ROBERT NASH (BOB) BARNES

Robert N. Barnes died March 18, 2006 at age 81 in Dallas, TX. He was born March 25, 1924, in Rockwall, TX, to Hal Barnett and Frances Nash Barnes. He is predeceased by his parents; sisters, Florence Florence and Mary Atkins; and brothers, Hal Barnett Barnes, Jr., and Bob’s identical twin, William V. Barnes. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Frances Dollar Barnes; his son, Michael Barnes, and wife, Libby, of Austin; his daughter, Molly Barnes, and husband, Chuck Leifeste, of San Antonio; and several cousins, nieces and nephews.

Bob graduated from Rockwall High School in 1941, and attended North Texas Agricultural College - NTAC (now University of Texas at Arlington) where he was in the ROTC. He joined the US Air Force in 1943 and after training, served as a B-24 Heavy Bomber pilot with the 376th Bomb Group, 15th Air Force, in Italy. At war’s end, he attended University of Texas in Austin where he graduated with a BBA degree in 1947.

Mr. Barnes was employed for 41 years by Employers Insurance of Texas in various audit, underwriting and training positions. He also taught insurance classes at El Centro Community College in Dallas, preparing students for nationally administered exams leading to the professional CPCU (Chartered Property Casualty Underwriter) designation.

After retirement, Mr. Barnes served as a volunteer with Traveler’s Aid in the Delta Terminal of the Dallas-Ft. Worth Airport. He also worked on a part-time basis for certain events associated with the Dallas Convention Center. Following private burial at the Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery, a memorial service was officiated by Dr. William E. La Barr on March 23 at Plymouth Park United Methodist Church in Irving, where Bob and Frances were among the founding members in 1956 and have been members for fifty years.

Donations in Bob’s memory may be made to the Irving Public Library.
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March 23, 2006
DAVID LEE BARTON, JR.

David Lee Barton, Jr., passed away May 16, 2006 in Balch Springs, Texas. He was born Nov. 23, 1933. Preceded in death by his parents, son Larry Barton, daughter Mary Ann Barton, 3 brothers, and 2 sisters, he is survived by wife Mary Karen Barton of Coppell, son David Roland Barton of The Colony, daughters Linda Karen Messimer and husband Pat Messimer of Balch Springs, and Terri Lee Stover and husband Doug Stover of Coppell, daughter-in-law Patti Barton of Irving; 8 grandchildren, and 1 great-grandchild to be born in October.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m. May 20th at First United Methodist Church Chapel, Irving. Interment to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Compassionate Hands Hospice, 9150 Royal Ln., Ste. 160, Irving, TX 75063. Arrangements made by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.
MRION WHITE

Batchelor, of Irving, passed away Thursday, June 1, 2006. She was born July 9, 1924 in Mexia, Texas. She graduated from Mexia High School in 1941 and married Sam Batchelor that same year at the First Baptist Church in Groesbeck. She was employed for many years as the office manager for Gestetner Corp. and also Smith Protective Services. A resident of Irving since 1951, she was a lifetime member of the First Baptist Church-Irving and a member of Evergreen. Survivors include her husband of 64 years, Sam Batchelor of Irving; children Ann Lewis of Irving, Sam Batchelor, Jr. of Groesbeck, Frances L. Batchelor of Dallas, and Denise E. Batchelor of Bedford; grandchildren Jason P. Shanks of Dallas, Misty M. Batchelor and Jeremy Batchelor, both of Groesbeck; great granddaughter Ellie Lucille Shanks of Dallas; sister-in-law Jeanette Beard of Irving; numerous friends and relatives; and her beloved dog Sally. Funeral services were held at 2:00 PM Saturday, June 3, 2006 at Brown’s Memorial Chapel. Interment followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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ELMER RAY Baggett, 72, of Highland Village, lost his courageous battle with cancer, Saturday, September 30, 2006. He was born August 10, 1934 in Denton County, Texas to Claude and Blanche Bays Baggett. He served in the United States Navy. Ray married his wife Wilda on December 29, 1975. He joined the Dallas Police Department in 1957 and retired in 1985 after 28 years of dedicated service. Ray was a member of the East Dallas Masonic Lodge #1200. He and Wilda loved square dancing and traveling and were members of the Swinging Saints and the North Texas Camping Squares. Ray is survived by his wife, Wilda; daughter, Terri Anderson and husband, Bill of Irving; sons, Chris Dandridge and wife, Lois of Mesquite and Kelly Baggett of Irving; mother, Blanche Baggett of Lewisville; six grandchildren, Brandi Thompson and husband, Bryan, Jared Baggett, Erin and Todd Dandridge, Thomas and Cameron Anderson and great grandchild, Madison Thompson. He was preceded in death by a son, Michael Todd Dandridge and by his father, Claude Baggett. Funeral service will be held 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, October 4, 2006, at First Baptist Church in Lewisville, 1251 W. Valley Ridge Blvd., Lewisville, Texas 75077. Police Chaplain Billy Combest and Pastor Troy Culpepper will officiate the service. Interment will follow in Old Hall Cemetery in Lewisville. The family will receive friends from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. In Lieu of flowers the family request memorial contributions to Cancer Research Foundation, First Baptist Church of Lewisville or to any organization of donor's choice. Our special thanks to Dr. Steve Perkins and Dr. Hugh McClung of UTSW, two very special doctors. 

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George Bickel of Irving passed away Wednesday, May 31, 2006. He was born September 21, 1921 in Wilson, Pennsylvania. He was a WWII Veteran and served as a B24 Navigator in the European Theater. George was a graduate of the University of Oklahoma with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering and was a member of the following organizations in which he held several leadership positions; Irving Republican Club, Irving Shriners, VFW – Irving, American Legion, and Irving Toastmasters Club. Preceded in death by his daughter Georganna Bickel in 1959, and wife Mary Bickel in 2001, he is survived by son Dr. Alan Bickel of Pueblo, Colorado; daughters Jennifer Cook of Irving, Bonny Cabla of Keller, and Barbara Meawala of The Woodlands, Texas; sister Margie Gilbert of Mesa, Arizona; and 11 grandchildren. Funeral services were held at 10:00 AM Friday, June 2, 2006 at Brown’s Memorial Chapel. Interment followed at Sparkman-Hillcrest, Dallas.
BRANDON CLINE
1985 - 2006

BRANDON CLINE, age 21, a resident of Frisco, Texas formerly of Irving, Texas, died Sunday, August 20, 2006 in Plano, Texas. He was born May 14, 1985 in Irving where he was a graduate of Nimitz High School. Some of his hobbies included football, baseball, basketball, water sports, snowboarding, fast cars, stunt riding and, above all else, his love for motorcycles. Brandon is survived by his parents, Eric and Kay Cline; brother, Blake Cline, sister, Brook Cline, all of Frisco; grandparents, Jim and Christa Cline of Plano; Sam and JoAnn McGuire of Irving; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. Visitation 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Tuesday at the funeral home. Service 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 23, 2006 at Plymouth Park Baptist Church in Irving. Rev. Byron Jackson officiating. Interment to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, Irving. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to The Brandon Cline Memorial Fund, c/o Bank of America, 425 W. Main Street, Frisco, TX 75034.
Baker, Carson Phillips

BAKER, CARSON PHILLIPS, Of Dallas, passed away September 1, 2006. He was born on March 3, 1951 in Springfield, Missouri. Carson is survived by his wife Gayle Lutgens Baker; his parents Lee & Jeanne Baker of Austin, TX; sister Carolyn Patton Baker of Brussels, Belgium; nephew Thomas Laxton; nieces Kate & Jehanne Laxton. No services are planned. Donations may be made to: Mary Crowley Medical Research Center Attn: Communications Dept. 1717 Main St. 60th Floor Dallas, TX 75201. Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

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BYRON DALE HOOD SR.
1946 - 2005

BYRON DALE HOOD, SR., age 59, was born September 30, 1946 in Dallas, Texas to Norman and Ruth Goldsmith Hood. He was raised in Oak Cliff. Byron died a man of faith on November 24, 2005 in Irving, Texas. Byron was always supportive of his children and grandchildren and their endeavors. He was an avid golfer and sports fan. A thirty-four year Irving resident, he was a member of South MacArthur Church of Christ and had been an employee of Albertson's for thirty years. He is survived by wife, Brenda Hood; sons, Bryon Hood, Jr. and his wife Beatrice, Billy and Bobby Hood; daughter, Darla and her husband Jeremy Lindell, all of Irving; brothers, David Hood of Maybank, TX., Malcolm Hood of Mesquite, TX and Lyndon Hood of Paris, Texas; sister, Lynda Johnson of Mesquite, TX and eight grandchildren. Services 11 a.m. Saturday, November 26, 2005 at South MacArthur Church of Christ, 1401 S. MacArthur Blvd. Interment following at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens of Irving. Grady King and Tim Lewis will officiate. Family will receive friends Friday 6-8 p.m. at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 W. Airport Freeway, Irving, TX.
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DEBORAH ANNETTE CLANTON
1948 - 2006

DEBORAH ANNETTE CLANTON, of Irving, Texas, formerly of Texarkana, Texas, went to be with her Lord and Savior on November 15, 2006, after a six year battle with cancer. Born July 27, 1948, in San Salvador, El Salvador, Central America, she moved to the US and was a beloved elementary school teacher for 36 years where she touched many lives for eternity. She was a bi-lingual kindergarten teacher at Barton Elementary in Irving and a pre-school teacher at Plymouth Park Baptist Church where she was an active member. Her life was a testimony to her strong faith. She is survived by daughter Hollie Walker and granddaughter Hannah who were the light of her life. She was also survived by three sisters: Lois Castillo, of San Francisco, Louise Hall, of San Salvador, and Ruth E. Roddick, of Bremerton, Washington; and two brothers Bobby Rice and Paul David Rice, both of San Marcos; numerous nephews and nieces and too many friends to count. She was preceded in death by her parents, Ralph B. and Elena Rice and by her brother, Benny Rice. Annette or “Nettie” as she was lovingly called, was the ultimate mother, grandmother, sister and friend. She touched many lives during her 58 years on earth. Visitation will begin at 2:00 p.m., prior to the service at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 18, 2006 at Plymouth Park Baptist Church in Irving. Rev. Byron Jackson officiating. Interment at King Private Cemetery in Paris, Texas. Donations to Plymouth Park Baptist Church Children’s Scholarship Fund should be made in lieu of flowers.
David F. Conn, 66, passed away Thursday, Oct. 19, 2006, at his residence after a long illness.

