Elizabeth Madama
September 20, 1943 - July 4, 2010

Elizabeth Madama, age 66 of Arlington, Texas passed away on Sunday, July 4, 2010. She was born on September 20, 1943 in Woodbury, TN to Richard and Willie Mears. Elizabeth married John Madama on July 19, 1965 in Murfreesboro, TN. She is preceded in death by her parents; sister, Polly McNeese and brother Buddy Mears. Elizabeth graduated from Central High School in Woodbury, TN where she was an All Star Player on the basketball team. During her early adulthood she worked for White Stag as a seamstress. Survivors include, husband John Madama; daughter, Lisa McAnally and husband Jeffrey, Angela Barbour; grandchildren, Zachary McAnally, Adam McAnally, Araya Barbour; nephews, Shane and Rayne McNeese; cousin, Lovey Phillips. They will all miss her beautiful smile and kind spirit. Funeral Services will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, July 12, 2010 at Chism-Smith Funeral Home Chapel with interment following at DFW National Cemetery in Dallas.
Kathy Maddox

Maddox, Kathy Lou, 56, of Dallas, passed away on April 16, 2010. A Celebration of Life will be held on April 16, 2010 at 2:00 PM at the Chapel of the Cross 4333 Cole Avenue, Dallas, TX 75203. Services arranged by the Rev. John Bonnzaiger. He passed away on April 6, 2010 in Dallas. She was born on September 4, 1953 in Dallas, Texas to the late Nelke and Ione Maddox. She was employed and enjoyed her job at Frezin Park Library. She loved her coworkers and friends and will be missed by all. She was preceded in death by her parents and Godparents, Art and Bev Crowley. Kathy is survived by her son, James "Jimmy" Maddox and family, Deana Rose of Garland, Grandson, Christopher Maddox, Brother, Joe Maddox and wife, Liz of Peachtree, Georgia, niece and nephews, Lauren and Joe Maddox, other family. The family requests that in lieu of flowers donations be made in Kathy's memory to--

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Kathy Maddox

Maddox, Kathy Age 56, of Dallas, TX, died on April 6, 2010. Arrangements made by Family Cremation Service & Funeral Home 214-306-6700

Published in Dallas Morning News on April 10, 2010
Mahoney, Mike (1938 - 2010)

MIKE MAHONEY, age 71, a resident of Irving, Texas since 1993, died Thursday, February 25, 2010 at home. He was born October 4, 1938 in Austin, Texas to John DeKalb Mahoney, Jr. and Viola Mae Wood Mahoney. Mike was a retired mail carrier in the Las Colinas area, and a member of the Descendants of Henry Baker. Survivors include his friend, Nt Graham of Irving; god-daughter, Victoria Michelle Davis of Aubrey; sons, Kyle Michael Mahoney of Bedford and Curtis Mitchell Mahoney of Keller; daughter, Mitz; four granddaughters and four grandsons; sisters, Beverly Jones of Dallas, Suzanne Tayara Mooney and husband Bill of Little Elm; nephews, David Jones of Frisco, John Hulett Jones of San Francisco, California; Shaneel Tayara of Houston, Shabez Tayara and wife Nofe of Arlington; nieces, Jennifer Parnish and husband Mark of Cedar Hill; and four great nieces and nephews. A Memorial Service will be held 2:00 p.m., Saturday, March 13, 2010 at the Celebration of Life Church in Irving. Memorial contributions may be made to Community Hospice of Texas, 1341 West Mockingbird Lane, Suite 210 East, Dallas, TX 75247, or Celebration of Life Church, 1646 West Irving Blvd., Irving, TX 75061.

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Rosalee Teague Main

Died on 04/10/2010. She is buried with her husband, Carey N. Main in Section 22 Site 928.

Added: Apr. 14, 2010

Rosa Lee Teague Main, loving wife, mother, grandmother and friend, passed away Saturday, April 10, 2010, at a local hospice facility. She was 88 years old. Service: Noon Tuesday in The Leonard Chapel of First United Methodist Church of Fort Worth. Interment: 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Monday at Thompson's Harveson & Cole Funeral Home. Memorials: In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to Cook Children's Medical Center Fort Worth, 801 Seventh Ave., Fort Worth, Texas 76104; Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research, Attn: Tribute/Gifts, Church Street Station, P.O. Box 780, New York, N.Y. 10008-0780; or First United Methodist Church Fort Worth Television Ministry, 800 West Fifth St., Fort Worth, Texas 76102. Rosa Lee was born in Decatur in 1921 to Roe and Lillie Teague. She graduated from Shield of Faith High School in Fort Worth and worked at Montgomery Ward and Consolidated Vultee prior to marrying Carey Main in July 1945. They made their home in Fort Worth with their three children. She later worked as a church secretary, and then retired from Texas Wesleyan College. She and Carey were married for 57 years. She was very involved in her children's activities, assisting in scout programs, Texas Boys Choir Parents Club, PTA, and Poly High School Band Booster Club functions. She was a wonderful seamstress and a great cook. She also loved to play with her grandchildren, garden, read, travel and work her crossword puzzles. She and her husband Carey also happily devoted many years of volunteer service to Cook Children's Medical Center Fort Worth. Rosa Lee was active in the Methodist Women at First United Methodist Church of Fort Worth, her Sunday school, and enjoyed many years with the church's XZY "Club," playing "chickenfoot" and visiting with her friends. She was also a member of the Meadowbrook Garden Club and a longtime member of the American Business Women's Association. The family would like to thank the staff at Community Hospice of North Texas, Emery Lilge House, for their compassionate and loving care given to their mother. She will be missed dearly by her family and many friends. Rosa Lee was preceded in death by her husband, Carey; her parents, Roe and Lillie Teague; three brothers; and five sisters. Survivors: Sons, Mike and wife, Annette, and Patrick and wife, Rose Mary; daughter, Debbie; grandchildren, Erika Main, Austin Main and Collin Main; and Laura, family friend and caregiver. Published in Star-Telegram on April 12, 2010. Buried: Section 22 Site 928 Dallas Fort Worth National Cemetery.

Added: Apr. 12, 2010

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Added: Apr. 12, 2010

Added: Apr. 20, 2010
Priscilla Major

Major, Priscilla Leigh, age 83, peacefully left this life surrounded by her family in Irving, TX, on March 14, 2010. Priscilla was born July 12, 1926, in Eureka, KS. She was preceded in death by her parents, 3 sisters and 3 brothers; 1 daughter; and 1 grandson. She is survived by her husband of 56 years, Cleo Major, who lovingly cared for her the last twelve years of her life; children, Marvyn Major, Lee Major, Delinda Hemmick and Kristine Gooding; 8 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild; and two siblings. Family will receive friends on Thursday, 6th at 7:00 pm at Calvary Hill Funeral Home. Mass of Christian Burial will be held Friday 2PM at Calvary Hill North Chapel at 7225 Lombardy Lane, Dallas, TX. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Texas Scottish Rite Hospital.

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Arthur Maldonado (1946 - 2010)

Arthur Maldonado, 63, of Houston died unexpectedly of natural causes Sunday, Jan 31, 2010, at his vacation "fish camp" in Port O'Connor.

Service In memory of Art's independent spirit and joyful life, his family and friends will gather for a memorial reception 2 to 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb 20, at the Worthington Hotel, Fort Worth. Memoriales. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to a worthy cause of choice.

Art was born Dec. 5, 1946, in Fort Worth to Leonard and Julia Maldonado. He graduated from U.S. Grant High School in Oklahoma City, enlisted in the U.S. Army and served in Germany and Vietnam. He later attended Oklahoma State University. Art was a timekeeper, estimator and later an executive for Harmon Construction Co. and Manhattan Construction Co., a career spanning more than 20 years, until his retirement in 1995.

Art played as hard in retirement as he worked at his jobs. He sang with gusto but couldn't carry a tune to save his life. He laughed until he turned red in the face. He didn't understand why anyone would wake up grumpy in the morning and charmed everyone he ever met. Art loved political arguments, good jokes (and quite a few bad ones), Saturday night poker, gadgets of all kinds, books, fine spirits and one good woman. As Art liked to say, "Always remember, no matter where you go — there you are!"

He was a kind man, a loving husband and father and a wonderful grandfather (aka "Bapoo") who will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a younger brother.

Survivors: His wife of 40 years, Joyce E. Maldonado, daughter, Amy Maldonado of Houston, beloved granddaughters ("the Poohs"), Julia and Noemeh Tejauno, sister and brothers and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family and dear friends.

Published in Star-Telegram on February 14, 2010.
Fred Malen

Malen, Fred Fred Malen Ll, Colonel USAF Retired. Born April 14, 1921 in Cleveland, Ohio passed away April 8, 2010 after losing a battle with Acute Leukemia. He served his country in World War II as a B-24 pilot was shot down over Germany and was a POW for 15 months. He is survived by his wife Eleven of 63 years, three children Greg, Ron, and Cindy Galieke, five grandchildren, and sisters Ruth Ports and Elise Kobasuk. Memorial services to be held at Christ Church, 4530 Legacy Drive, Plano, Texas on April 24 at 3:30 PM in the chapel. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Heartland Hospice. Online condolences may be offered at www.teddickeyfuneralhomes.com.

