Victor Fagan


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Victor Fagan, of Irving, passed away Thursday, January 10, 2013. He was born July 17, 1911 in Oklahoma. Victor is survived by his son Paul Fagan; sister Patricia Cathcart and husband John; granddaughter Suzanne Luciano; and 2 great grandsons. Funeral services will be held at 2 PM Saturday, January 12, 2013 at Brown’s Memorial Chapel. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends 6-8 PM Friday at the funeral home.

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Ellen Rae Fanning
1948 - 2013 Ellen Rae Fanning, 65, passed away Sunday, Dec. 1, 2013. Funeral: 3:30 p.m. Friday in Greenwood Funeral Home Chapel. Interment: Greenwood Memorial Park. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Greenwood. Memorials: Memorials can be made to the Ellen R. Fanning Memorial Fund at Fort Worth Country Day School, 4200 Country Day Lane, Fort Worth, Texas 76109. Ellen was born Nov. 12, 1948, in Fort Worth. She attended Polytechnic High School. Ellen was a devoted wife to Jerry for 27 years. She took pride in her other roles in life, being a mother, a friend and "GiGi" to her three grandchildren. Her other loves in life were her precious angels and dogs, Mitzi and Frazier. Ellen retired in 2012 from her position as director of finance at Fort Worth Country Day School where she had worked for 35 years. Those who knew her will always remember her great Southern cooking, wise counsel, infectious laugh and her ability to recount exact dates and historical events from her personal and work life. She was predeceased by her parents, Donald Fish and Patricia Hudson, and brother, Byron Fish. Survivors: Husband, Jerry C. Fanning; daughters, Summer Posey and husband, Kevin, Monnie Fanning and husband, Kristian Wilson and Stephanie Peachey and husband, Derek; grandchildren, Gage and Tatum Posey and Lane Peachey; brother, Ben Fish and wife, Deborah Ann; nephew, Brandon Duncan and wife, Katie; and great-nephew, Kadon Duncan.

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Serena Lemon Farrell

Serena Lemon Farrell of Irving, previously of Round Rock, died on August 20, 2013. She was born on May 24, 1940 in Vernon, Texas to Robert G. Lemon and Erma Pierce. Serena worked as a Home Missionary for Southern Baptist’s North American Mission Board and was a pastor’s wife for 53 years. She is survived by her husband Robert Leroy Farrell of Irving; sons Stewart Farrell and wife Keri of Goldthwaite and Andrew Farrell and wife Sandy of Irving; daughter Tracey Barker and husband Ken of Round Rock; grandchildren Adam and Matthew Staeben; Kristen Feller and husband Rustin, Matthew, John and Alyssa Barker; Micah, Rachel, Nathan and wife Kristin Farrell. Memorial Service will be held on Friday, August 23, 2013 at 2:00 PM at the Olden Baptist Church in Olden, Eastland County Texas. Donations may be made to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society www.lls.org or North Texas Chapter (888) 557-7177 8111 LBJ Freeway, Dallas, TX 75251.

IHS Class of 1958
Roger Alan Fieseler
April 16, 1940 - January 10, 2013
Resident of Lander, WY

Obituary

Roger Alan Fieseler
April 16, 1940 - January 10, 2013
Roger Alan Fieseler was born April 16, 1940, in Gatesville, TX. The son of Cyril Robert Fieseler and Peggy Anita Brumblow. He loved the outdoors, hunting, fishing, and loved to be happy. He’s been a bull rider, leather worker, whittler. His laughter will be remembered by all who heard it.

Roger is survived by his wife, Anita Jo Fieseler, mother, Peggy Anita Fieseler, daughters, Christa Christian of Casper, WY, Ranna (Terry) Peddie of Texas, Son, Brad (Mary) Fieseler of Arkansas, brothers, Ron Fieseler of Blanco, TX, Joe Pat, Kary, Fieseler of Irving, TX, Terry (Valena) Fieseler of Rock Springs, WY.
Robert Fillmore

Fillmore, Robert Lynn Fillmore, Robert Lynn, 77, passed away at his Hilltop Lakes home. He was born on November 18, 1935 to Harvey Louis & Dee Etta Ruth (Mullins) Fillmore in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Mr. Fillmore was a former longtime resident of Irving where he was a longtime member and deacon of First Baptist Church Irving. He was the owner of Fillmore & Associates, CPA, a member of Irving Masonic Lodge #1218 A.F & A.M., Gideons International and a present member of Hilltop Lakes Chapel. He was the Past President of Irving Kiwani’s Club, Past Treasurer of Irving Symphony, and Past Treasurer of the Irving Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Fillmore was preceded in death by his wife, Carol (Holland) Fillmore and son, David Fillmore. He is survived by his two daughters, Cynthia Ann Moore and husband, Dennis of Warrensburg, Missouri and Janet Fillmore Scott and husband, Dave of Lake Charles, Louisiana; seven grandchildren; eight great grandchildren; sister, Raedell Weatherl of Owasso, Oklahoma; and sister-in-law, Susan Morrison of Victoria, Texas. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, January 23, 2013 at 1:00PM at First Baptist Church of Irving, the visitation will be held from 12:00PM- 1:00PM prior to services. Masonic Rites will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, Texas. In Lieu of flowers memorials may be made to First Baptist Church or Gideons International.

