

Carol Najar, of Grand Prairie, passed away Tuesday, August 23, 2011.

She was born November 30, 1943 in Atlana, Texas.



She was a volunteer at Baylor Medical Center at Irving and a member of Heritage Senior Center in Irving. Carol loved life. Preceded in death by her parents Daniel and Essie Lumas Wall, son Chris Reeves, and granddaughter Lenea Woodruff, and is survived by her husband of 10 years, Jim Najar; son Cirby Reeves and wife Shelly of Midland; daughters Lynn McMahon of Grand Prairie, Laura Najar of

Abilene, and daughter Christine Najar of Dallas; grandchildren Nikki, Stormie, Sasha, Caitie, Isaah, Ethan, and Damian; great grandchildren Shianne, Brynlee, Tatum, and Emma; and brothers Sonny Wall and wife Janis, and Carl Wall and wife Francis. Memorial services will be held at 2 PM Thursday, August 25, 2011 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Memorial donations may be made to Heritage Senior Center, 200 S. Jefferson, Irving, TX 75060.

Carol Najar

Najar, Carol Age 67, of Grand Pairie, died August 23, 2011. Memorial service: 2 PM Thursday, August 25, 2011 at Brown's Memorial Chapel.

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To: Irving ISD Personnel
From: Neil Dugger, Ed.D. Assistant Superintendent
Subject: Mary L. Naquin

We regret to inform you of the death of Mary L. Naquin, mother of Chuck Kennedy. Ms. Naquin passed away on Tuesday, April 5th.

Chuck Kennedy is the Textbook Manager at for Irving ISD – Ratteree Building.

A memorial service for family members is pending.

Contributions may be made in memory of Mary L. Naquin to East Texas Baptist University; Marshall, Texas.

Chuck Kennedy may be contacted at the following address:

c/o Ratteree Career Development Center
2121 S. MacArthur
Irving, Texas 75060

Please keep Chuck Kennedy, as well as the remainder of the family, in your thoughts and prayers.

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Terrie Gene Henderson Naylor

Terrie Gene Henderson Naylor of Arlington, a former medical lab manager, passed away Friday, Jan. 28, 2011, at an Arlington hospital. Funeral: 5 p.m. Thursday in Collins Northside Chapel, Jackson, Miss. Interment: Garden Memorial Park in Jackson.

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Jean Maria Neel

February 3, 1960 - June 19, 2011

Jean Neel, age 51, of Dallas, Texas, passed away suddenly on Sunday, June 19, 2011. She was born on February 3, 1960 in Dallas, Texas to Stanley and Mary Edwards. Jean was one of the first triplets to be born in Dallas. She spent her childhood days going to school at Winnetka Elementary and later attending Sunset High School, where she enjoyed spending her time playing softball for the ladies team at Kimball Free Methodist Church, along with Bowling with her sister Joan and many friends. Jean later met her soon to be husband at age 18 at the bowling alley where they dated and later stayed married for 12 happy years sharing the birth to their precious baby girl Jessica Maria. Jean loved her daughter Jessica very much, "baby brown eyes" as Jean called her was her pride and joy. She enjoyed spending time at home with her daughter and her family singing, watching movies, laughing and talking about everything and anything. Jean walked the park and watched movies every Tuesday with her sister Joan. When Jean was not spending time with her precious family she spent her time working at an insurance company in her early years, as a strong and dedicated woman. She then gave her time to the Red Cross as a bell ringer on the holidays and as a liberty tax mascot. Jean had a heart of gold, and she made the world a better place. Her daughter and family will live their lives to honor her. Survivors include, daughter Jessica Maria Neel of Euless, TX ; Sisters Martha Evans and husband, Leonard Evans Jr. of Ovilla, TX, Diana Klis, and husband Tommy Klis of Dallas, TX, Joan Trevino of Dallas, TX ; and numerous nieces, and nephew. In addition, Jean was blessed with many wonderful, caring friends and neighbors. A Memorial Service will be held at 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 29, 2011 at the Chism-Smith Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Joshua Price officiating.

www.chismsmithfuneralhome.com



Donald Everett Nelsen, 91, of Irving, went to be with his Heavenly Father on



June 9, 2011. Don was born to Ned and Anna Nelsen on August 5, 1919 in Minnesota and was a full blooded Dane. He was the 8th of 12 children. Don worked on the family farm thru his teenage years. Don married his wife Gladys in 1944 while serving in the Army. Don served in WWII, was a farmer, a pastor, a carpenter, a mailman, and a post master. After his retirement, they traveled the world and enjoyed dancing together. He was loved by his children and a testimony to many in his church and community. Survivors include his loving wife of 67 years, Gladys Nelsen; children Lassie Smith and husband Johnny of Carrollton; Jesse