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Saramma Joseph Maliyil, a long time resident of Grand Prairie promoted to Glory on June 8, 2010. She was born on May 2, 1931 in Kerala, India. She is preceded in death by her husband Oommen Joseph Maliyil and daughter Sosamma Varkey; survivors include sons Thomas Maliyil and wife Anna; Jose Maliyil and wife Sheela; George Maliyil and wife Santha; daughter Annie and husband Rev. Sunny P. Thomas; son-in-law T. T. Varkey; 12 grandchildren; 4 great-grandchildren and many nieces, nephews and cousins. The family will receive friends from 9 AM-5 PM Thursday, June 10, 2010 at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home. A Wake Service will be held 6 PM Friday, June 11, 2010 at Assembly of God, 2383 Dunloe Ave. in Dallas. Funeral services will be held at 10 AM Saturday, June 12, 2010 at South MacArthur Church of Christ, 1401 S. MacArthur Blvd. in Irving with interment to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.
Jolan Mallick

Jolan Mallick our beloved Joll passed away February 6th, 2010 after a courageous 14 month battle with cancer. She was 43, and is survived by her loving family - Sumen, Brittany, Brandon, Rebecca, Bella, Mom, Dad, Ted, Ionna, Susan, James and Mike, and countless discreet relatives, friends and colleagues. Joll had a Bachelor's degree in Biochemistry from Texas A&M University and a MBA in International Management from University of Texas at Dallas. She was also a certified Project Management Professional (PMP). She spent the majority of her professional career in various roles at Texas Instruments, Inc most recently as IT Project Manager with TI’s Information Technology Services. Joll was a very creative person who loved to help others. She volunteered at the local PTA’s, and also played key roles in various mentorship programs at TI and UTD’s business school. Since her diagnosis, she became very involved in the cause to find cures for lung cancer, and specifically with the fundraising efforts and events of the National Lung Cancer Partnership (www.NationalLungCancerPartnership.org). Joll loved to travel and had many memorable trips both domestically and abroad with her loving family. She was a truly special wife, mother, daughter and friend, and will be greatly missed by all who were fortunate enough to get to know her. We will always love you. Joll’s memorial service will be held at the TI Auditorium located on the campus of The University of Texas at Dallas (UTD) on Saturday, February 13th at 2 PM.

Published in Dallas Morning News on February 11, 2010.
ERNEST “ERNIE” C. MAMMEN
Ernest “Ernie” C. Mammen, 89, lifelong resident of Irving, passed away April 25, 2010. He was born September 8, 1920 in Irving. Visitation was Wednesday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home. Service was Thursday, April 29, 1 pm, First Baptist Church, Irving. Burial was at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens

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May 1, 2010
MAMMEN, ERNEST CARL (1920 - 2010)

Ernest Carl Mammen, "Ernie", 89, lifelong resident of Irving, Texas, passed away April 25, 2010. Born September 8, 1920 in Irving, to Charles C. and Lissie Althof Mammen, he owned and operated Mammen Automotive on Irving Blvd for many years. He was preceded in death by his parents and older brother, John Mammen. Survivors include wife and sweetheart of 54 years, Ruth "Tootsie" Brooks Mammen, daughter, Pamela Mammen Ramirez and husband Raymond, grandsons, Casey and Spencer Ramirez, younger brother, Albert Mammen and wife Joy, and nieces and nephews. He was an Army Veteran of WWII, serving in Normandy (D-Day), Northern France, Rhineland, and Central Europe Campaigns. Ernie loved his life doing what he loved most, working on and building anything mechanical, from race cars to airplanes. His quick wit, good sense of humor, and talent for making people laugh will be missed by all who knew him. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m., Wednesday, April 28, 2010, at the funeral home. Funeral service will be Thursday, April 29, 2010, 1:00 p.m., at First Baptist Church of Irving, 403 South Main Street, Irving, TX, 75060. Burial will be held at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, Texas. Memorials may be made to National Parkinson Foundation.

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Mammen, Lorene (1918 - 2010)

LOREENE MAMMEN, age 91, a resident of Irving, Texas for 74 years, died Tuesday, February 23, 2010 in Irving. She was born March 1, 1918 in Shreve, Texas to Brent and Lucile Cromer Brooks. Lorene and her husband founded Mammen Glass Company in Irving in 1956. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Irving. Proceeded in death by her husband, Johnny H. Mammen in 1996, she is survived by her sons, Jim Mammen and wife Ann of Keller, John Mammen and wife Theresa of Haslet; and five grandchildren. The family will receive friends from 12 noon until 1:00 p.m. Saturday, February 27, 2010 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Funeral Service will be held at 1:00 p.m. at the Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. Memorial contributions may be made to Samaritan's Purse at Samaritan'sPurse.org.
Jay "Preacher" Marcom, of Irving, passed away Friday, January 29, 2010. He was born October 16, 1928 in Farmers Branch. He served as an Air Operation Specialist with the USAF from 1946-1949. He retired in 1991 as owner and partner of Marcom Mowing and J&R Service. He was also involved with the Bus Ministry at Meadowbrook Baptist Church for years. Survivors include his wife Rose Marcom of Irving; sons Jay Marcom, II and wife Kathy of Ranger, Terry Garret and wife Gloria of Winona, Joey Marcom of Royce City, and Chuck Mooney and wife Vel of Grand Prairie; daughters Mary Tyer of Euless, and Vickie Hendry and husband Larry of Tatum; brothers Bill Marcom of Farmers Branch, and Sonny Marcom of Carrollton; 17 grandchildren; and 12 great grandchildren and one on the way. Graveside services will be held at 11AM Monday, February 1, 2010 at Farmers Branch Keenan Cemetery in Farmers Branch with Dr. Jim Gerlach officiating. The family will receive friends 2-4 PM Sunday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home. Memorial donations may be made to a Ministry Work of your choice.

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Published in Dallas Morning News on January 30, 2010
Donald Clifton Marcus
July 18, 1946 - March 24, 2010

Donald Clifton Marcus, age 63, of Irving, TX, passed away on Wednesday, March 24, 2010. He was born on July 18, 1946 in Memphis, TN to Harry and Norma Marcus. Survivors include; daughters Dawn Patterson and husband Jeff, Cyndi Akins and boyfriend Windell, Kymm Reach and husband David; son, Chad Marcus and girlfriend Chelsea: sisters, Debbi Bradley, Brenda Hampton and husband Phil; brothers, Harry Marcus, Barry Marcus and wife Mere, Larri Marcus and wife Ginger; grandchildren, Beau Patterson, Nick Akins, Brittany Patterson, Kayla Akins, Geli Mata, Hailey Patterson, Bradley Akins. Brooklynn Marcus and grandpuppy Chomper. In lieu of flowers please make a donation to the American Heart Foundation. A Memorial Service will be held at 1:30 pm Saturday, March 27, 2010 at the Funeral Home.
**Freddie Mart**

Mart, Freddie Age 63, of Irving, TX, passed away August 03, 2010.

Published in Dallas Morning News on August 13, 2010
Anthony R. "Tony" Martin

Anthony R. "Tony" Martin, age 45, a resident of Irving, Texas formerly of Georgia, died Thursday, November 18, 2010 in a Dallas hospital. Born August 13, 1965 in Dallas, he was the son of John R. and Alecia Beasley Martin. Tony was a member of North Irving Baptist Church. He is survived by his mother, Alecia Martin of Irving; brothers, Johnny Martin of Irving and Robby Martin of Oklahoma. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, November 27, 2010 at North Irving Baptist Church, 3718 North Story Road with Pastor Brian Hale officiating.

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Dorothy Martin

Martin, Dorothy age 70, a resident of Farmers Branch for 12 years, formerly of Irving, died Sunday, May 2, 2010 at her home. She was born June 14, 1939 in Mount Vernon, New York to Harry L. and Dorothy Smith Hunt. Dorothy was a member of North Irving Baptist Church. On January 3, 1959, she married Bobby Joe Martin. He preceded her in death on August 19, 2009. Also preceding her in death is her father. Dorothy was greatly loved and will be dearly missed. Survivors include her daughter, Dorothy Lambert and husband Wayne; son, Robert Martin; four grandchildren, two great grandchildren, mother, Dorothy Hunt, brothers, Harry L. Hunt and wife Sandy, and William R. Hunt; sisters-in-law, Patsy Walls and husband Bob, and Peggy Henard. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Wednesday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home. Funeral service will be held 12 noon, Thursday, May 6, 2010 at North Irving Baptist Church with Pastor Brian Hale officiating. Burial at 2:00 p.m. at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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Dorothy Martin

Martin, Dorothy 70, of Farmers Branch, died 5/2/10. Service 12p.m. Thursday, N. Irving Baptist Church. Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home 972-579-1313.

