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(March 1, 1935 - December 6, 2012)

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J.T. Lake, Jr.

March 23, 1951 - September 30, 2012

J.T. Lake, Jr. age 61 of Dallas, Texas passed away on Sunday, September 30, 2012. He was born in Dallas, TX to J.T. and Helen Lake, they both preceded him in death. J.T. enjoyed drawing as a child in grade school. His passion was working on cars and was known as "a great mechanic". J.T. also was a competitive racer, racing cars and motorcycles. He was always willing to help his friends with projects around their homes, he's been a good friend to many. Survivors include daughter, Robben Lake; aunts and uncles, Christine and Bonnie Head, Bessie and Melvin Boatright, Lester and Alice Covington and Bobby and Marlene Covington; and numerous cousins and friends. A Memorial Service will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday, October 6th at Chism-Smith Funeral Home.

www.chismsmithfh.com
Doris Fay Turner Lamb of Euless, Texas passed away February 13, 2012. She was born on September 11, 1926 in Edgewood Texas to William Henry Turner and Augusta Fay Hitt. She is preceded in death by her husband Albert of 64 years, Albert Lamb; her parents and grandchild, Laura Lamb. She is survived by children Jerry Lamb; Becky Lamb Smith and Stan Lamb; 10 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Friday February 17, 2012 at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home Chapel with interment to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.

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Dorothy Jean Pearce Lamb (1932 - 2012)

Dorothy Jean Pearce Lamb died Wednesday, Feb. 15, 2012, in Fort Worth. Memorial service: 2 p.m. Saturday at St. Paul United Methodist Church, Hurst. She was born Aug. 15, 1932. Survivors: Son, two daughters, sister and numerous family members.

Published in Star-Telegram on February 18, 2012
Charles R. Lambert

Lambert, Charles R. "Bob" age 79, a resident of Irving since 1968, died Thursday, January 26, 2012 at Baylor Medical Center in Irving. Born February 2, 1932 in Shreveport, Louisiana, he was in the United States Air Force, graduated from Wichita State University and married Lana Kay Rising. A University of Texas Longhorn football fan, he retired from teaching with the Irving Public School System in 2002. Preceded in death by his parents Hermon C. Lambert and Linna Ruth Hart Lambert, and two sons, John Charles and Robert Edward, survivors include his wife of Irving; daughter, Sonya Renee Hull and husband Tom of Lake Dallas; sons, James William Lambert and wife Lisa of Mansfield and Brian Andrew Lambert and wife Tonya of Fort Worth; 8 grandchildren, Ashleigh Safran, Kealey Stedman, Hunter Stedman, Olivia Lambert, Luke Lambert, Isabella Lambert, Kaitlyn Lambert, and Lauren Lambert; two great grandchildren Shae Garrigus and Myah Garrigus; a brother John Lambert and wife Jean of Omaha, Nebraska; sister, Davey Farmer Wilson of Hornbeck, Louisiana; and brother-in-law, Kent Rising of Arlington. Viewing will be Noon until 9:00 p.m. Monday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 W. Airport Freeway in Irving. The funeral will be 12:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, 2700 Warren Circle in Irving. Burial will be 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at Dallas/Fort Worth National Cemetery.
January 30, 2012

To: Irving ISD Personnel

From: Karry Chapman, Interim Assistant Superintendent of Administration

Subject: Charles R. "Bob" Lambert

We regret to inform you of the death of Charles R. Lambert, former Irving ISD employee. Mr. Lambert passed away on Thursday, January 26, 2012.

Bob Lambert was employed by Irving ISD from 1993 as an In-School Suspension Aide at Irving High School until he retired in June 2002.

Arrangements are under the direction of Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home; 606 W. Airport Freeway; Irving, Texas 75062.

Visitation with the family will be held on Monday, January 30th from noon until 9:00 p.m. at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday, January 31st at 12:30 p.m. at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer; 2700 Warren Circle; Irving, Texas.

Interment will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 31st at the Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery; 2000 Mountain Creek Parkway; Dallas, Texas 75211.

