R.O. "Sonny" Daniels
November 19, 1930 - September 21, 2010

R.O. "Sonny" Daniels, age 79, of Corpus Christi, TX passed away Tuesday, September 21, 2010 in Princeton, TX with his loving family by his side. He was born November 19, 1930 in Cameron County, TX to John and Edna Daniels. R.O. was a Truck Driver and later established his own Trucking and Repair Company in Pharr, TX. He is preceded in death by his wife, Loris Jean Daniels; brother, John Ray Daniels; and sister, Hattie Mae Coleman. R.O. is survived by son, Robert Daniels and wife Cindy; stepsons, Terill Swanson, Gene Swanson, John Swanson, and Jimmy Swanson; 10 grandchildren and many other friends and family. Graveside Services will be Saturday, September 25, 2010 at Rose Hill Memorial Park in Corpus Christi, TX at 2:00 PM. Arrangements were handled by Chism-Smith Funeral Home. R.O. will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved him.
HARTNETT, APRIL MARIE DAVIDSON (1976 - 2010)
April Marie Davidson Hartnett, 33, went to be a flower in God's bouquet at 3:15 a.m., Sunday, June 13th, 2010 in Houston, TX. Her love and kindness was too grand for this world. April was born on Monday, July 12th, 1976, in Denison, TX, and was raised in Euless, TX. Her adventurous spirit and devotion to her husband's military career took her to live in New York, Oklahoma and Tennessee. She started a bakery out of her home, where she created stunning cakes, oftentimes incorporating her remarkable sense of humor. She was majoring in American Sign Language at Lonestar College in Houston, TX, determined to minister to, and make a difference in the deaf community. In 2006, she was awarded the Artillery Order of Molly Pitcher Medallion by the 2/2FA Lieutenant Colonel- the highest honor for a military spouse-for her significant voluntary contributions to the improvement of the United States Army Field Artillery Community. There is no doubt that April's life demonstrated a likeness to Christ; which is now her merited crown of glory in heaven. She was blessed with the voice of an angel, the wisdom of a prophet, and the compassion of a saint. During her lifetime, she displayed many fruits of the spirit—love, kindness, faithfulness, gentleness—the harvest of a life well lived. The fingerprints of her tenderness are evident in the lives she transformed. April, never has there been, and never again will there be another you. April is survived by her dearly loved husband, Michael Aaron Hartnett, and her precious daughter, Tyra McKenzie Hartnett; her mother and step-father Phyllis and Robert Mullin; her father and step-mother Danny and Janice Davidson; her siblings Alicia Patty, Clay Mullin, Dorinda Pipkin, and Mandy Lennie; her grandmother Doris Mullin; and numerous loving aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends. She is preceded in death by grandparents Jody and Dorothy Hamill; Erman and Dwight Davidson; and Jerry"Buster" Mullin. Visitation will be Wednesday, June 16th, 6-8 pm, at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway, Irving, TX. Services are to be held Thursday, June 17th, 11:00 am at the First United Pentecostal Church of Grand Prairie, 113 W. Skyline, Grand Prairie, TX. Immediately following the service, friends and family are invited for food and refreshments in the church fellowship hall. A private graveside service will be held at the Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Jeff Hamill, Brian Hamill, Kurt Hamill, Jason Benzmillner, Jerry Kralich, and Gary Blake. Memorial donations may be made in April's honor to the National Association of the Deaf, 8630 Fenton Street, Suite 820, Silver Spring, MD 20910-3819; or online at http://www.nad.org/donate-now. Details regarding a benefit fund for Aaron and Tyra Hartnett will be available once established. Arrangements are under the direction of Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home in Irving, TX. Behold, I tell you a mystery: We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed. 1 Corinthians 15:51
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November 16, 2010

To: Irving ISD Personnel

From: Neil Dugger, Ed.D., Assistant Superintendent

Subject: Bridget Ruby Davis

We regret to inform you of the death of Bridget Ruby Davis, premature infant daughter of Shannon Zenner and Greg Davis. Baby Bridget passed away on Wednesday, November 10th.

Shannon Zenner and Greg Davis are both Teachers at Jack E. Singley Academy.

A memorial service will be held for Bridget Ruby Davis at 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 17th at Sparkman-Hillcrest Funeral Home Chapel; 7405 West Northwest Highway, Dallas, Texas; 214-363-5401.

In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting that donations be made in Bridget’s name to:

Baylor Healthcare System Foundation  
NICU Fund  
3600 Gaston Avenue  
Dallas, Texas 75246

Shannon Zenner and Greg Davis may be contacted at the following address:

c/o Jack E. Singley Academy  
4601 N. MacArthur  
Irving, Texas 75038

Please keep Shannon Zenner and Greg Davis, as well as the remainder of the family, in your thoughts and prayers.
Aline Rosa Davis-Holland, of Kaufman, and formerly a longtime resident of Irving, passed away Thursday, June 17, 2010. She was born July 17, 1918 in Mountain Home, Arkansas. She was preceded in death by her husbands Bruce Davis and W.T. Holland, son Robert L. Davis, and sister Pat Kocyan. Survivors include her brother Robert Morris; grandson Scott Davis; great grandsons Ben Davis and Tim Davis; step-children Bill Holland and Ann Rankin; and step-grandson Rodney Rankin. Funeral services will be held at 10 AM Saturday, June 19, 2010 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow at Sowers Cemetery in Irving.
Barney Preston Davis
Davis, Barney Preston age 72, of Irving, TX, died on June 17, 2010. Memorial service 11 a.m., Saturday, June 19, 2010 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel.

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Gladys Hahn Davis

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Davis, Gladys Hahn 97, of Dallas, died Wednesday December 15, 2010 at Hearthstone Hospice Center in Irving. Gladys was born on December 9, 1913 in Dallas, the daughter of Carl and Fay Johnson Hahn. Gladys is survived by a sister Marie Morgan of Wichita Falls and Nephew John Morgan of Arlington. Also surviving are special friends Jerry Davis of Richardson, Ed and Theresa Magers of Irving and Bob Elkins of Dallas. Gladys was a Life Member of American Legion Post 453 in Dallas, Chaplain Emeritus of the Post and the 5th district and a 22 year member of the Honorary Society of Women Legionnaires. She also served as American Legion Boys State chairman for 20 years. Visitation will be at Restland Funeral Home Wildwood Chapel at 9AM Saturday December 18, 2010 with Funeral Service following at 10AM. In lieu of flowers memorial can be made to the American Legion Boys State 453 or the donor's choice.

