

TEXAS LAWMAKERS URGE VIDEO SURVEILLANCE OF ALL JAIL CELLS IN STATEWIDE FOLLOWING DEATH OF SANDRA BLAND



Sandra Bland

The tragic death of Sandra Bland on Monday, July 13, 2015, while confined in the Waller County Jail, requires decisive and landmark action by the Texas Legislature to guarantee that every jail cell in Texas is being monitored by a video surveillance system.





Jaylen Bledsoe

How many kids do you know who start their own company at he age of just 12? Not many. That makes Jaylen Bledsoe of Hazelwood, Missouri, not only unique but also one of the oungest entrepreneurs.

How he got started

Bledsoe began his company, Bledsoe Technologies, when he was 12 years old. With a dream and \$100, he began marketing his technology services, and within two years he had 150 contractors working for him. Within three years, he had already

Bland, 28, a graduate of Prairie View A&M who had come back after accepting a new job at her alma mater, was reportedly alone in a Waller County Jail cell, out-of-sight of a nearby county jail video camera, when she allegedly committed suicide by hanging.

The local, state, national, and international outrage over the incredible circumstances surrounding the passing of Sandra Bland demands action that will protect any person, regardless of their background, from being hurt or losing their life while in custody.

\$3.5 million in revenue.

His expertise and success is multi-faceted and includes start-up businesses, brand & business development, venture capital funding, direct marketing platform development and implementation, entrepreneurship, and increasing revenue streams. The clients he works with include Jordin Sparks and Steve Harvey. And more..

Outside of his daily business practices, Jaylen is also a motivational speaker for various groups around the globe. He brings enlightenment, wit, comedic humor, and moving stories to his

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NEWS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Terrence Howard in court trying to undo divorce agreement LOS ANGELES (AP) — Terrence Howard agreed to a 2012 divorce set-



By DARRYL JOHNSON

tlement with his ex-wife after she threatened to leak details about his sex life, his attorney said Tuesday at a hearing on the actor's efforts to overturn the agreement.

Attorney Brian Kramer later played audio of a 2011 telephone conversation between Howard and his ex-wife Michelle Ghent in

which she said she would sell information if he didn't pay her.

"I will (expletive) bury you deep within the ground," Ghent is heard saying on the recording.

She said she had video of Howard singing naked in the bathroom and could sell the footage for \$2 million. She also referred to alleged affairs by the actor and said she had called the Internal Revenue Service to report improper deductions.

The Oscar-nominated actor and star of the hit television series "Empire" is expected to testify during the proceeding, which could end Monday.

Howard and Ghent were married in 2010 and she filed for divorce a vear later.

The dispute has prompted 20th Century Fox, which produces "Empire," to seek guidance on where to send his earnings from the show.

Howard received an Oscar nomination for his starring role in 2005's 'Hustle & Flow."

Little League claims fraud, cover-up by Jackie Robinson West

CHICAGO (AP) - Court documents from Little League International contend Chicago's Jackie Robinson West baseball team was stripped of its national championship because of "fraud and cover-up.

Little League filed documents last week in response to a lawsuit by Jackie Robinson West seeking documentation for why the league took the action.

The court filings indicate maps submitted in September and December by Jackie Robinson West differed from the original boundary map submitted in May when the team began tournament play.

Little League contends district administrators met with officials from surrounding leagues "to get them to retroactively agree to



boundary changes" so players would not be found ineligible.

In a statement Tuesday, team attorney Victor Henderson said legal disputes don't take place in one inning, adding "the game is far from over.

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Throughout my career in Congress, I have been an outspoken proponent of science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) education. As the current Ranking Member of the House Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, I continue to emphasize the need for investing in STEM education, encouraging our young people to pursue STEM studies, and achieving more diversity in STEM fields.

This is an issue I care deeply about, and one that I take very seriously. There is a very real possibility that we will lose our competitive edge, and our children will no longer have the opportunities that we had if we do not remain committed to investing in and improving STEM education in this country. The workforce of the future will need STEM skills to fill jobs, and we need a STEMeducated workforce here in the United States if we are to attract and retain the companies that are the leaders in technological innovation.

According to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, overall STEM employment is projected to grow about 13 percent between 2012 and 2022. This is faster than the 11-percent rate of growth projected for all occupations over the decade. Workers in STEM jobs also have much higher salaries. In 2013, the median annual wage earned by STEM workers was nearly \$76,000-more than double the \$35,080 median wage for all workers. These are good jobs for our children.

Fortunately, this is an issue that is finally getting some serious attention. Companies ranging in size from multinational enterprises on down to local businesses are realizing more and more how critical it is to the long-term success of their businesses that they have access to a highly skilled and well-prepared workforce. So, they are taking a leadership role and investing in our future. Colleges and universities are also recognizing how important this is. They are working to provide better teacher training programs, partnering with schools on programs for middle and high school students and doing important education research. We know school administrators, teachers, community leaders, and parents all play a critical role in addressing this issue as well. no one person or organization can do it alone. We must all work together to leverage our respective strengths and resources to tackle this challenge.