Please keep the family of Charles R. "Bob" Lambert in your thoughts and prayers.
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TOMMY LAMBERT, SR., age 60, a resident of Irving for eleven years, died Wednesday, August 8, 2012 at home. Born June 18, 1952 in Dallas, Texas, he was the son of Heabner and Dorothy White Lambert. Tommy was in the freight business most of his life. Preceded in death by his parents and son, Tommy Lambert, Jr., he is survived by his son, Kyle Lambert and wife Misty of Forney; son, Chris Goodier and wife Leslie of Denton; grandchildren, Christopher and Amber Goodier, Bailey and Presley Lambert; brothers, Gary Lambert and Benny Sangster. A memorial service will be held 11:00 a.m., Monday, August 13 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home Chapel, 606 West Airport Freeway in Irving with Minister Jody Rowe officiating.

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CLYDE REED LANDERS, age 86, a resident of Quinlan, Texas for 22 years, died Wednesday, April 4, 2012 at home. Born December 30, 1925 in Ector, Texas to Jewell B. Landers and Mary Winnie Eldridge Landers, Clyde was a former service manager at Frank Parra Chevrolet in Irving. Preceded in death by his wife, Ellen Landers; son, Phillip Landers; daughter, Phyllis Archa; brother, J. B. Landers; and sister, Helen Poole, he is survived by his grandson, Wes Landers and wife Rhonda of Magnolia; granddaughter, Jaimie Graves and husband Jamie of Corinth; great grandchildren, Colin Landers and Emily Graves; sister, Paula Dodson of Dallas; and many nieces, nephews and other family members. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Friday, April 6 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. The service is 1:00 p.m., Saturday, April 7 in the funeral home chapel. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. Memorial contributions may be made to any cancer charity.

www.donnellyscolonial.com
Date: October 9, 2012

To: Irving ISD Personnel

From: Karry Chapman, Interim Assistant Superintendent of Administration

Subject: Virginia Langston

We regret to inform you of the death of Virginia Langston, mother of Linda Clancy and Eugenia Collinsworth. Mrs. Langston passed away on Wednesday, October 3rd.

Linda Clancy is a Counselor at Nimitz High School and Eugenia Collinsworth is a Teacher at Lamar Middle School.

The family received friends on Thursday evening, October 4th at Ben F. Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home; 707 N. MacArthur Blvd.; Irving, Texas 75061.

The funeral was held on Friday, October 5th at 10:00 a.m. at St. Luke Catholic Church; 202 S. MacArthur; Irving, Texas 75060.

Linda Clancy and Eugenia Collinsworth may be contacted at the following addresses:
Linda Clancy
100 W. Oak St.
Irving, Texas 75060

Eugenia Collinsworth
C/o Nimitz High School
100 W. Oak St.
Irving, Texas 75060

Please keep Linda and Eugenia, and the remainder of the family in your thoughts and prayers.
Virginia Langston,

of Irving for 71 years, and previously of Bridgeport, Texas, passed away Wednesday, October 3, 2012. She was born May 4, 1918 in Bridgeport. She was a devoted catholic and a member of St. Luke’s Catholic Church in Irving. She enjoyed playing dominoes and cards. Virginia was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother. She is preceded in death by her parents James Earl and Katie (Conner) Butler and her husband Doyle Langston. Survivors include her children Eugenia Collinsworth of Irving, Doyline Gresham and husband Larry of Grapevine, Billy Langston of Irving, Jackie Panfilli of Galveston, Linda Clancy of Bedford, Eddie Langston and wife Debra of Lake Dallas, Larry Langston and wife Janet of Irving, Debbie Skinner and husband Jerry of Lewisville, and Karla Langston of Corinth; 17 grandchildren; and 12 great grandchildren. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 AM Friday, October 5, 2012 at St. Luke’s Catholic Church in Irving. Burial will follow at Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas. The family will receive friends 6-7 PM Thursday at the funeral home. A Rosary will be held at 7 PM. Memorial donations may be made to St. Luke’s Catholic Church, 202 S. MacArthur Blvd., Irving, TX 75060.

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In Memory of

Virginia Langston
May 4, 1918 - October 3, 2012

Burial arrangements under the direction of Calvary Hill Cemetery.