Nelsen and wife Carole of Farmersville, Faye Anderson and husband Steve of Carrollton, Janie Merritt and husband Jim of Irving, daughter Loretta Geyer and husband Karl of Midlothian, Virginia, Jack Nelsen and wife Laurie of Anderson, Missouri, and daughter LaVee Collingsworth and husband Zeb of Bentonville, Arkansas; 17 grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren; 1 great-great grandchild; sisters Nina Bernard of Minneapolis, Minnesota, Vera Larson of Westbrook, Minnesota, and Ardys Dennis of Saltillo, Texas; and brother Jim Nelsen of Minneapolis. A Celebration of his Life will be held at 10 AM Monday, June 13, 2011 at Brown's Memorial Chapel. Graveside services will be held at 9:15 AM Tuesday, June 14, 2011 at DFW National Cemetery in Dallas. The family will receive friends 2-4 PM Sunday at the funeral home. Memorial donations may be made to American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 560089, Dallas, TX 75356, or American Diabetes Association, Dallas Office, 4100 Alpha Rd., Ste. 100, Dallas, TX 75244.

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Earl Nelson

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Nelson, Earl Earl Marlo Nelson, 89 born in Irving, TX May 2, 1921; one of 13 children born to T.F. and Cindy Nelson. Earl went home to be with his Lord and Savior January 31st after a long battle with lung problems. Earl was preceded in death by his son, Earl Nelson, Jr., He is survived by wife of 67 years, Helen, sons and their wives, Charlie and Rosie Nelson, Mike and Becky Nelson and daughter-in-law, Sandra Nelson, eight grandchildren, fourteen great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and a host of friends. Earl attended Irving Public School. Earl volunteered to work in the Pearl Harbor Ship Yards in 1942, later served aboard the USS Griffin. After returning home Earl spent the next 30 plus years at Sears before retiring, only to spend the next 20 years raising cattle on his ranch outside Commerce, TX. Earl was an ordained Baptist deacon, member of Eastern Hills Baptist Church and the M and M Sunday School class. Memorial services will be at the church located at 4406 Broadway, Garland, Thursday, February 3rd, at 2:00 p.m. under direction of pastor, Dr. David E. Hall. Grandsons will serve as pallbearers. Visitation and viewing will be Wednesday, February 2nd. 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Anderson-Clayton Funeral Home, 1111 Military Parkway, Mesquite, Texas. Interment at Laurel Land Memorial Park, Dallas, Texas.



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Newell, Kathy Marie, 52, passed away on February 01, 2011 in Irving, TX. She was born on March 22, 1958 in Lexington, KY to Roger Baur & Shirely (Cooper) Baur. She had been a resident of Irving since 1998 and was a homemaker. She is survived by her husband, Glen Newell of Irving, son, David Chaney of Arlington, TX., Jesse Chaney of Connecticut, parents, Roger & Shirely Baur of Lexington, KY., brothers, Marty Bauer, William Baur of St. Louis, MO., step-children, Kristy Malarky and husband, John of Houston, TX., Daniel Newell and Rachel Newell both of Shawnee, OK. and seven grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, February 05, 2011 at 10:00AM at Chapel of Roses Funeral Home.

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Paul R. Niccolai

(September 15, 1954 - July 28, 2011)

PAUL NICCOLAI, age 56, a resident of the Dallas Fort Worth area for 25 years, died on Thursday, July 28, 2011 when he was hit by a car while riding his bicycle. He was born September 15, 1954 in Kenosha, WI. Paul was a true family man in every sense of the word. He came from a large family and created one of his own, which he adored. He was deeply loved by his daughters, Ashli Stacy (Sean) of Janesville, WI, Alexis Niccolai and Reagan Niccolai both of Eules; and his son, Aaron Niccolai of Hurst, all surviving him. He is also survived by his wife, Karen Crouch, his brothers Mark Niccolai of Burlington, WI, Peter Niccolai and David Niccolai of Kenosha WI, and Robert Niccolai of St Louis, MO, and his sisters Sue Rusch, Waukesha and Donna Weber, Menomonee Falls. Paul also leaves behind a large extended family and an uncountable number of friends. He is preceded in death by his parents Peter and Marjorie (Schlenker) and Father in-law Chuck Crouch. A memorial service will be held 1:00 p.m., Sunday, July 31, 2011 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Paul Nichols officiating. Paul will be put to rest permanently in Wisconsin. Memorial contributions may be made to the family to help with funeral and medical expense. If you would like to donate, please email paulniccolaibenefit@yahoo.com with your contact information.