President Obama launched the "Educate to Innovate" initiative in 2009 to move American students from the middle to the top of the pack in science and math achievement over the next decade. This initiative includes the efforts of the Federal Government, leading companies - many of them based in Texas, foundations, non-profits, and science and engineering societies. Just this year, the President announced more than \$240 million in pledges to boost STEM studies. Those commitments have brought total financial and material support for these programs to \$1 billion. Additionally, more than 100 colleges and universities have committed to training 20.000 engineers, and a coalition of CEOs has promised to expand high-quality STEM education programs to an additional 1.5 million students this year.

Here, at home, the Imagine Science Dallas Program, a summer day camp that is focused on encouraging minority and low income students to pursue STEM studies, is making a difference. The program is spearheaded by the YMCA of Metropolitan Dallas, the Boys and Girls Club of Greater Girls Inc. of Dallas, Metropolitan Dallas and Texas A&M Agrilife Extension 4-H.

encourage programs like Imagine Science Dallas and others that motivate children at very early ages to develop STEM skills. These students simply need encouragement and an opportunity to excel.

We need to ensure that the U.S. continues to produce the world's best scientists, mathematicians and engineers and to make sure that every student is prepared for the highly technical, high-paying jobs of the future.

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I am proposing legislation, to be known as "The Sandra Bland Justice for All Act", be filed when the Texas Legislature begins its regular session in January 2016.

But there is much we can do in the meantime.

Lt. Gov. Dan Patrick of Houston and Speaker of the House Joe Straus of San Antonio should immediately appoint a joint Senate-House legislative committee to come up with ways to require all jails in Texas to maintain an effective video monitoring system so that no one who is being held in a cell is hidden from the protective and unbiased view of a video camera.

This special legislative committee should also develop sources of revenue to pay for such a video monitoring system. After all, how many millions of dollars have public jails in Texas lost to lawsuits stemming from injuries and deaths of individuals in police custody?

death lawsuit against two guards at the Waller County

Jail, among other individuals and entities, including the Texas Department of Public Safety.

The mandatory use of comprehensive video surveillance monitoring systems in jails in Texas - where no one is out of sight of a camera – is one of the major goals of "The Sandra Bland Justice for All Act".

This idea is neither new or radical.

But more than ever, it is needed.

In 2003, Sen. Juan "Chuy" Hinojosa, D-McAllen, and then-Rep. Ismael "Kino" Flores, D-Mission, carried House Bill 1660, which proposed requiring that each county jail in Texas "must install and operate a video camera surveillance system that records video images in each jail corridor, solitary confinement cell, suicide watch cell, kitchen,

and dining area or other common area.'

According to the bill analysis, prepared by both lawmakers, 'a high level of surveillance cameras is necessary within these facilities to ensure that the inmates, depending upon their incarceration program, are maintained in their areas, along with guaranteeing the security of the guards and the inmates."

But House Bill 1660 faced concerns that costs would be prohibitive for many jails in Texas, and its original and farreaching intention was unfortunately not achieved.

The proposed Senate-House legislative committee must bring back the original vision of Sen. Hinojosa and Rep. Flores, and make it happen, beginning through public hearings statewide, starting first here in Prairie View.

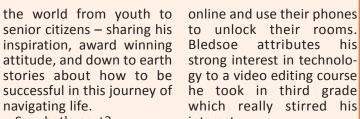
In light of the terrible controversy and negative worldwide image of Texas that is resulting from this sorrow, now is the time to show the world that we in Waller County will help lead the way on what would be a major improvement of our state's criminal justice system.

More important, it is right and just that Sandra Bland, whose life calling courageously revolved around battling injustice, should have her honorable name, through "The Sandra Bland Justice for All Act", be forever linked to protecting the innocent.

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audiences young and old. He has been a featured keynote speaker for Disney Dreamers Academy, nSBE, Junior Achievement, Steve Harvey Mentoring Program, Stanford, Google, and Facebook just to name a few. Jaylen has spoken to over 25,000 people around



So what's next? n ext, Jaylen is working on a new mobile app project for hotels that will allow customers to check in

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Bledsoe attributes his strong interest in technology to a video editing course he took in third grade which really stirred his interest.

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EdITORIAI PagE 107th birthday of the late United States Supreme Court **Justice Thurgood Marshall**



By Benjamin F. Chavis, Jr. NNPA Columnist

This month marks what would have been the 107th birthday of the late United States Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall. Given our long struggle for equal justice in America and the need to continue to press forward to ensure freedom, justice and equality for all, it is important to reflect on the key principles upon which Thurgood Marshall achieved his monumental success.

