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Obituaries



Braswell

Carolyn Ruth Braswell, age 70, of College Station, Texas, passed from this life to the next on Tuesday, April 10, 2012. She was surrounded by her family and died after a long struggle with ALS.

A memorial service was held at 3 pm, Friday April 13, at Christ United Methodist Church in College Station.

Carolyn was born July 15, 1941, to the late Melvin and Essie McCullough Childress in Sanco, Coke County,

Texas, the youngest of three daughters. Carolyn graduated from Robert Lee High School in Robert Lee, Texas in 1958.

She is survived by her loving husband of 54 years, Eddie Braswell, and four children – Ginger and husband Matt Williams of The Woodlands, Van Braswell and wife Elissa of Crowley, Sterling Braswell of College Station, and Gentry Braswell of Houston.

She is survived by seven grandchildren – 1st LT Hunter Williams of Ft. Drum, New York, Dillon Williams of Austin, Evan Braswell of Bronte, Andra Braswell and fiancée Brandon Herrington of Ft. Worth, Jesse Braswell of Greenville, Spencer Braswell, and Jaidon Braswell.

Carolyn is also survived by her sister Bonita Copeland Cartrite of Robert Lee, Texas, and a

host of nieces and nephews who were very special to her since she babysat many of them.

She was preceded in death by her sister Juanice Sheppard Herr of Memphis, Tennessee.

Carolyn loved her family and music. She played the piano and sang in church and community choirs all of her life. Her home was always full of music and she loved to dance and perform. When Eddie was transferred to Alpine, she enrolled at Sul Ross University and sang with the University choir.

Along with raising four children, she worked for Sweetwater ISD and College Station ISD before becoming the CEO of Fed Star Credit Union in College Station. She worked for Blakely Crop Insurance for 5 years and was a Realtor with Century 21 Beal and Lone Star Realty for 10 years.

When they moved to College Station in 1978, Carolyn and Eddie became members of A&M United Methodist Church. In 1995, they were part of the mission team that started Christ United Methodist Church in College Station, where they remain faithful members. Carolyn has been a part of the Music Ministry since then and the choir, ensembles and the children's choir were dear to her heart.

The family would like to thank everyone for their support and also

Compassionate Care Hospice, especially Charli and Stacey. Memorials to Carolyn may be made to the Music Ministry at CUMC, 4201 Hwy 6 S, College Station, Texas 77845. Carolyn will be inurned in the Columbarium at Christ United Methodist Church.

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Vision fundraiser set for April 22

Don't forget to use your tickets for Robert Lee's Vision with a Purpose fundraising fried chicken dinner on Sunday, April 22, from 11:30 am until 1 pm. Orders can be picked up at the Robert Lee Fire Department, corner of Highways 208 and 158.

RLISD to host public meeting

Robert Lee ISD will hold its final public meeting on the May Bond Issue, Tuesday, April 24, at 7 pm at the Coke County Courthouse.

Robert Lee City Wide Spring Cleanup slated

The City of Robert Lee and Trashaway Services will sponsor a City-wide Spring Clean-Up. The event is scheduled for Friday, April 27, and Saturday, April 28.

This free service is offered to the residents and business owners of the City and is an opportunity to get rid of clutter and unwanted items. VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED. For more information, call City Hall at 453-2831.

Roll-off dumpsters will be located at the County Precinct 3 Yard located on Coke Street between E. 6th and 7th Street.

This location will be open on Friday, April 27, from 9 am – 3 pm and on Saturday, April 28, from 8:30 am to 12 noon.

Items that will be accepted are appliances, household and yard items. Batteries will be accepted. Absolutely NO, tires, household trash, wet paint or chemicals. Appliances must have refrigerant removed.

Brush, tree limbs, and wood material need to go to the landfill. Take advantage of the FREE disposal offered at the City Landfill during this clean-up event.

The Landfill will be open, weather permitting, from 9 am – 12 noon on Saturday, April 28.

Bronte City-Wide Garage Sale slated

It's time again for the annual City-Wide Garage Sale so mark your calendars for May 5 at 8 am. If you would like to participate, please call City Hall at 473-3501. Your location will be added to the city maps that will be given away the day of the garage sales. This is a great opportunity to recycle, reuse and reduce unwanted items in your closets and storage items.