Funeral: 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Chism-Smith Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Rob Phillips officiating. Burial: will follow in Oak Grove Cemetery, Irving.

Pallbearers: David Conn, Buster Conn, Mike Simpson, Frank Bahr, Jeremy Alvarado, Daryl James, Blayne Tucker and Mike Bender.

David F. Conn was born March 6, 1940, in Dallas to William Buford "Buck" Conn Sr. and Helen Claudine Tucker Conn.

David worked as a service technician in the printing industry until his illness forced him into early retirement.

He married Gwen Burns on Aug. 3, 1980, in Irving.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Sharon Marie Conn-Walters.

Survivors: Wife, Gwen; daughter, Sheila Michelle Simpson and husband, Mike of Southlake; sons, David and Robert Conn, both of Southlake; brother, Bill Conn of Lewisville; sisters, Jeannine Frank and Pat Everett, both of Dallas; grandchildren, William Franklin "Buster" Conn, Ryan Walters, Aaron Walters, Courtney Walters, Brittany Conn, Nicole Libby, Eric Libby, Dillon Simpson and Matthew Simpson; numerous nieces and nephews; and a host of other family members and friends.

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Baker, Jeffery Neil
BAKER, JEFFERY NEIL, Loving son, brother and uncle, passed away Thursday, Aug.3 at the age of 43. Survivors include parents Neil and Ruth Baker of Irving, Tx; sister Beth Mastin; brother in law Chris Mastin; and his niece and nephew Kendall and Jake Mastin, all of Justin. He will be greatly missed by his numerous family members and many friends. A Memorial service will be held Tuesday, August 8th at 11:00 am at Plymouth Park Baptist Church in Irving, Tx.

Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 8/6/2006.
Baker, Jennifer Ann (Crumpacker)
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Published in the Dallas Morning News on 11/15/2006.
Barbee, Beuna Reed

BARBEE, BEUNA REED, Died peacefully at home on Thursday, July 27, 2006. She is survived by her devoted husband of 47 years, Clinton; two daughters: Lisa, of Winston-Salem, North Carolina; Kathy, and granddaughter, Katia, of Weatherford, Texas; a son, Steve, daughter-in-law, Brenda, and her precious "little prince" grandson, Sam, of Garland, Texas. She also leaves a sister, Geneva Petticrew, of McAlester Oklahoma; a brother, Douglas Reed, wife Earlene, and family, of Alvin, Texas; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. She was preceded in death by her parents, a brother, and three sisters. Born September 23, 1937 in Frederick, Oklahoma to parents John and Ethel Reed, Beuna grew up in Roff, Oklahoma, graduating from Roff High School in 1955. She went on to graduate from Draughon Business College, then began her career as a medical transcriptionist for physicians at Oklahoma City hospitals and at the Sugg Clinic in Ada, Oklahoma. She and Clinton married in 1959 at Fort Benning, Georgia. After raising three children, she resumed transcription work in Dallas, first at the Medical Arts Building downtown, then at Presbyterian Professional Building, until retiring from full time work in 1998. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Richardson, Texas since 1969 and loved caring for infants and children in the church nursery for over 25 years. In retirement, she continued to be active as a nanny to many dear children, and enjoyed home transcription work for the Texas Medical & Surgical Associates until just weeks before her passing. Beuna was fond of reading and travel. She also loved gardening and was especially gifted with orchid-growing. An inspiration to many, she touched us all with her optimism, sense of humor, strength, and selfless courage. Beuna will be missed by cherished friends, work associates, relatives, and neighbors, all of whom provided prayers, encouragement, and kindesses throughout the years. The family wishes to extend special thanks to Julie, Cynthia, and Angel of Samaritan Care Hospice of Dallas, and to Drs. Shapiro, Kassanoff, Levin, and Nichols and their staff of caring professionals. A memorial celebration of her life will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, August 12, 2006 at First Baptist Church, 1001 North Central Expressway, Richardson, Texas 75080. In lieu of flowers, her life may be honored through donation to the Susan G. Komen Foundation, the American Cancer Society, or a favorite charity. Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

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Barnes, Calvin C.

BARNES, CALVIN C. Was born June 11th, 1924 in Little Rock, Arkansas and passed away July 14th, 2006 in Dallas, TX. He is survived by his wife; Faye of Dallas, children; David Barnes and his wife Alice of Garland, Joyce Barr of Idaho, and Gail and her husband Bill Price of Mesquite, three brothers; James L. Barnes of Dallas, Colby G. Barnes of Dallas, and George N. Barnes of Mesquite, one sister; Margaret V. Walden of Dallas, three grandsons, and one granddaughter. Visitation will be held Mon. July 17th at the funeral home from 6-8PM with services on Tues. July 18th, at 10:00 A.M. , interment to follow at Grove Hill Cemetery. , Anderson Clayton 972-285-5489 Mesquite andersonclaytonfuneral.com

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HERBERT F. CHAMBERLAIN
1943 - 2006

HERBERT F. CHAMBERLAIN, age 62, a resident of Irving, Texas since 1969, died Thursday, July 6, 2006 in Irving. Lovingly known as "Grumps," he was born July 26, 1943 in Saint Petersburg, Florida to Herbert L. and Norma Caruolo Chamberlain. A maintenance engineer at Hunt Hinge & Bailey Tools in Dallas, he was nearing retirement. Herbert was a member of and regularly attended the Salvation Army Church in Irving where he was an avid volunteer. Survivors include his wife of 36 years, Frances Chamberlain; daughters, Norma Owen and husband Rob, Catherine Kenessey and husband Steve, Jacqueline Smith and Todd Hewett and Barbara Wayland and husband Brian; sons, James Church and wife Susan, Jackson Church and wife Janet and Joseph Church and wife Dana; brother, Anthony Chamberlain and wife Arlene; sister-in-law, Jody and husband Anthony Erdos, III; seventeen grandchildren; six great grandchildren; and three nieces. A visitation will be held 7:00 to 9:00 p.m., Tuesday at the funeral home. Service 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 12, 2006 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Interment 1:00 p.m., Wednesday at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery, Lane A. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Heart Association.
Thomas Clinton Barnes

BARNES, Thomas CLINTON Thomas Clinton "Clint" Barnes, age 35, of Dallas, Texas, passed away suddenly on Sunday, November 12, 2006. Born June 14th, 1971, in Irving, Texas, and preceded in death by parents, Joe Barnes and Nance Wells Barnes, grandparents, Charles C. Wells Sr. and Frances Wells, and grandfather, Gordon Barnes. Clint spent most of his life in Mesquite, where he attended high school. He worked for more than 15 years in the cable industry, and was employed by LodgeNet Entertainment at the time of his death. He enjoyed figuring out what made things tick, and at one time had quite a collection of classic video and arcade games. He loved the State Fair of Texas and carnivals, going as often as he could. He loved his dogs, Sally, Bagel, & Petunia, and most of all, loved his family. He would have done anything for them, and was happiest when he was around them. He was a kind and gentle soul, a loving brother, uncle, nephew, cousin and friend, and will be dearly missed by all. He is survived by his sister, Christie Barnes Ozymy & companion Jeff Glenn, sister, Cheri Barnes, nieces, Holli Barnes and Keaton Ozymy, grandmother, Margueriete Barnes, aunts, Jan Stewart, Becki Hampson and Darcie Wells, uncles, Charles Wells, Jr., Kurt Hampson, and Jerry Barnes, cousins, Shawn, Eric, Amanda, and Tyler Echols, Stephanie and Eddie Crain, Carie, Gary, Hunter, Heidi, and Marshall Blackwell, Michael and Stacey Hampson, Todd Hampson and companion Stacy Laskey, James Stewart, Katy Wells, Jessica Muggli, Whitney Hensley, Britney Hensley, Makenzie Lyon, and numerous other relatives and friends. Memorial services will be held on Saturday November 18, 2006, at the home of Stephanie and Eddie Crain, 513 Country View Lane, Garland. The family will receive guests beginning at 3 pm. They request that you please dress casually. Those wishing to make a donation in Clints memory may do so to Operation Kindness in Carrollton, the SPCA, or the charity of their choice.

