugger," a geological surveyor. In 1950, Jim again volunteered and served as navigator during the Korean Conflict. He and his family relocated to Long Beach, CA. Not one for graphic war stories, he did share a few exciting, albeit hair-raising stories about one-engine flights and dry fuel tank landings as they leap-frogged islands, as airplanes did in those days, to cross the Pacific. The 1st Lt. was honorably discharged with many honors in 1952. Returning to Dallas, Jim jumped back into engineering, this time in commercial construction. The growth spurt in Big D proved advantageous. During his career, Jim worked at Robert E. McKee, Ten-Eyck Shaw and Hensel-Phelps construction companies. He retired as senior project administrator from Austin Commercial in 1986. Jim is best remembered for his honesty, dry sense of humor, ready wit and love of the great outdoors. Family and friends will miss him dearly. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Louise Byrd Armstrong; sister Marley Latta; son Bob Armstrong and wife Donna; daughters Linda Davis, Lissa Sawyer and Pam Sasser and husband Richard. He also leaves nine grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Services will be Friday, Aug. 25, 2006 at 9 a.m. at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel in Irving. Burial and military services will follow at 11 a.m. at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. Donations may be made to Lions Hospice, 1816 Norwood Drive, Hurst, TX 76054 or the Parkinson's Research Foundation, 3003 LBJ Fwy, Suite 125E, Dallas, TX 75234., **Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. Irving TX (972) 579-1313**  
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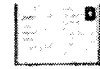
ublished in the Dallas Morning News on 8/25/2006.

[View/Sign Guest Book](#)**Joe Merritt Arrington**

ARRINGTON, , JOE MERRITT 66, of Irving, TX., went home to be with his Savior and Lord, on 12/07/06. He was a loving and devoted husband, father and grandfather, full of wisdom. He leaves behind his wife Sharon of 35 years, daughter Amy, 33 and son Joseph, 30, his wife Raegan and granddaughter Avery. He was a faithful elder of Irving Bible Church, a past Naval Officer. Funeral service will take place on Tuesday 12/12/06 at Irving Bible Church at 2:00PM, 2435 Kinwest Parkway, Irving, TX. IN lieu of flowers memorials may be made to African Leadership and Reconciliation Ministries P.O. Box 740337, Dallas, TX 75374. **Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. Irving TX (972) 579-1313 [www.donnelyscolonial.com](http://www.donnelyscolonial.com)**

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ARTHUR, AMY NICOLE, Born Sept. 15, 2004 in Garland, died Nov. 21, 2006 at Medical City Hospital in Dallas from complications of chronic bronchitis and the genetic disorder Charge Syndrome. Amy was a bright, beautiful baby with a feisty spirit whose sweetness and courage blessed more lives than we will ever know. Amy went to the aquarium on Sun., slipped into a coma Mon. morning as she slept and did not wake up after being resuscitated. She died Tues. afternoon in her familys arms. Amy loved bright colors, lights and music. She had impeccable rhythm and loved playing with her toes.

Amy charmed complete strangers at a moments glance. She was 2 yrs, 2 mos. and 1 wk old. She is survived by her parents, Mark and Donna Arthur; grandmother, Molly Scott; grandfather, Paul Arthur and wife Fran; grandfather, Ralph Scott and wife Robin and grandmother Sherri Collins. She is also survived by numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. She leaves behind a host of dedicated professionals who cared for her as their own. Visitation will be from 5 - 9 pm Fri. 11/24/06 at Ted Dickey Funeral Home. Amys funeral will be 10:00 am Sat. 11/25/06 at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church at Spring Creek Pkwy and Roundrock, Plano. For donations please visit [www.arthurconcepts.com/amy](http://www.arthurconcepts.com/amy).  
**Dignity Memorial Ted Dickey 2128 18th Plano (972) 424-4511**

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ARTHUR, AMY NICOLE, Born Sept. 15, 2004 in Garland, died Nov. 21, 2006 at Medical City Hospital in Dallas from complications of chronic bronchitis and the genetic disorder Charge Syndrome. Amy was a bright, beautiful baby with a feisty spirit whose sweetness and courage blessed more lives than we will ever know. Amy went to the aquarium on Sun., slipped into a coma Mon. morning as she slept and did not wake up after being resuscitated. She died Tues. afternoon in her familys arms. Amy loved bright colors, lights and music. She had impeccable rhythm and loved playing with her toes.

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**Askins, Mark Alan**

ASKINS, MARK ALAN 40, died Tuesday, Nov. 21, 2006 in Mesquite. Service 10 a.m., Friday, Nov. 24th at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel. Graveside service 2:30 p.m., Friday at Oakwood Cemetery in Cisco, Texas. , **Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. Irving TX (972) 579-1313**  
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**PHILIP J. AUGUSTYN**

Philip J. Augustyn, 45, a resident of Fort Worth, Texas for 6 years, formerly of Antigo, Wisconsin, died August 14, 2006 in Seven Points, Texas.



B o r n  
April 19, 1961 in Antigo. Phil was a decorated Air Force veteran and served his country with pride. He married Dorene

Crandall Jan. 31, 1983 in Marquette, MI.

A service advisor for the City of Fort Worth, he was preceded in death by grandfather, Cash Augustyn and grandmother, Agnes Augustyn. Survivors include his wife, Dorene; sons, Brad Crandall and fiancé, Sharon of Arlington, Adam Augustyn and wife Ashley of Cherry Point, NC and Anthony Cash Augustyn of Fort Worth:

grandchildren, Abigail Augustyn of Cherry Point, NC, Daryn Crandall and Kayson Crandall, both of Arlington, Michael Crandall of Las Cruces, NM; father, Myron Augustyn and mother, Norma McMillan, both of Antigo, grandmother, Adeline Aronson; brothers, Mark, Joe, Pete and Paul; and sister, Susan Filtz.

Visitation was Sunday at the funeral home. Service was Aug. 21 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was Monday at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, Memphis, TN. Services were under the direction of Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

*August 24, 2006  
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