Benefit Softball tournament slated

A softball tournament benefiting Cory Thorn is set for Saturday, May 12, 2012, at Texas Bank Sports Complex in San Angelo. There will be an open men's division and an open co-ed division with a three game guarantee. A motorcycle rally will also be held starting at the complex in conjunction with the softball tournament.

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"Do you know that you are loved?"
 - Jesus

Sunday Mornings • 10 am
Bible Study • Tuesday 7 pm
Romans • Pot Luck Dinner at 6 pm

FORGIVEN MINISTRIES
 Downtown Bronte • Across from Grocery Store
 Russ Frasier, Preacher


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Bronte

Bronte Church of Christ
 PO Box 346 • 118 S. Jefferson • Bronte
 (325) 473-3291
 Preacher John V. Driggers
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm

Central Baptist Church
 324 S. Franklin • Bronte
 (325) 473-4811
 Dale Patterson, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 11 am & 6 pm Worship
 Wed. 6 pm

First Baptist Church
 424 S. Washington • Bronte
 (325) 473-2331
 Bro. Corey Cornutt, Pastor
 Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School,
 10:55 am Worship,
 5 pm Worship
 6 pm Youth
 Wednesday 7 pm Prayer Meeting

First United Methodist Church
 Corner of Washington & Holmes
 Bronte
 (325) 473-3281
 Rev. Matt Pennington, Pastor
 Sun. 9:30 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship

Forgiven Ministries
 117 W. Main, Bronte
 Russ Frasier, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am

St. James Catholic Church
 215 N. Washington, Bronte
 (325) 365-2687
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor
 Sun. 5 pm

Coke County

Pecan Baptist
 PO Box 542 • 12 miles West of
 Robert Lee on Sterling City Hwy
 (325) 453-2482
www.pecanbaptist.org
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship

Robert Lee

Emmanuel Pentecostal
 PO Box 683 • 1019 Colorado City Hwy
 Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2360
 Rev. Ray Aldridge, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm

First United Methodist Church
 PO Box 144 • 9th & Chadbourne
 Robert Lee • (325) 453-2417
 Steve Peyton, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 11 am Worship
 5:00 pm Choir Practice

Iglesia Bautista Bethel
 101 Houston • Robert Lee
 Sun. 10 am • Worship
 11 am & 6 pm • Service
 Wed. 7 pm

Southside Church of Christ
 PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston
 Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2176
 Jordan Arnold, Preacher
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6 pm, Worship

Northside Church of Christ
 PO Box 508
 9th & Chadbourne • Robert Lee
 (325) 655-9784 or 453-2685
 Services: Sun. 10 am & 1:30 pm;
 Wed. 6 pm

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
 601 W. 10th, Robert Lee
 (325) 365-2687
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor
 Sat. 6 pm

Robert Lee Baptist Church
 PO Box 493 • 22 W. 11th
 (325) 453-2724
 Danny White, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship
 Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting

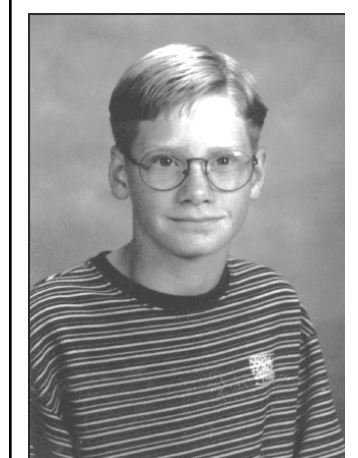
Victory Assembly of God
 PO Box 638
 6th & Houston, Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2208
 Rev. Irving Smith, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6 pm, Bible Study

Tennyson

Tennyson Baptist Church
 Hwy 277 • Tennyson
 (325) 473-2040
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11:00 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

Casey Neal Eubanks

April 24, 1984 • May 17, 1998



HAPPY 28TH BIRTHDAY!
 We Love You and Miss You!
 Love,
 Mom, Dad,
 Colby, Lori, Jesse,
 Caitlyn, and
 Zachary