Adrianna Tacheny

Obituary | Condolences  Adrianna Tacheny, 2, a precious little angel, went home to be with her Heavenly Father on Thursday, Jan. 2, 2014. Celebration of life: 10 a.m. Tuesday at Cornerstone Apostolic Church. Interment: Skyvue Memorial Gardens. Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Monday at Skyvue Funeral Home. Adrianna was preceded in death by her brothers, Brandon and Andrew. Survivors: Those left to cherish the memories, loving parents, Stephen and Vanessa; brother, Logan; grandparents, Margaret Aleman, Loretta and Bobby Chancey, Stephen and Sheila Tacheny; three uncles; four aunts; and many more family and friends.

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Margaret Taglavore

TAGLAVORE, MARGARET ANN Age 72, of Irving, passed away on February 27, 2014. Visitation and viewing will be Saturday, March 1, 2014, from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home in Irving. Memorial service 3:00 p.m., March 8, 2014 at the Burleson Seventh-day Adventist Church, 601 South Burleson Boulevard, Burleson, TX 76028.

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Margaret Ann Taglavore  
(November 29, 1941 - February 27, 2014) 

Age 72, a resident of Irving for 35 years, formerly of DeSoto, died Thursday, February 27, 2014 in Irving. Born November 29, 1941 in Carlisle, Arkansas, she was the daughter of Lester Palestine Matlock and Virginia Evelyn Jordan Matlock. Margaret grew up in Carlisle and graduated from Ozark Academy High School in Arkansas. On August 8, 1959, she married Alphonse Taglavore. She attended Texas Women's University, Dallas County Community College, El Centro College in Dallas, and she was a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Arlington. Preceded in death by her parents and a sister, Nellie Mower, survivors include her husband Al Taglavore; children, Franklin Taglavore, Karen Champagne and Phillip Taglavore; six grandchildren; two great grandchildren; brothers, Roy Matlock, Wayne Matlock, Alfred Matlock, Charles Matlock and Lester Matlock; sisters, Geneva Katherine Goodyear and H. Louise Potter. A viewing and visitation will be held from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m., Saturday, March 1 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway in Irving. The memorial service is 3:00 p.m., Saturday, March 8 at Burleson Seventh-day Adventist Church, 601 South Burleson Blvd in Burleson, 76028. Memorial contributions may be made to Southwestern Union of Seventh-day Adventist Childrens Ministries.

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Margaret Taglavore
1941 - 2014

Margaret Ann Taglavore, 72, a resident of Irving for 35 years, formerly of DeSoto, died Thursday, Feb. 27, 2014, in Irving. Memorial service: 3 p.m. Saturday, March 8, at Burleson Seventh-day Adventist Church, 601 South Burleson Blvd., Burleson, 76028. Viewing and visitation: 6 to 9 p.m. Saturday, March 1, at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway, Irving. Memorials: Memorial contributions may be made to Southwestern Union of Seventh-day Adventist Children's Ministries. Born Nov. 29, 1941, in Carlisle, Ark., she was the daughter of Lester Palestine Matlock and Virginia Evelyn Jordan Matlock. Margaret grew up in Carlisle and graduated from Ozark Academy High School in Arkansas. On Aug. 8, 1959, she married Alphonse Taglavore. She attended Texas Women's University, Dallas County Community College and El Centro College in Dallas. She was a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Arlington. She was preceded in death by her parents and a sister, Nellie Mowrer. Survivors: Her husband, Al Taglavore; children, Franklin Taglavore, Karen Champagne and Phillip Taglavore; six grandchildren; two great grandchildren; brothers, Roy Matlock, Wayne Matlock, Alfred Matlock, Charles Matlock and Lester Matlock; sisters, Geneva Katherine Goodyear and H. Louise Potter. Published in Star-Telegram on Mar. 1, 2014
Tita Tamayo, age 58 of Irving, passed away on May 24, 2014. She was born to Guillermo Arceo Moran and Lorenza Arceo Villegas on December 09, 1955 in San Pedro, Coahuila, Mexico. Tita started her own business and was a very proud owner. She will be dearly missed by her husband Joel Tamayo of Irving; daughter Jessica Soto and husband Raul of Dallas; daughter Diana de Almeida and husband Eddie of San Antonio; daughter Ashley Melendez and husband Emerson of Irving; son Joel Tamayo of Irving; daughter Flor Tamayo of Irving along with grandchildren Bryan, Isaiah, Donatello, and Isabella. The family will receive friends on Friday from 9:00 to 11:00 AM at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home. A graveside service will be held at Noon on Friday at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.

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Henri Dragon Tatro, Jr., (Hank) Born May 15, 1927 in Northampton, Massachusetts to Henri Tatro, Sr. and Mary Tatro. Hank served in the US Navy in WWII. His ship was attacked by Japanese Kamikaze Pilots, and he spent some time on a life raft. After the war he returned home and graduated from high school and then from Bentley College in Boston. He came to Texas on a bus, headed for San Francisco but decided to get off in Dallas where he tried to find employment, which he did with Massey Ferguson. He later worked for Storm Vulcan, Inc. until his retirement. He and his wife sued the school district on behalf of their daughter Amber and received a 9-0 decision in her favor from the US Supreme Court. He spent his adulthood as a member of the Elks Lodge with over 50 years as a member. He is preceded in death by his parents, brother Bobby and sister Joan Levi. Hank is survived by his wife Mary Tatro, daughters: Amber Tatro, Mistie Ferrios, and Laura Little, son Gary, stepdaughter, Diann Sarver, step-son Paul Ricci, six grandchildren and one great-granddaughter and many more step grandchildren. He has one living sister, Phyllis and husband, Val Burris in North Carolina and has many relatives in Massachusetts. A funeral service will be held at 12:00 p.m. Wednesday April 16, 2014 at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home with interment at The Dallas Ft. Worth National Cemetery at 2:00 p.m. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 15, 2014 at the funeral home.