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Robert Lynn Fillmore

Robert Lynn Fillmore, 77, passed away at his Hilltop Lakes home. He was born on November 18, 1935 to Harvey Louis & Dee Etta Ruth (Mullins) Fillmore in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Mr. Fillmore was a former longtime resident of Irving where he was a longtime member and deacon of First Baptist Church Irving. He was the owner of Fillmore & Associates, CPA, a member of Irving Masonic Lodge #1218 A.F & A.M., Gideons International and a present member of Hilltop Lakes Chapel. He was the Past President of Irving Kiwani’s Club, Past Treasurer of Irving Symphony, and Past Treasurer of the Irving Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Fillmore was preceded in death by his wife, Carol (Holland) Fillmore and son, David Fillmore. He is survived by his two daughters, Cynthia Ann Moore and husband, Dennis of Warrensburg, Missouri and Janet Fillmore Scott and husband, Dave of Lake Charles, Louisiana; seven grandchildren; eight great grandchildren; sister, Raedell Weatherl of Owasso, Oklahoma; and sister-in-law, Susan Morrison of Victoria, Texas. Funeral services were held on Wednesday, January 23, 2013 at 1:00PM at First Baptist Church of Irving, the visitation was held from 12:00PM- 1:00PM prior to services. Masonic Rites followed at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, Texas. In Lieu of flowers memorials may be made to First Baptist Church or Gideons International.
Mrs. Palm F Finley

- January 6, 1921 - February 21, 2013
- Irving, Texas
- Palm L Finley, 92, passed away on February 21, 2013 in Coppell, Texas. She was born on January 06, 1921 in Baird, Texas to George W. & Myrtle Emma (Davis) Branch. a pioneer Texas family She was a graduate of Abilene High School and had attended Abilene Christian College. She married Dr. Ross Finley on February 16, 1952 at Highland Church of Christ in Abilene. She moved to Irving, Texas in 1965 where in the 1980's she began a long career with Kroger Food Stores in their Real Estate Development Divison until her retirement in 2007. She was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. Ross Finley, parents, brother, George Wesley Branch, Jr. and sister, Maldene Heard.
- She is survived by; daughter, Linda Finley of Cassellberry, Florida; son, George Stephen Finley and wife, Debra of Joshua, Texas; two grandsons, Derek Finley and Sean Finley both of Joshua; and brother, Bob Branch of Abilene, Texas.
- Graveside services were held at Abilene City Cemetery in Abilene, Texas

Abilene City Cemetery 633 Walnut St. Abilene, TX 79601
Victoria Fiore

Fiore, Victoria Ann Victoria Ann Fiore, loving wife of Joseph N. Fiore, passed away on May 9, 2013 in Irving Texas. Victoria was born July 13, 1959 in Bakersfield, California to Don and Nancy Hall. She attended West High School, graduating in 1977, where she lettered in tennis and cross country. She went on to attend Cuesta College, and graduated from Orange Coast College in California in 1979. She was an American Airlines flight attendant for 32 years, and was also a certified gemologist and 4th generation jeweler. In her leisure time, she was an avid water and snow skier. She was preceded in death by her grandparents, Papcito and Mamacita Hall and Papa and Nana Wickersham; her stepson Joseph N. Fiore, II; and her grandson FreddieCasares. She is survived by her husband, Joseph N. Fiore; her parents, Don and Nancy Hall; her brother, Jon Charles Hall (Hedy); her sister, Kathleen Hall; her nephew Sean Hennessy (Allyssa); her stepdaughters: Kelly Watson (Jeffrey) and Jennifer Casares; grandchildren: Timothy Shaw, Patrick Shaw, Dillon Shaw, Nicholas Fiore, Grace Casares, Mackenzie Fiore, Matilda Watson, Samuel Casares, and Parker Fiore; and her cousins: Sonya Halbach Leightner and Dr. Van Halbach. Special thanks to family friend Diane S. Lake. Visitation will be at Sparkman/Hillcrest Funeral Home on Monday 6:00-8:00 p.m. The Mass will be held at Christ the King Catholic Church, 8017 Preston Rd., Dallas, Texas 75225 on Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. with a reception to follow.