Published in Dallas Morning News on May 6, 2010

MARTIN, DOROTHY (1939 - 2010)

Dorothy Martin, age 70, a resident of Farmers Branch, Texas for 12 years, formerly of Irving, Texas, died Sunday, May 2, 2010 at her home. She was born June 14, 1939 in Mount Vernon, New York to Harry L. and Dorothy Smith Hunt. Dorothy was a member of North Irving Baptist Church. On January 3, 1959, she married Bobby Joe Martin. He preceded her in death on August 19, 2009. Also preceding her in death is her father. Dorothy was greatly loved and will be dearly missed. Survivors include her daughter, Dorothy Lambert and husband Wayne; son, Robert Martin; four grandchildren, two great grandchildren, mother, Dorothy Hunt, brothers, Harry L. Hunt and wife Sandy, and William R. Hunt; sisters-in-law, Patsy Walls and husband Bob, and Peggy Henard. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Wednesday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home. Funeral service will be held 12 noon, Thursday, May 6, 2010 at North Irving Baptist Church with Pastor Brian Hale officiating. Burial at 2:00 p.m. at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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Martin, Dorothy M.

Martin, Dorothy M., age 84, a resident of Irving, Texas for 40 years, died Monday, January 4, 2010 in Irving. She was born August 25, 1925 in New York City, New York to Peter and Regina Lutz Huse. Dorothy married James Martin, a fellow New Yorker, in 1946. They were members of a Drum and Bugle band, and high school sweethearts. They lived with their children in England, Germany, Las Vegas, Victoria Falls and Blois during James’ years as an Air Force officer before settling in Irving upon his retirement. Dorothy’s passions were her family, her Catholic faith, culinary arts, travel, art and duplicate bridge. In 1969, Dorothy opened the ACBL Irving Bridge Club, which she owned and directed for 43 years. She also directed games in Arlington and Dallas, and played bridge in many national and international tournaments. She achieved the bronze Life Master award, and was selected by both the Dallas and the Fort Worth units for prestigious honors in 2009. Preceded in death by her husband; and son, Philip Martin, she is survived by her son, James Martin of Irving; and daughter, Regina Ames and husband Greg of Colorado. Burial was at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of one’s choice.

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Glenn Martin, 81, passed away peacefully in his sleep Monday, January 18, 2010. Mr. Martin played competitive tennis. He played in tournaments across the state and had several on his calendar for the upcoming weeks. He played and enjoyed tennis until the day he died. He was born Fermin Glenn Martin July 21, 1928, to Fermin G. Martin and Theo Deskin Martin in Grand Prairie, Texas. He soon was followed by his sister, Juliana or “Judy’. He graduated from Grand Prairie High School and went on to graduate from the University of Texas. After college, Mr. Martin served as an army officer in England during the Korean War. Mr. Martin married Dorothy Ann West in 1955. They were married more than 50 years, until her death in 2007. As a family man, he was a kind and loving father. He passed along his important life lesson, “you can figure that out” to his children, grandchildren, family, friends and even his pet cat Lizzie. His work as a petroleum engineer for ARCO won him international recognition, including honors from the World Petroleum Congress in Bucharest, Romania. He retired in 1985. Known as a good neighbor and for his wry sense of humor, he lived in Irving for 55 years. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Irving. He is survived by children - Paul Blair Martin and wife Paula of Coppell, David West Martin and wife Lory of Dallas, and Anna Jane Martin, of Houston; five grandchildren, Elizabeth Anne Martin of Coppell, Kimbley Leigh Martin of Coppell, Emily Kathryn Martin of Coppell, Alexander West Martin of Dallas, and Jonathan David Martin of Dallas; and sister, Juliana “Judy” Crews of Gun Barrel City. Memorial services will be held at 10:30 AM Saturday, January 23, at First United Methodist Church of Irving, 211 West Third St. Inurnment services will be held at DFV National Cemetery in Dallas at a later date. Memorial contributions can be made to Special Olympics of Texas and Susan G. Komen for the Cure.
George R. Martin

GEORGE R. MARTIN, age 83, a resident of Irving, Texas for 41 years, died Sunday, December 26, 2010 at his home. Born January 31, 1927 in West Sweeden, WI, to August William And Alvina Peterson Martin, he married Patsy Ann Williams August 27, 1960 in Vashti, TX. A career Air Force veteran, he retired at Senior Master Sergeant. He worked for Stewart and Stevenson Services, Inc. in Dallas for 20 years. Preceded in death by his wife of 49 years, Patsy, November 30, 2009 and three brothers, Joseph, Floyd, and Alex, he is survived by daughters Beth Hindman and husband Brian of Irving and Connie Ruiz and husband Armando of Sulphur Springs, TX; a son Wesley Martin of Irving; eleven grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; a sister Doris Lindquist and sister-in-law, Edna Martin, both of Frederic, Wisconsin; and numerous nieces and nephews. Visitation will be 6:00 -8:00 p.m. Tuesday, December 28, 2010 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. The funeral service will be 10:00 a.m. Wednesday at Oak View Baptist Church, 1004 S. Story in Irving. Rev. Wallace Philpott will officiate Graveside service 2:30 p.m. at Vashti Cemetery in Vashti, TX with Brad Edge officiating. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Oak View Baptist Church, Faith for the Future, 1004 S. Story Rd. Irving, TX 75060.

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Judith Lynn Compton Martin
May 3, 1949 - March 18, 2010

Judy Compton, age 60, of Fort Worth, TX, passed away at home on Thursday, March 18, 2010 with her family by her side. She was born in Colorado City, TX on May 3, 1949 to Harvey and Letha Compton. Survivors include, daughters, Sheila Edwards, Sheri Lovett, Rhonda Castongue, Cynthia Seay; sons, Rusty Cody, Elvis Seay; brothers, Richard Compton and Bobby Compton; 11 grandchildren and 8 great-children. Visitation will be held from 6-8 pm on Monday, March 21st at the Funeral Home.
Kenneth Martin Jr.
Martin Jr, Kenneth 78 passed away May 19 in Irving, TX. He was born October 12, 1931 in Dallas TX to the late Kenneth Martin & Urban Askew. He served in the armed forces. He retired from Exxon and loved fishing on Toledo Bend Lake. He is survived by his wife Susie Martin, daughter and son-in-law Lisa & Bee Guillery and grandchildren Abigail & Meagan and his sweet dog Pepper.

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Robert Joseph Martin, age 49, of Farmers Branch, formerly of Irving, died Thursday, May 27, 2010. He was born May 30, 1960 in Dallas. A memorial service was 6 p.m. Monday, May 31, 2010 at North Irving Baptist Church, 3718 N. Story. Arrangements by Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home.
Berta Martínez
67. falleció el 05 de enero 2010 en Dallas, TX. Ella nació el 07 de noviembre 1942 en El Salvador a Félix Arévalo y Fidelina Martínez. Ella ha sido un residente de Irving por muchos años y era un trabajador de guardería. Le sobreviven sus hijos, Claribel Medrano, Félix Martínez, ambos de Roosevelt, Nueva York, Marvin A. Martínez, de Plano, TX., Berta R. Martinez, de Garland, TX., Sandra Marigol Andrade, de Grand Prairie, TX. José Wilfredo Martínez y Mayra Soledad Martinez, ambos de Irving. Servicios de la Tumba tendrá lugar el Sábado, 09 de enero 2010 en Oak Grove Memorial Gardens en Irving, TX.
Jorge Eduardo Martinez

July 27, 1991 - March 5, 2010

Jorge Eduardo Martinez, age 18, of Irving, TX, was killed in an automobile accident on Friday, March 5, 2010. He was born on July 27, 1991 in Dallas, TX. Jorge was accepted into Mechanics School on Friday. He had a big heart for animals and fast cars. Survivors include parents, Jorge Martinez and Marisela Salsido; brother, Adrian Martinez; maternal grandparents Amparo & Francisco Salsido; paternal grandparents, Irma & Ruben Martinez and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. Visitation will be held from 3-5 pm on Sunday, March 7 at the Funeral Home. Funeral Services will be at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, March 8 at the Chism-Smith Funeral Home Chapel with interment following at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, TX with the Rev. Judy Brandt officiating.
Kay Ann Mathews
Mathews, Kay Ann went to be with the Lord on Thursday, February 11, 2010 after a
sudden and brief illness. Kay was born on June 15, 1936 in Dallas, TX. She
graduated from Thomas Jefferson HS in 1955 and from the University of North
Texas in 1962 with a Bachelor of Science in Education. She was a virtuous and
generous person who devoted herself to God, family, and friends—always putting
other's needs before her own. As well as volunteering much of her time to her
children's school, she was also a dedicated member of the First Baptist Church of
Carrolton and volunteered as a VBS teacher and as a Children's Leader in the Bible
Study Fellowship. She is survived by her husband, John Mathews, her sons, Buck,
Gentry and Mark and Keith Mathews, her daughter, Anna Mathews, mother, Nan N.
Ewing, brothers, Kent and Glen Ewing, granddaughters, Landon Gentry and numerous
nephews and cousins. A memorial service will be held Monday, February 15 at in
2:00 at the First Baptist Church of Carrolton 2400 N. Jersey Lane. In lieu of flowers,
please make donations to First Baptist Church Carrolton

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Loran Wade May

May, Loran Wade "L.W." Loran Wade "L.W." May, a successful investor and entrepreneur died in Atlanta, Georgia on December 20, 2010 while returning from travels in Germany. Born to his parents John Melvin and Mittie Alexander May on August 31, 1932 in Fort Worth, Texas, L.W. moved to Dallas and then to Irving in 1936 and attended school through eighth grade in Sowers and Irving High School on Sixth Street, and was a life long resident of Irving. He served in the US Coast Guard during the Korean Era. L.W. started his first job as a Glaser at Rubin Glass Co. in Dallas, TX. After a few years of learning that trade, he went into business for himself. His original business was at the Briery location and was sold to a trucking company and it was at that time when he moved to his present location. Funeral services will be held at Brown's Memorial Chapel on Thursday, December 30, 2010 at 2 PM. Burial to occur at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Whitney Leigh Mayer

Mayer, Whitney Leigh Whitney Leigh Mayer passed away October 15, 2010 in Williamsburg, VA. She was born October 23, 1990 in Gaithersburg, MD. She graduated from Plano West Senior High school in 2009, and was attending The College of William and Mary where she was a Sharpe Scholar. She is survived by her parents, Jeff and Diane, her sister Laura, her brother Cole, and her grandparents.