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Albert Taylor Jr.

Taylor, Jr., Albert Age 82, of Irving, TX, died on 8/2/2014. Visitation 6 to 8 PM Wednesday, Service 10 AM Thursday 8/7/2014 at Brown's Memorial Chapel.

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In Memory of A. R. Taylor Jr.

Date of Birth
Saturday, June 11th, 1932

Date of Death
Saturday, August 2nd, 2014

First Visitation
When Wednesday, August 6th, 2014, 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Location
Brown's Memorial Funeral Home

Address
707 N. MacArthur Blvd.
Irving, TX

When
Thursday, August 7th, 2014, 10:00am

Officiating
Dr. Grady King

Location
Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel

Address
707 N. MacArthur Boulevard
Irving, TX

Location
Haley Cemetery

Address
4100 Pioneer Drive
Irving, TX

Map & Directions

Interment immediately following the funeral service

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A.R. Taylor, Jr. of Irving passed away August 2, 2014. He was second generation of the Castor family born on June 11, 1932 in Dallas, Texas to Albert R. Taylor Sr. and Ruby Caster Taylor, who were one of the pioneer families of Irving. Albert was a member of The American Quarter Horse Association he breed quarter horses and showed them across the South West. He was a US Army Veteran, a graduate of Abilene Christian College and worked as a military salesman for Proctor and Gamble for over 30 years. He is preceded in death by his parents. Survivors include sister Barbara Taylor-Qualls and husband Richard of Longmont, Colorado; nephews Mark Qualls of Longmont, Colorado and Matthew Qualls of Tampa, Florida; nieces Shannon Nelson of Tampa, Florida and Erin Krek of Dallas; and many other loving family members. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 PM on Wednesday August 6 at the funeral home. Funeral service to be held at 10:00 A.M. Thursday August 7, 2014 at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Grady King officiating with interment following at Haley Cemetery in Irving. Memorial donations may be made to Remember Me Race Horse Rescue at www.teamkeen.com or 4100 Conveyor Drive in Burleson, Texas 76028.
Opal Marie Tarver (1923 - 2014)

Tarver, Opal Marie Opal Marie Tarver was born on April 1, 1923 near Mangum, Oklahoma and passed away in Irving, Texas on October 10, 2014. Opal was preceded in death by her parents Carl Bowles Miller & Alia Estelle Miller, husband Charles Harry Stepan and Ursula E. Tarver, son Darrell Dean Cook, brother Malvern Miller, and sisters Edna Earlie Miller and Carolene Corriell. She is survived by her sisters Edna Fay Hoffman and Jean Taylor (T.C.), children Karen Cook Shepadson (Shep), David Lynn Cook, Neda Allen Cook (Camille), Sandy Stepan Taylor (Steve), stepdaughters Loveta Stooldt and Joyce Read, daughters-in-law God Moseley and Anita Bell, sisters-in-law Della Curtiss and Eave Stepan, 12 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren, 7 great-great-grandchildren, and many, many nieces, nephews, cousins including living resident Janice Summers, and wonderful friends. Opal grew up on the family farm where she picked cotton with her family. She married Henry Cook at a young age and together they had Darrell, Karen, David, and Larry. After divorcing, she moved to Grand Prairie, Texas where she worked at LTV. She soon met her husband Charlie Stepan and they moved to the Plymouth Park neighborhood of Irving on January 1, 1954 where she remained for most of her 50 years in Irving. Together, they had one daughter, Sandy. Opal continued to work at LTV and had several jobs there before landing in Central Falls. She often came home with blue ink on her hands from handling blueprints. Later, she was a cashier in the MacArthur High School cafeteria, and after the sudden passing of Charlie, she became receptionist for Impressions Hair Design and also volunteered at what is now Taylor Living Hospital. She married Bud Tarver in 1991 and welcomed stepdaughters Joyce and Lovete into her life. Churches she belonged to included Plymouth Park Baptist, First United Methodist, Meadowbrook Baptist, Colonial Baptist, and Oak View Baptist. She may not have belonged to all of them at the same time, but if the doors were open, she was there. She loved visiting with family and friends, playing 42 among other games at Oak View on Monday nights, and 2 00 coffee with her neighbors at Park Manor. She enjoyed going to concerts, restaurants, the beauty shop, and anywhere else she could hitch a ride with Dottie Vaughn and Mary Ruth Stithall. They helped her stay young by keeping her going. She also enjoyed having coffee with Mary Wall Brown who is the best next door neighbor three generations of family could ask for. Viewing to be held on Monday, October 13, from 4-7PM at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Service to be held on Tuesday, October 14, at 10AM at Oak View Baptist Church with burial following at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. Donations may be made to Oak View Baptist Church's "Stepping into the Future" fund which is providing a new children's building.

