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Miss Gorman Contestants Gorman Lions Club Blood Drive, Saturday, City Park



Andrea Files

Hi, my name is Andrea Michelle Files. My sponsor for the Miss Gorman contest is the Lion's Club.

I am the 15 year old daughter of Michael and Virginia Johnson of Gorman and Ricky and Janie Files of Stephenville. My grandparents are Ron and Nina Skiles, George and Linda Simmons, and Nathan and Sandy Files, all of Gorman, also Andy and Jerry Johnson of Ranger.

As a freshman, I was a Panther cheerleader, Class Reporter, member of the Panther Band, and was selected to Who's Who of American High School students. I participated in volleyball and track. I am a member of FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes) where I will serve as Reporter in the upcoming year. I will also be a Panther Cheerleader, member of the Yearbook Staff and participate in athletics.

I enjoy being with family, friends



Heather Denise Keaton

Heather Denise Keaton is the daughter of Terry and Karen Keaton, and the granddaughter of Don and LoAnn Keaton of Virginia, and Barney and Joy Strickland of Dublin. She has two sisters, Mindy (13) and April (10). Heather is 17 years old and will graduate from Gorman High School in the spring of 2002.

At school, I participate in One Act Play (1 year), Band (6 years), and Flags (2 years).

I enjoy swimming, reading, crocheting, and just spending quality time with family and friends.

My future plans are to attend Cisco Junior College and Tarleton State University and major in English and become a High School English teacher.

I am sponsored by the Gorman Chamber of Commerce. I will be escorted by my dad, Terry.

and my cat--Patches.

My hobbies are shopping, talking on the phone and watching TV.

My favorite foods are candy and McDonald's.

My escort will be Ryan Keller, son of Ron and Julie Keller.



Lacy Nicole Howard

Hi, my name is Lacy Nicole Howard. I am the daughter of John and Charlotte Howard. I have three sisters and one brother. I was born in Wichita Falls, Texas, November 13, 1985.

During my freshman year of High School, I participated in ex debate, ready writing, headline writing, feature writing, Texas Musical Educators Association, UIL solo and ensemble, and one act play.

I enjoy swimming, singing, writing (all subjects), and working in my scrapbook. One of the things that I enjoy the most is acting. My favorite food is chicken of any kind. I plan to complete High School and attend college somewhere.

I would like to thank the Gorman Fire Department for sponsoring me in the Miss Gorman Pageant.

The Gorman Lions Club will host a blood drive on Saturday, June 23. The Meek Blood Center Bloodmobile will be at the Gorman City Park from 12:00 until 4:00. "The summer months present a difficult challenge, and we are grateful to the Lions Club for hosting this blood drive," said Frances Baker, Donor Recruiter. "The blood drives we have are crucial in helping us maintain an adequate supply of safe blood."

Less than 5% of healthy Americans eligible to donate blood actually donate each year, yet 72% of the population will require a transfusion of some type of blood product or component before the age of 70. Accident victims, cancer patients, premature babies and patients being treated for severe anemia are some of the recipients of blood donations. Each donation can help up to three different people. Platelets and plasma are separated from the red cells to meet the differing needs of the public.

To be eligible to donate blood, a person must be between the ages of 17 to 71. They must weigh at least 110 pounds. Most maintenance medications (such as blood pressure, hormones, cholesterol, etc.) can be accepted. Persons who are not eligible to donate include those who have had a tattoo or body piercing within the last year and persons who are on antibiotics. If you have been on antibiotics you must be off of them for 7 days before donating.

Giving blood is easy. Following registration you will answer simple medical history questions and receive a mini-physical. You will feel only a brief pinch, and the 5-8 minute donation will be over before you know it. Afterward, you can relax for a few minutes with refreshments. Each donor will receive a t-shirt, compliments of Meek Blood Center, to show our appreciation for their donation.

The staff at Meek Blood Center is glad to have the opportunity to see old friends and to meet new ones. Most of all, they are glad to know someone will have a chance for tomorrow because you gave blood today.

Title I Services Notification

The Gorman Independent School District will hold a meeting for private schools and home schools to explain the title I services available to eligible private school students and the conditions for participating in such services. The meeting will be held at the Elementary Principal's Office, 111 W. Lexington, July 15, at 8:30 a.m.

Social Security Rep.

A representative from the Social Security Administration will be at the Eastland County Courthouse, Commissioners Courtroom, Second Floor on Tuesday June 26 at 9:30 a.m.

You can call social Security toll-free any weekday from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at 1-800-772-1213.

Lacy Pack and Ronald Majors to Pledge Vows



Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Pack are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Lacy Linae Pack to Ronald Wayne Majors, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Majors.

The bride-elect graduated from Gorman High School and earned a Bachelor's Degree in Spanish at Texas Tech University. She is currently teaching Spanish at Gorman ISD.

The prospective bridegroom also graduated from Gorman High School and works as a rancher in Gorman.

An August 11 wedding is planned.

