

James McAnallen

(September 11, 1930 - April 6, 2012)

Age 81, resident of Grand Prairie for 10 years, died April 6, 2012 at his home. He was born on September 11, 1930 in New Castle, PA to Cecil and Pauline Gierlach McAnallen, Preceded in death by two sons, Danny and Tommy McAnallen, survivors include wife, Shirley McAnallen; brother, Bob McAnallen; sisters, Nancy Hoover and Sally Birchfield; grandchildren, Daniel, Moose, Tricia and Scotty. Visitation will be on Monday April 9 from 6-8pm at the funeral home. Graveside service will be 11am, April 10, 2012 at Bear Creek Cemetery in Euless, TX.



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Grace McBride



McBride, Grace Grace McBride was born in Norman, Ark. on February 28, 1917 and was called home by her Heavenly Father on July 10, 2012. She married her loving husband, Wayne McBride, and together they had 5 living children. Grace was a woman of faith, strength, and above all love. Her greatest love on earth was serving and caring for her family which she did to perfection. Every one of her children knew they were her favorite and exactly whose lap to look for when they needed a hug or a kiss. When her oldest son found himself with 3 young children to raise alone he knew exactly where to go. He took himself and his young children home to his Mom & Dad where they were welcomed with open arms. Grace and Wayne went on to raise those 3 grandchildren along with their own 4 children. The three grandchildren became "her" children and each one grew up calling her "Mom". Their house was always filled with love, laughter, noise and sibling squabbles. Grace lost her husband in 1979. After all of her children were raised she became the childcare giver for the Lookadoo family and cared for their two young girls until both were in grade school. The Lookadoo family remained a strong and loving presence in Grace's life as they considered each other family until the day God called her home. Grace will be forever loved and cherished in the hearts of those blessed to call her "Mom", family or friend. She was preceded in death by her husband, Wayne McBride; an infant son, Jackie; two adult sons, James and Gary. She is survived by loving son, Robert (Dell); daughter, Ann (Cecil); daughter, Janice (Bill); daughter, Gail (Herb); son, Gary (Melinda); son, Kevin; and special daughter-in-law, Judy; 9 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and 4 great-great-grandchildren. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Thursday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Graveside service is 10:00 a.m., Friday, July 13th at Restland Memorial Park in Dallas. A memorial service will follow at 12 noon, Friday at Brookhaven Baptist Church in Farmers Branch.

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Marvin Autry McBurnett (1944 - 2012) Visit Guest Book

Marvin Autry McBurnett, 68, passed away Tuesday, Sept. 11, 2012, at a local hospital. Funeral: 11 a.m. Friday at Irving North Christian Church, 2901 N. MacArthur, Irving. Pastor Chris Carathers will officiate. Burial: Private in Bear Creek Cemetery in Euless. Visitation: The family will receive friends 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Lucas Funeral Home, 1321 Precinct Line Road, Hurst. Marvin was preceded in death by parents, Hiram Foster McBurnett, Lena Storey Patterson and William Virgil Patterson. Survivors: Wife, Jill Marie McBurnett; sons, Kirk McBurnett and wife, Elizabeth, Karl McBurnett and wife, Louise, and Keith McBurnett and wife, Patricia; and grandchildren, Jonmichael McBurnett, Benjamin McBurnett, Colin McBurnett, Connor McBurnett, Alexis McBurnett and Greyson McBurnett.

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Lesska McCallum

McCallum, Lesska Age 92, of Irving, TX, died on May 4, 2012. Service 2:00 p.m. Wednesday at Donnelly's Chapel. Burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens

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Lesska McCallum



McCallum, Lesska age 92, a resident of Irving, died May 4, 2012. Born December 20, 1919 in Royse City, Texas to Joe Alexander and Iva Mae Baker Morgan, she worked for Reserve Life Insurance in Dallas for 30 years. Preceded in death by her husband of sixty years, Mac McCallum, a USMC War II veteran who served in Guadalcanal, survivors include, daughter Glenda Jo Jaques; granddaughters, Jan Lynn Hernandez and husband Danny and Jo Beth Wells and husband, Tom; great grandsons, Leon Basham and wife Amber and Matt Wells; three great-great grandchildren, Dustin, Lexie, and Kelsie Basham; several nieces and nephew; and Alex, her kind care giver. Funeral 2:00 p.m. Wednesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Burial at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