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 11/17/2006.
Barnes, Robert Nash

BARNES, ROBERT NASH (BOB), Robert N. Barnes died Saturday, March 18, 2006, at age 81 in Dallas, Texas. He was born March 25, 1924, in Rockwall, Texas, to Hal Barnett and Frances Nash Barnes. He is predeceased by his parents; sisters, Florence Florence and Mary Atkins; brothers, Hal Barnett Barnes, Jr., and Bobs identical twin, William V. Barnes. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Frances Dollar Barnes; his son, Michael Barnes, and wife, Libby, of Austin; his daughter, Molly Barnes, and husband, Chuck Leifeste, of San Antonio; and several cousins, nieces and nephews. Bob graduated from Rockwall High School in 1941, and attended North Texas Agricultural College - NTAC (now University of Texas at Arlington) where he was in the ROTC. He joined the US Air Force in 1943 and after training, served as a B-24 Heavy Bomber pilot with the 376th Bomb Group, 15th Air Force, in Italy. At wars end, he attended University of Texas in Austin where he graduated with a BBA degree in 1947. Mr. Barnes was employed for 41 years by Employers Insurance of Texas in various audit, underwriting and training positions. He also taught insurance classes at El Centro Community College in Dallas, preparing students for nationally-administered exams leading to the professional CPCU (Chartered Property Casualty Underwriter) designation. After retirement, Mr. Barnes served as a volunteer with Travelers Aid in the Delta Terminal of the Dallas-Ft. Worth Airport. He also worked on a part-time basis for certain events associated with the Dallas Convention Center. Following private burial at the Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery, a memorial service will be officiated by Dr. William E. La Barr at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 23, 2006, at Plymouth Park United Methodist Church located at 1615 W. Airport Freeway (Hwy. 183) in Irving, where Bob and Frances were among the founding members in 1956 and have been members for fifty years. Donations in Bobs memory may be made to the Irving Public Library. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. Irving TX (972) 579-1313 www.donnelyscolonial.com

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Published in the Dallas Morning News on 3/22/2006.
Barnes, Thomas Clinton

BARNES, THOMAS CLINTON Thomas Clinton "Clint" Barnes, age 35, of Dallas, Texas, passed away suddenly on Sunday, November 12, 2006. Born June 14th, 1971, in Irving, Texas, and preceded in death by parents, Joe Barnes and Nance Wells Barnes, grandparents, Charles C. Wells, Sr. and Frances Wells, and grandfather, Gordon Barnes. Clint spent most of his life in Mesquite, where he attended high school. He worked for more than 15 years in the cable industry, and was employed by LodgeNet Entertainment at the time of his death. He enjoyed figuring out what made things tick, and at one time had quite a collection of classic video and arcade games. He loved the State Fair of Texas and carnivals, going as often as he could. He loved his dogs, Sally, Bagel, & Petunia, and most of all, loved his family. He would have done anything for them, and was happiest when he was around them. He was a kind and gentle soul, a loving brother, uncle, nephew, cousin and friend, and will be dearly missed by all. He is survived by his sister, Christie Barnes Ozymi & companion Jeff Glenn, sister, Cheri Barnes, nieces, Holli Barnes and Keaton Ozymi, grandmother, Marguerite Barnes, aunts, Jan Stewart, Becki Hampson and Darcie Wells, uncles, Charles Wells, Jr., Kurt Hampson, and Jerry Barnes, cousins, Shawn, Eric, Amanda, and Tyler Echols, Stephanie and Eddie Crain, Carie, Gary, Hunter, Heidi, and Marshall Blackwell, Michael and Stacey Hampson, Todd Hampson and companion Stacy Laskey, James Stewart, Katy Wells, Jessica Muggli, Whitney Hensley, Britney Hensley, Makenzie Lyon, and numerous other relatives and friends. Memorial services will be held on Saturday November 18, 2006, at the home of Stephanie and Eddie Crain, 513 Country View Lane, Garland. The family will receive guests beginning at 3 pm. They request that you please dress casually. Those wishing to make a donation in Clint's memory may do so to Operation Kindness in Carrollton, the SPCA, or the charity of their choice.

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 11/17/2006.
Bertanzetti, Helen
BERTANZETTI, HELEN, 84, of Irving for 6 years, died Sunday, November 19, 2006 in Irving. Helen was a member of Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church in Irving. She is survived by her husband, Arthur Bertanzetti; sons, Arthur W. Bertanzetti and Paul Bertanzetti, both of Irving, David Bertanzetti of Birmingham, AL; four grandchildren, Lauren, Kate, Matthew and Nicholas Bertanzetti; and brother, William Bell of Fort Worth. Visitation to begin at 6:00 p.m., Friday with the Rosary to be recited at 7:30 p.m. at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Mass of Christian Burial 10:00 a.m., Saturday, November 25, 2006 at Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church. Rev. Msgr. Jerome Duesman, celebrant. Burial 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

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BARTON, JR., DAVID LEE, Passed away Tuesday, May 16, 2006 in Balch Springs, Texas. He was born November 23, 1933. Preceded in death by his parents, son Larry Barton, daughter Mary Ann Barton, 3 brothers, and 2 sisters; he is survived by wife Mary Karen Barton of Coppell; son David Roland Barton of The Colony; daughters Linda Karen Messimer and husband Pat Messimer of Balch Springs, and Terri Lee Stover and husband Doug Stover of Coppell; daughter-in-law Patti Barton of Irving; 8 grandchildren; and 1 great grandchild to be born in October. Funeral services will be held 10:00 AM Saturday, May 20, 2006 at First United Methodist Church Chapel, Irving. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends 6-8 PM Friday at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Compassionate Hands Hospice, 9150 Royal Ln., Ste. 160, Irving, TX 75063. Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

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Batchelor, Marion White

BATCHelor, , marion white of irving, passed away Thursday, June 1, 2006. She was born July 9, 1924 in Mexia, Texas. She graduated from Mexia High School in 1941 and married sam batchelor that same year at the first baptist church in groesbeck. She was employed for many years as the office manager for gestetner corp. and also smith protective services. A resident of irving since 1951, she was a lifetime member of the first baptist church-Irving and a member of evergreen. Survivors include her husband of 64 years, sam batchelor of irving; children Ann Lewis of irving, sam batchelor, Jr. of groesbeck, Frances L. Batchelor of Dallas, and Denise E. Batchelor of Bedford; grandchildren Jason P. Shanks of Dallas, Misty M. Batchelor and Jeremy Batchelor, both of groesbeck; great granddaughter ellie Lucille Shanks of Dallas; sister-in-law Jeanette Beard of Irving; numerous friends and relatives; and her beloved dog Sally. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Saturday, June 3, 2006 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends 6-8 PM Friday at the funeral home. Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

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Batchelor, Sam Wilson

BATCHelor, , SAM WILSON "HAPPY" Of Irving, passed away Sunday, November 19, 2006. He was born June 21, 1916 in Groesbeck, Texas. Sam retired from the Beard Plumbing Co. after 50 years and was a member of the Plumbers & Steamfitters Local Union #100. He was the 1st President of the Irving Girls Softball League and also involved with little league baseball. He was a lifetime member of First Baptist Church-Irving, and Evergreen. Preceded in death by his wife of 64 years, Marion Batchelor in June of this year, survivors include his children Ann Batchelor Lewis and husband Jack of Irving, Sam Batchelor, Jr. of Groesbeck, Frances L. Batchelor of Dallas, and Denise E. Batchelor of Bedford; grandchildren Jason P. Shanks and wife Nancy of Dallas, Misty M. Batchelor and Jeremy Batchelor, both of Groesbeck; great granddaughter Ellie Lucille Shanks of Dallas; sister Jeanette Beard of Irving; numerous friends and relatives, and his beloved dog Angel. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Wednesday, November 22, 2006 at Brown’s Memorial Chapel with Dr. Randy Rudisell officiating. Visitation will be held 6-8 PM Tuesday. Ben F. Brown’s Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

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Bathe, Mary Katherine Earls

BATHE, MARY KATHERINE EARLS 66, formerly of Irving, TX and Port Charlotte, FL, died February 6, 2006, at her home in Lake Placid, FL. Mrs. Bathe was born in Van Buren, AR and was raised Pentecostal. Survivors include her husband of 29 years, Avon Eugene Bathe; daughter, Janet Sue Smith; sons, Randy Lamar Ross and Kenneth Alan Ross; four grandchildren; one great-grandson; and stepchildren, Shern Denise Kulman, Sandra Marie Cole, and Barbara Ann Ballard. Arrangements by Scott Funeral Home, Lake Placid, FL.

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Published in the Dallas Morning News on 2/26/2006.
Baty, Della Beatrice Morris

BATY, DELLA, BEATRICE MORRIS Della Beatrice "Bea" Morris Baty, 78, drifted peacefully away Thursday afternoon after a brief illness. She was born November 9, 1927, in San Angelo, Texas, and was raised in Hondo, New Mexico. She came to Denton in 1945 to attend Texas Woman's University. She married Clarence Baty in April 1948. She retired from the wholesale magazine business in 1997 after 47 years, but could only stay retired three weeks. She has happily worked for Bobby Gentry's Muffler Shop on South Locust since Sept. 1997 until the last day of June this year. She is survived by her daughter Sharon Richert and grandson Jacob Richert, both of Lewisville, an uncle in San Angelo, an aunt in El Paso, and several nieces and nephews. She is predeceased by her husband, her mother Mable Beatrice Morris, stepfather Jack Morris, and stepmother Lavita "Susie" Morris. Funeral service will be held Monday, August 7, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel of Mulkey-Mason Funeral Home, 705 N. Locust, Denton, TX. with Rev. Michael J. Sitz officiating. Burial will follow at Roselawn Cemetery in Denton. Family will be at the funeral home to receive friends and family on Sunday, August 6, from 3 to 5 p.m. Mulkey-Mason, Jack Schmitz and Son Funeral Home Denton, TX940-382-6622

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 8/5/2006.
Beasley, Luther Courtland

BEASLEY,,, LUTHER COURTLAND Of Heber Springs, Arkansas, passed away Thursday, February 9, 2006. He was born February 16, 1922 in Heber Springs. He is survived by his wife Glendola Beasley of Heber Springs; son Ricky Don Beasley of Longview; daughters Linda Diane Johnson of Hurst and Rita Kendrick of Irving; sister Earnestine Fraser of Napa, California; 6 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews; and many friends. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM Wednesday, February 15, 2006 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow at DFW National Cemetery, Dallas. The family will receive friends 6-8 PM Tuesday at the funeral home. **Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned Since 1963 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242**

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Published in the Dallas Morning News on 2/14/2006.
RICKY DON BEASLEY

Ricky Don Beasley, of Longview, passed away February 15, 2006.

He was born Aug. 4, 1947 in Dallas. His father, Luther Beasley preceded him in death on Feb. 9, 2006.

He is survived by his mother Glendola Beasley of Heber Springs, AR; son Christopher Beasley of Ft. Worth; daughter Angela Beasley of Garland; sisters Rita Kendrick of Irving and Linda Johnson of Euless; and grandchild Kai Christopher Horton of Garland.