(Add to IISD Obit.)
Paul Henry Larmon, of Irving, died at home Sunday October 14, 2012. He was born on November 7, 1939 in Lexington, Kentucky to Lucian McCoy Larmon and Gladys Christine (Snedegar) Larmon. He was an Army veteran, retired Safety Engineer and member of Woodhaven Presbyterian Church. Paul is survived by his wife Nancy; children Alison Lee deCadenet and husband Alain, Robert McCoy Larmon, Matthew James Hicks and wife Rhonda, and Sharon Elizabeth Ryan and husband Lance; grandchildren Thomas Ray Larmon and wife Alisa, Samantha Rose Larmon, Aidan Vincent deCadenet, Kendall Rachan Lawson, Trevor Matthew Hicks, Sean Christopher Hicks, Kyrsten LaBri Mason and Ella Elizabeth Ryan; brothers Ed and Bob Musselman; and sister Susan Herring. Burial will occur at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 18, 2012 at the Bethany Baptist Church Cemetery in Albaton, Kentucky. A Memorial Service will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, October 20, 2012 at Woodhaven Presbyterian Church, 3650 North O'Connor Road, Irving with Rev. Diane M. Baldwin and Rev. Mike Thompson officiating. The family requests donation to Woodhaven Presbyterian Church.

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Richard Edward LaTour (1981 - 2012)

LaTour, Richard Edward Richard Edward LaTour 30, born July 10, 1981 to Larry and Cindy LaTour of Irving Texas. Richard aka "Rich" died Sunday night, May 27, 2012. Richard earned his GED in the Seaborne Challenge Program in Galveston, TX, then went on to serve in the United States Navy following in in the footsteps of his grandfather and uncles. Rich had a huge heart and will be greatly missed. He is survived by his parents, siblings Kendra Wallace and Jeffrey LaTour, and many other dear family and friends. Memorial Service Sat, June 2, Fellowship Dallas Church 10am Viewing at Ben F. Brown Funeral Home in Irving 5:30pm Friday June 1.

Published in Dallas Morning News on June 1, 2012
Alan Lavell

Lavell, Alan J. age 65, a resident of Irving for 16 years, died Monday, August 20, 2012 at Baylor Medical Center at Irving. Born November 14, 1946 in Westminster London, England to George C. A. and Maria L. Volpe Lavell, he was a former manager at IBM in Irving and California, a Toast Masters Member, Assistant Instructor at Wu Yi Shaolin Martial Arts School in Coppell, and a Chartered Engineer for British Computer Society. Alan is survived by his son, Alex. Memorial service is 2:00 p.m., Saturday, August 25, 2012 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. In lieu of flowers, please contact Shirley Thompson to contribute to the Alex Fund.

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Published in Dallas Morning News on August 24, 2012
Wanda Lou LaVarnway, of Dallas, passed away September 21, 2012. She was born July 27, 1935 to John Ted Jackson and Josie Justice in Artesia, New Mexico. She was preceded in death by her husband, Gene in 2001; her daughter, Karen in 2012; her parents and four brothers. She is survived by sons, Mark LaVarnway and wife Lydia of Dallas, Michael LaVarnway and wife Cyndi of Aloha, Oregon; daughters, Laura LaVarnway and Julie LaVarnway of Glenn Heights; numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews; and brothers, Jack Jackson of Durant, OK and Rick Jackson of McAlester, OK. A graveside service and burial is planned for Saturday, September 29, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Tannehill Cemetery in McAlester, OK, officiated by Craig Roberts.

www.brownmem.com
Alan J. Lavell
(November 14, 1946 - August 20, 2012)

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Dora Lawrence

Lawrence, Dora Laverne Surrounded by family and ready to meet her Savior, Laverne went peacefully to her heavenly home on July 4, 2012. Preceded in death by her parents Estus and Clara Nickell, brother Don Nickell, beloved Aunt and best friend Pauline Burley and her husband Don, grandson Wesley Meyer and cousin Jarrod Willcutt. Survived by her devoted and loving husband of 28 years, Cecil Lawrence. Cecil and Laverne shared a love for their children; hers and his. Her daughter Kimberly Church, husband Randy and grandchildren Ryan and Hannah and her son Joel Jennings and wife Jinni. His daughter Sue Meyer and husband Norman and daughter Sandy Gorman and husband Lee; 7 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren. Beloved cousins Connie & Tracy Nelson, Janette Boggs and Tammy & Patrick Willcutt. Laverne was a member of Irving Bible Fellowship where she enjoyed Bible studies and volunteering. The family will welcome visitors on Monday, July 9 from 6 to 8 pm at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home in Irving with a Celebration of Life on Tuesday, July 10 at 10 am at Donnelly's Colonial Chapel. Donations can be made to Christ Haven for Children, Keller, TX in memory of Wesley Meyer.