Whitney was a kind and caring person who gave to others of hope briefly and intimately. Whitney was a true connection to nature that she loved with environmental/sustainability issues and the Meridian Coffee House. Many of the beauty in this world in both the natural and the manmade world. She was a passionate animal lover from remembered for her smile, great out others.

Visitation will be held at the Sparkman/Hillcrest Northwest Highway North 7405 West Northwest Highway Thursday, October 21 from 5 to 7 p.m. on the special memorial will be held in the nature preserve at 6701 W. Parker Road in Plano on Saturday, October 23 (her 20th Birthday) at 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers please kindly make donations to the Nature Conservancy tribute fund # 12230406 (www.nature.org) or to the Jed Foundation (www.jedfoundation.org).

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Jerry Allan Meagher

Meagher, Jerry Allan died while in Bogota, Colombia, South America. Survivors include his wife of 16 years, Norma Meagher; sons, Allan Meagher, Jeremiah Meagher and Mark Meagher; daughters, Jenice Cutler, Michelle Harlow and Crystal Meagher; nine grandchildren; sisters, Pat Capps, Donna Easterling and Bonnie Isom. Visitation 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Thursday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home. Graveside service 10:00 a.m., Friday, July 30, 2010 at Grand Prairie Memorial Gardens in Grand Prairie, TX.

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Anthony Garcia Medrano
June 13, 1949 - October 30, 2010

Anthony (Tony) Garcia Medrano, age 61, passed away on Saturday, October 30, 2010 in Irving, Texas. Tony was born in Ballinger, Texas on June 13, 1949. Parents are deceased Esteban Medrano and Isa Garcia of Ballinger, Texas. He is survived by his wife, Oralia (Lollie) Medrano; two daughters: Leslie Garza and Jennifer Medrano; and three granddaughters: Katelyn Garza, Abbey Garza, and Emma Garza. Visitation and Rosary will be held on November 1, 2010 at Chism-Smith Funeral Home in Irving, Texas. Funeral services will be held on November 2, 2010 at 11:00 am at Holy Family of Nazareth Catholic Church. Burial will be with military honors at DFW National Cemetery in Dallas, Texas.
Selamawit Dersoligne Mekuria: Warrior Spirit and Gentle Heart

(November 10, 1981 to June 2, 2010)

Mrs. Selamawit (Selam) Dersoligne Mekuria was born on November 10, 1981 in Ethiopia. She was one of five sisters and two brothers born to their parents Dersolign Mekuria and Zelekech Abegaz. Selam attended elementary and junior schools in the cities of Dambi Dollo and Jimma. She also attended Akaki Adventist Missionary high school and Addis Ababa University in Ethiopia. In 1999 Selam moved to the United States and continued her college education at Minneapolis Community and Technical College. She graduated in 2000 with an associate degree in accounting. In 2001 Selam moved to Dallas and started a family with her husband Diriba Terfassa. Selam worked in the financial services industry since 2001. Her most recent position was with the Bank of New York Mellon. She was a great employee, consistently displaying the highest level of dedication, responsibility and honesty. Selam’s helpfulness and friendliness earned her great respect and admiration from her colleagues. Selam was a great inspiration and hero to her children and husband. She was a loving and caring wife and mother. Selam was kind and passionate not only to her family and friends, but also to people she didn’t know. She was actively involved as a volunteer for assisting cancer patients and survivors. She loved to share good times with people around her. Anyone who knew Selam can speak to the contagiousness of her charm and energy. With the help of her faith in God Selam had been fighting cancer for the past five years. Even as the pain grew stronger, she continued to have fun and play with her children and made every effort to live a normal life. When family and friends gathered for prayers, she impressed everyone with her energy and fighting spirit and the way she continued to give comfort to everyone around her.

Selam passed away on June 2, 2010 surrounded by her loving family and friends.

She is survived by her children Samuel and Hannah husband Diriba, parents: Zelekech and Dersoligne, Sisters: Hannah, Haymanot, Mekdes and bothers: Mekbib and David. Selam’s family extends gratitude to all her friends for their prayers, support and comfort during this difficult time.
Inocencia Duarte Mendoza

Mendoza, Inocencia Duarte born April 28, 1927 in Bridgeport, TX to Merced Duarte and Gertrude Rios. Died Nov. 17, 2010 at home in Irving. Preceded in death by parents and one son. Survived by husband of 30 years, Victor Mendoza; daughters, Olivia Cipirano, Mela Valdez, Elida (Chevy) Valdez; sons, Merced (Pete) Rodriguez and Juan A. Valdez; 17 grandchildren; 39 great grandchildren; 18 great-great grandchildren; 10 surviving siblings; many friends and loved ones. Vigil for the deceased 6:30pm, Friday and funeral service 10am, Saturday, Nov 20, both at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Burial to follow at Calvary Hill Cemetery.

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DENNIS
MICHAEL MERGO
Lt. Col. Dennis
M. Mergo
(ret.) was born
in Lynwood,
PA, March
23, 1928 and
entered eternal
life in his home
Denny attended Girard College,
Philadelphia, PA 1945, and
graduated from Buckell University
in 1949. Denny had a long and rewarding
career in the USAF where
he retired after 23 years of service
as a Lt. Colonel. He served in Korea
and Vietnam and received numerous
medals for his service. He
truly was one of the greatest guys
you would ever met - personality
plus - A man that never met a
stranger. One of the first questions
he would ask someone was “where
are you from?” Somehow he would
know someone who was from there
or he had been there. Usually it was
someone he had served with in the
service.
Denny had a terrific memory
and was able to give you information
in detail. He was always interested
in “gadgets” of some sort,
the wilder the better. His toys. One
of the funniest gadgets was a
“weather stick”, it would raise or
fall depending on the weather, he
enjoyed giving them to his friends.
His wife Patsy Mergo survives
him; they celebrated their 50th Anniversary
on Nov. 23, 2007. He is
also survived by their daughter
Dian Foreman, her husband
Kenny, grandson Jace and granddaughter
Kelcey of Elk City, OK
and daughter Cheryl Mergo of
Houston; his brother William
Mergo and wife Pauline and their
son Bill; brother-in-law Dan
Roady and wife Frances, daughters
Shelly, Amber and Jennifer. Denny
and Patsy are long members of the
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Irving.
Burial will be at Dallas / Ft.
Worth National Cemetery Feb. 28
under the direction of Donnelly’s
Colonial Funeral Home; Memorial
Service was at Holy Trinity
Lutheran Church with reception to
follow service.
Bessie Pierce Milam

Mam. Bessie Pierce left us to join her husband, Thomas V. Milam, her son Ronnie James Milam in their eternal home. Bess was born March 14, 1916 to J. Outt Pierce and Mary Emma Pierce in Dallas County near Cockrell Hill Road and Loop 12 where she lived her entire life. Bess was married to Thomas V. Milam on August 31, 1940. She attended Cockrell Hill Grade School, graduated from Burral High School in 1932. Her career was secretary and office manager for several large banks and corporations in Dallas. She was a member of 5 Mile Baptist Church, Cockrell Hill Baptist Church and the Colonial Hill Baptist Church of Cedar Hill. She served as Secretary, Treasurer of the Five Mile Cemetery for many years. Bess is survived by her brother Jack D. Pierce and his wife Virginia Hudley Pierce, her Great Nephew Patrick Dale Murray who is a Private in the U.S. Army, serving in Iraq and her Great Great Niece Samantha Moyer of Mesquite, Texas. Family visitation at North Dallas Funeral Home Thurs., Mar. 25, 2010 6-8pm. Graveside service Fri., Mar. 26 at 11am at Five Mile Cemetery. 3727 Keest Blvd. @ Cockrell Hill Rd. Dallas. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Shriners Hospital For Crippled Children and Hope Cottage of Dallas. The family extends appreciation and thanks to everyone at Avalon Residential Care Home.