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Opal Marie Tarver was born on April 1, 1923 near Mangum, Oklahoma and passed away in Irving, Texas on October 10, 2014. Opal was preceded in death by her parents, Carl Bowden Miller & Alta Estelle Miller; husbands, Charles Jerry Stepan and Urbane E. Tarver; son, Darrell Dean Cook; brother, Malvern Miller; and sisters Edna Earle Miller and Cartene Conner. She is survived by her sisters, Este Faye Hoffman and Jean Taylor (T.C.); children, Karen Cook Shepardson (Shep), David Lynn Cook (Judy), Lary Alan Cook (Camille), Sandy Stepan Taylor (Steve); stepdaughters, Loveta Stoddart and Joyce Read; daughters-in-law, Gail Moseley and Anita Bell; sisters-in-law, Della Curtis and Elsie Stepan; 12 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; 7 great-great-grandchildren; and many, many nieces, nephews, cousins including Irving resident Janice Summers, and wonderful friends.

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Viewing to be held on Monday, October 13, from 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. at Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home. Service to be held on Tuesday, October 14, at 10:00 a.m. at Oak View Baptist Church with burial following at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving. Donations may be made to Oak View Baptist Church's "Stepping into the Future" fund which is providing a new children's building.
Pamela Eileen Taylor

July 25, 1952 - December 31, 2014

Pamela (Pam) Eileen Ivy Taylor, 62, of Georgetown, Texas passed away after a short illness of pneumonia on December 31, 2014 in Georgetown. Pam was born July 25, 1952 in San Angelo Texas. She grew up in Irving, Texas and attended Irving High School graduating in 1970. She was a member of the Irving High School Toy Tigers drill team, elected sweetheart of the Track Team and chosen class beauty. She was on the Debs Softball Team in the IGSL who took the Texas State Title. Pam was a member of First United Methodist Church Irving, Texas. She enjoyed listening to music, dancing and playing softball as a teenager. Pam loved her children and family. She found joy in the simple things most of us take for granted. A touch, a smile, Pam especially loved a visitor and the sound of laughter was music to her ears. She loved life all the way to the end. She had great purpose in this life teaching us all the importance of loving and caring for each other. We are all so blessed to have had her in our lives. Pam was preceded in death by her parents, James Wilburn Ivy and Cora Maudie Powers Ivy of Irving Texas. She is survived by 2 daughters, Tracy Brown and partner Chris Coldiron of Mabank Texas. Brandy Taylor Igo and husband Nathan Igo of Deberry, Texas. Grandchildren Amanda Brown, Courtney Whitten, Harmony Coldiron, Heather Taylor and Tori Igo, Great Grandchildren Cadence Wagoner, Johnna Coldiron, Carter Whitten, Carmella Esparza and Hector Jimenez. Sister Patricia Ivy (Gordon) Kinney of McKinney, TX, Brother's Jim (Karen) Ivy of Round Rock, TX and Jeff Ivy of Irving, TX, and many nieces and nephews.
Dorothy Jean Terry (1933 - 2014)

Terry, Dorothy Jean Born Feb. 1, 1933 in Palastine, Texas and passed away July 22, 2014 in Irving, Texas. She is survived by her son, Steven Terry; sister, Elena Glasscock. She was a devoted mother. Dorothy was a highly motivated and intelligent person. She worked at various places including the Dallas Morning News, WFAA-TV, and Mercedes Benz. She loved flowers, art, animals, and helping others. Service will be held Friday, July 25, 2014 at 10:00 AM at Restland Wildwood Chapel with Chaplin James Clinkscales officiating, visitation will be 1 hour prior to service.

Condolences may be offered at
www.RestlandFuneralHome.com

Published in Dallas Morning News on July 24, 2014
Bobby L. Thomas, age 73 of Irving, died May 2, 2014. He was born to Alvin Thomas and Margaret Hatfield Thomas on June 24, 1940. Bobby worked as a performer in the music and entertainment industry and was also a pilot for 30 years. He will be dearly missed by his wife Janice McCoy Thomas; sons Chuck Carnahan, Mark Thomas, and Steve Thomas; daughter Lisa Thomas; brother Gary Thomas; brother Mike Broughton; grandsons Alex Carnahan, Wesley Nolan, and Drew Carnahan; granddaughter Tiffany Nolan; grandson Chris Thomas; granddaughter Tierney Thomas; great grandson Luke Nolan and great granddaughter Haley Carnahan. The family will receive friends on Monday, May 5, 2014 at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home from 7 PM to 9 PM. A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, May 6, 2014 in Brown’s Memorial Chapel at 2 PM with interment immediately following at Shady Grove Cemetery in Grand Prairie, Texas. The family requests memorials to The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, P.O. Box 4072, Pittsfield, MA 01202 or the Multiple Myeloma Research Foundation, 383 Main Avenue, 5th Floor, Norwalk, CT 06851.

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Jason Andrew Thomas

Thomas, Jason Andrew Jason Andrew Thomas, 50, born in Dallas, TX on September 12, 1963, entered God’s Light August 5, 2014, Irving, TX following a sudden illness. Preceded in death by Father, John Andrew Thomas. He is survived by Wife Katherine Hostetter Thomas; Son David J Thomas; Mother Betty W Thomas; Sister: Pamela T. Priebe, husband Bill; Brother Jacob P. Thomas, wife Donna; Brother Stuart W. Thomas, wife Lanette; Sister-in-law Kathy Rosner & husband Rich. Other survivors include four nieces, one nephew, one great-nephew, two great-nieces, several cousins, loving relatives and wonderful friends. His laughter will be remembered with great joy. Visitation will be Sunday, August 10, 2014 from 5:00pm to 8:00pm at Mt. Carmel Funeral Home. Funeral Service will be Monday, August 11, 2014 at 12:00 Noon at Mt. Carmel Funeral Home. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.