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Laverne Lawrence
(December 4, 1929 - July 4, 2012)

LAVERNE LAWRENCE, age 82, a resident of Irving for 45 years, died Wednesday, July 4, 2012.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Monday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway in Irving. Service is 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, July 10th at the funeral home chapel. Burial at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery.
Gerald Layne

- October 11, 1923 - July 23, 2012
- Irving, Texas

Gerald was born on October 11, 1923 and passed away on Monday, July 23, 2012.

Gerald was a resident of Irving, Texas at the time of his passing.

He served his country in the Army Air Corps as a Corporal during World War II.

He was preceded in death by his wife Mary.

Visitation Thursday, July 26, 2012 6:30pm - 8:30pm Grove Hill Funeral Home 3920 Samuell Blvd Dallas, TX 75228 (214) 388-8887 Funeral Service
Friday, July 27, 2012 10:00am - 11:00am Grove Hill Funeral Home 3920 Samuell Blvd Dallas, TX 75228 (214) 388-8887

Gerald Layne Obituary - Irving, Texas - Tributes.com

In lieu of flowers, Jerry asked that memorial donations be made to Hidden Acres Conference Center, P.O. Box 851462 Mesquite, Texas 75185-1462.
Craig William League Sr.

League, Sr., Craig William Craig William League, Sr., 50, passed away Wednesday, November 28, 2012. He was born September 19, 1962 in Irving, Texas. As a young adult, Craig was proud to serve as a firefighter with the Goodwill Hook and Ladder Company #1 in Warwick, New York. Upon return to Texas in the early 90's, Craig worked as a professional stuntman and was a member of the United Stuntmen's Association. After a lengthy tenure at Jerrell Industries, Craig accepted a management position with Just Brakes, where he was a well-respected leader in his field, which included training and coaching others to excel. Craig leaves behind his wife and partner of over 20 years, Dora Krebs League. He is also survived by his sons Craig William, Jr. and Curtis Alan; two step-daughters, Jessica Hill and Rachael Henager; and four grandchildren with one more on the way. He is also survived by his brothers Gene and wife Susan of Arlington, Texas, Clifford and wife Lavetta of Sherman, Texas, and Carl, Ill and wife Stacy of Austin, Texas; one sister Alanna Marie of Euless, Texas; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his mother Mildred Copeland League and father Carl League, Sr. A Funeral Service will be held at 2 PM Sunday, December 2, 2012 at Brown's Memorial Chapel in Irving, Texas. In lieu of flowers, the family requests a memorial be made in Craig's name to the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network. www.pancan.org

Published in Dallas Morning News on December 2, 2012
Craig William League, Sr.,

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Harriet Ann Ledeboer

December 21, 1930 - January 16, 2012

Harriet Ann Ledeboer, loving wife, mother, and grandmother and devoted friend, went to be with the Lord on January 16, 2012. She was born in Paris, Texas on December 21, 1930 and graduated from North Texas College with a degree in Elementary Education. She taught school in Grand Prairie where she met the love of her life, Garald Henry “Bud” Ledeboer. They were married on December 24, 1955. Harriet was deeply involved in church activities at First Baptist Church, Irving, Texas, where she sang in the adult choir and taught Sunday School. Teaching Sunday School was her passion, and the day before she went home to be with her Heavenly Father, she ended her lesson with “I just can’t tell you enough that God is so Good.” Harriet was an accomplished painter and enjoyed fishing, camping, and traveling. She is survived by her husband Bud and her children – Glen Ledeboer and daughter-in-law Vicki Ledeboer of Chantilly, Virginia, Lisa Dunn of Euless, Texas, and Jennifer Golden and son-in-law Richard Golden of Dallas, Texas. She adored her grandchildren – Marcus Dunn and granddaughter-in-law Lauren Dunn, Kristin Dunn and her fiancé Duncan Millington III, Benjamin and Andrew Ledeboer, and Dylan Golden. The family receive friends at Chism-Smith Funeral Home Wednesday, January 18, 2012 between 6:00 and 8:00 PM. Harriet’s funeral will be at First Baptist Church, Irving on Thursday, January 19, 2012 at 9:30 AM. Following the service, she will be interred at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery.

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Charles C. Lee, Jr.