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Celia Millemom

Millemom: Celia Riddle was born in Dallas, Texas on April 27, 1946. She died along with her sister-in-law, Mary Jane Millenon Martin, on Monday, March 15, 2010, the victim of a traffic accident on Interstate 45 near Centerville, Texas. Celia was a proud daughter of John and Katherine Riddle. She graduated from Sunset High School and Austin College and went on to earn a Bachelor of Arts degree in political science at Indiana University. After graduate school, Celia began her career teaching Latin at John Jay High School (Northside ISD) in San Antonio. In 1974, she moved to the Cypress-Fairbanks ISD in Houston where she taught government and economics. In 1984 she returned to Dallas and entered a new profession. Celia was an invaluable member of the Spelman Capital Corporation team as a licensed securities broker, and later, as a Certified Financial Planner in 2002. Celia returned to the classroom, teaching Latin in the Colleyville ISD. Following retirement, Celia taught English for Students of Other Languages parative for the DISD and then the Dallas County Community College District. At Mountain View College. As an active member of North Park Presbyterian Church, Celia was a member of Genesis II Sunday School Class and sang soprano in the church choir. Celia had a true love and knowledge of the Romance languages, Spanish, French, and Latin. She was a member of the Teutonic, a Spanish-language book club as well as a monthly gathering of Latin teachers. Celia is survived by her loving husband, John, and an older sister, Rosalind Beard, both of Dallas. She also leaves behind four nephews and their spouses, her great-nieces, and three great-nephews. Countless current and former students and countless friends mourn her loss. Celia Millemom was a deeply caring, vital, and caring person who lived her life to help others grow and flourish. We will miss her. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, March 24, at 3 PM at North Park Presbyterian Church. The family asks that in lieu of flowers, memorials and tributes be sent to North Park Presbyterian Church, 9555 N. Central Expressway, Dallas, Texas 75231.

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ANH MILLER

Anh Miller, of Irving, passed away Saturday, July 17, 2010. She was born April 9, 1948 in Saigon, Vietnam. She met her husband George while he was employed with AAFES as a Receiving Manager in Atlanta, Georgia. George resigned his position with AAFES and moved back to Dallas. There was a two year and two month courtship before they were married on April 21, 1992 in Irving. Anh was employed in the food service industry from 1992-2005 and took early retirement due to her health. She was a hard worker, loved to shop, and was close to George and her daughters. She was also fond of her primary care physician Dr. Robert Mark Haman, who helped her with her five cancers and other surgeries. We all felt she left too soon and she will always be in our hearts. Survivors include her husband George E. Miller, III; daughters Nu My Tran, Phuong Hua, Trangdai Tran, and Susan Bradshaw, sons-in-law Jimmy Hua, and Tao Huynh, sisters Chi Tran, Tami Nguyen, Binh Tran, and Hoa Tran, brother Duc Tran; brothers-in-law Sang Nguyen, and Savat Nguyen; 7 grandchildren; and 1 great grandchild. The family received friends 6-8 Tuesday, July 20, 2010 at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.
Anh Miller, of Irving, passed away Saturday, July 17, 2010. She was born April 9, 1948 in Saigon, Vietnam. She met her husband George while he was employed with AAFES as a Receiving Manager in Atlanta, Georgia. George resigned his position with AAFES and moved back to Dallas. There was a two year and two month courtship before they were married on April 21, 1992 in Irving. Anh was employed in the food service industry from 1992-2005 and took early retirement due to her health. She was a hard worker, loved to shop, and was close to George and her daughters. She was also fond of her primary care physician Dr. Robert Mark Haman, who helped her with her five cancers and other surgeries. We all felt she left too soon and she will always be in our hearts. Survivors include her husband George E. Miller, III; daughters Nu My Tran, Phuong Hua, Trangdai Tran, and Susan Bradshaw; sons-in-law Jimmy Hua, and Tao Huynh; sisters Chi Tran, Tami Nguyen, Binh Tran, and Hoa Tran; brother Duc Tran; brothers-in-law Sang Nguyen, and Savat Nguyen; 7 grandchildren; and 1 great grandchild. The family will receive friends 6-8 Tuesday, July 20, 2010 at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home.

Anh Miller

Miller, Anh Anh Miller, of Irving, passed away Saturday, July 17, 2010. She was born April 9, 1948 in Saigon, Vietnam. She met her husband George while he was employed with AAFES as a Receiving Manager in Atlanta, Georgia. George resigned his position with AAFES and moved back to Dallas. There was a two year and two month courtship before they were married on April 21, 1992 in Irving. Anh was employed in the food service industry from 1992-2005 and took early retirement due to her health. She was a hard worker, loved to shop, and was close to George and her daughters. She was also fond of her primary care physician Dr. Robert Mark Haman, who helped her with her five cancers and other surgeries. We all felt she left too soon and she will always be in our hearts. Survivors include her husband George E. Miller, III; daughters Nu My Tran, Phuong Hua, Trangdai Tran, and Susan Bradshaw; sons-in-law Jimmy Hua, and Tao Huynh; sisters Chi Tran, Tami Nguyen, Binh Tran, and Hoa Tran; brother Duc Tran; brothers-in-law Sang Nguyen, and Savat Nguyen; 7 grandchildren; and 1 great grandchild. The family will receive friends 6-8 Tuesday, July 20, 2010 at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home.

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Betty Miller
Miller, Betty Odell 72, of Irving, died Thursday, June 3, 2010 at her home. Visitation 2:00-4:00 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. Graveside service 11:00 a.m. Monday at Fairlawn Cemetery in Chickasha, OK. For full obituary see donnellycolonial.com

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Betty Odell Miller (1937 - 2010) | Visit Guest Book

Betty Odell Miller, age 72, resident of Irving for 33 years, died Thursday, June 3, 2010 at her home. Born October 3, 1937 in Chickasha, Oklahoma, she was the daughter of George Beach Anderson and Odell Ruby Hooser Anderson. She was a homemaker and was Baptist. She married Bethal D. Miller, August 2, 1966 in Chickasha, OK. He preceded her in death February 21, 1997. Survivors include her daughter Marilee McRae of Sherman, Texas, three sons, Terry Soward and wife Brenda of Van Alstyne, TX, Robert Soward of Irving, Carl Soward and wife Benita of Irving; step-son, Mark Miller Langer and wife Anka; a sister Sharon Williams of Chickasha, OK; a brother, Joe Benny Anderson of Chickasha, OK; 11 grandchildren, Melissa Eason, Sarah McRae, Sean McRae, Jesse Soward, Wes Soward, Tasha Soward, Tonya Lard, Susan Lovejoy, Steven Lovejoy, Laura Langer, and Anna Langer, and eight great grandchildren.

Ankah Eason, Nathaniel Eason, Sydney Eason, Malachi Valdez, Accalia Valdez, Klowie Lard, Preston Lard, and Camryn Soward. The family will receive friends at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway, Irving, Texas 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Sunday, June 6, 2010. A graveside funeral service will be 11:00 a.m. Monday, June 7, 2010 at Fairlawn Cemetery in Chickasha, OK.

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Betty Sue Miller, 66, of Irving, Texas went to be with her Lord & Savior on January 13, 2010. She was born on May 17, 1943 in Corpus Christi, Texas, the daughter of George and Sue Metz. A wife of 47 years, she married Calvin Miller on July 13, 1963. A loving wife, mother and grandmother, her legacy is her devotion to her faith in Jesus Christ, love of her family and loyalty to her host of friends. She leaves behind to cherish her memory, son Bret Miller of Arlington, Texas, daughter Connie Hewett and husband Ben of Coppell, Texas. Grandchildren are Sean Hewett, Samantha Miller, Cody Miller and Jarred Miller. Visitiation will be at Ben F. Brown's Funeral Home from 6-8 p.m. on January 22nd and funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on January 23rd at Lakewood Baptist Church in Irving, Texas with Pastor Todd Dunn officiating. A private family burial will follow.
GARLAND CLINTON MILLER
Garland Clinton Miller, of Euless, passed away Tuesday, March 9, 2010. He was born December 11, 1928 in Ector, Texas. Survivors include his wife Pat Miller of Euless; children Clint Miller and wife Anita of Allen, Lee Ann Perry and husband Hal of Mansfield, Rusty Miller and wife Melinda of Euless, and Lisa Jan Crane and husband Charles of Euless, grandchildren Alicia Williamson and husband Lt. Tim, USN, Mark Miller and wife Meghan, Justin Perry, Tyler Perry, Jeff Miller and wife Courtney, Cliff Miller, Harley Crane, Chloe Crane, and great grandchildren Mark Garrett Williamson, and Luke Williamson. Funeral services will be held at 10 AM Saturday, March 13, 2010 at Brown's Memorial Chapel with Mr. Mark Roberts officiating. Graveside services will be held at 9:30 AM Tuesday, March 16, 2010 at DFW National Cemetery, 2000 Mountain Creek Pkwy. in Dallas.