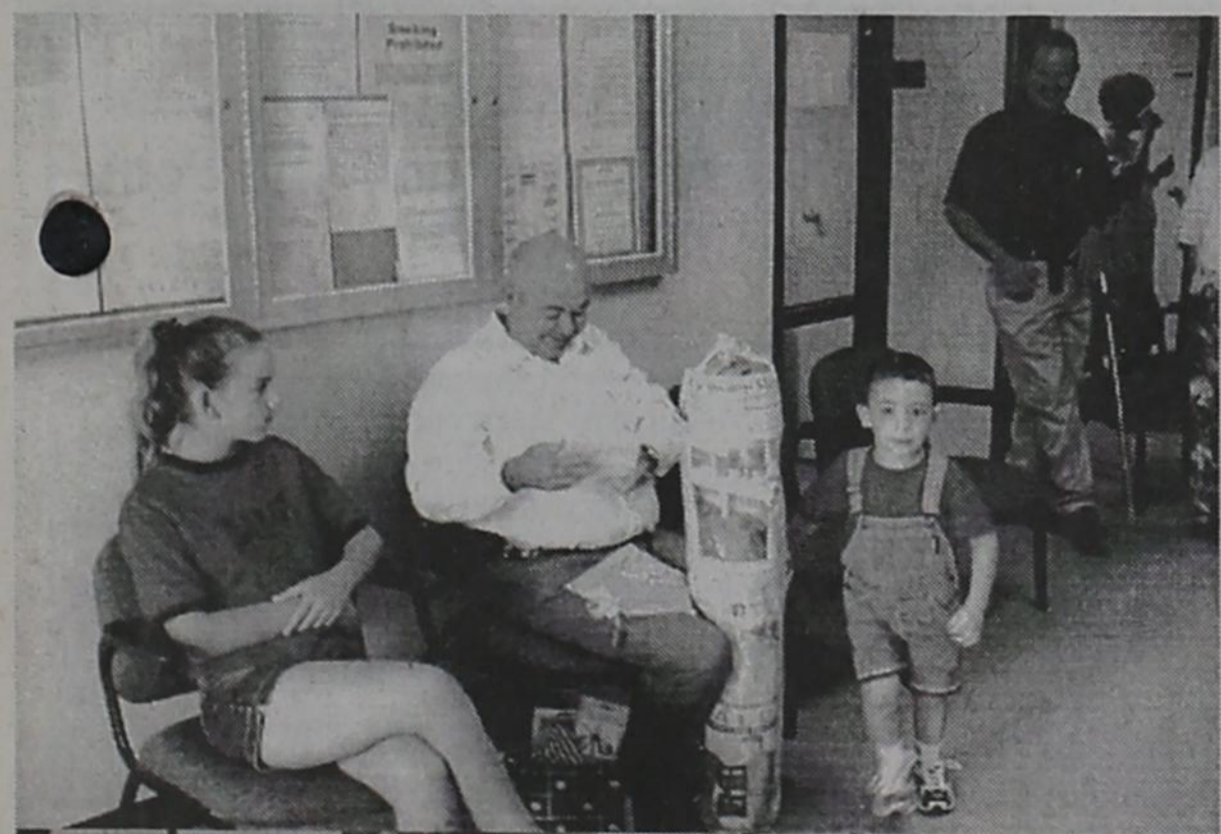
Concert to Benefit First Baptist Church Mission Trip

The gospel music groups, The Messengers and The Upper Room, invite you to join them in concert to benefit the First Baptist Church mission trip to Lafayette, Indiana.

The concert will be Thursday, June 21 at 7:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church. There will be a love offering received. Come enjoy this musical fellowship.

Reception Held To Honor Gene Shackelford On Retiring

A reception was held on Friday, June 15 honoring Superintendent Gene Shackelford on his retirement from Gorman ISD. He is retiring after 30 years in Education. Lots of friends and family came by to wish him a happy retirement.



Annual Barbecue

The DeLeon Volunteer Fire Department will hold their annual barbecue on Saturday, June 23 at the DeLeon City Hall at 5:00 p.m. Prices by donation.

Skiles Makes Donations To Police and Fire Departments



DONATION TO POLICE DEPARTMENT — (l to r) - Robert Ervin, Ron Skiles and Chief Doug Caffey.



DONATION TO FIRE DEPARTMENT — (l to r) - Robert Ervin, Ron Skiles and Gene Foster

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Skiles presented very generous donations to the Gorman Police Department and Gorman Fire Department in memory of Ron's father, Mr. Frank Skiles.

These donations were made in appreciation of the excellent services provided by the Gorman Fire Department and Gorman Police Department.

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO AREA FOLKS

MONTHLY MUSICAL — Desdemona Monthly Musical will be Saturday, June 23rd at the Community Center. All area musicians, singers and visitors are invited to attend. Concession stand will open at 5:30 p.m. with sandwiches, homemade pie and drinks.

POOL FOR RENT — Anyone wanting to rent the city pool for parties this summer call the Pool at 734-2053 or 734-3637.

GORMAN GROW MEETING — The Gorman Grow will meet on the Third Monday of every month at 6:30 p.m. in the Gorman Senior Citizen Building. Contact Peyton Vaughn, Veronica Seaton or Lori Dodd.