June 9, 1956 - January 31, 2012

Charles Cleveland Lee, Jr. age 55, of Irving, Texas passed away on Tuesday, January 31, 2012. He was born on June 9, 1956 in Dallas, Texas to Charles and Vernia Lee. Charles was a 1974 graduate of Nimitz High School and a 1982 graduate of The University of Oklahoma. He was a good father and son and enjoyed gardening with his kids. Charles enjoyed cooking, photography and watching football on TV. He loved to hike and camp in the Smoky Mountains and his favorite place was Steeles Creek Park. Charles was a very caring person who took care of his parents. He always thought of other before himself. Charles attended church every week and read his bible daily. Survivors include, wife, Marguerite Lee; children, Caryn Lee, Trevor Lee and Marissa Lee; parents, Charles and Vernia Lee; sisters, Marcia Pearson and husband Jimmy, Peggy Cathey and husband Robert, Sandra Meiners and husband Richard and Lisa Richards and husband Sam; and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A Memorial Service will be 10:00 am on Saturday, February 4, 2012 at Chism-Smith Funeral Home Chapel.

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Frederick "Rick" Leonard
(April 21, 1981 - July 25, 2012)

FREDERICK "RICK" LEONARD, age 31, a resident of the Dallas-Fort Worth area the majority of his life, died Wednesday, July 25, 2012. Born April 21, 1981 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, he was a Christian. Known by his mother as 'Freddie,' Rick loved Pink Floyd and Nirvana. Preceded in death by grandparents, Jesse and Virginia Leonard, he is survived by his father, Fred Leonard of Independence, Missouri; mother, Cindy J. Pinson of Irving; daughter, Harmonie Klein of Cedar Hill; half-sister, Rachelle Schwartz and husband Phil; grandparents, Rebecca and David Hendryx; many extended family and friends; as well as his beloved dog, Coffee. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Saturday, July 28, 2012 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway in Irving. Service 6:30 p.m., Sunday, July 29 in the funeral home chapel.

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Rosemary Leonard

Leonard, Rosemary Watson Rosemary Watson Leonard, 85, who taught Physical Education and American History for over thirty years in the Irving Public Schools, passed away at her home in Irving on July 30, 2012. Memorial services will be held at 1:00 p.m. at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home in Irving on August 24th and at Davis-Morris Funeral Home in Brownwood, Texas, at 1:00 p.m. on August 25th. She is survived by her son, Walter Watson Leonard of Fort Worth; brother, Walter Watson of California; sister, Kay Watson Holiday of Florida and a much loved crowd of cousins, nieces, nephews and colleagues and friends of all descriptions. She was irreplaceable.

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Theron Lehr (1919 - 2012)

Theron LaRue Lehr, a resident of Irving, Texas since 1954 passed away due to natural causes on October 21, 2012, after 93+ years (34,021 days). He was born on August 30, 1919 in Grandfield, Oklahoma. He was raised primarily in Lubbock, Texas by his two parents, Harry and Nell Lehr, along with two older brothers, John and Dale, all of whom preceded him in death. Theron graduated from Texas Tech University in 1942. He is survived by: his loving wife of almost 63 years, Carlie Rae Lehr; son Lon Lehr (and his wife Mary), son Larry Lehr (and his wife Cindie), and daughter Lori Lehr Hall; grandson Philip Lehr (and his wife Meghan and their sons Connor and Henry), grandson Pierce Lehr (and his wife Megan and their sons Harrison, Bennett, and Charles), granddaughter Katherine Lehr, and grandson Zachary Hall; and numerous nephews, nieces, cousins, friends, and neighbors. Theron was a US Army veteran of both WWII and the Korean Conflict, ultimately achieving the rank of major. Subsequent to the military, the central chapter of Theron’s varied business career was in the perlite industry, focused primarily on lightweight structural concrete. He served as the national president of the Perlite Institute in the 1960s. Throughout his life, Theron was a student of technology, a thinker, and a tinkerer. He enjoyed mechanical and electrical problem solving and built innumerable devices and contraptions. In addition, Theron enjoyed reading, travel, conversation, and practical jokes. Theron was profoundly appreciative for his family, friends, and life experiences. Theron is to be interred at the Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery with a ceremony to be held there on Friday, November 2, 2012 at 2:30PM, and an open reception for family and friends is to follow at Plymouth Park United Methodist Church in Irving from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM. (For those wishing to attend the service, the National Cemetery asks that attendees be in their cars in Lane C in the assembly area by 2:15PM.)