Sparkman-Hillcrest
Funeral Home
7405 W. Northwest Hwy.
Dallas, TX 75225
(214) 363-5401

Condolences may be offered at
www.sparkman-hillcrest.com

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Kelly Fisher

Kelly Warren Fisher

MOSS BLUFF - Kelly Warren Fisher, 63, died at home in Moss Bluff surrounded by his family on Sunday, April 28th, 2013.

He leaves to cherish his memory his wife of thirteen years, Sharon Guidry Fisher, his son Avery Luke Fisher and wife Kaye, his daughter Adrienne Fisher Sittig and husband Nolan, his sister Kaye Fisher Cox and husband John, and his father Clarence Goodman Fisher. He was a loving Grandfather to Ashton, Adison, and Alayna Sittig and Colin, Zackery, Tori and Connor Fisher and a loving Uncle to niece Jessica McChesney. He was preceded in death by his mother Lois McNeely Fisher and brother Kevin McNeely Fisher. A memorial service will be held at First Pentecostal Church in Lake Charles on Tuesday, April 30th, 2013 at 2 p.m. with Reverend Jeffery Ralston officiating. Visitation will be held at 1 p.m. until the service begins. A private burial ceremony will be held on Wednesday, May 1st, 2013 in Toro, LA.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to First Church Pentecostal, 320 Bunker Rd, Lake Charles, LA 70615 and Heart of Hospice, 2896 Highway 171, Suite B, Lake Charles, LA 70611. Words of comfort may be expressed to the family at www.lakesidefh.com.

Published in the The Advertiser on April 30, 2013

IN MEMORY OF

KELLY WARREN
FISHER

Full Name Kelly Warren Fisher

Date of Birth : Wednesday, October 19th, 1949

Date of Death : Sunday, April 28th, 2013

Place of Death : Lake Charles, Louisiana

First Visitation

When: Tuesday, April 30th, 2013, 1:00pm - 2:00pm
Location: First Pentecostal Church

Address: 320 Bunker Road Lake Charles, LA

Interment Information

Location: Cremation has been entrusted to Lakeside Funeral Home
Address: 340 East Prien Lake Road Lake Charles, LA

Memorial service: for Skyla and her mother will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 4, at Park Springs Bible Church, 5515 Park Springs Blvd., Arlington.

Memorials: It is requested that, in lieu of flowers, contributions be made in memory of Skyla to www.worldrelieffortworth.org or www.missionarlington.org.

Skyla was born in Minneapolis, Minn., on Feb. 6, 2000, to Joshua B. Fisher and Kelly Melick Spielman. From a very early age, everyone who knew Skyla realized that she was an extraordinary child. She had a positive influence on all those who knew her and strived to have a real impact on others' lives. Her smile was infectious and she made others around her feel comfortable as she was chosen by her school, Kennedale Junior High, to show new seventh-grade students the “ropes” at their new school. They left with a new friend. Thoughtful, caring, inquisitive, helpful, sensitive, creative and loving describes Skyla. Even though she was on this earth for only a few years, God decided that she had served His purpose and wanted her to join the other angels in heaven.

The arts, reading, writing, drawing, learning, helping others, fellowship and family were the focus of Skyla’s love. She was very involved in her church, Park Springs Bible Church, and looked forward to Wednesdays and Sundays when she could participate in various activities with her friends. Helping those in need was a priority of Skyla’s as evidenced by her involvement in various charitable programs. Never pretentious, Skyla always cared more about the needs of others than she did about acquiring material things for herself. She was also dedicated to her school activities, spending untold hours reading and reading and then reading some more.

Excelling in school was not done just to make her parents proud, but done also because she simply wanted to do her best and she loved to learn. Skyla was already talking about college, had begun thinking about schools that she had an interest in and had recently indicated that she thought she may want to be a teacher. Her leaning in this direction was influenced by the satisfaction she felt in helping her brother, Riley, prepare for the first grade.

Skyla was keenly aware of world activities, could discuss politics with anyone and had an opinion or a position on most issues. Yet she could still be a little girl. That was Skyla. It would be very difficult for any individual to balance the priorities of life and accomplish what she was able to do in 13 short years. Skyla was exceptional in every aspect and has left a lasting impression on all who knew her.

Skyla joins her mother, Kelly Melick Spielman; grandfather, Charles Roozen; great-grandmother, Ruth J. Fisher; great-grandmother, Sharon Melick; great-grandfather, Howard Melick; and many other family members in heaven.

The Rose “Its delicate petals fade into an untraceable pattern, each one becoming part of a larger image. From pale yellow to soft pink, the hues create beauty from subtleness and its innocence is captivating. Magnificence is being presented.” - Skyla Fisher, 2010.