Condolences may be offered at

www.RestlandFuneralHome.com

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Janice Marie Davis

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Davis, Janice Marie Janice Marie Davis, beautiful and loving mother, grandmother and true friend to many passed away Saturday, November 20, 2010 in Dallas, Texas. She was born the second child to William Howard Huffman and Edna Louise Reed on January 26, 1955. Jan worked several jobs assisting sales at Darr Equipment (later Holt), Mario Sinicola and Bobcat of Dallas but her primary role was caring for her family and friends. Jan will be remembered by many for her compassion and love for others by spending weekends with her two granddaughters, living with and caring for her aunt, raising her daughter to be strong and smart in her image and having fun with friends and family. Jan was preceded in death by her father and mother and is survived by her daughter, Kelly Marie Lewis and grand-daughters, Allie Marie and Ava Simone of Dallas, Texas; her sister, Debbie Fetter of Irving, Texas; her brother, Russell Huffman of Houston, Texas; her nephew, Aaron Fetter of Lewisville, Texas; her aunt, Vera Lois Baker of Mesquite, Texas; and many other aunts, uncles and cousins. Her graceful spirit and cheerful personality will be missed very much by all those who loved her. The funeral will be at 1 p.m., Wednesday, November 24, 2010 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Chapel.

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Janice Marie Davis

Janice Marie Davis, beautiful and loving mother, grandmother and true friend to many, passed away Saturday, November 20, 2010 in Dallas. She was born on January 26, 1955. The funeral service was 1 p.m., Wednesday, November 24, 2010 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home Chapel.
Kim Bradford (Kimbo) Davis

Davis, Kim (Kimbo) Bradford Guitarist, song writer and recording artist Kim Davis, "The Blues Man", passed away Monday, October 18, 2010 in Irving, Texas. He was born the only child of Willie Bill Davis and Helen Harris Morelock on October 6, 1952 in Dallas, Texas. Kim was blessed with the gift of playing the guitar. Each note resonated with undertones of the blues. That signature sound brought him notoriety when the band Point Blank formed and began recording albums and touring nationally. The band produced 6 albums. After the original band members disbanded, his extensive knowledge of guitars and amplifiers led him to employment as an independent sales representative for numerous musical products and brands for Peavey. At the time of his death he was founding a new band that now is silenced. Kim was preceded in death by his father, Willie B. Davis. He is survived by his mother, Helen Morelock and step-father Thomas E. Morelock of Irving, Texas; his daughter Kelly Marie Lewis of Dallas, Texas. He was known as "pappy" to grand daughters Allie and Simone; other survivors include his step-sister Gini Bosco and her husband Frank Bosco, Step brother Ronnie Morelock his wife Terri, Step brother David Morelock; and many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins. He will be missed by all his friends and family. The funeral will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday, October 23, 2010 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be at 2:00 p.m. Saturday at Mt. Carmel Cemetery in Wolfe City.

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Raegan Ariel Davis, born on August 13, 1991 in Dallas, TX; passed away suddenly on January 18, 2010. A 2009 graduate of Highland Park High School where she was a manager of the Girls’ Softball Team, Raegan was a freshman at the University of North Texas in Denton with plans to major in elementary education. A beautiful, young, Christian woman with gorgeous eyes, long curly hair and an infectious smile, Raegan was mature beyond her years, setting high standards for herself and ambitious goals to attain. After traveling to Romania for mission work and studying Spanish in her community, Raegan put words into action as an active babysitter and a member of the HPPC Child Care staff. A loving and affectionate daughter, sister, granddaughter, niece, caregiver, and friend, Raegan is survived by her devoted and loving parents J. Charles Davis II and Sally Ashley Davis, brother Blake A. Davis, sister Rylie A. Davis; grandparents: Scottie H. and Janie Fogelman Ashley, and Joe C. and Johnetta Coker Davis; aunts: Amy Ashley Mings and her husband Johnny, Sheri Ashley, Alice Ashley and her daughter Kennedy ‘Kiki’ Bower, Sarah Ashley Mesler and her husband Qun and their young son Cash, and Stephanie Davis Kilgore and her husband Richard Kilgore II and her son Andrew Collins; her special cousin Rebecca D. Rice; as well as many extended family and friends. Raegan, her siblings, and cousins all lived in close proximity to each other, attended the HPISD schools and the same church HPPC, and shared many wonderful memories of Scots football games, trips to the family’s East Texas farm and numerous holiday gatherings. A memorial service celebrating Raegan’s life will be held on Saturday, January 23, at 11:00 AM in the Main Sanctuary of Highland Park Presbyterian Church, 3821 University Boulevard, Dallas, TX 75205, with The Reverend Dr. Ron Scales and The Reverend Dr. Marshall Ziemann officiating. A reception will follow the service in The B. Clayton Bell Center at HPPC. Family requests memorials to the Child Care Ministry at HPPC in loving memory of Raegan.
Tim Davis

Davis, Tim Tim Davis, age 59, a resident of Euless, Texas for 10 years formerly of Arizona, died Wednesday, November 24, 2010 at home. Born February 18, 1951 in Lubbock, Texas, he was the son of John Rolla Davis and Billye Nell Pipkin Davis. He lived most of his life in Texas. On March 26, 1983, he married Kathleen Ebbesmeyer in Euless. Tim was a graduate of MacArthur High School, attended Texas Tech, and graduated from the University of Dallas. A partner and CEO at Netweavers, he held various management positions at Coopers-Lybrand, Price Waterhouse/Coopers, JDA, DCM and E-Partners. Preceded in death by his parents and brother, Marc Davis, survivors include his wife, son, Jonathan M. Wilk and wife Autumn of Bedford; daughter, Sarah A. Wilk of San Antonio; sister, Cheryl Loper and husband Gary of Corsicana; brother, Lance Davis and wife Debra of Irving; sister-in-law, Treasa Davis of Irving; and several nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held 2:00 p.m., Saturday, December 4, 2010 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Clay Allard officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to PGA First Tee or Caring Bridge.