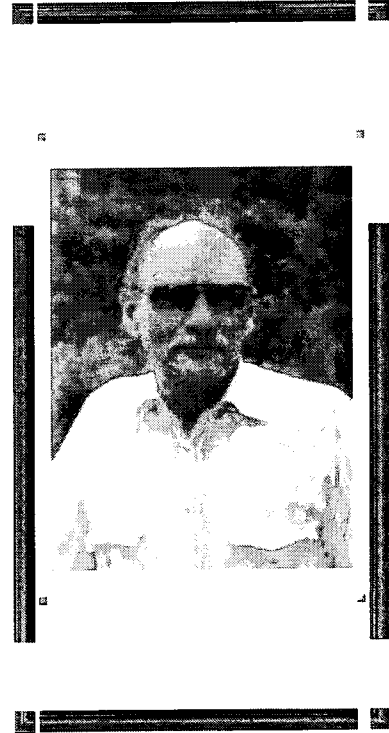
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Joe McClure

(September 1, 1939 - January 2, 2012)

JOE McCLURE, age 72, a resident of Irving for 42 years, formerly of North Carolina, died Monday, January 2, 2012 at home. He was born September 1, 1939 in Clay County, North Carolina to parents, Frank McClure and Frankie Penland McClure. On August 16, 1969, he married Charlene Kimberlin in Dallas. Joe was a member of the Assembly of God Church. Preceded in death by his parents, father-in-law, Bill Kimberlin in 1980 and mother-in-law, Laura Kimberlin in 2007, survivors include his wife, Charlene of Irving; son, Charles McClure and wife Wendy; granddaughters, Lauren McClure and Kaylea McClure, all of Grand Prairie; sisters, Lucy Waldroup and husband Marvin of Dallas and Brenda Littlefield and husband John of Adair, Oklahoma; brother-in-law, Jack Kimberlin and wife Debra of Algonquin, Illinois; sister-in-law, Joyce Alexander and husband Oscar of Decatur; and special fishin' buddy, Ron Smith of Irving. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Thursday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Service is 10:00 a.m., Friday, January 6 in the funeral home Chapel with Pastor Jack Kimberlin officiating. Burial to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. The family wishes to express their deepest gratitude to Dr. Christopher Shelton for his personal care.



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Robert McCormick

McCormick, Robert Age 88, of Irving, TX, died on May 02, 2012. Inurnment Service: 1:30 PM Thursday, May 10, 2012 at DFW National Cemetery in Dallas.



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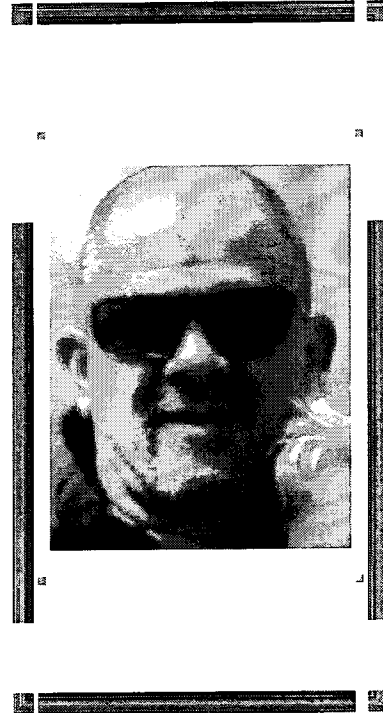
Robert McCormick, a resident of Irving for 53 years, and previously from Mundelein, Illinois, passed away Wednesday, May 2, 2012. He was born February 26, 1924 in Chicago, Illinois. He served in the Army Air Corp during WWII. Robert started work with VANEC as a salesman and worked his way up to President of the company before retiring of 1992. He was a private pilot and belonged to the Experimental Aircraft Association. He is survived by his wife Rosemary McCormick of Irving; son Michael McCormick of Waller, Texas; and daughter Robin Ann McCormick and husband David Davies of Savannah, Georgia. Inurnment services will be held at 1:30 PM Thursday, May 10, 2012 at DFW National Cemetery in Dallas.