Survivors: Father, Joshua Fisher; stepfather, P.J. Spielman; brother, Riley Spielman; grandparents, Sandra and Ken Fisher, Jean Roozen, Bill and Cheryl Spielman; great-grandfather, John Roozen; great-grandmother, Dolores Esposito; uncles and aunts, Seth and Amy Fisher, Sean and Madeline Roozen, and Charles Roozen; and numerous cousins and other family.

Published in Star-Telegram on September 4, 2013
Francis Xavier Flatley

Flatley, Francis Xavier Beloved husband and friend, Francis Xavier Flatley, is now at perfect peace, experiencing all joy in the presence of his Savior, having departed life peacefully on January 3, 2013 at the age of 84, with his wife of 25 years, Paula, at his side. Frank was born in Boston, MA to Irish immigrants, Margaret Kelly and Patrick James Flatley, from Ballyhaunis, County Mayo, Ireland. He graduated from St. Mary's Catholic School in Brookline, MA and was appointed to the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point. Frank was the oldest of thirteen children, all of whom shared a love for one another that was remarkable. It was a big reunion when they all gathered with their spouses to sing and tell jokes. At every wedding, brother Tom led the clan in singing "Oh, Mamie Riley." Frank loved sharing stories about their growing up in such a large, close-knit family, with their father rolling up the rug and getting out the squeeze box to play a few Irish tunes. In 1951, after having graduated from the Academy, Frank married Elda Bello from Bayside, NY. They lived in Norfolk, VA, during which time Frank proudly served his country as a naval officer aboard the USS Kula Gulf. He worked aboard Texaco oil tankers as an officer and later for Caltex Corporation for the next 38 years. He and Elda moved their family to East Meadow, NY. Elda died in 1982. That same year, Caltex moved their headquarters from NYC to Irving, TX. Frank's Catholic faith was always strong and manifested itself in his attendance at Mass regularly. He served as a Reader and Eucharistic Minister at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Bedford, TX, at University of Dallas 5 PM Mass and at St. Luke's Catholic Church in Irving. He was a member of Serra, a Catholic organization. In 1985, Frank met Paula Fuller Bowman and they were married in March of 1988. They met on an arranged blind date and were together in travels, fun, and the trials of life's health problems. After retiring from Caltex, he enjoyed retirement joining a tennis league with "the boys" on Saturday mornings and gardening. Frank very was active in his community. He was honored with the Irving High Spirited Citizen Award, served as President of the Irving Heart Association, President of the Irving Symphony Orchestra Association, was an active Rotarian. He even tried his hand in politics when he ran for an Irving City Council seat. Frank began a second career with American Airlines as an agent at the Dallas SRO. He worked for 17 years there with wonderful people that loved him and his jokes. They gave him a surprise birthday party on his 80th birthday and had a star named for him. He was the oldest full time employee at the time of his illness. Frank and Paula blended their family of children and grandchildren. Pop and Grammy/Nannie/Mimi were able to enjoy, with much pride, their combined grandchildren's accomplishments. He and Paula supported TexasFest a benefit sponsored by the Baylor/Irving Healthcare Foundation, Irving's Symphony Orchestra, MainStage Theater and Lyric Stage. Together they had an active social life, playing in a regular Couples Bridge group, monthly Wednesday night birthday dinners, and enjoyed going out to dinner with friends. Frank was preceded in death by his parents; the mother of his children, Elda; daughter Margaret Flatley Psinakis; sister Margaret (Peggy) Pomer; brothers-in-law, Bill Peters and Dr.
Francis Xavier Flatley, beloved husband and friend, died in his sleep on January 3, 2013 in the care of home hospice, with his wife and companion of 25 years, Paula, at his side. Frank was born in 1928 in Boston, Mass to Irish immigrants, Margaret Kelly and Patrick James Flatley, from Ballyhaunis, County Mayo, Ireland. He was confirmed at St. Mary's Rectory in 1941, and graduated from St. Mary's Catholic School in Brookline, MA. Frank was appointed to the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point. Frank was the oldest of thirteen children, all of whom shared a love for one another that was remarkable. It was a big reunion when they all gathered with their spouses to sing and tell jokes. At every wedding, brother Tom led the clan in singing "Oh, Mamie Riley." Frank loved sharing stories about their growing up in such a large, close-knit family, with their father rolling up the rug and getting out the squeeze box to play a few Irish tunes. In 1951, after having graduated from the Academy, Frank married Elda Bello from Bayside, NY. They lived in Norfolk, VA, during which time Frank proudly served his country as a naval officer aboard the USS Kula Gulf. At the end of the Korean War, he worked aboard Texaco oil tankers as an officer and later for Caltex Corporation for the next 38 years. He and Elda moved their family to East Meadow, NY on Long Island and he began commuting into Manhattan daily in order that the family could be in a neighborhood environment and in the Christian fellowship at Holy Family Catholic Church. Elda died in 1982. Caltex moved their headquarters from NYC to Irving, TX, and Frank moved to the Dallas area with two of his children. Frank’s Catholic faith was always strong and manifested itself in his attendance at Mass regularly. He served as a Reader and Eucharistic Minister at St. Michael’s Catholic Church in Bedford, TX, at University of Dallas 5 PM Mass and at St. Luke’s Catholic Church in Irving. He was a member of Serra, a Catholic organization to foster and promote vocations through prayer, awareness, affirmation and support. In 1985, Frank met Paula Fuller Bowman and they were married in March of 1988. They met on an arranged blind date to a Dallas Cowboy game and were together continually in travels, fun, and the trials of life’s health problems. After retiring from Caltex, he enjoyed retirement and travel with Paula for several years. He joined the tennis league played regularly with "the boys" on Saturday mornings. Frank very was active in his community. He was honored with the Irving High Spirited Citizen Award, served as president of the Irving Symphony Orchestra Association, was an active Rotarian in Irving. He even tried his hand in politics when he ran for an Irving City Council seat. Frank began a second career with American Airlines as a reservation agent at the Dallas SRO. He worked for 17 years there with wonderful people that loved him and his jokes. They gave him a surprise birthday party on his 80th birthday and had a star named for him. He was the oldest full time employee at the time of his illness. Frank and Paula blended their family of children and grandchildren. Pop and Grammy/Nannie/Mimi were able to enjoy, with much pride, their combined grandchildren. He and Paula supported TexasFest a benefit sponsored by the Baylor/Irving Healthcare Foundation, Irving’s Symphony Orchestra, Main Stage Community Theater and Lyric Stage. Together they had an active social life, playing in a regular Couples Bridge group, monthly Wednesday night birthday dinners, and enjoyed
By Deborah Fleck / News Assistant
dfleck@dallasnews.com
1:15 pm on January 5, 2013 | Permalink