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS — Blood Pressure Checks by Heritage Manor of Gorman. Every week at Senior Citizens at 11:00 a.m. Every Other week at Gorman Hotel at 10:30 a.m.

Gorman Primitive Baptist Church has Services Every Sundays. Services begin at 10:30 a.m. Bro. Mark Waltenbarger - 1st Sunday; Elder Mike Webb, Pastor - All Other Sundays - Everyone Welcome To Attend.

FOOD PANTRY Second Thursday of Each Month

Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716 A.F. & A.M. Regular stated meetings are 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Members are urged to attend. Visitors are always welcome. Roy Lipson, Worshipful Master — Pat Moseley, Secretary.

The Order of the Eastern Star holds its regular stated meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. - Nell Ragland, Worthy Matron and Elwood Ragland, Worthy Patron.

Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery Association is accepting donations for the Cemetery. If you would like to make a donation in memory of or In Honor of someone, please send to Rt. 3 Box 121A, or American State Bank, Gorman, Texas 76454.

SANDRA CAGLE WILL BE IN GORMAN THE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE CITY OFFICE TO RENEW AUTO LICENSE PLATES. HER NEXT VISIT WILL BE JUNE 20TH FROM 9 - 12 NOON.

Obituaries

Services Held for Rance Porter

Rance Porter, age 18, formerly of Desdemona, died Tuesday, June 12, 2001 of injuries from an automobile accident on Interstate 20 in Palo Pinto county. Services were Friday, June 15, 2001 at the Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapels with Rev. Larry Tensley officiating. Burial was in the Desdemona Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home in Gorman. Rance William Porter was born January 8, 1983 in Dallas to Terry William Porter and Joy Lane Stephenson Porter. Rance had attended Gorman High School the last few years. He was employed with Rocking B Construction Co. He was a Baptist. Survivors include his father and stepmother, Terry and Shannon Porter of Quinlan; mother, Joy Lane Porter of Alexandria, LA; three brothers, Steven Porter, Jeffery Porter and Andrew Porter all of Alexandria, LA; one step-brother, David Allred of Quinlan; grandparents, Jackie and Glenda Pratt of Denton, Mr. & Mrs. Bill Wafford of Palestine, and Mr. & Mrs. Carl Butler of Belton as well as several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Winnie Mae Hunt Laid to Rest

Winnie Mae Hunt, 90, of DeLeon, passed away on June 12, 2001 at the DeLeon Nursing Home. Services were Thursday, June 14, 2001 at the Nowlin Funeral Home Chapel with Jackie Auvenshine officiating. Burial was in the DeLeon Cemetery. Mrs. Hunt was born on February 4, 1911 in Gap, Texas to the late William Arthur Van Nort and Effie Viola Jenkins Van Nort. She married B.R. Hunt on January 20, 1940 in San Angelo, Texas. She was a homemaker. Survivors include one sister Myrtle Van Nort of Weatherford; one niece Pat Jernigan of Copperas Cove; 3 nephews, O.L. Jones of Canyon Lake, David Bryan Jones of Kemp, and Roy Dean Van Nort of Eagle Lake. Preceded by her husband, B.R. Hunt on August 12, 1992. Memorials may be made to the St. Joe Baptist Church.

Ileta Cavitt Laid to Rest

Ileta Cavitt, 82, of DeLeon died on Saturday, June 16, 2001 at the Brownwood Regional Medical Center. Services were Monday, June 18, 2001 at the Northside Baptist Church in DeLeon with Jackie Auvenshine officiating. Burial was in the DeLeon Cemetery. Mrs. Cavitt was born on March 28, 1919 in Comanche County to the late Carroll and Susie Crownover Eads. She married T.P. Cavitt on August 15, 1938 in Stephenville. He preceded her in death on March 26, 1983. Mrs. Cavitt was a life long resident of DeLeon and a member of the DeLeon Northside Baptist Church. She was a homemaker. Survivors include two daughters, Ruby Pounds of DeLeon and Charlotte Snider of Gorman, 5 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren; two brothers, Bob Eads of Comanche and J. Edward (Pug) Eads of Austin. Preceded in death by two brothers, Royce and Wesley Eads and one sister, Opal Hardin.

Thank You

There are no words that can adequately express our deep appreciation for the outpouring of love and support shown to our family during the passing of our beloved Bill and for all of your prayers and words of encouragement through his long battle with cancer. Our thanks to Bro. Craig Rhodon for the wonderful service and tribute to our loved one. A sincere thanks to the John Howard family for the beautiful music and songs. Our thanks to Ray Daniels and staff for a wonderful job. Thank you Gene Foster and staff for the flower arrangements. They were all gorgeous. Our thank to Dr. Hirsch and staff and nurses at Hendricks Hospital. They are very loving, caring group of people. Our sincere thanks to the people who provided and served food for our large family and to the people who brought food to our home. We are thankful to everyone for all of the prayers, visits, flowers, phone calls, cards, food and every act of love and kindness. We truly believe we live among the greatest people in the world and are thankful you have been a part of our lives. May God bless and keep you in our prayer. Shirley Eaves David Eaves Paula Harris, Randall and Mason

Federal Funds Help Local ISD Improve Teacher Quality

Federal funds were made available to Gorman ISD through the Class-Size Reduction Program for the school year 2000-2001. This initiative targeted the hiring of new teachers to reduce class-size in grades 1-3 and the improvement of teacher quality. Gorman ISD received \$9,844. Since teacher/student ratios were already below 18/1 in grades 1-3, these funds were used to improve teacher quality by the teachers attending training. The funds were used to pay travel to the workshops, the workshop fees, and teachers substitutes for the following workshops/conferences.