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Richard Lee McCutchan

(August 14, 1964 - July 17, 2012)

RICHARD LEE (RICK) McCUTCHAN, 47, of Temple, formerly of Abilene and Dallas, passed away Tuesday, July 17, 2012 in Temple, Texas. Born August 14, 1964 in Tokyo, Japan, he graduated from Del Norte High School in Albuquerque, NM in 1982, Texas State Technical College in Abilene 2006 and from Texas State University in San Marcos in May 2012. He lived in Dallas and was a professional waiter there 1991-2005. Preceded in death by his father, Jimmie Lee McCutchan, two brothers, John and Jimmie, he is survived by his mother Joyce Goodloe Carrigan Ragland and husband Bob of San Saba; a sister Debbie Rigsby and husband Dale of Aurora, Colorado; two nieces, Darci Jordan and husband Darren of Columbus, Ohio and Dana Hamilton and husband James of Centennial, Colorado; one aunt, Gay Hightower of Phoenix, Arizona. A memorial service and burial will be announced later to be held at Potosi Cemetery near Abilene.



Jack McGee



McGee, Jack Phillip Jackson "Jack" McGee, 82, passed away on Sunday July 22, 2012 following a life of service to others. Jack was born on October 25, 1929 to Stonewall Jackson and Pauline Morris McGee in Wetumka, OK. He graduated from Wetumka High School in 1947 and from the University of Oklahoma in 1954. His education was interrupted by his service in the U S Army during the Korean conflict where he attended Officer Candidate School and achieved the rank of Second Lieutenant. In 1954 Jack opened one of the first Dairy Queen franchises in the Southwest. McGee Dairy Queen celebrates

58 years in business this month. He was appointed Postmaster of the USPS by President Dwight Eisenhower in 1956 which made him the youngest Postmaster in the country at that time, retiring in 1989. Jack served on numerous city and state boards including the Wetumka Industrial Foundation, Hill-Burton Regional Hospital Board, the Oklahoma State Development Board for the building of Lake Eufaula. He also held top leadership positions in the American Legion, the Wetumka Chamber of Commerce and being a Founding Member of the Wetumka Kiwanis Club. Jack, a recognized Kiwanis International leader, was elected in 1989 as Governor of the Texas-Oklahoma District. Following his term, he and his wife Shirley moved to Irving, TX when he accepted the position of TX-OK District Secretary. Later he was elected Kiwanis International Trustee where he served for 3 years. Recognizing his extensive work with high school students, the TX-OK Key Club inducted him into their Hall of Fame in 1997. Loyal to the United Methodist Church for over 60 years, Jack served 2 different churches. In Wetumka, he taught Sunday School, and served as chaired Administrative Council and District Lay Leader. His contribution to the Methodist Church at the conference level was exemplified by membership on Oklahoma Conference Boards of Evangelism and Communications, and Trustee for the Oklahoma Boy's Ranch. In Irving he was active in the life of First United Methodist Church and regionally served as the President of the North Texas Conference of United Methodist Men, and served on the board of Promise House, a home for at-risk-youth in Dallas. His passions included traveling the world with his wife Shirley, attending OU football games, dining on gourmet food and spending time with his family. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Shirley; his 3 sons Greg McGee and wife Ramona, Tyler, Texas, Chris McGee, Dallas, Texas, Brent McGee and wife Donna, Wetumka, Oklahoma. He is also survived by five grandchildren Lacey, London, Greyson, Nicholas and Jackson McGee, all of Tyler, Texas; one sister, Pat Perrin and husband Paul, Tulsa, Oklahoma; uncle Richard Morris and wife Beverly, Carrollton, Texas; and a host of nieces and nephews. Visitation will be at the First United Methodist Church in Irving, Texas on Thursday, July 26 at 9:00 a.m., with the funeral following at the church at 10:00 a.m. A second service will be held Thursday at the Wetumka Methodist Church at 4:00 p.m. with interment immediately following. Donations may be made to TX-OK Kiwanis Foundation, 3010 W Park Row Dr. #100, Pantego, TX 76013 or First United Methodist Church, 211 W. 3rd St, Irving, TX 75060.