I just received word that Frank Flatley, a longtime supporter of the arts in Irving and a High Spirited Citizen, died Thursday. He and wife Paula Flatley, who survives him along with many children and grandchildren, were active with **Lyric Stage, ICT MainStage, Irving Symphony Orchestra and the Irving Healthcare Foundation**. After a long career with **Caltex**, Frank started a second career with **American Airlines** where he worked for 17 years as a reservations agent.

Visitation will be from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday at **Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home**, 707 N. MacArthur Blvd. A Mass will be at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the **University of Dallas** chapel, 1845 E. Northgate Drive.

To read his full obituary, visit www.brownmem.com.
Henry Fleming

Fleming, Henry Nicholas Age 56, of Southlake, TX, died on September 28, 2013. Please send condolences and sign guestbook at www.ariacremation.com

Published in Dallas Morning News on October 6, 2013

Fleming, Henry N.

March 5, 1957 - September 28, 2013

Henry Nicholas Fleming of Southlake, Texas passed away on September 28, 2013. He was 56 years old.

Please send the family condolences and sign the guest book on this site.

Arrangements are under the direction of Aria Cremation Service & Funeral Home, 1820 N Belt Line Road, Irving, Texas 75061, 972 607.4400
Fredrick Aaron Fletcher
Funeral for Fredrick Aaron Fletcher, 80, was at 6 p.m. Sept. 10 at Jaynes Memorial Chapel in Irving. Burial was in the DFW National Cemetery in Dallas at 10:30 a.m. Sept. 19. Mr. Fletcher died Sept
Frances Sue Fletcher, of Frankston, passed away Thursday, January 31, 2013. She was born February 24, 1946 in Louisa, Kentucky. She is survived by her son Robert Grayson, daughter Kelli Moore, and mother Ruth Moore, all of Frankston; and 4 grandchildren. Graveside services will be held at 2 PM Saturday, February 2, 2013 at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens with Rev. Chris Carathers officiating.

www.brownmem.com
Raul Flores  

December 4, 1989 - May 12, 2013

Raul Flores, of West Dallas, passed away on Sunday, May, 12, 2013 at age 23. He was born in Dallas, TX on December 4, 1989. Raul spent his life devoted to his family and music. He was a man with a kind heart always trying to help others without waiting for anything in return. Even after his death, he was also able to give life to 6 other people, including a 1yr old, that is something we know he would be proud of. He is better known and loved as, BEBE, the comedian of our family. Always doing random shit, that no one would do. He will greatly be remembered by all the people whose hearts he touched. Bebe is one of a kind, like no other. Bebe is survived by mother, Maria Arizpe; father, Raul Flores; sister, Mayra Gonzalez; brothers, Jose Arizpe, Mario Flores, Daniel Flores, Oraldo Rodriguez, Joe Rodriguez; nephews, Alejandro, Jose, Guillermo, Adrian, Ivan; niece, Daisy; and many other family and friends. People that knew him will remember his dance and phrase "Masisate Pendejo."