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Esther Lou Lewis, of The Colony, passed away Tuesday, July 3, 2012. She was born May 17, 1938 in Dallas. She was a loving mother, grandmother, and great grandmother, and enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and her friend Patricia. She enjoyed watching old movies and listening to old music, and also Josh Groban and Alan Jackson. She is survived by her husband Harold of Highland Village; son Clint Lewis and wife Marcia of Arlington; grandchildren Rebecca Lewis, Matt Lee, Shawn Lewis, Josh Lee, Jessica Lewis, and Andy Lewis; and great grandchildren J.T. Lockett, Hailey Lockett, Kaitlynn Lee, and Grayson Lee; and cat Tara. Graveside services will be held at 10:30 AM Monday, July 9, 2012 at Restland Memorial Gardens in Dallas with Pastor Bobby Bridges officiating. Memorial donations may be made to Arthritis Foundation, 4300 MacArthur Ave., Dallas, TX 75209.
Kathy Lewis

(1961 - 2012)

Kathy Lewis, 51, passed away Sunday, Nov. 18, 2012, in Houston. Graveside service: 11 a.m. Friday in Oakwood Cemetery. Memorials: Should friends desire, memorials may be given to the Special Olympics. Katherine Anne Lewis was born Aug. 22, 1961, in Fort Worth. She was a unique person who enjoyed competing in the Special Olympics and expressed only love for everyone she met. Kathy was preceded in death by her uncles, Andy Lewis and Ray Berry. Survivors: Father, Edward Donovan Lewis of Fort Worth; mother, Mary Ann Porter and her husband, Howell Porter, of Spring; brother, Scott Lewis of Spring; and numerous half brothers and sisters, aunts, uncles, nephews, nieces and cousins who loved and cared for her dearly.

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Kirk Thomas Lewis died October 1, 2012 of small cell lung cancer. He was born October 3, 1953 in Wichita Falls, Texas, and moved to Irving in time to attend Nimitz High School in its first years. Kirk was a Ford master technician, worked as a carpenter, and loved to spend time outdoors - whether fishing, hunting or hanging out in the pit area at NHRA drag racing. Per his wishes, the body has been donated to the Willed Body Program at UT Southwestern Medical Center for study and research. He is survived by his parents Marjorie and Ernest Hobdy; son Gabriel Dustin Lewis Sherwood; son Joseph Thomas Lewis (married to Destiny); daughter Amanda Fay Lewis; grandchildren Rosalia, Julian, Ethan, Brady, Joseph and Ford; siblings Kathrin Ann Lewis, Carla Hobdy Kelly (Andy), Susan Lewis Wesley, Ernest Eugene Hobdy Jr (aka Gene), Kent Blair Lewis (Audrey), Kristin Lewis Schuele (H.P.), Jack Davis Hobdy (Ken Armstrong); nephews and nieces Tim Lewis (Kaitlin), Sarah Foust, Michael Wesley Jr, Ben Lewis, and John Lewis. Kirk was preceded in death by his grandparents and his father Joseph L. Lewis. The family would like to express its appreciation to all the friends, neighbors, co-workers and Parkland/UTSW doctors who walked with Kirk on the last steps of his journey, especially Chau Thi Nguyen, fishing buddy. A memorial service is being planned at Joe's Coffee Shop in Irving for Sunday afternoon, October 7 at 4:30 p.m.
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Roy G. Little
(December 31, 1935 - October 19, 2012)

ROY G. LITTLE, age 76, of Irving, died Friday, October 19, 2012, at a Dallas care center. Born December 31, 1935 in Aley, Texas, he was the son of Roy and Louise Thomas Little. A U S Army veteran of the Korean War, he was a supervisor with Taylor Publishing for 35 years before retiring in 1993. Preceded in death by his first wife Zoan Little in 1991, he married Migdalia Rojas September 5, 1993 in Irving. He was a member of Freedom Life Church in Carrollton. Survivors include his wife Migdalia of Irving; son, Lanny Little of Dallas; daughter Charlene Little of Irving; step-daughter, Tania Yzaguirre of Dallas; grandchildren Kim Goralczyk and husband Joe, James Little, Jacob Little, Kevin Poindexter and wife Celeste, Linda Poindexter, Eric Yzaguirre and wife Veronica and Adrian Yzaguirre; two great grandsons, Eric Yzaguirre, Jr. and Isaac Yzaguirre; a brother Tom Little and wife Linda of Judson, TX; and sister Diane Ackerman and husband Joe. The family will receive friends 6:00-8:00 p.m. Sunday, October 21, 2012 at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 W. Airport Freeway. The funeral will be 1:00 p.m. Monday in the funeral home chapel. Burial will follow at Restland Memorial Park in Dallas.

