

**Jerry Kittrell**

Jerry Kittrell, 74, of Hart, Texas, passed away on Tuesday, February 24, 2015, in Hart. The funeral service will be held today (Friday) at 1 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Hart with Josh Faucett, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow in Hart Cemetery under the direction of Colonial Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Jerry was born on December 7, 1940, in Littlefield, Texas, to Odell Cleo Kittrell and Vasca Marie Cates Kittrell. On July 22, 1960, Jerry married Edna Davis in the First Baptist Church of Hart.

He was owner and operator of Kittrell Electronics in Hart and Dimmitt for 39 1/2 years before retiring. He was a member of the Texas Electronics Association, Kiwanis, Hart Lions

Club, Hart Golden Group, school board member of Hart Independent School District, and board member of the Runningwater Draw Care Center.

Jerry served as Chairman of the Deacons of the First Baptist Church, where he taught Sunday School and was a youth group sponsor.

Throughout the years, Jerry was the announcer for the Hart Days Parade. In 2014, he and Edna were chosen as Parade Marshals.

Jerry enjoyed spending time outdoors, including raising goats and Quarter horses, gardening, hunting and fishing.

He is survived by his loving wife, Edna Kittrell of Hart; three daughters, Theresa Marble and husband Marlin of Wills Point, Melissa Carpenter and husband Rod of Farwell and Gayla Myrick and husband Coy of Hart; two sisters, Joyce Roberson of Amherst and Peggy Davis of Anton; four grandsons, Allston Marble and wife Danica, Logan Carpenter, Luke Carpenter and Lance Myrick; three granddaughters, Ashley Marble and fiancé Nathan Cadis, Kelby Brock and husband Brooks and Katy Carpenter; and two great-grandchildren, Jack Marble and Olivia Marble.

Jerry is preceded in death by his parents; a brother, John

Kittrell; and a nephew, Deryl Davis.

Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church of Hart, PO Box 407, Hart, Texas, 79043 or to Runningwater Draw Care Center, 800 W. 13th, Olton, Texas, 79064.

Sign the online guestbook at colonialfuneralhome.org

Curtis Snitker

Curtis Snitker, 79, of Hart, passed away on Tuesday, February 24, 2015, in Dimmitt. Memorial services were Thursday at First Baptist Church of Hart at 4 p.m. with Rev. Josh Faucett, pastor, officiating. Arrangements were being handled by Colonial Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Private burial services will be held at Enochs Cemetery in Cochran County.

Curtis was born September 26, 1935, in Wilbarger County, Texas, to Claude Clifford and Dicie Snitker. He had been a resident of Hart since 1970.

He married Gwen Jennings on February 14, 1955. He was a farmer and did custom farming for several years prior to becoming a crop duster for 35 years. He also was a mail carrier for 34 years for Route 2 in Hart.

He helped start a spraying service in Castro County, and was a county commissioner for Castro County from 1985-1988. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Hart and had sung in the church choir. He loved playing the guitar, fiddle and mandolin, sometimes playing for nursing home residents. He was a referee for many high school and Little Dribblers basketball games. His hobbies were playing music, dominoes, flying, riding horses, gardening tomatoes and being a jokester. He was a permanent customer at the Longhorn Diner every morning for breakfast for many years.

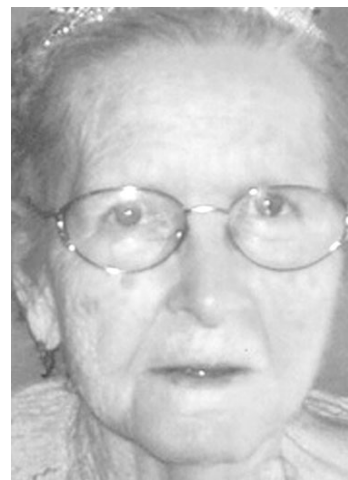
He is survived by his wife, Gwen Snitker of Hart; two sons,

Jody Snitker and Glen Snitker and his wife Diane, all of Dimmitt; one daughter, Melissa Nolte, and her husband Franklin of Dumas; six grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and an aunt, Lena Johnson of Roswell, NM;

He is preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, J.C. and Stan Snitker; and a daughter-in-law, Donya Snitker.

The family has suggested memorials be made to Enochs Cemetery Association, c/o Wanda Layton, 3140 CR 184, Morton, Texas 79346

You may go online and sign the guestbook at www.colonialfuneralhome.org

**Billie Terry**

Billie Bland Evans Terry, 85, of Hart, Texas, passed away on January 29, 2015, in Olton, Texas. The funeral service was held on Tuesday, February 3, 2015, at 2 p.m. in Lee Street Baptist Church, Dimmitt, with Bobby Campbell officiating. Burial followed in Castro Memorial Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Colonial Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Billie was born on September 6, 1929, to Albert Bland and Trecie Phillips Bland in Vera, Texas. She completed school through the 11th grade, and later received her G.E.D. She married Edward (Jack) Evans on November 29, 1947, and after his death, she married James Terry on July 1, 1974, who also preceded her in death.

She worked for Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt for about 30 years and received the "Employee of the Year Award" in 1989. Everyone loved her coconut cream pies, and she loved to sew and made many prom dresses over the years. Most of all, she will be remembered for her honesty, the love for her family and her loyalty. A special "thank you" to her granddaughter, Erica Evans, for staying with her and taking care of her for several years until she went to the nursing home to live.

Billie is survived by six children: Joe Evans and Gary Evans, both of Dimmitt; Kathy Johnson and partner Craig Fuller of Dimmitt; Robert Evans, Sue Smith and husband Steve, all of Hart; and Nancy Heinson and husband Mike of Meade, Kansas; 19 grandchildren; 39 great-grandchildren; eight great-great grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She also is preceded in death by three brothers, Thurman Bland, Holden Bland and Henry Bland; and one sister, Dorothy Yates.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, PO Box 96011, Washington, D



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