Laticia Hampton
Pat Caraway
Shirley Good
Shirley Good
Casey Torisk
Shirley Good
Jean Lasater
Lara Wright
Jean Lasater
Casey Torisk
Pat Caraway

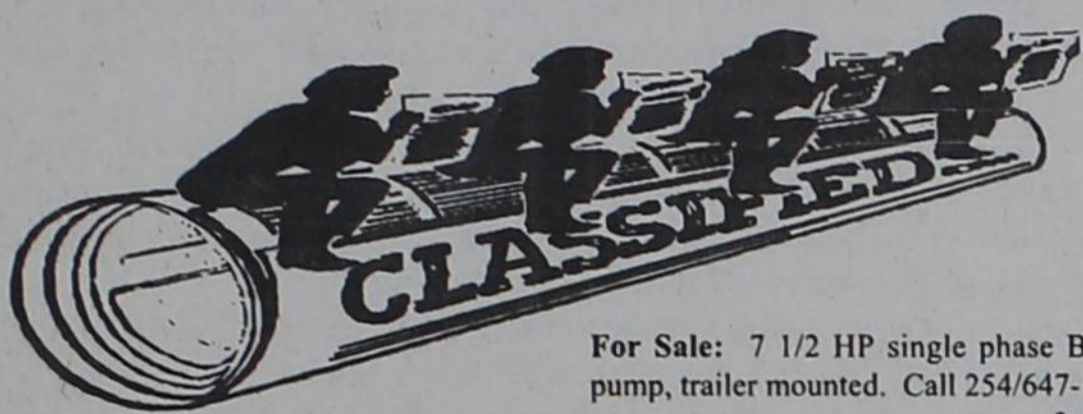
- "CAST"
- "Plant the Seed Read"
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- "TEKS and Inventive Thinking"
- "Plant the Seed Read"
- "Reading Symposium"
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- "TEKS for Leaders"
- "TEKS and Inventive Thinking"
- "Proactive Approach to ADD/ADHD"
- "English Language Arts and English Language Learners"
- "How to be an Effective Teacher"
- "How to be an Effective Teacher"
- "How to be an Effective Teacher"
- "How to be an Effective Teacher"
- "Gobble Up Science, Math and Writing"
- "TEKS/TASS"
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- "Reading Centers"
- "TEKS/TASS"
- "Elaborate Writing"
- "Dyslexia Teaching Strategies"
- "Dyslexia Teaching Strategies"
- "First Grade Teacher Convention"
- "Cross Cultural Communication"

Kaymie Self
Shanna Lewis
Stephanie Barker
Casey Torisk
Tracy Keith
Shanna Lewis
Stephanie Barker
Denise O'Dell
Tracy Spivey
Casey Torisk
Tracy Keith
Lara Wright
Shanna Lewis
Shanna Lewis
Patricia Caraway
Tracy Spivey
Shanna Lewis
Mary Reeves

All Maxfield Elementary teachers will attend a local workshop June 29 and July 13. Curriculum alignment and planning will be done for the 2001-2002 school year.

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76 A near Duster, heavily timbered, good deer & turkey hunting, one stock pond, CR frontage, good fences. \$900.00 acre

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We have moved the contents of this estate from Gorman into our auction house and will conduct the sale here inside out of the weather. With only one exception all goods and merchandise will be offered at absolute auction with no minimums or reserves. Located in downtown Rising Star just three hours or less from anywhere that it matters — 20 minutes south of Cisco off Interstate 20.
Email us at rsac@eastland.net for a link to photo album on this auction.
A partial listing of the items in this auction includes the following:
The best collection of quality antique American furniture that we have had: pre-1880 oak mission style dining room furniture including round oak pedestal table with 5 leaves and 10 chairs (table makes out to 10 ft.); pre-1880 oak mission style sideboard with mirrored back splash; pre-1880 oak mission style tea trolley; antique oak wishbone support mirror dresser; unusually small antique oak icebox; pre-1880 oak mission style day bed; pre-1880 oak mission style library desk; antique oak serpentine front mirrored dresser; drop front secretary; oak china cabinet; 1930's turned leg table; Victorian side chair; upright piano with bench; primitive kitchen cabinet; chest on chest and lots more.
Firearms: model 1913 Lugar with holster and (2) clips (on \$950 reserve); Winchester model 12 20 ga. shotgun in very good condition and Stevens .22 rifle.
Collectibles of all sort: we have not properly inventoried the miscellaneous merchandise in this auction yet. As we commence to move the estate goods to our auction house, we will begin to uncover the small items in this sale. The attic is full of items that have been stored there since the 1960's, rooms are full, drawers are full, storage buildings are full and we are anxious to begin to properly sort these items. Beginning on June 12th, watch our online photo album for our progress. Of the items that we saw here are a few of the more interesting. A really nice antique mercantile coffee mill; equally nice antique cast iron school house bell with mount; (2) different Gone with the Wind style lamps; antique light green crock mill pitcher. There will be a lot of additional collectibles in this auction.
Additionally, all of the household goods that are normal to an estate auction will be offered and there will be plenty of box and contents.
Auctioneer's notes: We have a tremendous amount of merchandise to go through, explore and discover when we actually begin to set up this auction. After having been on location twice, it is apparent to me that Mr. and Mrs. Sutton preferred vintage goods. This is one of the best auctions that we have had the pleasure of offering. This is one of the best auctions that we have had the pleasure of offering. There will be plenty of unadvertised quality collectibles and furniture items not mentioned in this advertisement. It is our privilege to offer this estate at absolute auction with only one exception.
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First Baptist Church of Desdemona observed Father's Day last Sunday during the morning service. Several visitors attended. Special music was presented by Beth Riggs of DeLeon and Marvin McKeehan of Stephenville.