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Joyce Littlejohn, 90, passed away, Tuesday, June 19, 2012. Graveside service: 10 a.m. Saturday in Johnson Station Cemetery. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Arlington Funeral Home. Joyce was born Oct. 24, 1921. She was preceded in death by her husband, Sterling; and grandchildren, Donnie Jr. and Shannon. Survivors: Sons, Donnie Littlejohn and wife, Betty, Ronny Littlejohn and wife, Mary, Ralph Littlejohn and wife, Annette, and Mike Littlejohn and wife, Karen; sisters, Margaret Morrison and Rita Kendall and husband, Dan; 16 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

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Jeffrey Allen Lockard

August 24, 1958 - May 28, 2012

Jeffrey Allen Lockard, age 53, passed away Monday, May 28, 2012. He was born August 24, 1958 in Omaha, Nebraska to George and Dorothy Lockard. His father precedes him in death. Jeffrey loved to fish. He is survived by his mother, Dorothy Lockard; 2 brothers, Jerry Lockard and wife Joyce, and Tim Lockard and wife Melissa; among many other family and friends. Interment will be held in Pawnee City, Nebraska on a later date. Jeffrey will be dearly missed.  

Irving Lamb

June 2, 2012
Jacob Eli Logan

- March 28, 1995 - October 14, 2012
- Coppell, Texas

Jacob Eli Logan, 17, went to be with his Lord and Savior on Sunday, October 14, 2012 in Palo Pinto County, Texas at Possum Kingdom Lake. He was born on March 28, 1995 to Howard and Mona (Milburn) Logan in Bedford, Texas. He was a senior at Coppell High School where he played wide receiver and safety for the Cowboys. He is survived by his parents; brother, Daniel Logan; sister, Jordan Logan; grandparents, Harold and Betty Milburn; aunt, Carmon Yoder; uncle, Rob Milburn and loving cousins.

Funeral Service

Monday, October 22
2:00 PM

Irving Bible Church
2435 Kinwest Parkway
Irving, TX 75039

Graveside Service

Monday, October 22
3:00 PM

Rolling Oaks Memorial Center
Freeport Pkwy. and Ruby Rd.
Coppell, TX 75019
Beverly Knopp Long
(November 22, 1927 - March 27, 2012)

BEVERLY KNOPP LONG, age 84, a resident of Irving for 45 years, died Tuesday, March 27, 2012 in Irving. Born November 22, 1927 in Cleburne, Texas to Frank Knopp Sr. and Jessie Evelyn Nail Knopp, she married Vernon Lee Long on July 15, 1966 in Kansas City, Missouri. Beverly was the manager at Peck’s Office Supply in Irving for 20 years. Preceded in death by her parents and a sister, Dorothy McCuller, she is survived by her husband, Vernon; daughters, Valerie Leffel and husband Rodney and Leslie Godwin, all of Irving; son, Gregory Horning of Euless; grandchildren, Christopher Leffel and Chad Leffel; brothers, Dr. Frank Knopp and David Knopp. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Thursday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home. Graveside service is 1:00 p.m., Friday, March 30 at Cleburne Memorial Cemetery in Cleburne, Texas with Dan Burt officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer’s Association.

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David R. Lopez

Lopez, David R. Visitation: Thursday, December 6, 2012 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm at Mt. Carmel Funeral Home. Funeral Service: Friday, December 7, 2012 at 10:00 am at Mt. Carmel Funeral Home. Interment: Oak Grove Memorial Gardens Mt. Carmel Funeral Home 1225 East Irving Blvd. Irving, TX 75060

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Sibyl Loyd (1911 - 2012)

Loyd, Sibyl Riddle Sibyl Riddle Loyd, the last of six siblings, died March 19, 2012 shortly before her 101st birthday. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Sherman L. "Cotton" Loyd. She is survived by daughters Carol Loyd Polk and Leslie Loyd Womack, granddaughters Karen, Maury, Jenny and Susan, grandsons J and Kevin, seven great-grandsons, two great-grand-daughters, and many nieces, nephews and friends. Sibyl taught school professionally for several years but never stopped teaching her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. She traveled the world with her husband and later with friends. Those of us who survive are lucky to have had her in our lives for so long. Graveside services were conducted by Northaven United Methodist Church, of which she was a charter member. In lieu of flowers, gifts to the following would be welcome: Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (jdrf.org) and Texas Visiting Nurses Association (vnatexas.org).