Funeral services were held Feb. 18 at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Chapel with Rev. Leon Sanders officiating.
BEENE, NANCY EARLE, Born October 1, 1928, Died April 1, 2006 in Austin, TX. Preceded in death by husband, Bill D. Beene and parents, Earl B. and Florence E. Neville. Survived by son, Steven E. Beene, daughter, Tracy G. Howe and her husband Jim and granddaughters, Jennifer, Jamie and Julianne Howe all of Austin, TX., brother Don Neville and his wife Pauline of Tulsa, OK. Graduated from Okmulgee High School and attended Stephens College. A longtime member and Past President of the White Rock Kiwanis-Annes, she performed in 24 of the White Rock Kiwanis shows - her favorite role being that of Mammy Yokum in "Li'l Abner". Also a longtime member of White Rock United Methodist Church, Atlasta Book Club and Leaf & Shadow Garden Club. A Memorial Service will be held at 2:00pm on Saturday, April 8 at Lakewood United Methodist Church, 2443 Abrams Rd. with the Rev. Larry Ravert officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Garland Civic Theatre.

Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 4/7/2006.
BELL, JR., DAN Age 82 of DeSoto, TX passed away on Monday, June 19, 2006. He was born on Nov. 27, 1923 in Gate City, Dallas County, TX to Rev. Daniel and Rev. Mary Issoria Bell. His family history traces back to the founding days of Irving, TX where he resided well into his adult years. Mr. Bell was a WWII Veteran serving in the Marine Corps. He also served in the Merchant Marines and was a past member of the Civil Air Patrol. He married Clarice Rowe on Nov. 12, 1946 in Dallas, TX. Mr. Bell enjoyed the challenges and rewards of small business ownership, the last being an independent Texaco dealer until his retirement. Mr. Bell was a 23rd degree mason with the Irving Masonic lodge and was also a member of the Scottish Rite. Mr. Bell is survived by his wife Clarice Bell; daughter, Cynthia Bogard; son, Steven and wife Andrea Bell; sisters, Betty Bell and Sue Brewer and husband Dennis, TX; Grandchildren, Adam, Sarah, Benjamin Bogard and Alyssa, Ethan, Collin Bell; Great-grandchildren Madeline and Olivia Bogard. He was preceded in death by a brother, Royal Wyvert Bell. Visitation will be held from 6:00-8:00 p.m. on Wed., June 21st at the Funeral Home. Funeral Services will be 1:00 p.m., Thurs., June 22nd also at the Funeral Home. Interment will follow at DFW National Cemetery., Chism & Smith 129 S.

O'Connor Irving (972) 259-7644

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 6/21/2006.
Bell Jr., Raymond

BELL, JR., RAYMOND, Of Irving, Tx, passed away Wednesday, August 30, 2006. He was born June 22, 1934 in Sherman, Texas to parents Raymond Emanuel Bell and Wilma Ellen Nottingham. Shortly after locating to the Dallas area, Raymond joined the Texas National Guard and served for 3 1/2 years. He then served in the Coast Guard for 3 years. He worked for General Motors for 36 years. Raymond was a devoted husband, father, and little league baseball coach and enjoyed the VFW, dominos, and playing cards. Raymond leaves behind children Sue Green and husband Joe; Don Bell, Christy Riley and husband Rick, and Stacy Crow; sisters Ramona Holt and Frances Young; brothers Jerry Bell and Mike Bell; 9 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, and one on the way. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Friday, September 1, 2006 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

O86 Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 9/1/2006.
ORVILLE C. BELLAH

Orville C. Bellah, age 78, a resident of Irving died Feb. 21, 2006 at a Dallas hospital. Born January 12, 1928 in Corpus Christi to Olvey Quintin and Rosa Jewel Breedlove Bellah, he served in the U.S. Navy, and retired from Dallas Power and Light, TXU after 33 years as an electrical engineer.

Preceded in death by his parents, a son, Orville C. Bellah, II and brother, Alfred Bellah, he is survived by his wife, JoAnn Bellah of Dallas; son, Quinton Bellah and wife Lisa and, son Christopher Bellah, all of Irving; step-children, Ernest Wofford of Nocona, Ralph Wofford, Debra Shepherd and Calvin Wofford, all of Waco, Andrew Wofford of Oklahoma, and Curtis Burris of Waco; grandchildren, Orville C. Bellah, III and wife Trey of Mesquite, Sean Bellah of Plano, Caleb Bellah of Mesquite, Anthony Austin Carr, Jr. of Wills Point, Dallas Michael Bellah and Houston Lynn Bellah both of Anna; one great-grandson; sister, Helen Daniels of Skidmore; and brother, Samuel Quinton Bellah of Fairfield. Memorial service was held Feb. 25 at Kirkwood United Methodist Church in Irving. Rev. Keith Cupples officiating. Memorials may be made to the American Lung Association.

March 3, 2006

www.irvingrambler.com
Bellah, Orville C.
BELLAH, ORVILLE C. , 78, of Irving, died Feb 21, 2006. Memorial Service 2 p.m., Sat. Feb 25th at Kirkwood United Methodist Church in Irving. For full obituary, please see donnellysccolonial.com. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home
606 W. Airport Frwy. Irving TX (972) 579-1313 www.donnellysccolonial.com

OB6 Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 2/24/2006.
Benderman, Luann

BENDERMAN, LUANN "LOU ANN, Our precious Luann, born July 18, 1946, went to be with her Lord on May 4, 2006. Preceding her in death are her natural parents, Dorothy Louise "Dot" Merrifield & William Clayton "Bill" Powers; brother David Lee Powers; her adoptive parents Edna P. McKissick & John O. Benderman. She leaves to cherish her memory; sister Carla Sue "Susie" Bynum; nieces Melody A. Drake & Melissa K. Steed; step brother Billy Joe Lamb; great nieces Allison Mae & Abigail Kathryn Steed; & many aunts, uncles, cousins & her long time faithful friend Greg Tobin & many who loved her. Memorial service 2:00 PM Saturday, May 13, 2006 Highland Baptist Church, 8202 Boedeker Dr., Dallas. Donations to her church. Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

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Published in the Dallas Morning News on 5/10/2006.
CAROL SUZANNE BENNETT

Carol Suzanne Bennett, of Irving, passed away April 15, 2006.

She was born Oct. 17, 1956 in Dallas. She is survived by her brother Andrew Bennett and wife Janie of Longwood, FL; brother Bruce Bennett of Golden, CO; sister Pamela Navarrette and husband Reyes of Carrollton; sisters Cathy Bennett and Elizabeth Bennett both of Irving; two nieces and four nephews.

A Memorial service was held at Brown's Memorial Chapel on April 18, 2006.
Bennett, Carol Suzanne
BENNETT, CAROL SUZANNE Of Irving, passed away Saturday April 15, 2006. She was born October 17, 1956 in Dallas, Texas. She is survived by her brother Andrew Bennett and wife Janie of Longwood, FL; brother Bruce Bennett of Golden, CO; sister Pamela Navarrette and husband Reyes of Carrollton; sisters Cathy Bennett and Elizabeth Bennett both of Irving; two nieces and four nephews. A Memorial service will be at Browns Memorial Chapel on Tuesday, April 18, 2006 at 4:00 PM. Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

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2006 at the First Baptist Church of Irving, Rev. Chuck Stevenson officiating. Interment will be at noon, Wednesday at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery, Lane A.

A visitation will be held 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Tuesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, funeral service 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, June 14.

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BENNETT, M. D.

77, of Irving, died June 10, 2006. Visitation 6-8 pm, Tuesday. Service 10 am, Weds., June 14th at First Baptist Church, Irving. Interment at Dallas-Ft Worth National Cemetery. For full obituary, please see donnellyscolonial.com.

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Berman, Ersa Lee Whitehead

BERMAN, ERSA LEE WHITEHEAD Was born November 9, 1924 in Grandfield, OK and died October 29, 2006 in Dallas, TX. She attended school in Randlett and Ninnekah, OK, Irving, TX, and the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. Lee was very active in numerous civic, church, and social groups. She was a member of Bentwood Trail Presbyterian Church for 44 years. She was involved with Grace Presbyterian Village for over 20 years. Lee was remarkable at how she maintained friendships from all parts of her life - Irving High, the University of Tennessee, Texas Power & Light, her church, and her many aunts, uncles and cousins. Lee and her husband Gib took great joy in their family. Holidays were a special time, whether at their home in Dallas or skiing in Colorado. She and Gib traveled extensively and always incorporated family visits in their trips. Lee was preceded in death by her husband of 44 years, Gerson "Gib" Berman whom she met while they were working at Texas Power, and Light Company and her parents James H. and Dora "Dot" Houser Whitehead. She is survived by her brother, four children, their spouses, eight grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren. Her brother Rodney Whitehead of San Antonio, TX. Her children Ann Berman of Brookline, MA and her son Cody; Dale and Carrie Berman of Dallas, TX, and their children Candace, Jim, and Nathan; Kim and Charles Mueller of Houston, TX, and their children Collin and Kristen; Don and Jane Berman of Austin, TX, Jennifer and Ryan Everett of Boerne, TX, and their children Claire and Lauren; Shea and Todd Baker of Allen, TX and their children Jordan, Jack, and Madelyn. The family will hold a visitation at Restland Funeral Home on Tuesday, October 31, from 6-8 p.m. The memorial service will be at Bentwood Trail Presbyterian Church, 6000 Bentwood Trail, Dallas, TX 75252 at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 1st. Restland 972-238-7111
restlandfuneralhome.com

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Published in the Dallas Morning News on 10/31/2006.
Berman, Ersa Lee Whitehead