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Davis, Tim (1951 - 2010)

TIM DAVIS, age 59, a resident of Euless, Texas for 10 years formerly of Arizona, died Wednesday, November 24, 2010 at home. Born February 18, 1951 in Lubbock, Texas, he was the son of John Rolla Davis and Billye Nell Pipkin Davis. He lived most of his life in Texas. On March 26, 1983, he married Kathleen Ebbesmeyer in Euless. Tim was a graduate of MacArthur High School, attended Texas Tech, and graduated from the University of Dallas. A partner and CEO at Netweavers, he held various management positions including CEO at Coopers-Lybrand, Price Waterhouse/Coopers, JDA, DCM and E-Partners. Tim was an avid golfer. Preceded in death by his parents and brother, Marc Davis, survivors include his wife, son, Jonathan M. Wilk and wife Autumn of Bedford, daughter, Sarah A. Wilk of San Antonio, sister, Cheryl Loper and husband Gary of Corsicana, brother, Lance Davis and wife Debra of Irving, sister-in-law, Treasa Davis of Irving, and several nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held 2:00 p.m., Saturday, December 4, 2010 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Clay Allard officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to PGA First Tee or Caring Bridge.
Tony Davis

Davis, Tony Paul 56 of Sterling, VA passed away peacefully on March 6, 2010 at Fairfax Hospital from complications related to open heart surgery. Tony was born May 14, 1953 in Dallas, TX to parents Lola Belle and Olle Davis. He was previously married to Constance Davis (nee Davis) for 30 years, with whom he raised two sons in Irving, TX. During that time, Tony worked at Frito-Lay for 15 years, later moving to Whitefish, MT where he indulged his abiding love of the mountains and snow skiing. Mourning his loss are his sons Jason Davis of Sterling, VA and Nathaniel Davis of Huntington Beach, CA, their mother Constance Sutliff of Columbia Falls, MT, daughter-in-law Christina Davis, grandchildren Madeline and Luke, brothers Larry Davis of Irving, TX and Tim Davis of Cedar Hill, TX, sister Janice Aldrich of Athens, TX, and numerous cousins, nephews, extended family members, and friends. Preceding Tony in death are his parents Lola Belle and Olle Davis and sister Sharon Davis. A memorial service is scheduled for 11am on April 7, 2010 at Irving Bible Church in Irving, TX. A reception will follow at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association. To express condolences please visit www.carepages.com/carepages/PapasHeart. "We love you. See you soon."
Kim Dawson (1925 - 2010)

Kim Dawson, the flame-haired former model who became a brand name synonymous with the modeling industry, died Thursday in Dallas of complications from Alzheimer's disease. She was 85.

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Kim Dawson

Dawson, Kim Kim Dawson died peacefully on March 25, 2010. She was born on July 13, 1924 and raised in Center, Texas by her mother, Mabel Johnson along with brother, Jay Hughes and sister, Bobbye Hughes Mc Dermott. She is survived by her husband of 57 years, George Dawson; daughter Dr. Kim Vernon and son-in-law John Vernon; daughter Lisa Dawson and son-in-law Tom Maurstad; son Tiger Dawson and daughter-in-law Leslie Dawson; grandchildren Taylor Vernon, Lauren Vernon, Anna Dawson, Kimberly Dawson and Aidan Maurstad. Kim left rural East Texas when she graduated from high school because her mother told her she should move to Dallas and "make something of herself." She worked as a runway model in New York and Paris during the 40s. When she became homesick for Texas she return to Dallas where — as she put it — she attended the "University of Neiman Marcus." She opened her namesake business, the Kim Dawson Agency, in 1963, the same year Trammell Crow asked her to be the Fashion Director of his soon-to-be-opened Dallas Apparel Mart a position she held until 1990. Widely recognized as one of the founders of the fashion industry in Dallas, Kim served as mentor to countless young people who aspired to careers in fashion, acting and broadcast media. In her role as a business pioneer and civic leader, she served on the board of many Dallas-area organizations including the Salvation Army, DIYA Dallas, the Dallas Opera, the Dallas Theater Center and the North Dallas Chamber of Commerce, and received numerous awards such as her induction into the Texas Women's Hall of Fame in 1987. Visitations will be held Friday, April 2, 5-7 p.m., at Sparkman/Hillcrest Memorial service on Saturday, April 3, 2 p.m., at Preston Hollow Presbyterian Church, 9800 Preston Road, Dallas, 75230. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Greater Dallas Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. Online condolences may be submitted to www.sparkman-hillcrest.com

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Published in Dallas Morning News on March 30, 2010
Debart Sr., Bishop Jack M.

Debart Sr., Bishop Jack M. Bishop Jack Debart, Sr., age 75, joined his Lord and Savior peacefully on January 14, 2010, at 05:43 AM surrounded by his wife and children at his home in Colleyville, Texas. Born December 16, 1934 to James Henry and Mary White Debart in Mt. Arthur, Texas, he was the youngest of five children. Ordained at the age of nine upon his mother’s passing, he was raised by his eldest brother Harold and his wife, Helen Morgan Debart. He graduated Mt. Rechis-Greaves High and shortly after felt a calling to help others. He married his childhood sweetheart, Dolis Martin, on November 1, 1952. In 1952 he began his long journey from layman to evangelist to pastor. Ordained in 1953, he served as pastor in LaRue (08/1956-07/1958), Mt. Arthur (08/1958-03/1963), and Paris, Texas (04/1963-06/1971). He then moved to Irving, Texas in July, 1971 taking the helm of what is now Heartland Church, where he remained Senior Pastor until elevated to Bishop in 2000. He remained active in the Church until his death, even managing to attend the final service at the Irving location and held in the Sanctuary he dedicated, this past Sunday, January 10, 2010. Along with his distinguished pastoral resume, Bishop Debart served in numerous other capacities including: Board of Directors for Texas Bible College, Sectional Youth Leader, Sectional Presbytery, Texas District Youth President, National Home Missions Board and Home Missions Ethnic Director for UPC; Board of Elders and recently Chairman for the Global Network of Christian Ministers. He traveled extensively to Russia, Romania, Bulgaria, Germany, Britain, France, the Mediterranean, Asia and Africa along with other developing nations where he counseled pastors and ministers to hundreds of thousands of people. In one service in Ethiopia, over 200,000 came forward to accept Christ and receive His Holy Spirit. He has published three books along with numerous other writings that are still used as text and reference in numerous churches, Bible Colleges and seminaries around the globe. He is preceded in death by his parents, brothers Harold and Kimmie Debart, sisters Etta Evans and Hazel Baker, and the sister-in-law that raised him, Helen Debart. He is survived by his wife of fifty-seven years, Doris Martin Debart of Colleyville, TX; son, Jack (Ris) Debart, Jr. and wife, Cindy Cotton Debart of Gran Prairie, TX; daughter, Rebecka Ann Dean and husband, the Rev. William Daulet Dean of Colleyville, TX; two grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Visitation: 6 to 9 p.m. Monday at Heartland Church, 4420 N. Highway 181, Irving, TX, 75063, followed by private interment at the Heartland New Creek Cemetery. Should Friends desire, the family kindly request memorials to the Jack Debart Memorial Fund, c/o Heartland Church, 4420 N. Highway 181, Colleyville, TX., 75060. Hours are requested to make deliveries to Heartland Church after 9 a.m. Monday. Guerrero-Dear Funeral Home 972-263-5570