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Jason Andrew Thomas
(September 12, 1963 - August 5, 2014)

Jason Andrew Thomas, 50, was born in Dallas, TX on September 12, 1963 and entered God's Light August 5, 2014, in Irving, TX following a sudden illness. He is preceded in death by his Father, John Andrew Thomas. Jason is survived by Wife Katherine Hostetter Thomas; Son David J Thomas; Mother Betty W Thomas; Sister Pamela T. Priebe and husband Bill; Brother Jacob P. Thomas and wife Donna; Brother Stuart W. Thomas and wife Lanette; Sister-in-law Kathy Rosner and husband Rich. Other survivors include four nieces, one nephew, one great-nephew, two great-nieces, several cousins, loving relatives and many wonderful friends. Jason, an enthusiastic Texas resident, worked in the screen printing industry, financial services, and as a Senior Care Liaison. Jason had many interests including family, athletics, books, and animals. His laughter will be remembered with great joy. Visitation will be Sunday, August 10, 2014 from 5:00pm to 8:00pm at Mt. Carmel Funeral Home. Funeral Service will be Monday, August 11, 2014 at 12:00 Noon at Mt. Carmel Funeral Home. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens.
Obituary for DeaLena Thomasson

DeaLena "Dee" Thomasson, age 75 of Dallas, died August 29, 2014. She was born to J.L. Moore and Ella F. Blalock on March 25, 1939 in Duncan Oklahoma. Dee was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and adoptive mother to all who knew her. She loved Elvis, movie trivia, reading, sewing and playing games (especially dominoes). Dee became famous at the Juliette Fowler Christian homes for her wonderful birthday cakes and other desserts. She is preceded in death by her husband Clifford Thomasson; parents, and brother Don Moore. DeaLena will be dearly missed by her daughter Coralie Thomasson-Webb and husband David of Irving; daughter Kendal Thomasson-Harness and husband David of Dallas; son Adam Nicholas Thomasson of Dallas; Kevin and wife Yhti Kline of Riverside, CA; grandson David Harness Jr.; Kevin Kline Jr; brother Carl Moore and wife Phua of San Jose, CA; sister Lovella Witter and husband Harry Wineman of Las Vegas, NV; brother Glen Moore and wife Pat of Nebraska. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 6, 2014 at 1:00 PM at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home.

Don’t grieve for me, for now I’m free,
I’m following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard his call,
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, to play,
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I’ve found that peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My Life’s been full, I savoured much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one’s touch,

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don’t lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.
Richard Johannes "Dick" Thomes (1935 - 2014)

Thomes DVM, Richard Richard Johannes "Dick" Thomes Dick was born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin on 11/3/35. He graduated from Dom Bosco High School in Milwaukee. He attended Texas A&M earning an undergraduate degree in 1957 and his veterinary degree in 1960. Dick succumbed to a lengthy illness on Friday, May 30, 2014 caused by multiple strokes. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, June 3rd at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home. Funeral services will be Wednesday, June 4th at 2 p.m. at the Church of the Incarnation on the campus of the University of Dallas. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens. Dick was an innovator in veterinary medicine. As his career progressed, he clearly became a pioneer in the veterinary field. In addition to expanding Animal Medical & Surgical Hospital in Irving (later called Metroplex Veterinary Centre & Pet Lodge) into the first 24-hour full-service veterinary practice in Texas, he also brought specialists into his practice and moved the practice into a new location that was one of the larger veterinary and boarding facilities in the region. Dick also became one of the founders of National PetCare Centers, a company that would grow from an early collection of 19 practices to a total of 75 veterinary practices around the country. He served as a Vice President of NPC and had the primary responsibility for acquisitions during that company’s dramatic growth period. After NPC was sold, Dick remained passionate about the veterinary profession and continued to serve as a mentor for many others in that profession. He had many passions. Dick was a diehard Texas Aggie fan; he loved spending time at his lakehouse, gardening, fishing, boating, and most of all spending time with his family. Dick married the love of his life, Bettye, in 1972 and they blended their two families. Dick was raising his four children and Bettye her three. Dick lost three of his children, Craig, Bruce and Jennifer and his deep faith sustained him through the tragic losses. He was also preceded in death by his parents, Edwin John Thomes and Evelyn Nolin Thomes. He is survived by his loving wife, Bettye, his children Lorelai Thomes Cole (Jeff) of Euless, Michelle Meagher Harlow (Steve) of Southlake, Jenice Meagher Cutler (Trey) of Fort Collins, Colorado, and Allan Meagher of Irving, loving caregivers and friends, Nancy Leveils and Jade Ironti; 13 grandchildren, Kara, Devin, Joshua, Craig, Jake, Connor, Mason, Grace, Taylor, Cole, Carson, Amanda, and Katie; 2 great grandchildren; 3 brothers, Toby Thomes (Kathy), Paul Thomes, John Thomes (JoAnn); 2 sisters, Pat Rubera (Duane), Marilyn Hall (John); and many nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that all gifts be directed to the following: Richard J. Thomes, DVM ’60 Memorial Scholarship c/o College of Veterinary Medicine, Attn: Dean’s Office, 4461 TAMU, College Station, TX 77843-4461. Checks should be made payable to the Texas A&M Foundation.