Each father present received an engraved cap. Pastor Dewayne Brawner and the members invite you to attend each service.

Desdemona First Baptist Church will have a special Dedication Service

on Sunday, July 1st, as the remodeling project of the auditorium and classrooms is almost complete. Morning service will begin at 11:00 a.m. with special music recognition of visitors and special presentation of engraved

Kokomo News

By Zelda Jordan

The seven tenths of an inch of rain we received on Thursday evening was great. Just wish there could have been more. We are thankful that we were spared a lot of hail and high wind. There was a little bit of pea size hail here at my house. Bro. Dwayne Battenfield was the guest preacher at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning. His wife, Sharon, accompanied him to Kokomo. Kayla Jordan of Lubbock was also a visitor. The special music was rendered by Woodrow and Helen Browning, Kay Snider, Leona Wilson and Aletha Burgess.

Vacation Bible School is being held at the Kokomo Baptist Church this week from 6:30 to 8:30 p. m. Family night will be on Friday at 8:00 p.m.

We hope that all fathers had a wonderful Father's Day with their families.

Covis and Pauline Crawley of Arlington were recent visitors with Larry and Betty Strube.

Visitors with Hazel and La Von Snider during the past week were Toby and Angie Snider and children, Karina, Karle and Klarissa of Fredericksburg, Jamie and Stephanie Snider and children, Kael, Craig, Matthew, Anna and Andrew of Hollis, OK, Ted Snider, Dwayne Snider of Stephenville and Bro. Clarence Wilson.

We extend sincere sympathy to Charlotte and Ted Snider and family for the death of her mother, Ileta Cavitt of De Leon.

Father's Day visitors with Jimmy and Verna Little were Ray Neal and Melissa Little of Eastland, James, Jill, Ashley and Breckley Little of Lake Leon. Shane Shott also visited with them. Shane and his family will be moving to Eastland from San Angelo in the near future. Cody and Jarad Fails who are spending the summer here with Jimmy and Verna Little went home for a visit with their mother, Nelda Fails, during the weekend.

David and Cassie Brasher visited Pleas and Pat Reneau of Ranger and they did some fishing at Lake Leon.

Visitors with Nancy Hendricks were Tony Stogner of Dallas, Ruth Bryant, Troy Scitern, and Sylvia Buchanan.

Zelda Jordan visited with Joe and Barbara Fields of Carbon and Teresa and Richard Nachtigall of Morgan Mill at the Fields place at Kokomo on Friday afternoon.

Glenda Black and Ryan and Kody Daniell of Abilene spent Thursday night with Zelda Jordan. On Saturday, Zelda, Glenda, Ryan and Kody met Cindy, Kyle and Kayla Jordan of Lubbock in Snyder for lunch and a visit and Kayla came home with them for a visit this week with her grandma Zelda and to attend the Vacation Bible School at the Kokomo Baptist church. They also visited with Wade and Sheri Daniell.

Garrett Gatlin of Mineral Wells visited last week with his grandparents, Woodrow and Helen Browning. Lesley and Melanie Gatlin are visiting with the Brownings this week and attending the Vacation Bible School.

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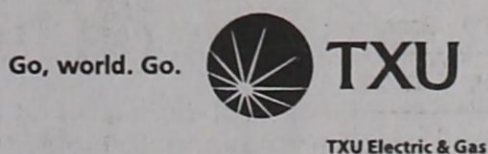
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After all, the one thing mightier than Texas heat is Texas heart.



Heritage Manor News

By Nancy Hendricks

A Note from the Administrator

June 18, 2001

Hi folks,

I hope that all of you had a happy Father's Day! We were able to spend time with both my father and my father-in-law. We are planning a busy week as our CNA Recognition Party is scheduled for Thursday, June 21st at 2:00 p.m. Please plan to attend and help us celebrate the wonderful job that our CNA's do for us. Have a great week and plan to visit the nursing home soon!