Julius Nichols Sr.

Nichols, Sr., Julius Age 72, of Irving, TX, passed away May 08, 2011.



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Jimmy E. Nielsen, a resident of Irving for 20 years, passed away August 13, 2011. He was born in Monroe, Louisiana to Jimmy Nielsen and Nelda Gay Davis on July 25, 1967. He was a letter carrier with the United States Postal Service Branch in Grand Prairie, was previously employed by Silver Leaf Sales Group, and also served in the U. S. Navy. He is survived by his wife, Margaret Nielsen and daughter, Heather Nielsen, both of Irving; parents, Jimmy Nielsen and wife Brenda of Wichita, KS; mother Nelda Nielsen of Lewisville, brother Tim Nielsen and wife Daphine of Red Oak; sisters Angel Robinson Nielsen and Karen Nielsen, both of Wichita, KS; and step-brothers, Jesse and Jared Shelton-Nielsen of Wichita, KS; and step-sister, Mandy Webb of Pittsburg, PA. A memorial service is planned for Wednesday, August 17, 2011, at 1:00 PM in Brown's Memorial Chapel.



C.D. Norman



Norman, C. D. C.D. Norman was born to Benjamin and Henrietta Norman on February 28th, 1924 in Gainesville, Texas. His desire to lead a meaningful life began early; he earned the designation of Eagle Scout and lived the rest of his life according to the Boy Scout Oath. AT 17, C.D. enlisted in the Naval Aviation Cadet Program and upon completion, joined the Marine Corps. He attained the rank of Captain and served in Peiping during WWII. He stayed in the Reserves while attending Texas A&M, and his studies were interrupted when he was called up to serve in Korea. He joined VMF-312, the Checkerboard squadron. He finally graduated with a BS in civil engineering, class of '45. C.D. was a risk taker, so he traded a career in the Marine Corps for the West Texas oil business. He was an independent oil operator for dozens of wells near where he was raised in Olney, aka " the Big O". He married the love of his life, Lenore Joan Rogal, in 1953 and together they raised four children, seven dogs, two cats, some horses and hamsters. Amongst his many adventures and accomplishments, C.D. flew Corsairs, piloted sailboats, authored 5 books, and played tennis with Lenore in an Irving league. On July 1st 2011, C.D. Norman was cleared for his final take off. He is survived by his devoted wife Lenore, children Debbie, Audrey, Susan and Bill, and four-legged companions Atlas and Bambi. Memorial services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, July 9, 2011 at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel. In lieu of flowers, the family would be grateful for a modest contribution to the Semper Fi Fund.

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Dale Everett Norris, Jr.

November 3, 1960 - May 7, 2011

Dale E. Norris, Jr., age 50 of Oklahoma City, OK, passed away on Saturday, May 7, 2011. He was born on November 3, 1960 in Tyler, TX to Dale and Dovie Norris. Survivors include, daughter, Trisha Norris, sons, Dale Norris, III, Nathan Mott; parents, Dale and Dovie Norris; sisters, Donna Hess, Lisa Gambrell; brother, Jerry Norris; grandson Christian Mott. A Graveside service will be held at 1:30 pm on Thursday, May 12, 2011 at Graves Cemetery in Jacksboro, TX.

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Joyce Norris

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Norris, Joyce Joyce Clark Norris a long-time resident of the DFW area passed away Wednesday evening at Northgate Plaza Nursing Home. Joyce was born May, 20, 1923 in Merkel, Texas, the oldest daughter of Lake Jefferson and Maggie Renfro. She married the love of her life, Carvel Clark in 1940 and they raised 4 children, Ben Franklin, Jenny, Carvel (Butch) and Danny. She loved her family especially the younger kids. Survivors also include 4 grand children, 8 great grandchildren and 3 great-great grand childre Following her husbands death, she spent over 20 wonderful years making life-long friends at Core Labs. She remarried in 1983 to Troy Norris who shared her love of travel and they spent the next 15 years traveling across the USA and Canada. She had a great life. She loved people and made friends wherever she went. As a Yellow-Dog Democrat, she loved discussing politics with everyone. She was quick to laugh and smile no matter what the situation. You always knew she could be counted on for comfort and support. She was the last of her generation and will be missed by everyone who knew her. There will be a memorial visitation held on Saturday, December 10, at 2:00p.m. at Aria Funeral Home, 1820 N. Belt Line in Irving, Texas.