Visitation will be Saturday, May 18, 2013 from 11:00 am - 6:00 pm at Chism-Smith Funeral Home. Funeral Service will be at 12:00 on Sunday, May 19, 2013 in the funeral home chapel.

www.chismsmithfh.com
Date: November 18, 2013

To: Irving ISD Personnel

From: Karry Chapman, Interim Assistant Superintendent of Administration

Subject: Sir Thomas Edward Flynn

We regret to inform you of the death of Sir Thomas Edward Flynn, father of Vicki Flynn. Sir Thomas Flynn passed away on Wednesday, November 6th.

Sir Thomas Flynn served in the United States Army in the Korean War and was awarded the Purple Heart among many other medals of recognition and distinction. He also served as the Consul General for Australia. The Family will always remember him as a devoted father, businessman and colleague who was a popular and gregarious man with Irish eyes and glowing smile.

Vicki Flynn is the School Nurse at Clifton Early Childhood School.

You may contact Vickie Flynn at the following address:

c/o Clifton Early Childhood School
3950 Pleasant Run
Irving, Texas 75038

Please keep Vicki Flynn, as well as the remainder of the family, in your thoughts and prayers.
Bertie Marie Forrester, age 89 of Dallas, died on October 18, 2013. She was born in Dallas to Roy Robert Manson and Bertie Jewel McCleland on April 13, 1924. Bertie was a loving wife, grandmother and great grandmother as well as a devoted Christian and a fifteen year member of Bowles Baptist Church. She had a great love of flowers and her husband Charles E. Forrester to whom she was married for forty-nine years. Bertie is preceded in death by her parents, three brothers, three sisters and her beloved husband Charles. She will be missed by daughter, Rita J. Hux and husband Jimmy of Gun Barrel City, TX; son Charles E. Forrester, Jr. and wife Margaret A. of Grand Prairie; daughters Susan M. Dennis and her spouse Charles of Hickory Creek and Christina and her husband Louie S. Gomez, Jr. of Dallas; grandchildren Timothy C. Hux & wife Kim; James A. Hux III and wife Angie; Tracy and Cheryl DeAnn Forrester; Tambry Lynn Everage and husband Scott; Roger Steven and wife Jamie; Sun-Shine Espinoza and husband Josiah; Jeremy Lon Dennis and wife Robin; Jonathan Dean Dennis; Christopher Ryan Dennis and wife Amber; Gina Nichole Runnels and spouse Michael along with Jeanette Elaine Gayton; great grandchildren Baylee Marie and Nathan James Hux; Corey D. Leos; Jonathan Franklin and Lauren Dovie Fulbright; Kyle Ray, Zayk E. and Ady Lee Forrester; Camryn Renee Everage; Alexis Bryanne and Lily Audrianna Dennis; Roger Steven Dennis II; Eva Jordan and Celina Marie Espinoza; Colton Wendell Dennis; A.G.D.; Haylei Marie, Aidan Charles, Wyatt Anthony Runnels and Jose Daniel Maldonado, Jr. Funeral Services will be held at 10 AM on Thursday, October 24, 2013 in Brown’s Memorial Chapel followed immediately by interment at Crown Hill Memorial Park in Dallas. Visitation from 6-8 PM on Wednesday, October 23, 2013. The family requests memorial donations be made to the American Kidney Fund at 11921 Rockville Pike, Suite 300, Rockville, MD 20852 or www.kidneyfund.org.