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March 13, 2010
Garland Clinton Miller, of Euless, passed away Tuesday, March 9, 2010. He was born December 11, 1928 in Ector, Texas. Survivors include his wife Pat Miller of Euless; children Clint Miller and wife Anita of Allen, Lee Ann Perry and husband Hal of Mansfield, Rusty Miller and wife Melinda of Euless, and Lisa Jan Crane and husband Charles of Euless, grandchildren Alicia Williamson and husband Lt. Tim, USN, Mark Miller and wife Meghan, Justin Perry, Tyler Perry, Jeff Miller and wife Courtney, Cliff Miller, Harley Crane, Chloe Crane, and great grandchildren Mark Garrett Williamson, and Luke Williamson. The family will receive friends 6-8 PM Thursday, March 11, 2010 at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 10 AM Saturday, March 13, 2010 at Brown’s Memorial Chapel with Mr. Mark Roberts officiating. Graveside services will be held at 9:30 AM Tuesday, March 16, 2010 at DFW National Cemetery, 2000 Mountain Creek Pkwy. in Dallas.
Joseph Bernard Miller, age 73, passed away Saturday, September 11, 2010, in Denton, Texas. He was born in San Antonio, Texas on January 9, 1937, to Oscar Miller and Mary Martin. He was a retired CPA and had worked for Saxon Oil Company. Joseph spent his last days living in Denton, TX, with his sister Sylvia Matthews and many other friends and family. He is survived by his parents of Del Rio, Texas, and any other friends and family. Arrangements were handled by Chansmith Funeral Home and no memorial service will be held. In lieu of flowers, the family has asked donations be made to the American Cancer Society.
Joseph Bernard Miller, age 73, passed away Saturday, September 11, 2010 in Denton, Texas. He was born in San Antonio, Texas on January 9, 1937 to Oscar Miller and Mary Martin. He resided in Irving, Texas with his wife Johnnita Miller. Joseph was a retired CPA and had worked for Saxton Oil Company. Joseph spent his last days living in Denton, TX with his sister Sylvia. He is preceded in death by his parents Oscar Miller of Del Rio and Mary Martin of Denton; grandmothers, Idell Eubanks of Denton, and Pinky Miller of Brackettville, along with many other friends and family. Joseph is survived by wife, Johnnita Miller; son, Scott Miller and wife Kimberly Maples Miller, two granddaughters, Piper Maples Miller, and Phebe Maples Miller of Arlington, TX; sister, Sylvia Baird and husband Bill of Denton, TX; nephew, Mark Baird of Crossroads, TX. Joseph will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved him. Cremation arrangements were handled by Chism-Smith Funeral Home and no Memorial Service will be held. In Lieu of flowers the family has asked donations be made to the American Cancer Society.
Sandra Miller

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Miller, Sandra Age 72 of Irving, Tx., a retired paralegal of 48 yrs., born Oct. 17, 1937 and went to be with Our Heavenly Father on Sept. 3, 2010. Survived by; Angie and Larry Davis of Irving Tx., Jason and Karen Miller of Owasso OK, Leslie Krabill of Ohio, Candace Young of Irving Tx., 5 Grandchildren and 3 Great Grandchildren. No Funeral Svcs, Sandra donated her body to the Science of MedCure. Private Family Memorial pending at a later date.

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November 30, 2010

To: Irving ISD Personnel
From: Neil Dugger, Ed.D., Assistant Superintendent
Subject: Maxwell Joe Milligan

We regret to inform you of the death of Maxwell Joe Milligan, nephew of Brenda Sorrell. Mr. Milligan passed away on Wednesday, November 24th.

Brenda Sorrell is the Secretary for the Irving ISD Food Service Department.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday, November 30th at 3:30 p.m. at the Greenwood Funeral Home Chapel, Fort Worth Police Chaplain Mitchale Felder officiating. Greenwood Funeral Home Chapel is located on 3100 White Settlement Road; Fort Worth, Texas 76107.

Following the funeral service, there will be a visitation time with the family at Greenwood Reception Center from 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Interment will be at Bluebonnet Hills Memorial Park; 5725 Colleyville Blvd.; Colleyville, Texas 76304.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent in Maxwell’s name to any animal rights group.

Brenda Sorrell may be contacted at the following address:

c/o Irving ISD Food Service Department
800 O’Connor Blvd.
Irving, Texas 75061

Please keep Brenda Sorrell, as well as the remainder of the family, in your thoughts and prayers.
Helen Minchew

Minchew, Helen Helen Minchew, 77, of Irving, passed away February 20, 2010. She is survived by children Sandie Johnson, Rick Minchew, and Judy Minchew; grandchildren Gary Johnson and wife Christy, and Sarah Callovi and husband Roger, six great grandchildren; brother Melvin Rogas and wife Mary Lou; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, February 24, 2010 at 1 PM at Brown's Memorial Chapel. The family will receive friends 5-8 PM Tuesday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Vitas Hospice or Alzheimer's Foundation.

Published in Dallas Morning News on February 23, 2010

Helen Minchew, 77, of Irving, passed away February 20, 2010. She was born to Gus Rogas, Jr. and Edith Markum Rogas on August 16, 1932 in Cottonwood, Texas. Ms. Minchew retired from the accounting department of Lone Star Container after 17 years of employment. She is survived by children Sandie Johnson, Rick Minchew, and Judy Minchew; grandchildren Gary Johnson and wife Christy, and Sarah Callovi and husband Roger; six great grandchildren; brother Melvin Rogas and wife Mary Lou; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, February 24, 2010 at 1:00 PM at Brown's Memorial Chapel. The family will receive friends Tuesday, February 23, 2010 from 6-8 PM at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to Vitas Hospice Charitable Fund, 8585 Stemmons Fwy. Ste. 700, Dallas, TX 75247 www.vitas Charityfund.org or the Alzheimer's Assoc., 4144 N. Central Expwy, Ste. 750, Dallas, TX 75204 www.alz.org/join_the_cause_donate.asp
VIVIAN MITCHELL

Vivian Mitchell, of Irving, passed away Friday, March 26, 2010. She was born August 25, 1924 in McGehee, Arkansas to parents Fred and Mary Longhofer Ensminger. Vivian was a Glorious redhead with a heart of gold. She will be missed by friends and family. She is preceded in death by her husband J.D. "Pistol" Mitchell, Irving’s first Fire Marshall, and 7 brothers and 3 sisters. Survivors include her sisters Freda Towle and Vernetta Weisenburg, both of Irving, and Betty Patterson of Bella Vista, Arkansas; sister-in-law Fay Mitchell of Justin; her beloved Sissie; and many nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held at 11 AM Monday, March 29, 2010 at Brown’s Memorial Chapel. Interment followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.

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April 3, 2010
Vivian Mitchell

Mitchell, Vivian Vivian Mitchell, of Irving, passed away Friday, March 26, 2010. She was born August 25, 1924 in McGehee, Arkansas to parents Fred and Mary Longhofer Ensminger. Vivian was a glorious redhead with a heart of gold. She will be missed by friends and family. She is preceded in death by her husband J.D. "Pistol" Mitchell, Irving's first Fire Marshall, and 7 brothers and 3 sisters. Survivors include her sisters Freda Towle and Vernetta Weisenburg, both of Irving, and Betty Patterson of Bella Vista, Arkansas; her beloved Sissie; and many nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 11 AM Monday, March 29, 2010 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. The family will receive friends 2-4 PM Sunday at the funeral home.

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Vivian Mitchell

Mitchell, Vivian of Irving, passed away Friday, March 26, 2010. She was born August 25, 1924 in McGehee, Arkansas to parents Fred and Mary Longhofer Ensminger. Vivian was a glorious redhead with a heart of gold. She will be missed by friends and family. She is preceded in death by her husband J.D. "Pistol" Mitchell, Irving's first Fire Marshall, and 7 brothers and 3 sisters. Survivors include her sisters Freda Towle and Vernetta Weisenburg, both of Irving, and Betty Patterson of Bella Vista, Arkansas; sister-in-law Fay Mitchell of Justin; her beloved Sissie; and many nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 11 AM Monday, March 29, 2010 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. The family will receive friends 2-4 PM Sunday at the funeral home.

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Mary Helen Felan Moncada

Moncada, Mary Helen Felan 61, Beloved mother passed away on Jan 17, 2010. Survived by mother Hilda Salazar, and children Jerry, Alon, Cleoer, and Asket. She is preceded in death by husband Gerardo Moncada. Memorial services will be held Feb 13, 2010 at 1:00 pm at Church of the Incarnation Dallas.

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Angelina "Angie" Monjaraz

Angelina Monjaraz, 32, died Sunday, Feb. 7, 2010. Funeral: 10 a.m. Wednesday at Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home. Interment: Southland Memorial Park. Visitation: 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday. Survivors: Children, Crystal and Juan; parents, Celia and Juan; and six siblings.
Crystal Monjaraz

Monjaraz, Crystal 11, a student at Austin Elementary in Grand Prairie, went to be with her Lord on Monday, August 9, 2010 after a 2 year struggle with Multiple Sclerosis. In her short life, she touched many lives, young and old, and was loving and caring for all around her. She was preceded in death by her sweet mother, Angelena "Angie" Monjaraz in February of 2010. Survivors: grandmother, Celia Camarillo; father, Andres Lopez; brothers, Juan Monjaraz, Jose Lopez; sister, Ullisa Lopez; uncles, Arturo Solis Jr, Bernardo Lopez; aunts, Josie Solis, Rafaela Lopez; grandparents, Juan Monjaraz, Jose and Maria Lopez. Visitation: 12 until 9 p.m. Friday, August 13, 2010 with a Prayer Service at 7 p.m. at Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home, 500 East Main Street, Grand Prairie. Graveside service and burial: 10 a.m. Saturday at Southland Memorial park. We will miss you. Keep smiling!