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Dianne Luetje

Luetje, Dianne M. age 67, of Frisco, formerly of Grand Prairie, died Saturday Feb. 18, 2012 at a Frisco nursing facility. Born Feb. 16, 1945 at the Naval Air Station Olathe, Kansas, she attended various schools while her father was in the Navy including spending time in Hawaii. She graduated from Saint Joseph's Academy in Saint Paul, Minnesota in 1963. She married Emil Luetje November 26, 1966 in St. Paul, Minnesota. She had been an accounting clerk and retired as a receptionist and funeral assistant with Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home in Irving. Preceded in death by her mother Olive Shanley and step-father Charles M. Shanley; her father Kenneth C. Waddle and step-mother Dorothy Waddle; and a brother, Kenneth E. Waddle, she is survived by her husband Emil of Frisco; her son Paul Luetje and his wife Cathy of Prosper, TX; sisters, Susan Linder and Laurie Waddle; and by her brothers, Robert, Mark, James and Donald Waddle. Visitation 7-9 p.m. Wednesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. The funeral will be 11:00 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home chapel. Burial will be at 1:00 p.m. Thursday at Dallas/Fort Worth National Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

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Sherry L. Lumpkin (1959 - 2012) Visit Guest Book

Sherry L. Lumpkin, 52, passed away in Arlington on Monday, Aug. 13, 2012, after a long battle with cancer. She worked as a project specialist at North Texas Regional Extension Center in Irving. Memorial service: 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday for family and friends at 4478 Sweetgum Way in Fort Worth. Please feel free to come by to share stories, remember her, or visit with others who loved her. Memorials: The family requests that, in lieu of flowers, people send donations to the American Cancer Society. Sherry was born Oct. 3, 1959, in her hometown of Helena, Ark., to parents Betty Lumpkin Salmon, currently of Fort Worth, and the late Jerry Lumpkin. She attended Central High School, graduating with honors in 1978. Following high school, she attended Louisiana State University where she majored in computer science. Sherry had a great passion for music and could, at the drop of a hat, name the artist and title for just about any song. Needless to say you wanted Sherry on your team when playing "Name That Tune." Her love of cards and board games equaled her passion for music, and she took great enjoyment in teaching others, especially her children, nieces, and nephews, how to play. Sherry enjoyed traveling and had journeyed to Europe several times to pursue her desire to learn about history and the world. Sherry's great sense of humor and keen wit will be missed by all who knew her. She deeply loved her family and friends and was very excited for the birth of her first grandson in October. Even though Sherry passed before his arrival, his family will keep his Nana's memory alive. Survivors: Daughter, Stephanie Roberts and husband, Nathan, and their expected son, Henry; her son, Jeremy Cerulla; her former husband, Charles Cerulla; her mother, Betty Salmon; sister, Kathy Thompson; and brothers, James Lumpkin and Tim Lumpkin and his wife, Valerie; nieces, Anna and Samantha Thompson; and nephews, Brennan, Conor and Jesse Lumpkin.

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Lisa Lyon
(September 9, 1959 - May 3, 2012)

Lisa Davis Lyon, age 52, of Flower Mound, passed away Thursday, May 3, 2012, in Denton. She was born September 9, 1959 in Tulsa, Oklahoma to Alvin A. “Bud” Davis and Marjorie Anne Hill Davis. Lisa moved to Lubbock, Texas as a young child where she grew up attending First Baptist Church Lubbock and graduated from Coronado High School. Lisa attended Texas A & M University where she was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority and graduated with a BS in Food Science Technology in 1982. She obtained her MS in Home Economics in 1985 from Texas Tech University. After graduating, she worked as a clinical dietician in Lubbock. In October 1986, she married Jim Lyon and they moved to Flower Mound in 1988. Most currently Lisa was working as an Administrative Assistant for the Texas State Senator Chris Harris. She is survived by her husband, Jim; daughters, Michelle and Laura, and brother, Paul (Tina) Davis of Bay City, Texas. Lisa was preceded in death by her son, Christopher. A service to celebrate Lisa’s life will be held 1:30 p.m. Thursday, May 10, 2012, at Lakeland Baptist Church in Lewisville. The family will receive friends from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Wednesday at Mulkey-Mason Funeral Home in Lewisville. If you wish, in lieu of flowers, the family has requested memorial contributions to be made to Christian Community Action of Lewisville, the Children’s Advocacy Center of Denton County, or any Republican 2012 candidate trying to defeat President Barack Obama’s agenda.