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Obituary for Billie Thompson

Billie Faye Thompson, age 87 and Irving resident since 1953, died on October 4, 2014. She was born in Frisco, Texas on November 11, 1926 to Frank and Nina Mae Dunafan. Billie was a longtime member of Calvary Temple who loved bowling, yard work and her flowers. She also thoroughly enjoyed her family and will be remembered for her willingness to help anyone who was in need. Billie is preceded death by her parents and her beloved husband and will be greatly missed by her sons Donnie and Jackie, Reedor of Irving and Norman Coleson of Buffalo, Texas; granddaughter Emily Pettway; grandson Donnie Reider, Jr.; granddaughter Amber Reider; grandson Michael Reider; granddaughters Anna Reider and Martha Ann Weatherford along with ten great grandchildren; step children Mary Lindsey, Sammie and Tony Thompson; three step-grandchildren and three great step-grandchildren. Visitation will be held from 6:00 to 8:00 pm on Wednesday, October 8, 2014 followed by a funeral service at 2:00 PM on Thursday, October 9, 2014 in Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home Chapel. Interment immediately following the service at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, Texas.
Kelly Thompson

Kelly Bliss Connell Thompson, 47 years young, left us altogether too early Saturday, Jan. 18, 2014. Memorial service: 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, at Forest Ridge Funeral Home in Hurst. Memorials: In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis. At the age of 8, Kelly survived cancer after having her left leg amputated. St. Jude had just started a program of chemotherapy for children with this type of bone cancer and God and St. Jude's helped her to survive. When asked what it was like to be handicapped, Kelly responded with a twinkle in her beautiful green eyes, "Who's handicapped?" She could roller skate with the best. She graduated from L.D. Bell High School in 1984. Although Kelly fought personal demons much of her adult life, Kelly truly had a heart of gold. Kelly will be sitting in heaven between her beloved brother, Mike, and her idol, Patrick Swayze. Kelly was preceded in death by her brother, Mike Barcus; and her stepfather, John Farrell. Survivors: Mother, Kay Farrell; brother, Rob Barcus, both of Hurst; father, Rod Connell, his wife, Jane, and half siblings, Roy, Josie, Salem and Kyle, all of Illinois; aunt, Barb in St. Louis; and uncles, Don Thompson of Maryland, Hadley Thompson of Minnesota, David Thompson of Illinois and Ralph Thompson of Tennessee.

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Lena “Nana” Thompson of Irving passed away January 1, 2014. She was born on August 20, 1935 in Brownsboro, Texas to Marion and Shirley Anderson. Nana will be remembered for her passion and devotion to taking care of children at her home daycare in Irving for over 30 years. They truly became her kids. She was A firecracker of a woman who had a big heart and even bigger hair. Her main hobby in life was her “kids.” She was a loving wife, mother sister and grandmother to her family. She is preceded in death by her parents; husband of 46 years Thomas Thompson, son Timothy Thompson and brothers Willie and Owen Anderson. She is survived by her daughter Angie and husband Ryan Graves; daughters Donna Kay; Vallie; Frankie; Sue; Lisa; son Tommy; brothers Richard Warren Anderson and Jerry Anderson and wife Linda. and numerous grandchildren; great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews. The family will receive friends from 2:00 to 4:00 P.M. on Sunday at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home. Funeral service will be held at 2:00 P.M. Monday, January 6, 2014 at Brown’s Memorial Chapel. Interment will be held at 11:00 AM on Tuesday at Clairette Cemetery in Erath County, Texas. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to St. Jude Hospital; Scottish Rite Hospital or The American Diabetes Association.

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Gilbert Thornton
Thornton, Gilbert F. September 24, 1916 March 18, 2014 Gilbert F. Thornton of Irving, Texas passed away Tuesday, March 18, 2014 in Baylor Irving Hospital at the age of 97. He was a graduate of Class #5 of the Dallas Fire Department and served as a fireman in Dallas for many years. After his time in the Fire Department he owned and operated Humble service stations in Dallas and later Irving. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Irving and a member of Evergreen Class. He was preceded in death by his wife Rose Lee and son Terry Lee. He is survived by his son Jerry D. Thornton and wife Hilda of Katy, Texas; three grandsons, Brent and wife Kristin of Denton, Texas; Ben and wife Elisa of Denton, Texas and Daniel and wife Mallory of Katy, Texas; six great-grandchildren, Morgan, Jack, Lola, Adeline, Mia and Sydney. He is also survived by one brother, Shelby Thornton of Irving, Texas and several nieces and nephews. Gilbert loved watching sports on television, especially the Texas Rangers, Dallas Mavericks and Dallas Cowboys. He loved the Lord and expressed it daily in his prayers. He held his family in high esteem and loved to tell anyone about them. Even at the age of 97, he was an avid reader and kept up on current events. He traveled all over the United States with his wife in their motor home, sometimes taking their three grandsons along the way. Trips they will always remember. The family would like to express their appreciation to his long-time caregivers for the loving care they extended to him - Eva Aguilar, Elizabeth Solis, Nora Phillips and Alice Worthy. The family would like to also extend their appreciation to the nursing staff at Baylor Irving Hospital for the care they gave Gilbert. The family is also grateful to Ed Graham, close friend, who visited Gilbert almost daily. Visitation will be held Friday, March 21, 2014 from 6:00 to 8:00 P.M. at the R.W. Owens & Son Funeral Home in Wolfe City, Texas. Funeral Services will be on Saturday, March 22, 2014 at 10:00 A.M. in the chapel of R.W. Owens & Son Funeral Home in Wolfe City, Texas with burial to follow in Mt. Carmel Cemetery, Wolfe City. The family request that any remembrances be made to the charity of your choice. R.W. Owens & Son Funeral Home 903-496-2331 owensandsonfh.com

Published in Dallas Morning News on Mar. 21, 2014
BRENT THURMAN (IHS 1964), age 48, of Irving, formerly of Arlington, died Wednesday, April 2, 2014 at his home. Born March 15, 1966 in Irving, he is the son of James C. Thurman and Lucille Baer Thurman. He was a lift truck mechanic for Darr Equipment for 28 years. Survived by his wife, the love of his life, Shelley Givens Thurman; a daughter Amanda Thurman; his parents James and Lucille Thurman of Irving, a brother Bryan Thurman and wife Kelly of Irving; niece Emma Thurman; nephew, Austin Thurman; father and mother-in-law, Bob and Sarah Givens of Irving; brother and sister-in-law, Bill and Lori Little and their sons Sumner and Matt of Coppell; numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, and a host of friends. He is also survived by his beloved and faithful dog, Bob Barker. Brent was an avid outdoorsman and loved hunting, fishing and race cars and was a talented artist.