BERMAN, , ERSA LEE WHITEHEAD Was born November 9, 1924 in Grandfield, OK and died October 29, 2006 in Dallas, TX. She attended school in Randlett and Ninnekah, OK, Irving, TX, and the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. Lee was very active in numerous civic, church, and social groups. She was a member of Bentwood Trail Presbyterian Church for 44 years. She was involved with Grace Presbyterian Village for over 20 years. Lee was remarkable at how she maintained friendships from all parts of her life - Irving High, the University of Tennessee, Texas Power & Light, her church, and her many aunts, uncles and cousins. Lee and her husband Gib took great joy in their family. Holidays were a special time, whether at their home in Dallas or skiing in Colorado. She and Gib traveled extensively and always incorporated family visits in their trips. Lee was preceded in death by her husband of 44 years, Gerson "Gib" Berman whom she met while they were working at Texas Power, and Light Company and her parents James H. and Dora "Dot" Houser Whitehead. She is survived by her brother, four children, their spouses, eight grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren. Her brother Rodney Whitehead of San Antonio, TX. Her children Ann Berman of Brookline, MA and her son Cody; Dale and Carrie Berman of Dallas, TX, and their children Candace, Jim, and Nathan; Kim and Charles Mueller of Houston, TX, and their children Collin and Kristen; Don and Jane Berman of Austin, TX, Jennifer and Ryan Everett of Boerne, TX, and their children Claire and Lauren; Shea and Todd Baker of Allen, TX and their children Jordan, Jack, and Madelyn. The family will hold a visitation at Restland Funeral Home on Tuesday, October 31, from 6-8 p.m. The memorial service will be at Bentwood Trail Presbyterian Church, 6000 Bentwood Trail, Dallas, TX 75252 at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 1st. Restland 972-238-7111 restlandfuneralhome.com

Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 10/31/2006.
**Berry, Brooks Norfleet**

BERRY, , BROOKS NORFLEET Of Richmond, Virginia, age 17, died on April 9, 2006 from a head injury. He is survived by his parents, John Frederick "Jack" Berry & Katherine Norfleet Berry; his brother, John Norfleet Berry; his grandmother, Mary Gail Norfleet of Dallas; his uncle, Brian D. Berry and wife, Susan and their two children, Kaitlyn and Jessica; his aunt, Kay Berry Villa and husband, Robert, and their children, Zach and Jake; his aunts, Gail Norfleet, and Anne Norfleet Bailey and her husband, Robert, and their children, Brooks, Catherine and Sophie of Dallas. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Richard and Gretta Berry of Lynchburg and Brooks Norfleet of Dallas, Texas. Brooks was a student at Benedictine High School, where he was active in sports, having played on the JV basketball, football and baseball teams, as well as the Varsity tennis team. He loved his Benedictine family, and that love was and continues to be returned in innumerable ways. Brooks was a gifted musician who played the guitar and wrote, sang and recorded music with his brother and friends. His first recording was a creative version of "All Along the Watchtower," by Bob Dylan. Brooks grew up in Ashland, VA, and had friends throughout the Richmond area, from Beaverdam to Brandermill, and everywhere in between. Benedictine Headmaster John McGinty described him as the "universal friend." Brooks brought joy to everyone he touched. He lived for the moment, was unburdened by rules and brought out the goodness in every person he met. He was kind, caring and shared his boundless love with everyone. Brooks Berry was unique on the planet. His way of life was guided by God, always loving and giving. He knew no pretense. Brooks was an organ donor who saved several lives. He gave his lungs, kidneys, liver and pancreas so others might live. He gave his eyes so another might see. He also gave bones and tissues. As his friends said, "those organ recipients are going to wake up in the morning and ROCK." A service was held at St. Benedict Catholic Church for Benedictine High School students, faculty and friends at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, April 13, 2006. A memorial service was held at Second Presbyterian Church, 5 North 5th Street in Downtown Richmond on Thursday at 2 p.m., followed by a reception at the church. Donations may be made to the Brooks Norfleet Berry Music Scholarship Fund at Benedictine High School, 304 North Sheppard St., Richmond, VA. 23221.

*O66 Obituaries, Notices*
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 4/19/2006.

Helen Bertranelli, age 84, a resident of Irving, Texas for 6 years, formerly of North Little Rock, Arkansas, died Sunday, November 19, 2006, at Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church. She is survived by her husband, Arthur Bertranelli; sons, Anthony W. Bertranelli, and Paul Bertranelli; both of Irving; and numerous other family members. She was a member of Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church in Irving. She is survived by her husband, Arthur.
Helen Bertanzetti
BERTANZETTI, HELEN, 84, of Irving for 6 years, died Sunday, November 19, 2006 in Irving. Helen was a member of Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church in Irving. She is survived by her husband, Arthur Bertanzetti; sons, Arthur W. Bertanzetti and Paul Bertanzetti, both of Irving, David Bertanzetti of Birmingham, AL; four grandchildren, Lauren, Kate, Matthew and Nicholas Bertanzetti; and brother, William Bell of Fort Worth. Visitation to begin at 6:00 p.m., Friday with the Rosary to be recited at 7:30 p.m. at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Mass of Christian Burial 10:00 a.m., Saturday, November 25, 2006 at Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church. Rev. Msgr. Jerome Duesman, celebrant. Burial 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

2006 Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 11/20/2006.
BAKER, BETTY RUTH, 72, retired registered nurse, loving wife, mother, grandmother and considerate friend left her earthly bondage on Tuesday, Nov. 21, 2006. Betty, a native of Yanush, OK., was one of seven children born to Earl and Ruth Anderson Hokit. Survived by husband of 53 years; John Baker, children; Pam Leaser and her husband David, John Baker Jr. and his wife Debbie, Timothy Baker, Lori Obenoskey and her husband Michael; 8 grandchildren; sisters, Frena Synder and Beda Rowley. Funeral: 10 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 25, 2006 at Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home. Burial: Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home Grand Prairie 972-263-5570

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 11/25/2006.
Bibby, Mary Dougill
BIBBY, MARY DOUGILL Widow of Norman and formerly widow of Daryl Neal. Passed away peacefully on July 26 after a full, happy and generous life. Much loved mother of Sara, Tessa, Andria, Joe, and Dick, dear Granny B to Kurt and Austin, her eight grandchildren and all her family. Service at Caldy Parish Church, England, on Wednesday August 9. Donations only please to Royal National Lifeboat Institution - Hoylake, England, the charity for which she worked for over 70 years. Quinns Funeral Service

Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 8/4/2006.
GEORGE BICKEL

George Bickel, of Irving, passed away May 31, 2006.
He was born Sep 21, 1921 in Wilson, PA. He was a
WWII Veteran and served as a B-24 Navigator in the European Theater.
George was a graduate of the University of Oklahoma with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering and was a member of the following organizations in which he held several leadership positions: Irving Republican Club, Irving Shriners, VFW - Irving, American Legion, and Irving Toastmasters Club.

Preceded in death by his daughter Georganna Bickel in 1959, and wife Mary Bickel in 2001, he is survived by son Dr. Alan Bickel of Pueblo, Colorado; daughters Jennifer Cook of Irving, Bonnie Cabla of Keller, and Barbara Mevawala of The Woodlands, Texas; sister Margie Gilbert of Mesa, Arizona; and 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held June 2 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Interment followed at Sparkman-Hillcrest, Dallas. The family received friends Thursday at the funeral home.

June 1, 2006
Irving Rambler
Bickel, George

BICKEL, GEORGE, Of Irving, passed away Wednesday, May 31, 2006. He was born September 21, 1921 in Wilson, Pennsylvania. He was a WWII Veteran and served as a B24 Navigator in the European Theater. George was a graduate of the University of Oklahoma with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering and was a member of the following organizations in which he held several leadership positions; Irving Republican Club, Irving Shriners, VFW - Irving, American Legion, and Irving Toastmasters Club. Preceded in death by his daughter Georganna Bickel in 1959, and wife Mary Bickel in 2001; he is survived by son Dr. Alan Bickel of Pueblo, Colorado; daughters Jennifer Cook of Irving, Bonny Cabla of Keller, and Barbara Mevawala of The Woodlands, Texas; sister Margie Gilbert of Mesa, Arizona; and 11 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM Friday, June 2, 2006 at Brown’s Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow at Sparkman-Hillcrest, Dallas. The family will receive friends 7-9 PM Thursday at the funeral home. **Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com**

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Bickel, George

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Biggers, Virgie
BIGGERS, VIRGIE, Age 95, longtime Irving resident passed away on Fri., Jan. 20, 2006 in Athens, TX. She was born on June 5, 1910. Visitation will be held from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m., Mon. Jan. 23rd at the Funeral Home. Funeral Services will be 11:00 a.m., Tues., Jan. 24th at Chism-Smith Funeral Home with interment at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. Chism & Smith 129 S. O'Connor Irving (972) 259-7644

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Published in the Dallas Morning News on 1/22/2006.
Biggs, Billie Rose
BIGGS, BILLIE ROSE , (Mrs. J. E.) Devoted wife, mother, sister and
world's best Maw, great-grandmother and great-great-grandmother.
She will be remembered and missed by all who knew her. Born December
19, 1926 in Big Sandy, TX. Passed away July 1, 2006 in Dallas. Preceded
in death by husband of 56 years, J. E. (Shorty) Biggs and son, James Ray
Biggs. Survived by daughters, Linda Monk and husband Norman, Cynthia
Teas and husband Paul, Sandy Smith and husband Steve; grandchildren,
Norma Sue, Wendee, Amber, J. C. (Red), Hayley, Summer, Kayman and
Trace; 17 great-grandchildren; 4 great-great-grandchildren; sisters,
Marion McKenney and husband Ted, Joy Younbdlood and husband Dan;
brother, Frank Louis Parker and wife Doris; numerous nieces and
nephews. Services 1:00pm Monday, July 3, 2006 at Restland Memorial
Chapel. Family will receive friends 6:00 to 8:00pm Sunday, July 2, 2006
at Restland Funeral Home. Interment at Laurel Land Memorial Park,
Dallas. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Camp Barnabas,
Purdy, MO 65734. Restland 972-238-7111 restlandfuneralhome.com

O86 Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 7/2/2006.
BLACKBURN, ROBERT V. April 22, 1918 - October 26, 2006 Father, Friend, a man whom knew no stranger. Met the Lord October 26, 2006. Mr. Blackburn is survived by his son, Robert S. Blackburn, daughter-in-law Ruth S. Blackburn; grandsons Robert R. and Grant A. Blackburn of Lago Vista, Texas; sister Louise Collins of Toledo, Ohio; several nieces and nephews. Mr. Blackburn is preceded in death by his wife, Iva S. Blackburn, sister Grace and brother Donald. He is a graduate of Denison University and was a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity. He retired as vice president of Round the Clock Hosiery. He was a 52 year resident of Dallas, Texas and a charter member of Sam Cochran Masonic Lodge in Dallas. He was also a member of the North Dallas Golden Kiwanis Club and a volunteer at Presbyterian Hospital. He relocated to Lago Vista, Texas in 2000 making many new friends and continuing to volunteer at Seton Northwest Hospital. This man will be missed, but never forgotten. A friend to all. A memorial service will be held at 3:00 P.M., Wednesday, November 1, 2006 at Beck Funeral Home in Cedar Park, Texas. Graveside services will be conducted at a later date in Washington Park North in Indianapolis, Indiana. The family requests in lieu of flowers memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Austin. Arrangements under the , direction of: Beck Funeral Home 1700 E. Whitestone, Cedar Park, Tx. 78613 512-259-1610.