Sincerely, Brent

The next Birthday Party will be Friday, June 22nd at 2:00 p.m. Hallie Clark is the honoree. There will be entertainment and refreshments.

On Sunday morning, Tootie Campbell, James Tucker, Bruce and Lavoyce Hirst came from First Baptist Church for the Sunday School lesson. Residents were Ollie Halcomb, Dorothy Beaty, Irene Heathington, Buddy Winn, A.V. Seay, Veno Hale, S.D. Gilmore, Ola Walker, Inez Rogers, Frankie Jarrett, Robin Taylor, Ava Rodgers, Cynthia Earles, Clifton Jarrett and Patti Whitehorn.

Visiting Jolene Gilliland were Glenda Silvertooth of Longview, Jane Cunningham of Cleburne, Jack Eison of Bridgeport, Barbara Smith, Wynogene Smith, Durwood Webb, Robbie, Lori and Kaycee Dodd, Daisy Slaton, Kay Henry, Jo Carole Looney of Arlington, Ima Brown, Joy Rogers, Pat Hagood, Eunice Love, Fay and Denzel Ables.

On Sunday afternoon those coming from the Kokomo Baptist Church were Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson, Woodrow and Helen Browning, Hope Joiner, Jimmy Little, Johnnie B. Griffith, Nancy Hendricks and guests Pat Graham, Mason Parrish, Ruth Bryant, Jerry and Sherry Parrish. Resident were Cynthia Earles, A.V. Seay, Olan and Margaret Helms, Clifton and Frankie Jarrett, Inez Rogers, Mildred Bellows, Bea O'Neal, Veno Hale, Patti Whitehorn, Robin Taylor, Edith Parrish, and S.D. Gilmore.

Some of Joan Butler's guests were Patty Hirst of Dublin, Lora Faye Warren, Kendra Roberts, Icy Munn, Anna Lee Roberts, Ima Brown, Blanch Sanders, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, Durwood Webb, Howard and Pat Hagood, Iris Preston.

Visiting S.D. Gilmore were Nina Joiner, Eunice Love, Ethel Weaver, Ernestine Campbell, Harvey Winn, Rev. Clarence and Leona Wilson of Stephenville, Pat Hagood, Fay and Denzel Ables.

On Monday morning, Pat Graham and Ina Smith had bingo for Clifton and Frankie Jarrett, S.D. Gilmore, A.V. Seay, Inez Rogers, Mildred Bellows, Veno Hale, Cynthia Earles, Dorothy Beaty, Patti Whitehorn and Ava Rodgers.

Some of Mary Williams guests were Jo Carey of Midlothian, Linda Feld of Houston, Maxine Frasier of DeLeon, Kelly Moss, Ima Brown, Christine Self of Carbon, Howard and Pat Hagood, Geraldine Wright, Iris Preston, Joy Rogers, Eunice Love, Zena Simpson, Rev. Clarence and Leona Wilson, Lori and Kaycee Dodd, Fay and Denzel Ables.

On Monday afternoon those coming for singing were Ernestine Campbell, Marjorie Treadway, Ethel Weaver, Nina Joiner, Alpha Mae Andry, Ruth Bryant and Nancy Hendricks. Residents were Edith Phillips, Margaret Helms, Ava Rodgers, Frankie and Clifton Jarrett, Veno Hale, Irene Heathington, Mildred Bellows, Robin Taylor, Cynthia Earles, Inez Rogers, S.D. Gilmore, Ollie Halcomb, Dorothy Beaty.

Visiting Cynthia Earles and Modess Self were Christine Self and Harvey Winn of Carbon, V.O. Huff, Eunice Love, Howard and Pat Hagood, Zena Simpson, Ken and Betty Sue Heathington, Dave and Laneta Freeman, Clarence and Leona Wilson of Stephenville, Dr. June Brooks of Aledo, Fay and Denzel Ables, Eunice Love.

Some of Muriel Prewitt guests were Rev. Clarence and Leona Wilson, Durwood Webb, Mayvis Lasater, Eunice Love, Amy Fraley, Howard and Pat Hagood, Fay and Denzel Ables.

Visiting James and Louise Griffin were Daisy Slaton, Harvey Winn, Clarence
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This is not the case. So, what have we been freed from? We have been set free from the law of sin and the law of death. However, this freedom is contingent upon what a person seeks. If an individual seeks after the flesh, they will reap of the flesh corruption. But, if they seek after the Spirit, they will reap of the Spirit life everlasting, Galatians 6:8, this is so because of the law of sowing and reaping.

Now, if we seek after the things of the Spirit, and not the things of the flesh, the Apostle Paul declares that the righteousness of the law will be fulfilled in us. That is why Christ came in the flesh. He demonstrated for us that it was possible to be mortal and still submit to the desires of the Spirit of God, by bringing our thoughts and desires in control by the power of the Spirit of Christ.