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ROSARIO LARIOS DE LA ROSA

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April 3, 2010
Rosario Larios De La Rosa
De La Rosa, Rosario Larios Rosario Larios De La Rosa, of Arlington, passed away Sunday, March 28, 2010. She was born May 7, 1915 in the Philippines. She is survived by her sons Martin, Jr., Efren, and Alexander; daughter Nenette; 11 grandchildren; and 4 great grandchildren. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 AM Wednesday, March 31, 2010 at Holy Family Catholic Church in Irving with Msgr. Jerome Duesman as celebrant. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. A prayer service will be held at 7 PM Tuesday at the funeral home.

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Obituaries

DeRoncey, Robert "Bob" Joseph, 78, passed away on October 12, 2010 in his Irving home. He was born on March 16, 1932 in Birmingham, AL to Alexander Joseph DeRoncey & Mary Estelle (Smith) DeRoncey. He was a resident of Irving for the past 43 years and a member of the Church of the Incarnation at University of Dallas. He retired from Delta Airlines in 1992 after many years of service as an airline mechanic. He is survived by his wife, Nancy DeRoncey of Irving, daughter, Susan Maddox and husband, Danny of Wiggins, MS, Sharon Branham and husband, Danny of Blountsville, AL, son, Mark DeRoncey and wife, Denise of Irving, six grandsons, seven great grandchildren, four sisters, Mary Jo Liedbetter of Birmingham, AL, Doris Muir of McCalla, AL, Margaret Burks of Jacksonville, FL, and Patricia Coots of Stockbridge, GA and one brother, Jack DeRoncey of Hueytown, AL. The family will receive friends for visitation on Friday evening from 6:30PM - 8:30PM with a prayer vigil service at 7:30PM. Funeral services will be Saturday, October 16, 2010 at 1:00PM at Chapel of Roses Funeral Home. A private family burial will be at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Dr. Raymond Douglas DiLorenzo

DiLorenzo, Dr. Raymond Douglas a resident of Irving, Texas for 38 years, died Friday, July 16, 2010 at the age of 68. Dr. DiLorenzo was born March 23, 1942 in Cleveland, Ohio to Dominic and Frances DiLorenzo. He resided in Cleveland for 22 years, graduating from St. Ignatius High School in 1960 and in 1963 received his BA from John Carroll University. On September 5, 1964, he married Nancy Litturi in Cleveland. Raymond continued his education as a graduate of: The Ohio State University, Columbus OH, 1965 (MA), Pontifical Institute of Medieval Studies, Toronto, Canada, 1969 (MLS), and The University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada, 1974 (PhD). From 1972 to 2005, Dr. DiLorenzo was an Associate Professor of English at the University of Dallas, Irving, where he then became Professor Emeritus of English upon retirement. He was a parishioner of The Church of the Incarnation in Irving. Survivors include his wife, Nancy Litturi DiLorenzo of Irving; daughter and son-in-law, Laura DiLorenzo Morales and Kendrick J. Morales of Louisiana; daughter, Maria Frances DiLorenzo of Massachusetts; son, Raymond Dominic DiLorenzo of Richardson; grandchildren, Ethan and Julia Morales of Louisiana; and nephew, Christopher Kellner of Georgia. A Memorial Mass will be held Friday, July 23rd at 10:00am at The Church of the Incarnation. In lieu of flowers or gifts, the family requests that donations be made to The University of Dallas, English Department, 1845 E. Northgate Drive, Irving, TX 75063.

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Mary Jewel Dearing (1920 - 2010) | Visit Guest Book

Mary Jewel Dearing, 89, a resident of Arlington, died Thursday, Jan. 7, 2010, at her home.
Memorial service: 3 p.m. Tuesday at Dayspring Church, 507 W. Road to Six Flags, Arlington. Interment will follow in Bluebonnet Hills Memorial Park in Colleyville. Dr. Larry Hester will officiate. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Monday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway, Irving.
Memorials: In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to American Hospice or the Alzheimer’s Foundation.

Born Sept. 15, 1920, in Henrietta to Dora Bell and William Evans, she married Sidney Aubrey Dearing in 1943. A resident of Irving for 56 years, she was a member of Dayspring Church in Arlington.

Mary was preceded in death by her husband, parents and seven siblings.
Survivors: Mary is survived by son, Gerald Dearing; daughters, Pauline and husband, Hap Michener, Vickie and husband, Jeff Kromer, Wanda and husband, Ray Hart; 15 grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren; and many relatives and friends.

Published in Star-Telegram on January 10, 2010
Karen Sue Hill Defoe, of Irving passed away Tuesday, December 21, 2010. She was born August 18, 1947 in Sulphur Springs, Texas. She worked as a loan processor with Lending Services. Karen was also a volunteer with the Texas Birth Searching Group (SIT Group). Survivors include her children Schona Hotard, Travis Defoe, and Kimberly Ogden; grandchildren Ashley Baysinger, Kandice Ogden, and Colton Ogden; great grandson Chase D. Wessell; father Andy Hill and wife Louise Crane Hill; sisters Jean Hill, and Sheri Kelly; nieces Andrea Theriot, April Kelly, and Jennifer Durham Herrera; and numerous other relatives. Funeral services will be held at 10 AM Tuesday, December 28, 2010 at Brown’s Memorial Chapel. Graveside services will follow at 2:30 PM at Ridgeway Cemetery in Hopkins Co.