OBS Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 10/31/2006.
Bobbe, Gladys Kay

BOBBIE, GLADYS KAY, 96, of Big Spring, died on Saturday, May 6, 2006, in a local nursing home. Graveside funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Monday, May 8, 2006 at the Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, Texas, with Elder Charles Renfro, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home and Crematory of Big Spring. Online Condolences can be made at: www.npwelch.com Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home Big Spring, TX 915-267-6331

OB6 Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 5/8/2006.
Bond, Malvin
BOND, MALVIN Born in Enloe, TX on January 19, 1914 and passed away June 26, 2006 in Cleburne, TX. Mrs. Bond was a retired first grade teacher, having taught in Amarillo, Irving, and as a charter member of the faculty of Lake Highlands Elementary, Richardson. She was honored by Lake Highlands in 1976 as most exceptional teacher. A graduate of East Texas State College (now Texas A & M-Commerce), the long time Dallas resident, was preceded in death by her husband of 43 years, Troy C. Bond, retired DISD administrator. She was a member of the National PTA, TSTA, Richardson RTA, Tom A. Lambeth Dramatic Club, Cornelian Club, and a life long Methodist. She is survived by her daughter, Veneta Edwards and husband James. Graveside service will be Wednesday, June 28, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. at Restland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Alzheimers Association, 4144 N. Central Expressway #750, Dallas, TX 75240 or Enloe United Methodist Church., Restland 972-238-7111 restlandfuneralhome.com

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 6/28/2006.
Boyer, Clarence M.
BOYER, CLARENCE M., Of Irving, passed away Saturday, April 8, 2006. He was born February 22, 1910. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Wednesday, April 12, 2006 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends 6-8 PM Tuesday at the funeral home. Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 4/10/2006.
Blackman, L.J.
BLACKMAN, L. J., Age 80, of Athens, TX, passed away on Wed., July 12, 2006. He was born on May 10, 1926 in Seagoville, TX. Mr. Blackman served in the U.S. Navy and was a mail carrier for the United States Postal Service. A graveside service will be 11:30 a.m., Tues., Aug. 8, 2006 at the DFW National Cemetery. Chism & Smith 129 S. O'Connor Irving (972) 259-7644

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 8/6/2006.
Brandon, Arthur

BRANDON, ARTHUR, Gloriously won his long battle with cancer on March 22, 2006 when he passed from the bonds of Earth to the loving arms of God. He was born October 27, 1929 in Lewiston, Idaho to Edwin and Ethel Brandon, the second of four children. Raised in northern Idaho, he joined the Army in 1952 and served as a Korean War veteran. He married Lois Joan Parks in November 1959. Art began a career in insurance and transferred to Irving, Texas in 1961. At one time, Art owned the largest aircraft insurance agency in the Southwest, Aircraft Underwriters. In 1979, he began a second career in real estate investing. Art Brandon was a member of Community Bible Church in Irving, Texas. Additionally, he co-founded Hungarian International Mission, which distributes Bibles in the former Communist country. He is preceded in death by his parents and brother, Glenn. He is survived by his wife Lois Brandon, daughter Diane Brandon of Arlington, son and daughter-in-law Paul and Cindy Brandon of Cincinnati, Cynthia Brandon of Irving, David and Sarah Brandon, Mark and Renee Brandon all of Austin; six grandchildren; brother, Edwin Brandon, Jr.; sister, Dorothy Ward; numerous nieces and nephews . A memorial service will be held at Community Bible Church, 2301 Texas Drive in Irving on Friday, March 24 at 2 pm. There will be no public burial or visitation. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. Irving TX (972) 579-1313 www.donnellyscolonial.com

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Brandon, Arthur L.

BRANDON, ARTHUR L., age, 76 of Irving, died 03/22/2006. Service 2:00 p.m., Friday 03/24/2006 at Community Bible Church, 2301 Texas Drive. Private burial was at Dallas/Fort Worth National Cemetery. For full obituary, please see donnellyscolonial.com. Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home 606 W. Airport Frwy. Irving TX (972) 579-1313 www.donnellyscolonial.com

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Braley, Dewis Manon

BRALEY, DEWIS Dewis Manon Braley, of Irving, Texas, went to be with the Lord on August 5, 2006. She was born to George and Hattie Stewart on July 14, 1932 in Commerce, Texas. Dewis is preceded in death by her husband Herschel L. Braley in 1984. She is survived by a son Jason Braley and a daughter Debra Bradfute, both of Irving, one brother Billy George Stewart of Grand Prairie and a sister Ruby Sims of Irving, four grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Visitation is 7-9 Monday August 7, 2006 and Funeral Services will be held Tuesday August 8, 2006 10:00am at Baptist Temple in Grand Prairie, graveside services will be held at Memoryland Memorial Park in Greenville, Texas with Rev. Randy Tucker officiating. , Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

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Brazell, Larry
BRAZELL, LARRY, 54, a retired postal employee from Dallas, Denton and Durango, CO. passed away Apr 18, 2006. He is survived by wife Donna, daughter Erika Bockover, granddaughters Renee, Miranda & Madison, sisters Betty Hobbs & Gayle Grawunder, and nephews Nicholas, Joshua & Justin. A memorial celebrating his life will be on Saturday, May 20 at 1:30 PM. Email larrybrazell@hotmail.com for details.

Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 5/7/2006.
Brewton, Dorothy Dolton

BREWTON, , DOROTHY DOLTON April 7, 1910 to October 31, 2006. Dorothy was born on a snowy day April 7, 1910 in Ft Worth, Texas to Anna Elizabeth Renshaw Dolton and Lee Emmitt Dolton. When she was two, the family which now included baby sister Bessylee moved to Dallas. She attended San Jacinto Grammar School and Bryan Street High School where she was active in Camp Fire Girls. She went to SMU; she received a BA and MA in English. She began her teaching career in The Valley and then taught in Grapeland, Texas where she met Guy Ed Brewton, her husband of more than 50 yrs. They lived in Lufkin and Beaumont before moving to the Dallas area in 1943. She taught at Irving High School and Lake Highlands. Her favorite teaching years were 1948-1950 at SMU where she taught Speech to returning WWII veterans. In 1968 she and Guy Ed retired to a little "farm" in Grapeland where they spent many happy summers with their grandchildren. Dorothy was active in Eastern Star, The Good Neighbor Club, The Grapeland Book Club, and the United Methodist Church. She enjoyed playing bridge and loved to travel with her friend Rita Pilkey. In 1990 she returned to Dallas where she had many childhood friends and where she made many new friends at Treemont Retirement Community. She is preceded in death by her parents, her sister Bessylee Dolton Penland, and her beloved husband Guy Ed. She will be missed by her daughter Virginia Lee Brewton Seeligson and her grandchildren: Chris Seeligson and his wife Rebecca, Stewart Seeligson of Houston, Greg Seeligson of Bellingham, Washington, and Michelle Seeligson Vopni and her husband Scott and their daughters Rachel Dolton Vopni and Devon Nicole Vopni; and her favorite niece Brookside Penland Agnich and her children and grandchildren. Special appreciation is given to Sharon Martin and Barbara West who were dear friends and caregivers. Instead of flowers, donations may be sent to the United Methodist Church in Grapeland, Texas, or to the charity of your choice. Services will be held at 10:00 AM Friday, November 3rd at the United Methodist Church, Grapeland, Texas. Visitation will be Thursday from 6:00-8:00 PM at Bailey Foster Funeral Home in Grapeland.

Bridgewater, Hilda

BRIDGEWATER, HILDA Went to be with her Lord & Saviour Sunday, June 25, 2006. She will be terribly missed by those she left behind including her daughters, Erica Hinkle and Letty Bridgewater, and grand daughter Erin Hinkle and her brother Richard Crum and three sisters, Sally Rodriguez, Lydia Hernandez & Irma Montemayor and including many other relatives and dear friends. Hilda was loved by so many. Services will be held at Mulkey-Mason Funeral Home at 148 W. Church St. Lewisville TX. 75057. There will be a viewing Wednesday, June 28th from 7pm to 9pm and the funeral service will be at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, June 29th.

Obituary Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 6/28/2006.
Brock, Frank D.

OB6 Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 1/5/2006.
MARY LOUISE BROCK

Mary Louise Brock, 91, passed away on July 12, 2006 in Irving.