According to scripture, an individual cannot hope to be able to bring his or her thoughts and desires in control without being born again of water and of the Spirit. This is found in John 3:5-6. *Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit.*

Is it possible to seek after and fulfill the desire(-s) of the flesh and still go to Heaven, or enter into life everlasting?

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Morton Valley we love you
Morton Valley we love you
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Morton Valley School Reunion is Saturday, June 30, 2001 from 9 a.m. to whenever at the Eastland High School Cafeteria. Lunch will be served at 12 noon by GRANNY'S. Menu: chicken tenders, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, and peach cobbler. The cost will be \$6.50. We need your reservations in by June 21. We also need any address changes you can help us with.

It is suggested that each one bring some memories from school days. I have annuals for 1938-39, 1941-42, 1942-43, 1944-45, 1945-46, 1946-47, 1947-48, 1948-49. These have been put on CD. If you have any other years annual, I would love to borrow it for a short while. Please bring pictures from the community and from the school. There will be a time of sharing memories so rack your brain and come up with some cute stories about our few years as the school of Morton Valley.

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s/ Wanda

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and Leona Wilson, and Eunice Love.

Ina Smith had "Horse Races" for Ava Rodgers, Veno Hale, Inez Rogers, Clifton and Frankie Jarrett, A.V. Seay, Dorothy Beaty, Mildred Bellows, S.D. Gilmore and Sara Rodgers.

Some of A.V. Seay and Sara Rodgers guests were George Rodgers, Rev. Clarence and Leona Wilson, Nina Joiner, Ethel Weaver, Marjorie Treadway, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, Mr. Treadway, Nancy Hendricks, Ruth Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. T.T. Fair, Lorene Hamilton of Cisco.

Visiting Olan and Margaret Helms were Nina Joiner, Harvey Winn, Pat Hagood.

On Wednesday coming for chapel were Bro. Bill Campbell of First Baptist Church. Residents were Ola Walker, Ava Rodgers, Margaret Helms, Dorothy Beaty, Veno Hale, Inez Rogers, A.V. Seay, Frankie Jarrett, Robin Taylor, Ollie Halcomb, Emma Bethany and James Griffin.

Patti Whitehorn guests were Marie Cook, Sylvia Estes, T.D. Whitehorn, Mary Estes of Carbon, Bro. Clarence and Leona Wilson, Pat Hagood.

Art Class on Tuesday were Cynthia Earles, Robin Taylor, Ollie Halcomb, A.V. Seay, Inez Rogers, Dorothy Beaty and Frankie Jarrett.

Visiting Dorothy Beaty and Ollie Halcomb were David and Denna Halcomb, Pat Hagood, Denzel and Fay Ables, and Eunice Love.

Guests visiting Ed Johnson and Buddy Winn were Christopher Cunningham of Paden, OK, Harvey Winn of Carbon, Jay Johnson, Dale Johnson, Denzel and Fay Ables, and Eunice Love.

Wednesday afternoon those in the Arts and Crafts were Cynthia Earles, A.V. Seay, Inez Rogers, Ola Walker, Ollie Halcomb, Dorothy Beaty, Patti Whitehorn and Ava Rodgers.

Visiting Clifton and Frankie Jarrett were Rita Hall of Kerrville, Donnie Mathison, Ethel Weaver, Marjorie Treadway, Ernestine Campbell, and Harvey Winn of Carbon, Bill Johnson, Kay Watson, Mark Watson, Bill and Tootie Campbell, Clarence and Leona Wilson, Nina Joiner, Nancy Hendricks, Fay and Denzel Ables, Eunice Love.

Some of Ava Rodgers guests were Jimmy Rodgers of Midlothian, Rev. Clarence and Leona Wilson of Stephenville, Jimmy Little, Hope Joiner, Woodrow and Helen Browning, Johnnie B. Griffith, Ruth Bryant, Nancy Hendricks, Fay and Denzel Ables, Ima Brown, Jana Grice, Eunice Love, and Mayvis Lasater.

On Thursday morning, Ina Smith had "All About the Flag." Everyone got a miniature United States flag, pinned on them. They were Ollie Halcomb, Inez Rogers, Modest Self, A.V. Seay, Ava Rodgers, Cynthia Earles, Frankie Jarrett, Veno Hale, Dorothy Beaty, Mildred Bellows, S.D. Gilmore.

Those visiting Mildred Bellows were Danny and Sally Bellows of Dallas, Clarence and Leona Wilson, Darrell and Pat Bellows, Eunice Love, Denzel and Fay Ables.

Thursday afternoon, "Whatever" turned out to be painting posters. They were A.V. Seay, S.D. Gilmore, Cynthia Earles, Dorothy Beaty, Inez Rogers and Ollie Halcomb.

JoAnn Fraley, Eunice Love, Pat Hagood, Denzel and Fay Ables visited with Hallie Clark.

Visiting Inez Rogers were Lorene Hamilton of Cisco, Dixie Ryon and Violet Watson of Desdemona, Buddy Rogers of Ranger, Joy Rogers, Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson of Stephenville, Fay and Denzel Ables, Betty Heathington, Laneta Freeman, Pat Hagood, Zena Simpson.