www.brownmem.com
Mary Tiny Fouts, 87, of University Place, Washington and a previous resident of Irving, died at St. Joseph Medical Center in Tacoma, Washington on Tuesday, October 29, 2013. She was born March 13, 1926 in Ballinger, Texas to parents Joe Willie Chapman and Ethel Elizabeth Wiley Chapman. She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband Carl E. Fouts in 1976, grandson Jack Holcomb and great grandson Benjamin Weier. Survivors include her children Michael Fouts, Cathy Emmons and her husband Gary, Steve Fouts and Peggy Holcomb; her seven granddaughters Judy Kelly and her husband Patrick, Kimberly Fouts, Brigette Weier and her husband Michael, Suzette Saunders and her husband Fred, Jennifer Voegele and her husband Shane, Amanda Pfeiffer and her husband Tracey and Nancy Flores and her husband John; great grandchildren Josh Fouts, Maegan Kelly, Kayla Weier, Andrew Weier, Mary Saunders, Zola Saunders, Celia Saunders, Reese Voegele, Miles Voegele, Jace Voegele, Remy Pfeiffer, Halle Pfeiffer and Johnathan Flores; sister Jolene Barnes; and two sisters-in-law Nancy Chapman and Vera Jean Henson. Funeral services will be 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, November 5, 2013 at Brown’s Memorial Chapel, the Dr. John Boedeker officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home. The family has asked for memorials to be made to the American Heart Association, P.O. Box 841125, Dallas, Texas 75284-1125, or www.heart.org.

www.brownmem.com
Alta Franks

Franks, Alta Age 71, a resident of Justin, TX, formerly of Roanoke and Irving, died Saturday, May 18, 2013 at Baylor Medical Center in Grapevine. Born April 9, 1942 in Copper Hill, TN, she was the daughter of Travis Alton Fenner and Ruth Lula Crisp Fenner. She graduated from high school in Irving, TX in 1960. She married Raleigh L. "Buddy" Franks July 1, 1962 in Irving. She was a homemaker and member of Memorial Baptist Church in Irving. She had many newspaper routes and taught her children and others the work ethic of that trade. Known as Alta by most, she was called "Mamaw" by her grandchildren. Preceded in death by her parents, a brother Travis A. Fenner, and her son Joshua Lee Franks September 7, 2012, she is survived by her husband, R. L. "Buddy" Franks, Jr. of Justin; her children, Renee Rosales and husband Javier of Lewisville, Shannon Eades and husband Richard, Carrie Fink, Sarah Baland and husband Sterling, and Jay Franks and wife Wennie all of Justin; a brother Ronald Fenner of Allen; a sister Dena Farrar of Irving; eleven grandchildren; and eight great grandchildren with one on the way. The family will receive friends 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Tuesday at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. A memorial service will be 3:00 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home chapel with Rev. William Few of Memorial Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.

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Published in Dallas Morning News on May 21, 2013
Michael Austin Freeman
(October 29, 1952 - February 7, 2013)

MICHAEL AUSTIN FREEMAN, age 60, a resident of Dallas for 15 years, was called home on February 7, 2013. Born October 29, 1952 in Big Springs, Texas, to Everett Freeman and Evelyn Teer. Michael was a Security Officer at G4S Secure Solutions in Dallas. Survivors include his brother, Harlese Freeman and wife Tiffany of Euless; and nephews, Cory Freeman and Austin Freeman.

www.donnellyscolonial.com
Dan Fry, age 77 of Irving, died December 11, 2013. He was born on October 6, 1936 in Palestine, Texas to William Rufus Fry and Martha Bonham McConnico Fry. Dan was a member of Woodhaven Presbyterian Church and a senior account executive for Hallmark Cards. He is preceded in death by his parents and will be missed by his wife Guadalupe Fry; sons William Daniel Fry and wife Dee; Michael David Fry and wife Tabatha; Robert Bonham Fry and wife Jamie; step-daughters Norma Hernandez and husband Reggie; Nelda Garcia and husband Fred; step-son Steven Barns; brother Michael Bonham Fry and wife Marilyn; sister Martha Virginia Fry Richards; grandchildren Matthew, Ashley, Amanda, Tanner, Shelby, Brody, Levi, Ricky, Gabriel, Stevie Ray, Marissa, William, Alyssa and Adam. A memorial service will be held at 10 AM on Monday, December 16, 2013 at Woodhaven Presbyterian Church, 3650 North O'Connell Road, Irving with Rev. Diane M. Baldwin officiating. Family requests memorial donations to Alzheimer's Association at www.alz.org/donate or Alzheimer's Association P.O. Box 96011 Washington, DC 20090-6011.