The mounting cries for justice from Black Americans, Latino Americans and from others denied equality and freedom deserves not only to be heard, but to be acted on by those that have the power to change America for the better. One of the enduring legacies of Thurgood Marshall was to challenge and change laws that would make our democracy more fair and equal.

After all the flag waving and boisterous patriotic proclama-

recent Independence Day celebrations, the undisputable truth is racism and racial injustice prevail in every region of the nation. "Black Lives Matters" is more than simply a protest slogan or popular social media hashtag. It is an affirmation that all the lives of Black Americans, as well as the lives of all people, are not to be diminished or extinguished by the ignorance and acts of racial hatred and bigotry.

Thurgood Marshall said, "Racism separates, but it never liberates. Hatred generates fear, and fear once given a foothold; binds, consumes and imprisons. Nothing is gained from prejudice. No one benefits from racism." Marshall was right. The ideology and practice of White supremacy continues to be a deadly contradiction of an America's professed ideals and affront to all humanity.

Racially motivated police brutality, racial terrorism against Black Americans, resurgence of the mindset that rationalizes the Confederacy, voter suppression, mass incarceration, miseducation, and the growing economic inequalities all point to the urgency for a sustained long-term equal justice movement. Consequently, equal justice also matters.

One of Marshall's most profound public addresses was in 1987 to commemorate the U.S.

tions that accompanied the bicentennial. He stated, "What is striking is the role legal principles have played throughout America's history in determining the condition of Negroes. They were enslaved by law, emancipated by law, disenfranchised and segregated by law; and, finally, they have begun to win equality by law. Along the way, new constitutional principles have emerged to meet the challenges of a changing society. The progress has been dramatic, and it will continue."

Again, Marshall was on target. Today, Congress needs to restore Section 4 of the Voting Rights Act that requires political subdivisions with a proven history of racial discrimination to pre-clear any proposed election law change with the U.S. Attorney General or a district federal judge in Washington, D.C. to avoid injury to voters of color. The Supreme Court invalidated that provision two years ago by a vote of 5-4 and activists have been pressing Congress to undo that damage. All citizens of the United States should have the equal right to vote in every state without racial discrimination and without the voter suppression measures that many states are now engaging.

A few days ago, I had the pleasure of having a discussion with Cecilia Suyat Marshall, the devoted widow of Justice Marshall, at the Thurgood Marshall Center in Washington, D.C., where my employer, the National Newspaper Publishers Association (NNPA), maintains its national office. We briefly reflected on Justice Marshall's worldwide contributions to advance the cause of equality and freedom. Equally important, we discussed the continuing struggle to define, extend and maintain constitutionallyprotected civil and human rights to all people in the United States.

What became clear in our conversation was that each generation of African Americans, as well as others, has a responsibility to continue the quest for equal justice. It is a matter of principle. It is also a matter of faith and belief in the oneness of God and in the oneness of humanity.

I am encouraged by the youth of today who are marching anew and are raising their fists to boldly insist that "Black Lives Matter." There can be no justice for anyone without equal justice for all. This is the legacy of Justice Marshall: "Equal Justice Matters."

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that He shall return bodily, visibly and personally. During His second coming to the earth, our blessed Lord will come in great glory and splendor (Rev. 19:11-16). At the Lord's first coming, He faced untold suffering and disgrace. At His second coming, He will **REV. JOHNNY C. SMITH,** receive honor as King. He PASTOR – MOUNT MORIAH came the first time to die as MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH man's substitute for sin; how-

Sunday Evening Tea My Loving God

By DR. THELMA WELLS

God loves to be praised. In fact he created us so we could glorify him. The Bible is full of songs of praise, stories of praise, and instructions to praise. And while God's children have praised him throughout the ages for all the wonderful things he has done and all the blessings he has bestowed, we also need to praise him without asking him for anything and praise him without even thanking him for anything. We just need to praise him for who he is: our magnificent Father, the Creator of the universe. Here are some scriptural examples to get you started: "O my Strength, I sing praise to you; you, O God, are my fortress, my loving God" (Psalm 59:17 NIV). "Let them praise the name of the LORD, for his name alone is exalted; his splendor is above the earth and the heavens" (Psalm 148:13 NIV). "Praise the LORD, O my soul. O LORD my God, you are very great; you are clothed with splendor and majesty' (Psalm 104:1 NIV). "you are awesome, O God, in your sanctuary; the God of Israel gives power and strength to his people. Praise be to God!" (Psalm 68:35 NIV). "My mouth is filled with your praise, declaring your splendor all day long" (Psalm 71:8 NIV). "Sing to God, sing praise to his name, extol him who rides on the clouds—his name is the LORD—and rejoice before him. A father to the fatherless, a defender of widows, is God in his holy dwelling" (Psalm 68:4-5 NIV). 'Blessed be your glorious name, and may it be exalted

above all blessing and praise. you alone are the LORD. you made the heavens, even the highest heavens, and all their starry host, the earth and all that is on it, the seas and all that is in them. you give life to everything, and the multitudes of heaven worship you" (Nehemiah 9:5-6 NIV).