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Sue Jo McGee

July 14, 1929 - July 29, 2012

Sue Jo McGee, age 83, of Irving, Texas, went home to be with the Lord on July 29, 2012. She was born July 14, 1929 in Garland, Texas to Joe and Bessie O'Neal. Sue was a loving mother, grandmother, aunt, sister-in-law, and friend. She grew up in Greenville, Texas and later moved to Kilgore, Texas, where she attended high school. Sue met the love of her life, Denny Ray McGee, on a blind date arranged by Denny's sister, Joyce [Maynard]. They were married 49 years, and enjoyed a rich retirement life before his early death due to colon cancer in 2000. Sue was resident of Irving, Texas for 60 years, and a member of Oakview Baptist Church. She and her husband, Denny, were also active in the Dallas, Ft Worth, and the Mid-Cities Rose Societies. At these Societies is where they showed prize-winning roses grown in their backyard. There is a tea rose, Sue Jo, hybridized by the [late] Ernest Shelton named for her. For the past ten years she lived at Emeritus Senior Apartments, where she enjoyed being a resident ambassador, playing cards, dominoes, outings in the shuttle bus and helping others. The family would like to thank Emeritus for support during her frailty, Avante Rehabilitation Center for her care after her hospitalization, and especially Delta Home Care/Hospice for their loving kindness and expert care during her illness and death. We would also like to thank the many friends and relatives who visited bringing comfort during her illness. The family is so thankful for all of your kindness and support. Sue is preceded in death by her husband, Denny; parents, Joe and Bessie O'Neal; and infant son, Steven Royce McGee. Sue is survived by her daughter, Kathy McGee Albright of Gainesville, TX; grandson, Andy Albright of Dallas, Texas; granddaughter, Chrissy Albright and her husband Christopher Guarneiri of Durhamville, New York; sister-in-law, Joyce [McGee] Maynard of Kenedy TX; among numerous nieces, nephews and friends. Visitation will be from 9-10 am Friday, August 3, 2012 at Oak View Baptist Church, Irving, Texas prior to the Funeral Service at 10:00 am. Interment will be at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving immediately following the Funeral Service. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the American Heart Association. Arrangements were made under the care of Chism-Smith Funeral Home

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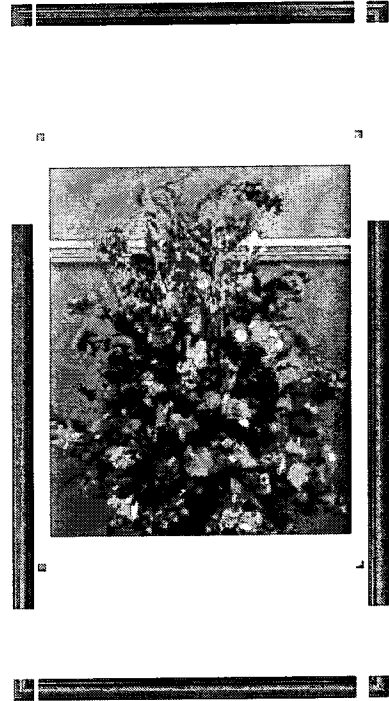
Neill McGowan, of Terrell, and a longtime former resident of Irving, passed away Sunday, April 29, 2012. She was born February 2, 1928 in Emory. Survivors include her sons Mark McGowan of Terrell, Gary McGowan of Lewisville, and Ricky McGowan of Irving; 2 grandchildren; and 2 great grandchildren. Graveside services will be held at 10 AM Wednesday, May 2, 2012 at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends 6-8 PM Tuesday at the funeral home.

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Martha Jane McGuire

(December 27, 1953 - November 20, 2012)

Martha Jane McGuire, age 58, a resident of Ft. Worth, passed away November 20, 2012 in Irving, TX. Born December 27, 1953 in Pine Bluff, AR. She is survived by a brother and sister. Visitation will be held Sunday, November 25 from 4:00 pm to 6:00 p.m. at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 W. Airport Freeway in Irving. Funeral service will be 3:00 pm, Monday, November 26, 2012 at the funeral home chapel. Burial will take place 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 27 at Caddo Valley Cemetery, in Caddo Valley, AR. Memorial contributions may be made to Martha's church where she was a member, St. Luke's Episcopal, 5923 Royal Lane in Dallas 75230.