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Beatrice Monroe,
88, passed away on August 20, 2010 in San Antonio, TX. She was born on April 18, 1922 in Dallas, TX. to Lee Eden Sanders and Martha Maebelle (Owens) Sanders. She had been a resident of Irving since 1950 where she was a member of First Baptist Church and lifetime member of Irving PTA. She was preceded in death by her Husband, Jack Ellis Monroe, Sr., parents, brother, Jack Sanders, brothers-in-laws, Euless Crenshaw and Fred Pankratz. She is survived by her son, Jack Monroe and wife, Lourdes of San Antonio, TX., granddaughter, Jaclyn Elizabeth Alford and husband, Andrew of Houston, TX., Sister, Juanita Crenshaw of Midlothian, TX., brother, Bobby Lee Sanders and wife, Carolyn, sister-in-law, Mary Pankratz and numerous nieces and nephews. Family visitation will be held on Monday evening from 6:30PM-8:30PM. Funeral services will be Tuesday, August 24, 2010 at 10:00AM at Chapel of Roses Funeral Home. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
MONROE, BEATRICE

Monroe, Beatrice, 88, passed away on August 20, 2010 in San Antonio, TX. She was born on April 18, 1922 in Dallas, TX to Lee Sanders & Martha (Owens) Sanders. She was a graduate of Crozier Tech High School in 1938. A longtime resident of Irving, she was a member of First Baptist Church and served as treasurer for her Sunday School Class and secretary for the Evergreen Adult Ministry. She was an active volunteer for the local and district PTA and was awarded the prestigious Lifetime PTA Membership at Lee Britain Elementary School. Her love of sewing, knitting and crocheting won her several ribbons at the Texas State Fair for her quilts and afghans. Bea, was preceded in death by her husband, Jack E Monroe, Sr., parents, and brother, Jack Sanders. She is survived by her son, Jack E. Monroe, Jr. and wife, Lourdes of San Antonio, TX, granddaughter, Jaclyn Alford and husband, Andrew of Houston, brother, Bobby Sanders and wife, Carolyn, sister, Juanita Crenshaw, sister-in-law, Mary Pankratz and many nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held on Tuesday, August 24, 2010 at Chapel of Roses Funeral Home. Interment followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Guadalupe Montellano
September 8, 1934 - September 16, 2010

Guadalupe Montellano, 76, formerly of Brownwood, passed away September 16, 2010, in Irving, Texas after a lengthy illness. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Nellie; daughter, Sophia Mergeler, and husband, Robert; son, Alfred Montellano, and wife, Kathy; 5 grandsons, Trent, Tristan, and Tegan Montellano; Ryan and Zack Mergeler. Visitation is from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. Rosary is at 7:00 p.m. at Heartland Funeral Home in Early, Texas. Mass is at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Brownwood, Texas, Monday, September 20 at 11:00 a.m. A military memorial at D/FW National Cemetery at a later date. Lupe was an excellent storyteller. He loved his Dallas Cowboys, baseball and boxing. Lupe was an avid oil painter, and treasured every minute with his grandsons. He thoroughly enjoyed his weekly breakfast gatherings with his wife and his childhood friends. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting that donations be made in his name to the American Diabetes Association.
Alice Annette Moore, of Irving, passed away Wednesday, February 10, 2010. She was born August 24, 1939 in Iraan, Texas. She loved playing with her grandchildren and also with her puppies. Survivors include her husband Don Moore of Irving; children Tom E. Moore and wife Beth of Highland Village, Pamila Annette Gantt and husband Floyd of Flower Mound, and Christopher A. Moore and wife Julie of Seguin; sister Bonnie Marie Gosney; grandchildren Jennifer Upchurch, Stephanie Christoffers, Boston Moore, Kate Moore, Tess Moore, Samantha Moore, and Gillian Gantt; and numerous nieces and nephews. Graveside services will be held at 3 PM Saturday, February 13, 2010 at Blanco Cemetery in Blanco. The family will receive friends 6-8 PM Friday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home and also 12-2 PM Saturday at Croft's Funeral Home in Blanco.

ALICE ANNETTE MOORE
Alice Annette Moore, of Irving, passed away 02/10/10. She was born 08/24/39 in Iraan, Texas. Graveside services will be held at 3 PM Saturday, 02/13/10 at Blanco Cemetery in Blanco. The family will receive friends 6-8 PM Fri. at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home and also 12-2 PM Sat. at Croft’s Funeral Home in Blanco.
Durward Moore

Moore, Durward J. (D.J) of Richland Hills, TX passed away June 5, 2010 (100 yrs. old). Services were Thursday, June 10, 2010, 2:00 PM at ABBEY Chapel at Restland Cemetery, Dallas, TX. D.J. lived in Irving, TX for many years, organizing and working in AA groups. He was preceded in death by his wife Altha. Survivors: 2 daughters, Patsy Jane Cady (Allen) & Louise Blackburn; 6 grandchildren & 1 deceased.

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James Richard "Jim" Moore of Bedford, formerly of Wichita Falls, Irving, and Euless, passed away on August 31, 2010. He was born on December 14, 1929 to James Franklin Moore and Bertha Ellen Baker in Wichita Falls, TX. Jim served with the Wichita Falls and Irving Police Departments and the Dallas Fire Department, and retired in 1980. He served in the U. S. Army in the 1st Calvary Division. Jim is survived by his wife, Patricia; daughter Patricia Stuard; sons Ricky Moore and wife Debi, and Mark Moore and wife Stacy; five grandchildren, ten great granddaughters; brothers Johnny Miller and Bobby Miller and many nieces and nephews. A committal service with military honors is planned for Friday, September 3, 2010 at the Dallas/Fort Worth National Cemetery at 11:00 AM with Chaplain Denny Burris officiating. The family will receive friends on Thursday, September 2, 2010 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.

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Mike E. Moore, of Irving, passed away May 23, 2010. He was born August 25, 1954. He is survived by his wife Bonnie Moore; sons Andy Moore and Stephen Moore; and daughter Stephanie Moore. Memorial services will be held at 11 AM Wednesday, May 26, 2010 at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Irving. Inurnment services will be held at 10:30 AM Friday, June 11, 2010 at DFW National Cemetery, 2000 Mountain Creek Pkwy. in Dallas. Memorial donations may be made to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 2620 W. Grauwyler Rd., Irving, TX 75061 or VNA Hospice, 1440 W. Mockingbird Ln., Dallas, TX 75247.
Morykwas, Bunise Faye Sisson Was was born in Rotan, TX on July 26, 1925 and passed away on July 24, 2010 with family and friends by her side at the age of 84. She graduated from Irving High School in 1942 and retired from the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in 1986. Bunise enjoyed dancing with her friends at the Senior Centers, as well as volunteering at the Grand Prairie Tourist Information Center. She was preceded in death by husbands Weldon Wesley Sisson and Alex Morykwas, her parents Henry and Cora Deel, four brothers and one sister. She is survived by her family so dear to her including four children, Weldon Sisson and wife Paula of Ovilla, TX, Karen Baskett and husband Bill of Grand Prairie, TX, Paul Sisson and wife Denise of Kaufman, TX, Randy Sisson of Grand Prairie, TX and Alexis Adams and husband John of Ft. Collins, CO; 6 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. Memorial service will be held at 6:30pm on Thursday, July 29, 2010, First Baptist Church, 122 NE 2nd Street, Grand Prairie, TX. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the charity of your choice.
Edwin Andrew "Eddie" Morris of Irving passed away December 20, 2010 at his home. He was born on June 24, 1959 in Dallas, Texas. He worked for Ajax Sign Company. He is survived by mother Hazel Morris of Seymour, Texas; sister Phyllis Grady of Seymour; brother James Morris of Needles, California; sister Jane Morris and brother David Morris both of Seymour. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. Wednesday, December 22, 2010 at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home.
Harold Edward Morris, 76, passed away on June 30, 2010 in Dallas, TX. He was born on March 22, 1934 in Jacksonville, AR to Ed & Bessie (William) Morris. Mr. Morris was a veteran of the US Army serving in the 1st Infantry Division in Germany during the Korean Conflict. He had been a resident of Irving since 1955, was Past Master of Irving Masonic Lodge #1218 A.F. & A.M., a member of Hella Shrine Temple, Scottish Rite Bodies Valley of Dallas, York Rite, Knights Templar and Chapter & Council. He was preceded in death by his parents, grandson, Kyle Anthony Edward Gardner and two brothers, Alvin Morris and Beverly W. Morris. He is survived by his wife, Edith Morris, Son, Robert Morris and wife, Stayce, daughter, Brenda Whisenant all of Irving, five grandchildren, one great grandchild and one sister, Erma Mae Johnson of Jacksonville, AR.