Visiting Edith Phillips were Linda Fildt of Houston, Robert Phillips and James Phillips of Seguin, Jerry, Sherry and Mason Parrish.

On Friday morning, Ina Smith and Pat Graham had bingo for Veno Hale, Inez Rogers, Clifton and Frankie Jarrett, A.V. Seay, Ava Rodgers, Dorothy Beaty, Patti Whitehorn, S.D. Gilmore, Ollie Halcomb, Cynthia Earles, and Mildred Bellows.

Visiting Veno Hale and Stella Files were Ima Boles of Clyde, Bobby Little, Zena Simpson, Fay and Denzel Ables, Jimmy Little, Rev. Clarence and Leona Wilson, Ruth Bryant, Hope Joiner.

On Friday afternoon, Ina Smith made snow cones for everyone. Later, residents worked on the weekend fun books. They were A.V. Seay, S.D. Gilmore, Cynthia Earles, Inez Rogers.

Visiting Emma Bethany were Nell Howell of Abilene, Lasha Ortez of DeLeon, Odie Brightwell, Zena Simpson, Rev. Clarence and Leona Wilson.

On Saturday, residents met in the north lobby for visitation and TV. They were S.D. Gilmore, Cynthia Earles, A.V. Seay, Robin Taylor, Margaret Helms, Dorothy Beaty, Ollie Halcomb, Inez Rogers.

Visiting Irene Heathington were Ken and Betty Sue Heathington, Dave and Laneta Freeman, Rev. Clarence and Leona Wilson, Eunice Love, Fay and Denzel Ables.

We would like to welcome Orvill and Vada Bihn to our community. They have moved here from Midland, Michigan. Orvill worked at Dow Chemical until 1982 when he retired and now just enjoys life. Vada is a homemaker. They have two daughters here, Pam Hetrick lives here in Gorman with her husband, and Murial England who works here at the nursing home and lives in Carbon with her husband and two children. Their son, Greg Bihn and his family reside in Shepherd Michigan. They have purchased the Verlin Colvalt home on Hwy 8 so go by and say hello and welcome them to Gorman.

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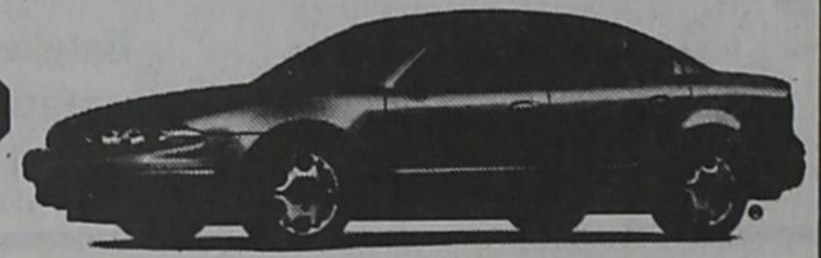


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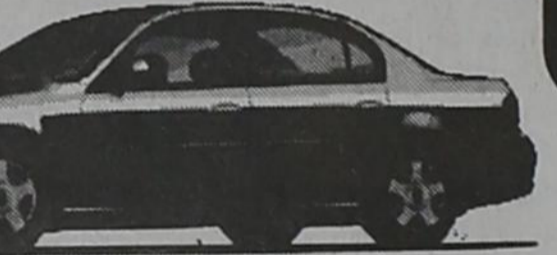
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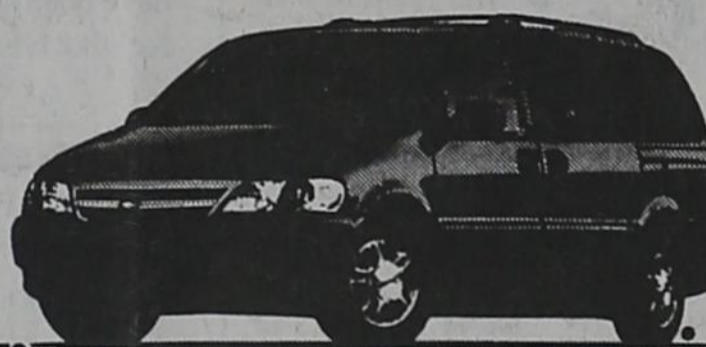
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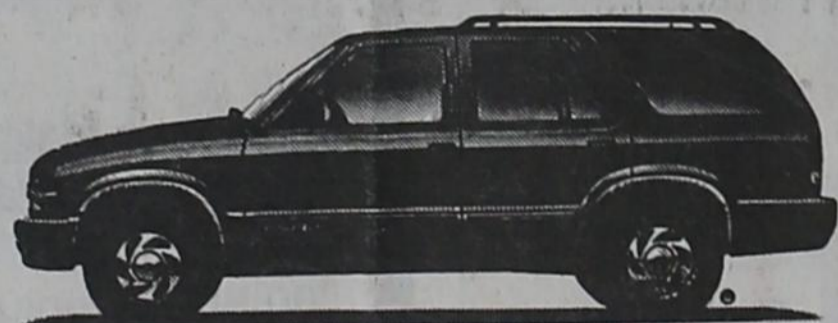
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