Karen Sue Hill Defoe Visit Guest Book

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Karen Sue Hill Defoe

Karen Sue Hill Defoe, of Irving, passed away Tuesday, December 21, 2010. She was born August 18, 1947 in Sulphur Springs. Funeral services were held at 10 AM Tuesday, December 28, 2010 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Burial followed at Ridgeway Cemetery in Hopkins Co.

Irving Ramble
January 1, 2011
Robert "Bob" Joseph DeRoncey

Robert "Bob" Joseph DeRoncey, 78, passed away on October 12, 2010 in his Irving home. He was born on March 16, 1932 in Birmingham, AL to Alexander Joseph DeRoncey & Mary Estelle (Smith) DeRoncey. He had been a resident of Irving for the past 43 years and attended the Church of Incarnation at the University of Dallas. He retired from Delta Airlines in 1992 where he was an airline mechanic for many years. He is survived by his wife Nancy DeRoncey, daughters, Susan Maddox and husband, Danny of Wiggins, MS, Sharen Branham and husband, Danny of Blountsville, AL, son, Mark DeRoncey and wife, Denise of Irving, six grandsons, seven great grandchildren, four sisters, Mary Jo Ledbetter of Birmingham, AL, Doris Muir of McCalla, AL, Margaret Burks of Jacksonville, FL., and Patricia Coos of Stockbridge, GA., and one brother, Jack DeRoncey of Hueytown, AL. A prayer vigil service was held on Friday at 7:30PM. Funeral services will be Saturday, October 16, 2010 at 1:00PM at Chapel of Roses Funeral Home. A private family burial will take place at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Charles Delaney

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Delaney, Charles Edward former resident of The Colony and Irving, passed away October 9, 2010. He was born May 7, 1928, in Coeur D'Alene, Idaho, and he graduated from Poison High School in Montana. He served in the Army from 1946 to 1948. Chuck graduated from Indiana Institute in 1953 with a BSEE degree. He retired from Overhead Door Corporation in 1995 after many years of designing the electric door openers built by the firm. Chuck held several patents and played a key role in designing child safety controls on door openers. He is survived by his wife, Glenna, six children, one stepdaughter, eleven grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. Funeral services will be held at 2 pm Wednesday, October 13, 2010, at George J Carroll & Son Funeral Home in Gainesville, Texas. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to the American Cancer Society or the American Heart Association.

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Marjory Delaney Obituary: View Marjory Delaney's Obituary by Dallas Morning News

Marjory Delaney

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Delaney, Marjory Marjory K. Delaney, of Irving, passed away on June 15, 2010. She was born on May 26, 1937 in Covington, KY. Marjory worked as a restaurant manager and then owner of Chef Marjory catering. She is survived by her sons and daughters Kathryn Delaney and husband George Warner, Tim Delaney, Karen Smith and husband Gregory, Kevin Delaney and wife Kathryn, and Dennis Delaney and partner Tom Watts, Thomas Delaney and wife Jennifer; 9 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Memorial services will be held at 2 PM Saturday, July 3, 2010 at St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church in Irving. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to the American Diabetes Association or to Big Brothers Big Sisters.

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Marjory K. Delaney, of Irving, passed away on June 15, 2010. She was born on May 26, 1937 in Covington, KY. Marjory worked as a chef for Denny's and then owner of Chef Marjory catering. She is survived by her sons and daughters Kathryn Delaney and husband George Warner, Tim Delaney, Karen Smith and husband Gregory, Kevin Delaney and wife Kathryn, and Dennis Delaney and partner Tom Watts, Thomas Delaney and wife Jennifer; 7 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Funeral services pending at St. Stephen’s Presbyterian Church in Irving.

Marjory K. Delaney, of Irving, passed away on June 15, 2010. She was born on May 26, 1937 in Covington, KY. Marjory worked as a restaurant manager and then owner of Chef Marjory catering. She is survived by her sons and daughters Kathryn Delaney and husband George Warner, Tim Delaney, Karen Smith and husband Gregory, Kevin Delaney and wife Kathryn, and Dennis Delaney and partner Tom Watts, Thomas Delaney and wife Jennifer; 9 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Memorial services will be held at 2 PM Saturday, July 3, 2010 at St. Stephen’s Presbyterian Church in Irving. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to the American Diabetes Association or to Big Brothers Big Sisters.
Lola Ann Podrasky Denny

Denny, Lola Ann Podrasky of Carrollton, TX passed away peacefully at home surrounded by family on Monday, August 23rd. Lola was a loving Mom and wife who never met a stranger. She lit up every room she walked into with her smile, loving heart and fun-loving sense of humor. Lola chose to give the most unselfish generous gift, by donating her body to the Parker College of Chiropractic Research and Education Department in hopes of preventing others from suffering the pain she experienced. Survived by her Husband, Brian, Daughter, Christie Podrasky, Son, Jason Bouldin, Sisters, Becky Pearn and Janet Fleming, Grandchildren Megan Lloyd, Melanie LeeAnn and Dylan Bouldin and countless loving family members and friends. A loving Memorial service will be held at 2:00 PM, Saturday, August 28th at Cochran Chapel 9027 Midway Road Dallas, Texas 75209. Flowers should be delivered between 10:00 AM and Noon on Saturday. In lieu of flowers you may choose to make a donation to one of the following charities: Scottish Rite Hospital, Elizabethtooncharities.org and Parker College of Chiropractic. Love every day like it was your last and may you finally rest in Peace Mom! We love you!

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Geraldine Dews

Dr. Geraldine Dews was born on December 28, 1939 to Eugene and Eva Hardman in Tulsa, Oklahoma. During her formative years, she attended Evening Light Saints Church of God, where she also accepted Jesus Christ as her personal savior. She attended Tulsa Public Schools and graduated class valedictorian from Booker T. Washington High School in May, 1957.

The following fall, she enrolled in Bishop College in Marshall, Texas. On July 5, 1959 she married Charles Dews, who was also a student at Bishop. They had one son, Dexter. She completed her studies and graduated with a Bachelors Degree in English in May 1964.