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Tindle, Thomas E.
September 10, 1960 - February 8, 2014

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Arrangements are under the direction of:
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Erma L. Tiller

- November 18, 1932 - December 13, 2010
- Lowell, Arkansas

Add to IISD deaths
Thomas Edwin Tindle

Tindle, Thomas Edwin Age 53, of Garland, TX, died on February 10, 2014. Please send condolences and sign guestbook at www.ariacremation.com

Dallas Morning News on Feb. 16, 2014
Tindle, Thomas E.

*September 10, 1960 - February 8, 2014*

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*1820 N Belt Line Road*

*Irving, Texas 75061*
Obituary for Harold Todd

Harold Wayne ‘Hal’ Todd, beloved husband and father, passed from this life on September 1, 2014, at the age of 79. Hal was born in Slaton, Texas on September 22, 1934 to C. F. and Georgia Todd. He served as a radar technician in the U.S. Air Force from 1952 to 1956. Following his service to his country, Hal put his electronics expertise to work in seismography and television repair in west Texas where he met Edith Lorena Hanna whom he married on August 25, 1963. Just before moving from Missouri to Irving in 1969, Hal became involved with the Boy Scouts of America, an organization he served until his final days by sharing his love of the outdoors and passion for lifelong learning. He served the Scouts as an Assistant Scoutmaster and Scoutmaster in Texas, as an adult leader in Iran, and finally as a volunteer docent at the National Scouting Museum in Irving. Professionally, Hal shifted away from work in electronics to apply his talents for drawing and visualization to architectural and engineering drafting and to retail fixture design. In addition to working with the Scouts, Hal served the St. Mary’s Episcopal parish in Irving as newsletter editor and as a member of a team who remodeled the church parish hall. Always an avid reader and self-taught scholar, in his later years Hal devoted himself to developing a richer understanding of the connections among German philosophy, the events of World War II, the Holocaust, and the history of Jewish state of Israel. Hal is survived by his wife Edith, his son Michael and his partner Mary, and several nieces and nephews. Hal will be greatly missed by his family, friends, and those he served in the community. A funeral mass is to be held at St. Mary’s Anglican Church in Irving on Saturday, September 6, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. with a reception immediately following in the church’s parish hall. In lieu of flowers, please direct donations in memory of Hal Todd to the National Scouting Museum, 1329 W. Walnut Hill Rd., Irving, TX 75038 or to your favorite charitable veteran’s organization. Please visit www.brownmem.com for online condolences.
Pete D. Toler, age 70 of Nevada, TX, passed away February 11, 2014. He was born July 21, 1943 in Pineville, WV, to Simon Pete & Ethel Madline (Guy) Toler. Pete was an electrician and worked with dedication for more than 20 years at Murr Brothers Electric. He then became the owner/operator of Nevada Feed Store until his retirement. Pete accepted Jesus as his Lord and Savior in October of 2013.

He is survived by his loving wife of 44 years: Barbara Toler of Nevada, TX; sons: Kevin Toler & wife Judy of Leonard, TX, Randy Toler & wife Kristie of Allen, TX, and Jerry Toler of Dallas, TX; daughter: Tracy O’Donnel of Denison, TX; grandchildren: Amanda Toler, Kayla Toler, Preston Foley, Nathan Toler, Joshua Toler & wife Thalia, Mark Toler, Sean O’Donnel, Jr., Nicholas O’Donnel, Jessica O’Donnel, Jeff Barry & wife Jessica and Angela Hitt & husband Jason; six great grandchildren: brother: Paul Toler & wife Donna of Dallas, TX; sister: Judy Toler of Pendergrass, GA; and numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and a host of friends. Pete was preceded in death by his parents; and sisters: Juretta Mae Toler and Garnet Marie Toler.

Pete Toler, class of 1964 passed away from complications from heart surgery. Buried at Restland in Rockwall TX on Feb 14, 2014.
Charlene "Smokey" Tormolen

October 25, 1934 - November 30, 2014

Charlene “Smokey” Tormolen went to be with the Lord on November 30, 2014. She was born October 25, 1934 in Sherman, TX to Charlie and Jesse Jenkins. Smokey grew up in the Dallas area and showed artistic talent at a young age. After graduating from High School, Smokey worked at Wilson Engraving Company as an artist designing packaging for major products. It was at this time that she met her husband, Hans. Smokey was very involved with the art community in Irving, Brownwood and other art associations around the world. She served as president of the Southwest Watercolor Society and other art associations and won many competitions over the years. She was widely known for her ability to see fine detail in animals and flowers and was able to transform her vision into remarkable paintings. She is preceded in death by her parents; husband, Hans Tormolen; sister, Linda Joyce Voss and brother, Parkland “Parkey” Jenkins. Survivors include, brothers, M.L. “Buddy” Jenkins and wife Joyce, Don Jenkins and wife Donna; many nieces and nephews and a host of dear friends and associates involved with the art community. There will be a Graveside Service at 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, December 3rd at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving, TX.

www.chismsmithfuneralhome.com
In Memory of
Freda E.
Towle

General Information
Full Name Freda E. Towle (Ensminger)

Date of Birth
Monday, November 22nd, 1920

Date of Death
Friday, August 8th, 2014

First Visitation
When Sunday, August 10th, 2014, 2:00pm - 4:00pm

Location
Brown's Memorial Funeral Home Chapel

Address
707 N. MacArthur Boulevard
Irving, TX

Map & Directions

Service Information
When
Monday, August 11th, 2014, 10:00am

Location
Restland Memorial Park

Address
9220 Restland Rd.
Dallas, TX

Map & Directions
Interment Information

Location

Restland Memorial Park

Address

Greenville Ave. at Restland Rd.