Mrs. Brock was born on April 14, 1915 to Everett & Bealah Burnworth in Columbia City, IN. She was a 1933 Graduate of Pierceton High School and had been a secretary for Da Lite Screen Company, Carpenter Union and Real Services in South Bend, IN. Mrs. Brock had been a resident of Irving for several years and was a member of Plymouth Park Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husbands: Merrit Bennett and Maurice Brock and one grandson: Mark Bennett. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law: Sandy and Woody Southerland of Irving, son and daughter-in-law: Merrit "Bill" and Carolyn Bennett of Plymouth, IN., three grandchildren, five great grandchildren, and one brother: Carl Burnworth of Pierceton, IN.

Funeral Services were held on July 14 at Plymouth Park Baptist Church. Interment followed at Grove Hill Memoral Park in Dallas, TX. Rev. Jerry Perrill and Rev. Caleb Southerland officiated. Funeral arrangements were conducted under the direction of Calvary Funeral Home.
MARCIE YVONNE BROGDEN
1938 - 2006

MARCIE YVONNE BROGDEN, age 67, died on Saturday, May 6, 2006. Born in Lubbock, Texas on August 3, 1938. Survived by mother, Rose Marie (Easter) Brogdan of Irving, Texas; a sister, Diane Wright of Irving; a brother, Anthony Brogdan of Irving; niece Crystal Crawford Atwood of Irving; niece, Lacey Crawford of Houston; niece, Cherreese Brogdan Lowe of Kansas City, Missouri. Preceded in death by father, Homer Brogdan. A visitation was held 3:00 to 4:00 p.m., Sunday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Graveside services were 10:30 a.m., Monday, May 8, 2006 at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. Dr. Jim Gerlach officiated.
Donnelly-Collins Colonial Funeral Home in Irving, Texas will conduct a Celebration of Life at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, Texas.

Visitation will be on December 8, 2006 from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on December 9, 2006 and Funeral Services on Saturday, December 9, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

Joan F. Brown, the wife of Kenneth E. Brown, was preceded in death by her husband and one son, and is survived by four daughters, Joan D. Brown and wife, Joan F. Brown, and grandson, Steven. She was a loving wife, mother, and grandmother who will be missed by her family and friends. Brown was a career military wife, having lived overseas, in New York, and in a number of states.

Brown was born in Tampa, Florida on October 30, 1919, and educated in Lakeland, Florida. She married Vincent Brown in 1939, and they were married for 54 years. Brown lived in Fort Worth, Texas with her husband, who preceded her in death.

Brown is survived by her daughter, Jewel Brown, and her grandchildren, Grandmother, and friend, who went to be with the Lord after a short illness on Tuesday, December 5, 2006.
JIMMY "JIMBO" BROWN
1958 - 2006

JIMMY "JIMBO" BROWN, age 47, a lifelong resident of Fort Worth, Texas died Wednesday, Jan 18, 2006 at a Fort Worth hospital. Born Aug. 16, 1958 in Fort Worth to Jimmy F. Brown, Sr. and Lenore Turner Brown, he was preceded in death by his brother, Ken Brown. Survivors include his sisters, Vicki Wilson of Coppell, Wanda Bolton of Houston, Jamie Martin of Ferris and Lori Brooks of Irving. Memorial Service 2:00 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 21, 2006 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Pastor Doug Childers officiating.
Home Chapel. Deacon Ron Morgan officiating. Internment to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.

Monday at the funeral home. Service 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, November 21, 2006 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral

Carrie WilliS and Vivian Wesson: many nieces, nephews and friends. Visitation: 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Sunday and
Cindy, Heather, Jody, Shannon, Kayla, Jessica, Nicholas, and Colton: two great grandchildren, Hayden and Abby; sisters,
Cherish, Heather, Jody, Shannon, Kayla, Jessica, Nicholas, and Colton: two great grandchildren, Hayden and Abby; sisters,

Brinley and husband John of Irving, Michelle, Jennifer, sandor and husband John of Frisco: several grandchildren,

Brenda (married to Jimmy) and family of McKinney: brothers John and Todd: many nieces, nephews,

Juanita Brown 1929 - 2006

Juanita Brown, age 77, a resident of Irving, Texas since 1964, formerly of Dallas, died Friday, November 17,
Brown, Juanita

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 11/19/2006.
Brown, Larry

BROWN LARRY, A resident of Pecan Plantation in Granbury, went to be with his Lord Wednesday, November 1st. Funeral: 2 p.m. Saturday at Lakeside Baptist Church in Granbury. Burial: Acton Cemetery. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Wiley Funeral Home. Memorials: Lakeside Baptist Church Building Fund. Born on November 8, 1940 in Smith County, Larry grew up in the Carmel Community near Lindale and graduated from Lindale High School in 1959. He later moved to Irving where he met his beautiful bride, Ann, and they were married in 1962. Larry and Ann were active members of North Irving Baptist Church where Larry served faithfully as a deacon. They later moved to Colleyville and were active members of First Baptist Church of Colleyville, where he served as Chairman of the Deacons. He spent the majority of his career working for Westinghouse Credit Corporation, which later became part of Bank of America, in the Dallas area and later retired as a Senior VP of Commercial Finance. Upon retirement, Larry and Ann moved to Granbury and he was blessed to spend the last eight years of his life doing what he loved most, which included playing golf, traveling around to see family and friends, but most importantly to spread the good news of Jesus to everyone he met. He made it his business to meet a lot people! He believed it was his ministry to seek out and befriend those who moved into Pecan Plantation to make them feel welcome, perhaps play golf, and invite them to Lakeside Baptist Church. And while he was a wonderful husband, father, grandfather and friend, he would be most honored to be remembered as a humble, faithful servant of God. He is survived by his wife of forty-four years, Ann, also of Granbury; son Kelly and his wife, Michelle, of Mansfield; and daughter Camey Gravley and her husband, Dick, also of Granbury. He is also survived by six grandchildren, grandsons Austin, Travis, and Parker Gravley of Granbury; grandsons Jordan and Joshua Brown of Mansfield; and granddaughter Julia Ann Brown of Mansfield. Larry is blessed to be survived by two brothers, Glenn Brown and his wife, LaRee, of Hurst, and Logan Brown of LaMarque, and numerous brothers and sisters-in-law, nieces, and nephews. His parents, Melvin and Ruth Brown, of Lindale, and Sister Mary Joyce Long of Texas City, preceded him in death. Wiley Funeral Home Granbury, 817-573-3000

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 11/3/2006.
Brown, Larry
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Published in the Dallas Morning News on 11/3/2006.
Brown, Lindsey Stephenson

BROWN, LINDSEY STEPHENSON March 30, 1973 - April 14, 2006 Lindsey Stephenson Brown passed away at Baylor Hospital of a brain aneurysm. Nine months pregnant, Lindsey's child, due Easter Sunday, was delivered by caesarian Thursday morning. Lindsey was 33. Now in his first week, Hudson Stephenson Brown, is a miracle of health - a tribute to his mother's devotion to him, and to motherhood. Born in Bombay India in 1973, Lindsey was the second child to Nancy and David Pyle. Returning to the States with her parents in 1975, Lindsey was educated at Shady Hill School (Cambridge), Philips Exeter Academy, a BA in Government from Harvard College in 1996 and an MBA from UT Austin in 2003. She interspersed her academic career with travels and working stints abroad. Lindsey’s love for Latin America was seeded by a year in Argentina evaluating loan programs for small entrepreneurs, a year in Costa Rica working with The Oscar Arias Foundation and in Colombia developing the foreign segment for the tv noon news. She journeyed throughout Central and South America and adored the region. Fluent in Spanish, "Latin" Lindsey was an even more charming version of her native self. In 2003 Lindsey married her college love, Chad Brown, and they settled in Dallas where Lindsey joined Frito Lay and Chad, now at Hyperion, an energy investment firm. Lindsey embraced Texas and the state fell hard for Lindsey. Lindsey is survived by her adoring husband Chad Brown, son Hudson, her father David Pyle, sister Courtney Pyle, stepmother Sarah Newhall, stepfather Rod Nichols, stepbrother Chris, and a host of close family and loving friends. Lindsey's infectious laugh and smile will be missed by all. A remembrance of Lindsey's life will be held Friday, April 21st, at 2pm at the Dallas Arboretum, 8525 Garland Road (http://www.dallasarboretum.org/) A reception will follow immediately after. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to: KIPP College Prep The Lindsey Brown High School Scholarship Fund 991 14th Street, Oakland, CA 94607 (510) 879-2421 www.kippbridge.org/ OR Friends of Tietze Park Foundation, On behalf of Lindsey Brown P.O. Box 140693, Dallas, TX 75214 www.neighborhoodlink.com/org/tietzepark/ Dignity Memorial Sparkman Hillcrest 7405 W. Northwest Hwy. Dallas (214) 363-5401

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 4/21/2006.
Brown, Michael

BROWN, MICHAEL of Irving, passed away Friday, December 16, 2005. He was born January 28, 1947 in Alton, Illinois. He was preceded in death by his son, Michael Dwayne Brown in 1982 and his wife, Pamela Brown in 2000. Survivors include his son, Phillip Brown of Keller; daughters, Kristie Allen of Austin and Nicole Hewitt of Irving; brothers, Stephen Brown of Waco and Dennis Brown, currently serving his country in Korea; and one grandchild. A memorial service will be held at 7:00 PM Monday, December 19, 2005 at Brown's Memorial Chapel., Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned Since 1963 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 12/18/2005.
Bruce, Delores R.
BRUCE, DELORES R. 92, died Saturday, November 4, 2006 in Dallas. Born March 1, 1914 in Dubuque, Iowa, she was a charter member of Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church in Irving. Delores is preceded in death by her husband of 51 years, John Oscar Bruce. Survivors include daughter, Janet Brown and husband James of Irving; son, John Bruce and wife Ann of Allen; grandchildren, Jennifer Ramos and husband Manuel of Denver, Colorado and Christopher Bruce of Allen. Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her. Proverbs 31:28. Visitation 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., Tuesday at the funeral home. Rosary to be recited 6:30 p.m., Tuesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Mass of Christian Burial 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, November 8, 2006 at Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church. Interment to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. Memorial contributions may be made to Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church, 2330 Cheyenne, Irving, Texas 75062. 