After teaching two years in the Ardmore, Oklahoma public schools system, she was hired by Dallas Independent School District (DISD) in the fall of 1966. Her first assignment in the District was at Pearl C. Anderson Middle School as an English Teacher. She earned a Masters Degree in Counseling from Southeastern State University in Durant, Oklahoma in May, 1970.

In the fall of 1971, she began working as an administrator of DISD's Elementary and Secondary Act (ESEA) Title I Program. Over the years that followed, she gained notoriety in the District for her mastery of program budgets, operations and instruction. Under ESEA Title I, she managed the Targeted Achievement in Reading, Mathematics and Early Childhood Education Programs. She received a Doctorate Degree in Education from Nova University in August, 1979.

Other positions held by Dr. Dews during her career with DISD, included Dean of Instruction at Lincoln High School and Colonial Elementary School. In the fall of 1991, she was assigned as principal of Charles Rice Elementary Learning Center. Under her leadership, Charles Rice students excelled at every grade level. The school received many accolades on both the state and national level for outstanding academic achievement. The proven academic model she developed
Cheri Dickson

DICKSON, CHERI Born Nov. 16, 1930 in Cincinnati, OH and passed away on May 28, 2008 in Carrollton, TX. Visitation will be from 6pm - 8pm on Friday at the funeral home. Funeral services 10am on Saturday, May 31, 2008, at Northway Baptist Church, 3877 Walnut Hill Ln. Interment will follow at Crown Hill Cemetery. Hughes Funeral Home North Chapel 9700 Webb Chapel Rd. Dallas Texas 75220 214-350-9931 Published in the Dallas Morning News on 5/30/2008.
Roger Dickson

Dickson, Roger Giles 67, entered into the heavenly arms of his Lord on November 19, 2010-reunited with his mother Lois Dickson, his granddaughter Elaine ("Laney") Wilson and the Goodwin babies. He is survived by his beloved wife of 44 years, Sherry; their 4 daughters and sons-in-law, Lisa and Todd Goodwin, Jennifer and John Durham, Tonya and Glen Woods, Brandy and Bryan Wilson; his 17 grandchildren; his father Ancel Dickson; his 3 brothers and 1 sister, and numerous friends and relatives. He was an avid golfer, and his great love and devotion to his family will never be forgotten. His strong faith allowed him to see God in every person, place and living thing. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Tuesday November 23, 2010, at First Baptist Irving, 403 South Main St., Irving, TX 75060. In lieu of normal remembrances, please make a donation in Roger's name to www.pulmonaryfibrosis.org.

Published in Dallas Morning News on November 21, 2010
JOHN PATRICK
"JOHNNY" DILLON
John Patrick "Johnny" Dillon, age 66, a resident of Irving for 58 years, died Wednesday, October 13, 2010. Born in Marion, North Carolina, August 27, 1944 to Paul and Margaret Dillon, he was an amateur radio operator for 55 years. First licensed at the age of 10, he went on to earn his Extra Class John Dillon, call sign KSCLF Y, is now a 'silent key'. John proudly served in the United States Army during the Vietnam War and was stationed in Korea. His passion was radio equipment and he spent many years working in electronics. Johnny will be greatly missed. He was preceded in death by his father, Paul Dillon and brothers, Ross Paul Dillon, and Michael Williams Dillon. He is survived by his mother Margaret Dillon, sisters Nancy Block and husband Howard, Paula Thompson and husband John, Daisy Haley and husband Chris, and nieces and nephews Libby, Greta, Rachel, Teri, Tanya, Sara, Carrie, Robin, Roger, Julie, Brad, Russell, Camille, and Mitchell. Funeral services were held Saturday, October 16, 2010 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Burial followed at Restland Memorial Park in Dallas. Arrangements by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home
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CHRIS S. DINOU
Chris S. Dinou, age 58, of Irving, died Saturday, March 6, 2010 in Frisco. He was born November 26, 1951 in Chicago, IL. Service was 11 a.m., Wednesday, March 10, 2010 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be at DFW National Cemetery at a later date. Visitation was 6-8 p.m. on Tuesday.

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March 13, 2010
Chris S. Dinou

Dinou, Chris S., age 58, of Irving, died Saturday, March 6, 2010 in Frisco. Born November 26, 1951 to John Christopher Dinou and Marina Bankulis Dinou, Chris was a veteran, a fisherman, an adored son, a loving father, cherished brother, and a valued friend. His sense of humor, courage and strength will be greatly missed. Preceded in death by his parents, he is survived by a son, John James Dinou and a daughter Laura Christine Dinou of Irving, sisters, Elaine Ciaucou and husband, Eric, of Wildwood, IL, Vicki Levy and husband, Don, of Frisco, Joanna Dalidas and husband, Jeff, of Barrington, IL, lifetime friend, Mary Dinou of Irving and a large, loving, Big Fat Greek family. Service will be held at 11 a.m., Wednesday, March 10, 2010 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel of Irving, Texas. Burial will be at a later date. Family to receive friends at the funeral home from 6-8 p.m. on Tuesday. Memorial contributions may be made to The Gift of Living.

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Dinou, Chris S. (1951 - 2010)

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DOBBS, MARGIE DEAN (1927 - 2010)

Margie Dean Dobbs left us to join her husband Roy in heaven on May 8, 2010. Dean was 82 years old and lived in Irving, Texas, for 25 years. She passed peacefully in her home Saturday afternoon surrounded by family. Dean was born in Unionville, Missouri, but her family moved to Beaumont, Texas, where she was on the drill team in high school. She met Roy Dobbs at the First Baptist Church in Beaumont, and they later moved to Anahuac, Texas, where they raised their family. Once her children were all in school, Dean attended Lamar University where she completed her degree in home economics. She was a substitute teacher in the Houston Independent School District and sold real estate. She and Roy moved to Scotland for several years in the 1980s where he managed offshore operations for Sun Oil Company. Active in the Baptist church, it is said that Roy told Dean to put a "No" sign by the phone, so that she would stop agreeing to work on every volunteer project. She was a mother who could always be depended on and always expected her children and grandchildren to "do your best." She held a grandparents camp many summers for the grandkids. Dean loved the song "I Hope You Dance," wearing a hat to church on Sunday, growing roses, and watching her Dallas Cowboys. Dean is survived by her four children Linda Dobbs Willis and her husband Ronnie, Carol Beyenstein, Bill Dobbs and his wife Jean, and Susan Curling and her husband Patrick. She is also survived by eight grandchildren Amanda Willis, Jason and Lisa Beyenstein, Sarah and Spencer Dobbs, Pat, Shelaigh, and Emily Curling and one great-grandson Carter. Dean was preceded in death by her husband, Roy Edward Dobbs. "Roy will be glad to see her. Visitation will be held 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, May 12, 2010, at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel with internment at 12:00 p.m., Wednesday at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Irving Baptist Fellowship Church, 2201 W. Shady Grove, Irving, TX, 75060.
Florence Bell Dollison