Dallas, TX

Map & Directions

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Browns Memorial Funeral Home
Opal Tipton, 91, of Irving died Saturday morning, July 26, 2014. Mrs. Tipton was a long-time resident of Irving. She and her husband, Clint Tipton, moved to Irving in 1949, following their favorite minister, Brother JW Lindsey, who located to Irving to pastor the First Methodist Church — and the church was their home for the rest of their lives. Opal was born Ruth Opal Sanders in Lovelady, TX to Joseph and Sallie Sanders. One of eight children, she is survived by one sister, Merl Foster, of Huntsville/Trinity, TX and one sister-in-law Winona Sanders of Wichita Falls, TX. She is preceded in death by her husband, her best friend, her first and only love, her “Dear Clint”, who passed away in 2000. She is also preceded in death by her siblings Iza Russell of San Bernardino, CA, Stella Peterson of Kountze, TX, Inez Martin of Grand Prairie, TX, Ida Lewis of Tyler, TX, Wanda Cunningham of Irving, TX, and Joseph Sanders of Wichita Falls. Opal leaves behind numerous nieces, nephews, friends, neighbors, and family who dearly love her and will miss her terribly. She touched so many lives and loved, raised, taught, influenced so many of us... to list everyone here would take up entirely too much time and space. Opal had many talents including painting china, making candy, sewing, gardening, cooking, crochet, and knitting. Everyone who knew Opal would remember her famous candies usually being served on one of her hand painted pieces of china. Opal’s greatest strength, though, was her leadership. She had a natural, internal drive to serve, take initiative, work hard, organize, lead, recruit, and delegate that naturally placed her into the role of leader. For over 25 years, Opal was an Administrative Assistant in the IISD mostly at Farine Elementary School. She and her husband were never able to have children of their own, but it seems their lives revolved around children none-the-less. Opal was a dearly loved Sunday School Teacher at FUMC for many years and taught the love of the Lord, Jesus Christ, to the children in the church growing up in the 1950s and 1960s. She was a highly organized and active Girl Scout Leader for many years and later in life was inducted into the National Girl Scout “Hall of Fame” in New York City. Because of her Scouting Leadership, she received a special invitation to the 100 year celebration in Washington DC to have lunch with First Lady, Barbara Bush. Throughout her life she served in numerous capacities and “ministries” in her church, her community, her work, and in Girl Scouts. Her last years were hard on her as her body slowly weakened. However, the Lord provided for His faithful servant, Opal. She so gracefully received her blessings as she was tenderly and diligently cared for by her family with the help of the team of God-sent caregivers at Avante Rehabilitation and Hospice Plus in Irving. The kindness, compassion, and excellent nursing care she received provided her comfort in her weakened state. Her family is deeply grateful to Phillip Prince and the entire team of high-performing nurses and caregivers at Avante. Their superior service to our community is truly a ministry and a blessing to their patients and families. The appreciation of Opal’s family is deeper than we are able to convey in written word. Good bye, Aunt Opal. We can’t believe you’re gone from this Earth, but we will love you always. You and Uncle Clint are forever in our memories and our hearts and we look forward to living out the legacy of love and service that you left for us. Now, cross that River Jordan and Fly Away to Glory. We will see you again someday in the Sweet By and By. Visitation will be held on Monday July 28, 2014 from 6 to 8 PM at Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home. A funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM Tuesday, July 29, 2014 at First United Methodist Church Chapel with Rev. Sammy Hargrove officiating. Interment will immediate follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.
TY TRAN, age 89, a resident of Irving since September of 1987, died Tuesday, October 28, 2014 in a Garland rehabilitation center. Born December 31, 1924 in Vietnam, he was the son of Tran Van Khanh and Huynh Thanh. Survivors include his wife, Doan Thi Lieu of Irving; and his children, Tran Thi Bach Tuyet of Irving, Tran Thu Hong of Richardson, Tran Van Phu of Irving, Tran Van Ho of California, Tran Thi Thu of Garland and Tran Thi Quan of Vietnam. Four of his children preceded him in death. A visitation will be held at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway in Irving on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Graveside service will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, November 1 at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, 1413 East Irving Blvd. in Irving.
KENNETH EARL TRAINHAM, 80, of Irving, died Wednesday, July 9, 2014, at a local care center. Born February 25, 1934 in Vera, Texas, he was the son of Edward Franklin Trainham and Ruby Edna Gray Trainham. He graduated from Vera High School. A United States Army veteran, he was a quality control inspector in the aerospace industry. A long time employee of LTV, Vought and its successors, he retired in 1996. He was Baptist and was a member of the United Aerospace Workers. He is survived by his wife, Nellie R. Trainham of Irving whom he married February 25, 1961 in Cooper, Texas. Other survivors include his children, Shelly Sheets and husband Mike of Irving, Monette Harty and husband Ty of Grand Prairie, Kim Millard and husband Mike of Springfield, Ohio; sister, Reta Lewis of Wichita Falls; brothers, Charles Trainham and wife Delores of Wichita Falls and Bobby Trainham and wife Louise of Euless; four grandchildren, Sarah Watson and husband Justin, Krysten West, Bryttni Sheets, and Sydnei Sheets; a great grandson, Braden Watson and great granddaughter on the way, Skyler Watson. The family will receive friends 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Sunday at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway in Irving. Funeral service will be at Noon on Monday, July 14, 2014 at Bowles Memorial Baptist Church, 401 N.E. 31st Street in Grand Prairie. Pastor Tom Watson will officiate. Burial with honors will be 2:30 p.m. Monday at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery.