The family will receive friends for visitation on Friday evening from 6:30PM-8:30PM. Funeral services will be Saturday, July 3, 2010 at 11:00AM at Chapel of Roses Funeral Home. Interment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
MARIE MORRIS (1935 - 2010) | Visit Guest Book

Marie Morris, age 74, of Irving, Texas for 54 years, died Thursday, June 17, 2010 in Fort Worth, Texas. She was born July 6, 1935 in Stamford, Texas to Herbert and Eleda Lunn Rosenquist. Marie was employed for many years at Dallas County’s Justice of the Peace office in Irving. She enjoyed watching her grandson play baseball. Preceded in death by her husband, Elmer Morris and sister, Pearl Larson, she is survived by her daughter, Diane Frost and grandson, Brett Frost, both of Euless. Visitation will be 2:00 to 4:00 p.m., Sunday at the funeral home. Service 12 noon, Monday, June 21, 2010 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Interment 2:00 p.m. at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery.

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Marie Morris

Morris, Marie age 74, of Irving, died June 17, 2010. Visitation 2:00 to 4:00 p.m., Sunday at the funeral home. Service 12 noon, Monday, June 21, 2010 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. Interment at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery.

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Abraham Moya, Jr., of Graham, Texas, passed away Friday, November 26, 2010. He was born October 30, 1961 in Paducah, Texas. Survivors include his father Abraham Moya, Sr.; daughters Charlena Dennington, and Abrianna Moya; granddaughters Emily and Bianca; brothers Felix Moya, Arnulfo Moya, Adrian Moya, and Aleandro Escalante; and sister Leonor, Michaelia Escalante, Graciela Escalante, and Paula Ann Escalante. Graveside services will be held at 2 PM Friday, December 3, 2010 at Skyvue Memorial Gardens, 7220 Rendon Bloodworth Rd. in Mansfield.

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Abraham Moya, Jr.
Abraham Moya, Jr., of Graham, passed away November 26, 2010. He was born October 30, 1961 in Paducah, Texas. Graveside services were held at 2 PM Friday, December 3, 2010 at Skyvue Memorial Gardens in Mansfield. Arrangements made by Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home.

Neighbors Dec 4, 2010
Mary Mrozek

Mrozek, Mary Catherine God called Mary Mrozek home on August 2, 2010, after a courageous two-years battle with cancer. Mary was born in South Bend, IN on April 25, 1939 and was adopted as an infant by Bertha and John Horning, making her the youngest of their seven children and instilling in her the values of faith and family, values by which she lived to her final days. She moved to Irving, TX in 1966 with her young family and lived there for the remainder of her life. After becoming a single parent in 1979, she fashioned a thirty-year career in the insurance industry, earning her designation as a Certified Life Underwriter. Left to cherish her memory are her children: Mark (Claire), John (Cynthia), Ann, and David (Kim), and grandchildren Sarah, Matthew, Riley, Joey, Cole, Audrey, and Ryan. She is also survived by her former husband Joseph Mrozek and her brother Donald Horning. She was an active member of the St. Luke Catholic community, and she had a special affection for her clergy friends. She will be fondly remembered and deeply missed by many. The family wishes to express its deep gratitude to all who called, visited, prayed with, fed, or assisted Mary during her difficult final weeks. A Rosary will be prayed at 5 PM, Thursday, August 5, and a Memorial Mass will be celebrated at 11 AM, Friday, August 6, with Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel and Fr. Clair Orso as principal celebrants. Both services will take place at St. Luke’s Catholic Church, 202 S. MacArthur Blvd, Irving. In lieu of flowers, please consider a memorial gift to St. Luke’s or to the Holy Trinity Seminary. Mary rarely met a stranger, and her empathy and kindness led her to give generously of her time and material resource, whether to friend, family member, or refugee from domestic violence. Her final act of charity was the donation of her body to the Southwestern Medical Center. "Well done, good and faithful servant; come and share in your Master’s joy!"

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Mary Mumford

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Mumford, Mary Jane 79, passed away on December 31, 2010 in Dallas, TX. She was born on July 03, 1931 in Osceola, Missouri to Clyde Beardslee & Edna (Akers) Beardslee. She had been a resident of Irving since 1975 and was a longtime member of First Baptist Church of Euless. She is survived by her husband, Larry Mumford of Irving, son, Terry Mumford of Carrollton, TX., daughter, Lisa Kuhn of McAllen, TX., and two grandchildren, Sydney Kuhn and Peyton Kuhn. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, January 05, 2011 at 11:00AM at First Baptist Church of Euless. Interment will follow at 12:45PM at D/FW National Cemetery. Chapel of

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Mumford, Mary Jane, 79, passed away on December 31, 2010 in Dallas, TX. She was born on July 03, 1931 in Osceola, Missouri to Clyde Beardslee and Edna (Akers) Beardslee. She had been a resident of Irving since 1975 and was a longtime member of First Baptist Church Euless. She is survived by her husband, Larry Mumford of Irving, son, Terry Mumford of Carrollton, TX., and daughter, Lisa Kuhn of McAllen, TX.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, January 05, 2011 at 11:00AM at First Baptist Church of Euless. Interment will follow at D/FW National Cemetery in Dallas, TX.

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Michael Lynn "Mike" Murray

Murray, Michael Lynn "Mike" Murray, born February 4, 1944 in Dallas, passed away at his home in Irving on August 18, 2010 after a prolonged illness. After 38 years, Murray retired from the United States Postal Service then went to work for the Dallas Morning News for the next 11 years. Prepared with a joke at all times, Mike was well known for his quick wit and nothing gave him more pleasure than to make others laugh. Always willing to lend a helping hand to a friend in need, he was loved by many and will be missed by all who knew him. Mike is survived by his wonderful wife and companion of 35 years, Glenda D. Murray; daughters Melissa Lynn Murray of Dallas, and Michelle Lee Wiederstein of San Antonio; sister Susan Owen of Dallas, grandchildren Jordan Wiederstein and Trevor Wiederstein of San Antonio; nephew Fred Owen and wife Teresa and their daughters Kenna, Isabella, and Jillian of Carrollton; and aunt Gail Cromwell of Bowie. Memorial services will be held at 11 AM Tuesday, August 24, 2010 at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the SPCA of Texas and the North Texas Alzheimer's Association.

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Sheryl Slay Murphy

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Murphy, Sheryl Slay Flower Mound - Sheryl Slay Murphy, 46, passed away at a Dallas hospital on Thursday, September 16, 2010 surrounded by her final days by a host of loving family and devoted friends. Her life will be celebrated at a Mass of Christian Burial 10 a.m. Saturday, St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 861 Wildwood Lane, Grapevine. Interment: Bear Creek Cemetery, Euless. She was born October 22, 1963 in Fort Smith, Arkansas. Sheryl was a loving, devoted wife, mother, daughter, sister and "best friend". She loved cooking and gardening and cherished her home and family. She was a 1982 Irving High School graduate and received her BA degree in Business from Dallas Baptist University. Sheryl was a Human Resource Director at Aviall where she was employed for over 25 years. Sheryl will be missed by all who knew her for "to know her was to love her". Memorials may be made to American Cancer Society or a charity of your choice. Her father, Franklin Slay, preceded her in death.

Survivors: Loving husband Vincent "Buzzy" Murphy, precious daughters Delta and Grace, mother and brother, Sandra and Rory Slay of Eustace, aunt, Carol Farrar and uncle Gary Frishkey of Arkansas, aunt and uncle Mary and David Burkham of Perryville, the Murphy family of Irving and countless friends. Pall Bearers are Mike Firomel of Groom, Mike Murphy of Flower Mound, Jeff Nichols of Coppell, Chad Phillips of Oklahoma, Michael Slay of The Colony, and Neil Wieberg of Keller.

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Sheryl Murphy

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Murphy, Sheryl Sheryl Murphy, 46, passed away Thursday, Sept. 16, 2010. Service: Mass of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 861 Wildwood Lane, Grapevine. Interment: Bear Creek Cemetery, Euless. Pallbearers will be Mike Firomel of Groom, Mike Murphy of Flower Mound, Jeff Nichols of Coppell, Chad Phillips of Oklahoma, Michael Slay of The Colony and Neil Wieberg of Keller. Memorials: Should friends desire, memorials may be given to the American Cancer Society or a charity of choice. Sheryl was a loving and devoted wife, mother, daughter, sister and friend. She enjoyed gardening and cooking, but mostly spending time with her family. Sheryl was a graduate of Irving High School and received her business degree from Dallas Baptist University. She was the human resource director for Aviall, formerly Vought Aircraft. Sheryl will be greatly missed by all who knew her. Survivors: Loving husband, Vincent "Buzzy" Murphy; precious daughters, Delta and Grace; mother and brother, Sandra and Rory Slay of Eustace; aunt, Carol Farrar and uncle, Gary Frishkey of Arkansas; aunt and uncle, Mary and David Burkham of Perryville; the Murphy family of Irving; and countless friends.

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