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Buchanan, Drake Landon

BUCHANAN, Drake Landon Age 14 and a resident of Flower Mound, TX. Born on July 30, 1991 in Dallas, Texas to Bradley and Treva Buchanan. Passed away on December 29, 2005 in Flower Mound, TX. Drake was attending Flower Mound High School as a freshman and loved riding dirt bikes, skateboarding, playing the drums and fishing with his friends. He is survived by his parents, Treva and Brad Buchanan and his sister, Taryn Buchanan. He is also survived by his grandparents, Jack and Betty Buchanan and his grandfather, Charles Landon, aunt and uncle, Bruce and Lisa Buchanan and aunt Tanya Bever. Drake was preceded in death by his grandmother, Jerry Akin. Family visitation will be held on Sunday, January 1, 2006 from 6:00pm till 8:00pm at Flower Mound Family Funeral Home. Funeral services are scheduled for Monday at 11:00am Valley Creek Church, 5800 Long Prairie Rd., Flower Mound with burial following at Oak Grove Memorial Park in Irving. A Trust Fund is being setup in the memory of Drake Buchanan by his parents for the benefit of the four passengers Joseph Schaefer, Colena and Christina Kuhlmann and Hunter McGee. The funds are to be used by their parents in any manner they deem appropriate. Any contributions should be sent to Chase Bank, 2051 Long Prairie Rd., Flower Mound, TX 75022. If you wish to send a condolence or sign an online register book please visit: www.flowermoundfuneralhome.com. FLOWER MOUND FAMILY FUNERAL HOME 3550 Firewheel Dr. Flower Mound, TX 972-436-6513

Published in the Dallas Morning News on 1/1/2006.
JAMES WILLIAM BURTON
James William Burton, 64, passed away on February 27, 2006 in Dallas. He was born on April 16, 1940 in Waco, TX. Mr. Burton was a resident of Wills Point, TX, and longtime prior resident of Orlando, FL. He was a graduate of Irving High School Class of 1958, and held a Bachelor's degree from the University of Louisiana of La Fayette. A veteran of the U.S. Army, he was a longtime Customer Service Representative for LINX from 1986-2002, and was a member of IKEBANA Chapter 102, Winterpark, FL.
He was preceded in death by his mother: Oleta Lee Burton. He is survived by his wife: Cathy Burton of Wills Point, father: E.E. Burton of Wills Point, brother: Charles Burton of Irving, and sister: Sheri Cannon of Los Lunas, NM and several nieces and nephews.
A Memorial Service was held on March 2 at Calvary Funeral Home Chapel. March 3, 2006
www.irvingrambler.com
PAMELA BURTON

Pamela Burton of Quinlan, TX passed away April 24, 2006, she was born July 31, 1938 in Topeka, KS.

Pamela grew up in Irving. A 1975 graduate of Irving High School, she was 1st chair saxophone in the band.

Mrs. Burton is survived by her husband Robert Burton of Quinlan, mother Laurel Farmer of Irving, son and daughter-in-law Christopher & Michelle Drennan of Lafayette, IN; brother and sister-in-law Paul T. and Patricia Farmer of Quinlan, TX.

Graveside services were April 28 at DFW National Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home.
Burton, Pamela
BURTON, PAMELA, Of Quinlan, TX passed away April 24, 2006, she was born July 31, 1956 in Topeka, KS. Family visitation will be 7:00-9:00 P.M. Thursday April 27, 2006 at the funeral home. Graveside services will be 9:00 A.M. Friday April 28, 2006 at DFW National Cemetery. Ben F. Brown's Memorial Family Owned For Over 50 Years 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. Irving (972) 254-4242 www.Brownmem.com

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Sylvia R. Burton

Graveside service: 2 p.m. Friday in Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Chism-Smith Funeral Home in Irving.

Sylvia R. Burton was raised in Grand Prairie, where she married Jimmy Burton Sr. He preceded her in death Oct. 17, 2004.

Survivors: Children, Jennifer Ragains and husband, Jim, Jimmy Burton Jr. and Joey Burton and wife, Deborah; grandchildren, Lyndsey Burton and Cody, Amanda and Kathy Ragains; and great-grandson, Rylan Brooks.
Published in the Star-Telegram on 3/9/2006
BUSH, DARA LANE, 41, a registered nurse, passed away Wednesday, Feb. 22, 2006 at an area hospital. Memorial service: 11 a.m. Saturday at The Fellowship Church, 2450 Hwy. 121 N. in Grapevine. Memorials: The family respectfully requests in lieu of flowers, memorials be directed to Fellowship Church "Dara Bush Kids Camp Scholarship Fund", 2540 Hwy 121 N. Grapevine, TX 76051; the Deacons Fund of the First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas, Midland, TX 79701, or Timberlin McClain Research Fund, 6555 Sierra Dr. Irving, TX 75039. Dara was born June 9, 1964 in Abilene, TX. She graduated from Midland High School in 1982 and earned her Bachelor degree in nursing from The University of Texas in Arlington. Dara held a special place in her heart for those she served as a medical missionary in Uganda. Dara had worked in labor and delivery at Arlington Memorial Hospital, Metroplex Surgical Care and the Pain Management Clinic. She was currently serving as school nurse at Bellaire Elementary School. Dara was preceded in death by her grandparents, E.H. and Frankie McCright and W.B. "Jack" Perry. Survivors: Sons, Blake Perry Bush and Brent Wesley Shoemaker of Grapevine; daughters, Brooke Lane Shoemaker of Grapevine, Kristin Hoff and husband Cody of Ft. Worth, Allison Shoemaker and Emily Shoemaker of Van; parents, W.B. "Wes" Perry and Jackie Perry of Midland, sister, Dru Cakmis of Flower Mound; niece, Cathenne Mae Cakmis, nephew, Chase Perry Cakmis; grandmother Juanita Perry, an aunt and uncle of Monahans and several cousins. Forest Ridge Funeral Home Hurst,(817) 285-7777

OB6 Obituaries, Notices
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 2/25/2006.
M.D. BENNETT
1928 - 2006

M.D. Bennett passed away Saturday, June 10, 2006 at the age of 77.

He is survived by his wife Betty Flolle Bennett, his daughter Sabrina Bennett Trujillo, son-in-law Timothy Joe Trujillo, Sr., grandson Timothy Joe Trujillo, Jr. and wife Alma Trujillo and granddaughter Eryn Rosemarie Trujillo.

M.D. was born in Fort Smith, Arkansas on August 3, 1928. He was the only child of Hazel Jeanette and Merill D. Bennett. He met his wife, Betty, of 58 years in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. They married in 1948. M.D. served 4 years as an Air Force Tech Sergeant in the Korean War. He was also in the Air Force Reserve for 4 years after his service in the Korean War. M.D. and Betty moved to Texas in 1961 and have lived in Irving ever since. M.D. and Betty have been members of the First Baptist Church of Irving for 45 years. M.D. was President of the First National Bank of Irving and performed accounting services. He was active in community service, including local Boy Scouts. M.D. was also a member of the Lions Club of Irving. M.D. was a lifetime PTA member and had 12 years of perfect attendance for PTA. He also served as President of PTA at Irving High School. He built the haunted house for John Haley carnivals for 6 years. M.D. was past-patron of Eastern Star Bethlehem Chapter No. 494. M.D. served on the Board of Directors for International Coachmen Caravan, an RV Camping club. He was also District 7 Representative for Coachmen Caravan for many years. M.D. loved the Coachmen Caravan club and had a genuine passion and interest in Coachmen. M.D. and his wife, Betty, dedicated countless hours to the Coachmen Club and made many contributions. M.D. and Betty attended their first Coachmen International Rally in 1972 and have participated in every International rally since 1972.

A visitation will be held 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Tuesday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home. Funeral service 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, June 14, 2006 at the First Baptist Church of Irving. Rev. Chuck Stevenson officiating. Interment will be 12 noon, Wednesday at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery, Lane A.
Mary Ann Smith Butts

Death: Feb. 1, 2006
Grand Prairie
Tarrant County
Texas, USA

Copied with permission from the Shawnee News-Star:
February 4, 2006:

Former Shawnee resident Mary Ann Butts, 64, died Wednesday, Feb. 1, at her home in Grand Prairie, Texas.
She was born Sept. 12, 1941, in Effingham County, Ill., to Richard and Gwendolyn Smith.

Butts was a longtime resident of Irving, Texas, until moving to Shawnee for 10 years, then she moved back to Grand Prairie in 2005.

She was a retired school teacher with the Irving ISD where she taught school at Nimitz High School for more than 25 years.

Butts was preceded in death by her husband, James Butts.

Survivors include her loving friends and caretakers, Kirby and Gwynn Shelton of Grand Prairie, Texas; brother-in-law, Bill Butts of Luther; four sisters-in-law, Verna Dean, Rosa McNeely and Mary Crooks, all of Shawnee, and Alma Butts-Levin of Elicott City, Md.; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends 2 p.m thru 4 p.m. Sunday at Calvary Funeral Home in Irving, Texas. Graveside service will be 1 p.m. Monday at Blackburn Chapel Cemetery under the direction of Calvary Funeral Home, Irving, Texas.

Family links:
Spouse: James Reuben Butts (1933 - 1997)*

*Calculated relationship

Burial:
Blackburn Chapel Cemetery
Bethel Acres
Pottawatomie County
Oklahoma, USA

Created by: Kay Sugg Best
Record added: Feb 04, 2006
Find A Grave Memorial# 13225179
MARY ANN BUTTS

Mary Ann Butts, 64, passed away on February 1, 2006 in her Grand Prairie home.

Mrs. Butts was born on Sept. 12, 1941 in Effingham County, IL to Richard & Gwendolyn Smith. She was a longtime resident of Irving until moving to Shawnee for 10 years, then moving back to Grand Prairie in 2005. She was a retired schoolteacher with Irving ISD where she taught school at Nimitz High School for over 25 years.

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