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Larry B. Trotter
1946 - 2014


Published in Star-Telegram on Feb. 11, 2014
Richard Glenn Troutman
TROUTMAN, Richard Glenn (Rick) Formerly of Irving TX died at his home in Houston TX. His funeral is Saturday 11:00 a.m. at Addison Funeral Home in Spring TX. addisonfuneralsehomes.com

Funeral Home
Addison Funeral Home
18830 Kuykendahl Road Spring, TX 77379
(281) 350-0996

Published in Dallas Morning News on Oct. 24, 2014
Tull, Wade M.

January 25, 1915 - January 21, 2014

Wade Mahlon Tull of Carrollton, Texas passed away on January 21, 2014. He was 98 years old. Please send the family condolences and sign the guest book on this site.

Arrangements are under the direction of:

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Irving, Texas 75061
Yosef Tulu
Tulu, Yosef Passed, and he will be shipped to Addis Ababa, Ethiopia on Sunday for burial.

Published in Dallas Morning News on Jan. 25, 2014
Tully, Philip

January 11, 1923 - September 28, 2014

Philip Tully, 91, of Carrollton, Texas passed away on September 28, 2014. 

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Tully, Phillip

January 11, 1923 - September 28, 2014

Phillip Tully, 91, of Carrollton, Texas passed away on September 28, 2014.

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James Turner, age 93 of Irving, died on February 16, 2014. He was born to Iris Claude and Della Cloud Turner on June 30, 1920 in Bristol, Texas and went on to serve his country in the United States Army, earning the rank of Staff Sergeant and was awarded the Bronze Star for his service in the Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland and Central European Campaigns. James went on to enjoy a career as an automotive mechanic. He is preceded in death by his parents and his beloved wife, Mary Sue and will be greatly missed by his sons Larry Turner and wife Sandra of Euless; Mike Turner and wife Tina of Whitney; Greg Turner and wife Edith of Euless; Stephen Turner and wife Cindy of Grand Prairie; daughters Susan Turner of Irving and Stephanie Palmer of Cedar Hill; sister Gladys Hefley along with 18 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren. A Committal Service with Military Honors will be held at Dallas Fort Worth National Cemetery on Friday, February 21, 2014 at 10:00 AM with Chaplain David George officiating.
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IN MEMORY OF

IDALIAH JUANITA TURNLEY

Obituary for Idaliah Turney

Idaliah J. Turney, 90, of Irving died October 18th. Memorial celebration to be held at 6:00 PM on October 22nd at Village Baptist Church in Irving. Arrangements made by Brown’s Memorial Funeral Home. Mrs. Turney was born on July 29, 1924 in Jefferson, TX. She was a member of Village Baptist Church and helped start religious services at Brookdale Retirement Center. She retired from teaching at Apple Valley Day School where she was known as "Ms. Lovey". Survivors include her daughter Jaynell Tarvin of Irving; grandchildren Jeri-Dawn, Terry Jr., Darlyng, Tammi, John David, Kagan, Parker and eight great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to Village Baptist Church Building Fund. It’s a cause that was very dear to Idaliah’s heart, and she set aside funds for it every Sunday. We’d like to carry her legacy a little further with it.
Donnelly's Colonial Funeral Home

Jeannie Tussey
(April 21, 1945 - September 20, 2014)

JEANNIE TUSSEY, age 69, a resident of Irving for over 40 years, died Saturday, September 20, 2014 at Las Colinas Medical Center in Irving. Born April 21, 1945, she was the daughter of Robert Buchanan and Jacqueline Grable Buchanan. Jeannie graduated from Irving High School and she was a member of the Church of Christ. Survivors include her son, Jim Tussey and his fiancée, Belynda; brothers, Bobby Buchanan and Jim Buchanan; and sisters, Jeri Smith and Jessie Ferguson. The family will receive friends from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m., Saturday, September 27 at Donnelly’s Colonial Funeral Home, 606 West Airport Freeway in Irving with the service to begin at 3:00 p.m. in the funeral home chapel. Burial to follow at Oak Grove Memorial Gardens in Irving.

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JEANNIE TUSSEY
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Jeannie Tussey, 69, of Irving died Saturday, Sept. 20, 2014.
Service: 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 27, in Donnelly's Chapel.
Interment: Oak Grove Memorial Gardens, Irving. Visitation: 2
to 3 p.m. Saturday. Survivors: Son, Jim; brothers, Bobby and
Jim; and sister, Jeni.

Published in Star-Telegram on Sept. 23, 2014
Jeannie Tussey
TUSSEY, Jeannie Age 69, of Irving, TX, died on 9/20/2014. Visit 2-3pm Saturday 9/27 with service at 3pm at Donnelly's Chapel. Burial Oak Grove Cemetery.

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