Dollison Florence Bell Dollison was born May 12, 1921 in Stewart, Oklahoma. She passed away May 25, 2010 in Dallas, Texas. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ross Dollison, Sr., sister, Wilma Crewe, brother, Peta Dixon and grandson Chris Foster. She is survived by sons, Ross Dollison, Jr. and wife, Rose, Van Dollison and wife, Glenda and Lamace Dollison and wife, Shirley and Dennis Dollison & wife Patty, daughter, Jeannette Foster and husband Fred, 13 grandchildren, 30 great grandchildren, 6 great great grandchildren, brothers, William Dixon and David Dixon and sisters, Trudy Goode, Jo Gochnour and Diana Averett. Funeral Services will be at 1:00 P.M. Friday May 28, 2010 in the Jeter & Son Chapel. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, Texas.

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Georgia Dorety

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Dorety, Georgia 86, passed away on September 20, 2010 in Irving, TX. The family will receive friends for visitation on Thursday evening from 6:00PM-8:00PM. Graveside services will be held on Friday, Sept. 24, 2010 at 10:00AM at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Chapel of Roses Funeral Home 1225 E. Irving Blvd., Irving, TX. 75060. (972) 554-1031

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Douglas, W. S. "Doug" (1929 - 2010)

W. S. "Doug" Douglas, 80, laid down his earthly burden and answered the call of the angels on Saturday, July 10, 2010. The funeral service will be 11:00 a.m. Thursday, July 15, 2010 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel, 606 West Airport Freeway in Irving. The family will receive friends at the funeral home 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 14, 2010. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 4144 N. Central Expressway, Suite 750, Dallas, TX 75204, (please specify Alzheimer's research). Burial will be at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. Pallbearers will be Brandon Hindman, Gary Blake, Bill Davis, Jerry Kralich, Bob Rankin, and Jason Benzmirer. Born September 1, 1929 in Minco, Oklahoma, he was the son of Sid and Addie Harper Douglas. He met the love of his life, Joy Davis, when as a very young man, he drove her school bus. They married June 2, 1951 and enjoyed 59 years together. Doug wore many hats throughout his life: farmer, railroad man, carpenter, RVer, hunter, fisherman and sports enthusiast, but his most treasured occupations were husband, father, Paw Paw and friend. Preceded in death by his parents, Sid and Addie Harper Douglas; sister, Marie Handke; brother, Sidney Douglas; brother, Lester Douglas; brother, Wayne Douglas; sister, Carolyn Beemier; great grandson, "Baby" Hunter Hindman, and granddaughter-in-law, April Hartnett. He is survived by his wife, Joy, daughter Sherry Kirby and husband, Gary; son, Stanley; brother, Ronald Douglas; sister, Larena Brown; granddaughter, Cyne Hindman and husband Brandon, grandson, Aaron Hartnett; Precious great grandchildren, Tyra, Mackenzie and Mason, whom he had to leave too soon, and many beloved family members and friends. "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith." II Timothy 4:7

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Cynthia was born on September 3, 1951 and passed away on Wednesday, June 30, 2010.

Cynthia was a resident of Lewisville, Texas.
JOANN MAXWELL DRAGO0
1941 - 2010

JOANN MAXWELL DRAGO0, age 69, of Grand Prairie, Texas, formerly a resident of Irving for 37 years, died Tuesday, July 20, 2010 at the Medical Center of Arlington. Born February 28, 1941 in Llano, Texas, she was the daughter of Chester Clyde Maxwell and Mary Orlena McMurray Maxwell. She graduated from Rankin High School in Rankin, Texas and from the Shannon School of Nursing in San Angelo, Texas. She married Thomas R. Dragoo July 11, 1963 at Midkiff, Texas. A registered nurse, she was a member of Pioneer Drive Baptist Church in Irving. Survivors include her husband, Tom of Grand Prairie; son, Robert Michael Dragoo of Irving; daughter, Danielle Denise Roberts of Grand Prairie; sister, Sandra Powe of Grand Prairie; and two grandchildren, Jonathan Robert Dragoo and Kristina Marie Dragoo. Memorial service will be 2:00 p.m. Saturday, July 24, 2010 at Pioneer Drive Baptist Church, 4034 West Pioneer Drive in Irving.

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June Ducote

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Ducote, June June Ehrett Ducote, loving wife, mother and grandmother died on December 31, 2010. Born in Breaux Bridge, LA., March 2, 1934. June was the daughter of Bernice Edward Ehrett and Irma Forbes Ehrett. She is survived by her husband of 55 years Kenneth P. Ducote; four children and their spouses: Chris and Sharon Ducote of Montgomery, AL, Neil and Colette Ducote and Alice and Steve Snyder of Garland, TX, and Nancy and Milosh Boroyevich of Irving, TX; nine grandchildren: Christopher, Nicholas, Timothy, Andrew, Zachary and Gabrielle Ducote, Danielle Snyder, Marinela Boroyevich and Katie Ducote Bennett (Ronnie). She is also survived by her sisters, Nancy Schwartzzen-burg (Henry) of Houston, TX and Marci Bourg (Albert) of Kenner, LA and her brother Glenn Ehrett of Baton Rouge, LA. June retired from Rockwell International in 1996 as an Administrative Assistant. She had numerous interests including her love of gardening, traveling to Europe and her many trips to Ft. Walton Beach, FL. June enjoyed volunteering and reading. Visitation Friday, January 7th from 6 to 8 p.m. with the Recitation of the Holy Rosary at 7:30 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 600 South Jupiter Road, Richardson, TX followed by a Memorial Mass at 2 p.m. on Saturday, January 8th. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in memory of June may be made to the Edmundite Missions, 1428 Broad Street, Selma, AL 36701.