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Ed Fulbright

Fulbright, Ed Arnold Edward 'Ed' Fulbright, 82, of Irving, Texas passed away on Saturday, March 9th at home surrounded by family including his wife, all of his children and their spouses, his sister and brother. He was born in Stamford, Texas to parents Finis Franklin and Willie Mae (Monsey) Fulbright. His family moved to Plano, Texas in 1945 where he met his wife, Betty Jo Collinsworth and they both graduated in the Plano Class of 1950 remaining life-long friends with many of their classmates and together traveled together until his health declined. They married December 28, 1950 and moved to Irving. After serving in the Marine Corps, Ed started his career in finance working for Grand Prairie State Bank in 1952 and later working for Texas Discount Co. in Dallas. In 1963 Ed purchased what would be 'Ed's Pawn Shop' which he owned and operated with his wife Betty until April 1986. Thru the years he owned several pawn shops, retiring in 1986 after selling the business. He also owned and operated Ed's Marine Center in Irving for many years and during his career helped many people through the years to start their own businesses. Ed also had a career in Reserve Law Enforcement for approximately 37 years serving first the Irving Police Department retiring as Reserve Captain after 10 years. He then served 22 years as Dallas County Deputy Constable and retired as Acting Chief and later served as Reserve Deputy Constable in Denton County retiring with the rank of Lieutenant. He and Betty were members of the South MacArthur Blvd. Church of Christ in Irving since 1965. Ed was active with the Irving Chapter of AMBUCS and achieved Life Membership, #1 Chapter President in 2003-2004 and the following year #1 District Governor in the National Association. Ed gave generously of his time and brought great joy to himself and others by aiding people with disabilities achieve independent lifestyles through AMBUCS. Together Ed and Betty were named Irving's 'High Spirited Citizens' Award in 1999 and enjoyed being a part of the 'Irving Rat Pack' and while both with this group and as a couple contributed many, many hours of service and money to numerous causes. Ed also enjoyed hunting and spending many seasons in his favorite sport and with Betty enjoyed traveling all over the world. Throughout his life he and Betty entertained at their home various charity and social events including the Annual Superbowl Party from 1982 through 2003. But with all these accomplishments and successes, nothing meant more to Ed than his family. His family, including the kids spouses which he considered his own kids, his grandchildren and great grandchildren meant 'everything' to he and Betty. He was so proud that a tradition of his namesake 'Edward' was passed on to one of his sons, two grandsons and two great-grandsons. He is preceded in death by his parents and sister Mary Retta Lackey. Surviving Ed is his wife of 62 years Betty (Collinsworth) Fulbright; daughter and son-in-law Debra and Bruce Kitchens, of Irving; son and daughter-in-law David and Beverly Fulbright of San Antonio; son and daughter-in-law Darryl and Kay Fulbright of Wimberly, Texas; granddaughter and husband Jennifer and Michael Boss of Wimberly; grandson and wife Brent and Emery Kitchens of The Woodlands, Texas; grandson Jason Fulbright of Wimberly; grandson and wife Allen and Crystal Fulbright of Austin; grandson and wife Colin and Nicole Fulbright of Germany; grandson Cameron Fulbright of Ardmore, Oklahoma; granddaughter Devon Fulbright of San Antonio; great grandchildren Meagan Boss of San Marcos, Taylor Boss of Wimberly, Adley Kitchens and Grant Kitchens of The Woodlands, Grayson Fulbright of San Antonio and Gavin Fulbright of
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LaVerne Fullen (1923 - 2013)

Fullen, LaVerne T. age 89, a resident of Irving, died Monday, January 7, 2013 at Avalon Residential Care in Irving. Born September 15, 1923 in Montevideo, Minnesota, she was the daughter of Alex Thulin and Myrtle Fossum Thulin. LaVerne was a member of Saint Luke's Catholic Church in Irving since 1963. At Irving Community Hospital, she was a charter member of the Volunteer Association, which included volunteer work in Medical Records. Preceded in death by her husband, Thomas J. Fullen, son, Shawn T. Fullen, brother, John Thulin and sister, Irene Cunningham, she is survived by her daughter, Randee S. Shumate and husband Colin of Dallas; and granddaughter, Michelle Tilghman of Fort Worth, Texas. Mass of Christian Burial will be held 11:00 a.m., Thursday, January 10 at Saint Luke’s Catholic Church, 204 South MacArthur Blvd. in Irving with Rev. Jaimie Aguila as celebrant. Entombment will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. The family wishes to thank Avalon Alzheimer’s Residential Home of Irving for their loving care. Memorial contributions may be made to Avalon Residential Care; American Stroke Association; or the Alzheimer's Association.

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Debbie King Fultner (1948 - 2013) Visit Guest Book

Debbie King Fultner passed away Saturday, April 13, 2013, in Houston. Service: 2 p.m. Wednesday at Spring Baptist Church in Spring. Viewing: Will be 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Metcalf Funeral Directors in Conroe and Wednesday at the church before the service. Memorials: ALS Society in Houston, Box 271561, Houston, Texas 77277, or a charity of choice. Debbie was born Oct. 3, 1948, to Bobbye Kate and Boots King. Survivors: Her husband, Joe; children, Brad Bahr (Sara) and Greg Bahr (Rachel), Holly Tingle and Cristina Moreno; brother, Bob King (Debbie); sister, Mary Kirk King of Mississippi; six grandchildren; two nieces; three great-nieces; and a great-nephew.

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