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Elva Lavinia McKay (1926 - 2012)

Elva Lavinia McKay, 85, passed away Thursday, April 12, 2012. Funeral: 3:30 p.m. Saturday in Greenwood Chapel, with President Lawrence Scoggin of The Church of the Latter-day Saints officiating. Interment: Greenwood Memorial Park. Memorials: Donations may be sent to Hospice of Wichita Falls, 4909 Johnson Rd., 76310. Mrs. McKay was born July 16, 1926, in Sanger. She married Ernest Pelham McKay on May 30, 1947. She made her home in Wichita Falls after retiring from physicians billing at John Peter Smith Hospital in Fort Worth. She lived at Lakeridge Place with her many friends and was involved in various activities. Mrs. McKay was the secretary for the Bible study class and she had many hobbies including genealogy, cooking, gardening, sewing, rhythm band and reading. She was a very active member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and loved being with her family. Mrs. McKay was preceded in death by her father, Luther Leroy McNeil; mother, Nellie Elizabeth Bryant; husband, Ernest Pelham McKay; and son, Cecil Leonard McKay. Survivors: Son, Ernest Ray McKay and wife, Madge; grandchildren, Seth McKay and Shelby McKay McCormick; and great-grandchildren, Connor, Jackson and Adelle McCormick, all of Wichita Falls.

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Martha J. McMahon

(1923 - 2012) Martha J. McMahon, 89, passed away Tuesday, Nov. 20, 2012, in Fort Worth. Service: 10 a.m. Monday in Greenacres Mausoleum Chapel. Interment: Greenacres Memorial Park. Survivors: Brothers, Bill Jones and Thomas W. Jones; sister, Maryolyn Payne; two grandsons.

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Robert Charles McNutt, Sr.

Robert Charles McNutt, Sr. of Terrell, TX unexpectedly passed November 1, 2012 during a brief hospitalization. Robert was born June 19, 1946 to Elmyra Rose Mazurek McNutt and Rector Roy McNutt of Irving, Tx. He will be greatly missed by wife Maxine Olsen, daughter Amy McNutt and husband James Johnston, son Robert Charles McNutt II (Rob) and their mother Martha Denton McNutt, mother Elmyra, brother Gerald and wife Valerie, step-daughter Jeanne Jezierski and husband Michael Young plus nieces, nephews, cousins and many lifelong friends. Robert was a loving, gently, sweet, soul who never met a stranger, always had a smile on his face and a joke on his lips. He took great pride in his library volunteer activities, was fascinated by history and genealogy. He constantly worked to improve his Spanish language skills and was always curious about the universe around him. This world is a better place because he visited and left his mark on our hearts. In lieu of flowers please make a donation to the Friends of the library in care of Hulsey Public Library, 301 N. Rockwall Terrell, TX 75160, phone # 972-551-6663.

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Lois McSweeney



McSweeney, Lois After a long full life, Lois McSweeney passed away August 27, 2012 peacefully in her sleep. She was born March 23, 1918 in LaPorte, Indiana. After high school, she worked in Chicago for 12 years until enlisting in the Women's Army Corp during World War II. After 2 years in the service, she was honorably discharged in December 1945 and returned to civilian life. She moved to Amarillo and worked in advertising, real estate and home building. In 1959, she joined the Department of State, and worked for the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) as a Program Officer. During her 18 years abroad, she served in Ceylon (now Sri Lanka), French Congo, Nigeria, Korea, Vietnam, Turkey, and Ghana. After retirement, she returned to Amarillo and worked for the United Way as Director of Communications. In 1988 at the young age of 70, she decided she was in a rut and moved to her beloved condo on the Guadalupe River in Kerrville, Texas. After 20 years enjoying her real retirement, she was persuaded to move closer to family in the DFW area and spent the last several years in senior and assisted living. She is survived by her nephews Gerald and Larry McSweeney of Garland, niece Patty Iuen of Irving and great nephew Kurt McSweeney of Lewisville and countless friends and correspondents. She will be sorely missed by all.

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