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To: Irving ISD Personnel
From: Robyn Wolters, Director of Human Resources
Subject: Bernice Dugger

We regret to inform you of the death of Bernice Dugger, mother and mother-in-law of Neil and Paula Dugger and grandmother to Ashley Whittington. Mrs. Bernice Dugger passed away on Monday, November 8th.

Dr. Neil Dugger is the Assistant Superintendent for Administration. Paula Dugger is the Reading Coordinator for Irving ISD. Ashley Whittington is First Grade Teacher at Stipes Elementary School.

Arrangements are under the direction of Dossman Funeral Home; 2525 North Main; Belton, Texas 76513.

Visitation with the family will be held on Tuesday, November 9th from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Dossman Funeral Home.

The funeral will be held on Wednesday, November 10th at 11:00 a.m. at Dossman Funeral Home.

Neil and Paula Dugger and Ashley Whittington may be contacted at the following addresses:

Neil and Paula Dugger  
c/o Irving ISD  
2621 W. Airport Freeway  
Irving, Texas 75062

Ashley Whittington  
c/o Stipes Elementary School  
3100 Cross Timbers  
Irving, Texas 75066

Please keep Neil and Paula Dugger and Ashley Whittington as well as the remainder of the family in your thoughts and prayers.
Dunman, Pamela
Dunman, Pamela, age 69, of Irving, TX, died on January 17, 2010. WOOD FUNERAL HOME CARROLLTON 972-322-8151
Published in the Dallas Morning News on 1/24/2010
Obituaries: Dupre', Donald F.

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Last Name: Dupre'
First Name: Donald
Middle Name (or Initial): F.
Maiden Name:
Gender: Male

Birth Date: September 18, 1931
Place of Birth: South Bellingham, massachusetts
Death Date: July 31, 2010
Place of Death:
Age at Death:
Cause of Death:

Funeral Home: Chism-Smith Funeral Home Irving, Texas
Cemetery:

Spouse: Betty Roath
Father:
Mother:
Children: Steven Dupre', Yvonne Dupre' Haley
Siblings: Norbert Dupre', Jacqueline Watson

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Source Date: August 2010
Additional Information:

Patrick Charles Gesch Dupree

Patrick Charles Gesch Dupree of Irving passed away Saturday, June 26, 2010, from a motorcycle accident. Memorial service: 11 a.m. Monday, July 12, at Shannon Rose Hill Funeral Chapel. He graduated from Azle High School Class of 2005. He was preceded in death by a sister, Dianne Elizabeth Dupree. Survivors: Mother, Polly Gesch Dupree; brothers, Anthony Dupree and wife, Elizabeth, Joseph Dupree and Buddy Ford; niece, Izabella Dupree; and grandparents, Charles and Margaret Gesch.

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Almariah Duque

Duque, Almariah Izabela Almariah Izabela Duque was born April 17, 2006 and passed away on March 31, 2010. She is preceded in death by her grandmother, Maria Lourdes Garcia and cousin Samuel Matthew Kaziuku. Survived by her father Greg Duque and mother Kenya Duque. Grandmother Irma Maini and grandfather Salvador Maini. Almariah was a beautiful little girl full of life and joy. Her laughter would always light up the room. Almariah had the strength to pull through many obstacles in her life. Almariah loved to play with friends and toys and loved to sing and read books. She is her parent's greatest joy and they adore her and will continue to be their inspiration. Her voice will never be forgotten and her memory kept alive forever. Mommy and Daddy miss you and will never stop fighting for you. Visitation will be 2-8pm, Friday, April 9, 2010 at the funeral home. Services are 2pm, April 10, 2010 at Grove Hill Funeral Home.

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Condolences may be offered at
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Sean Duran

Duran, Sean, 24, of Bedford, TX passed from this life on March 14, 2010.

He was born to Lisa Duran on May 28, 1985 in Las Vegas, Nevada. Sean spent the majority of his youth growing up and attending school in Midvale, Utah until the age of 15 when he moved to Bastrop, TX. While attending Bastrop High School, he was actively involved in ROTC. At the age of 17, in the summer between his junior and senior year of high school, he joined the Texas National Guard and went to basic training. He graduated in 2003 and went on to excel in his military service and was chosen by his leadership to attend Wentworth Military Academy in Lexington, Missouri. He was currently enrolled in Le Cordon Bleu Culinary Institute in Irving, TX to pursue a passion in cooking. Sgt. Sean Duran was a member of the 369th ID and deployed with Fort Hood Company 949th Infantry Unit in August of 2008. He served our country in Operation Iraqi Freedom from November of 2008 to August 2009. While in Iraq, Sgt. Duran was a wealth of information and an invaluable support to all who served with him. While running Combat Logistical Patrols with his platoon he served as communications Sergeant. While on mission, Sgt. Duran earned his nickname “Preacher” by saying a prayer before the element would return to its home base. Sgt. Duran also played in integral part in training replacement units and was also selected to train the Iraqi military in use of the AGV tactical vehicle. Sgt. Duran was the recipient of many medals, including the Bronze Star. Sean is survived by his mother Lisa Duran of Midvale, Utah. His second mother Jane Campos of Bastrop, Texas. His grandmother Mary Duran, his brothers and sister Aaron, Martin and Veronica. He is also survived by his girlfriend, Lindsey Harrison and his son Tyler Mathew Harrison, both of Granbury, TX. He was a loving son, boyfriend, father, and friend. A memorial will be held at 3:30pm on Friday, March 19, 2010 at the Dallas Fort Worth National Cemetery. There will also be a military service in Bastrop, TX on Monday March 22, 2010 at 3:00pm at the First Baptist Church, 1201 Water Street. A memorial will also be held in Utah at some later date to be announced. The family asks that you consider donations to Brooks Burn Center, Walter Reed Army Medical Center, or the charity of your choice in lieu of flowers.

Aria

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Shirley Dykstra
Dykstra, Shirley Age 81, of Plano, TX, died on January 27, 2010. Eastgate Funeral Home 972-270-6116
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