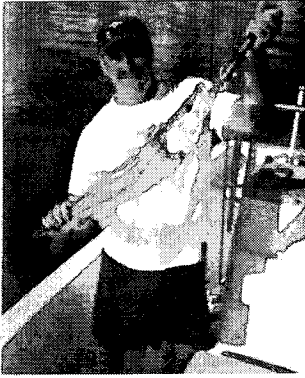


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In Memory of Richard Dan Northcutt

November 12, 1962 - November 29, 2011

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Richard (Rick) Dan Northcutt November 12, 1962 – November 29, 2011
Rick was born in Albuquerque, New Mexico and lived in four other states before moving to Texas where he graduated from Clear Lake High School. He attended the University of Houston and East Central University in Ada, Oklahoma. Rick worked in the telecommunications and cabling industry for 27 years. He has been a resident of Carrollton since 1987.

Rick was the middle of three children born to Dan and Nancy Northcutt and was married to Bea Kay Northcutt for 25 years. He will forever be lovingly remembered by his parents, Dan and Ann Northcutt and Nancy Northcutt, his wife Bea Kay, his beloved children Jake and Sydney, his brother William (Bill) and his wife Sari, his sister Lynn Northcutt Barron and her husband Randy, his stepbrothers Chris Crawford and Dusty Crawford and his wife Cara, his brother-in-law Kenneth Matthews, his honorary brother and sister Dan and Carolyn Clerico, his nephews Josh Barron, his wife Kahra and their children Desiree and Darci, Coleman Crawford, Cole and Reed Townsend, his niece Chandler Crawford and countless friends and family.

Rick loved riding dirt bikes, water skiing, bare footing, jet skiing and snow skiing. A real man's man, his motto has always been, if it can't kill you, it's not a sport. Rick was passionate about his Dallas Cowboys, Dallas Mavericks, Texas Longhorns and especially his children whom he loved "more than the earth and sky and sky." He enjoyed hanging out with his kids, spending time with close friends and family and being, in general, the life of the party.

Rick could make you laugh until you cried and argue until you wanted to smack him. He was kind, hard-headed, loving, always right, strong, loud, funny, a real stinker, and extremely brave. Whether he was Rick, Ricky, Tricky or Rico, he was the one and only and he will be sorely missed.

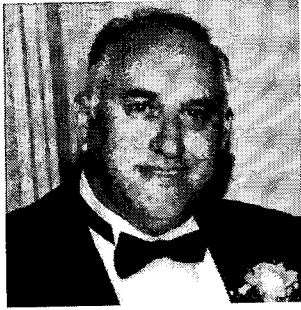
Family and friends are invited to attend a visitation at Ted Dickey West Funeral Home on Sunday, December 4th from 5:30 to 7:30 pm and a memorial service on Monday, December 5th at 1:00 pm at the same location.

In lieu of flowers, the family has requested that donations be sent to:
ALS TDI
215 First Street
Cambridge, MA 02142
www.als.net

The ALS Association
Development Department
27001 Agoura Road, Suite 250
Calabasas Hills, CA 91301
www.alsa.org



Horacio Nunez of Irving, Texas passed away June 25, 2011 in Tyler, Texas.



He was born on November 9, 1938 in Camajuani, Las Villas, Cuba. He came to the United States in 1964 from Cuba, married Caridad Nunez in 1965 and moved to Irving in 1972. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and horse racing. He is survived by wife Caridad Nunez of Irving; Niece Gladys Casper and husband Trey of Tyler; sister Cereida Nunez; brothers Orbelio and Valentin Nunez all of Cuba; nephew Ivey Diaz of Miami, Florida; sister-in-law Gladys Del Risco of Miami; niece Susanna Ginart of Miami and numerous

other family members and friends. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 P.M. Tuesday at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home. Graveside services will be held at 1:00 P.M. Wednesday, June 29, 2011 at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens followed by a 3:00 P.M. memorial service at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel. Memorials may be made to The American Heart Association.

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