Are you getting the idea? God loves to hear our praise. And as we express it. our focus turns upward, away from our selves and our problems. Praising God changes us. As we lift our hearts and minds to praise God, we also feel that praise showering down over us, lifting our spirits, oiling us with joy, and intersecting with our problems and difficulties. Godly praise is like the extra pollen that covers a bee as it burrows into a blossom in search of nectar or pollen to take back to the hive. When the pollen-covered bee lands on another flower, some of that extra pollen rubs off, causing the flower to be fertilized and its future to be confirmed. In the same way, your iovful praise for God is bound to rub off on those around you—just like Granny's praisefilled attitude rubbed off on me.

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MY DAY: Frogtown: A Tale of Two Cities



By Dr. J. Ester Davis

I am still amazed at the number of people that read my columns, online, in print still. Last week's article was fascinating to newcomers now living in the Dallas downtown area and some coming in to Dallas. The article gave me conversation more on "Frogtown" and some questions. Let me start to answer some of them. The Dallas Post Tribune paper is posted every week online. Please use Google.

Mable Chandler to me was the Superintendent of Sunday School at my church, Greater New Zion Baptist Church. She was a true history buff, a scholar of the Bible, a master educator and counselor. As mentioned before, even in her latter years, her mind was alert and she never ceased talking. Greater New Zion is 140 years old, one of the oldhistory rich African est. American churches in Dallas. In this circle of rich churches also stands Salem Baptist Church, New Hope Baptist Church, etc. So at one time, our church was the center of activity, vitality and members that lived in the area as was many, many others. yes, you are right, there was an African American hospital on Forest Avenue, not Forest Lane. And yes, you are right Ms,

Andrews, from the State of California, somebody should write about it.

I agree with one caller that told me this 'little bit of history about our people' is very important to Dallas. I further agree that our history should be told by us. The time is now to write this down and share it with someone. "Mama Chandler" as she was affectionately referred to, never waited on anyone to tell her stories, she told them and you listened, just that simple. Other grand Dallasites history makers that we heard first hand stories from were Alto McGowan, Claude yehdell, who recently passed on. Let me stop this name calling. . . too many, not enough space.

True, on the internet there are articles on Frogtown and legal prostitution, sanctioned by the City of Dallas at the turn of the century. If you look further, there is the Freedman's Memorial on Central Expressway. In all fair-ness we should recognize clearly that anything positive about the African American race where ever will not be told by anyone but another African American. I have said that many, many times in so many of my public speaking arenas. It is not up to the City of Dallas to chronicle these stories.

Right now, today, any stories you heard or was told about "Frogtown" Dallas, please just call or email me. I look to hear from you. So much has not been told.

Thanks in advance.and yes, I will dedicate more time and space to "Frogtown".

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Before our Lord made His climactic departure, He gave His disciples indisputable evidence of His resurrection, for verse 3 says – "To whom also He shewed Himself alive after His passion (suffering) by many infallible proofs being seen of them forty days, and speaking of the thing pertaining to the kingdom of God." These curious disciples had readily put together God's teaching of the kingdom with His promise of the Spirit's outpouring as an indication that David's promised kingdom was about to be inaugurated (vs.4-5). However, Jesus does not rebuke them but instructs them that it was not important for them to know what is a prerogative of the Father Nevertheless, (vs. 6-7). instead of them being so kingdom minded, Jesus does instruct them to be witnesses for Him – "But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth." From Acts 1:8, one can readily outline Christ's commission to His disciples, for the geographical witness should start in Jerusalem (chapters 1-7); in Judea and Samaria (chapters 8-12); and unto the uttermost (chapters 13-28).

After forty days of ministering unto them, our blessed Lord ascended to heaven, there to be exalted at the right hand of God the Father (Heb. 1:3). His ascension marked the conclusion of His earthly corporal presence among His disciples. Accompanying His departure from them was the clear promise of His return (Acts 1:9-11). The angles declared

ing, He will come as Judge. yes, the very One that was despised and rejected of men (Isaiah 53:3), will come again in clouds and great glory to set up His millennial kingdom on earth.

ever, during His second com-

In verses 12-14, the disciples gathered in one place, being united in prayer. These disciples prayed in view of God's promise that the Holy Spirit, the Comforter would come and endow them with power (Acts 1:5, 8). As believers today in this age of grace, we have power to be witnesses for Christ.

If we are satisfied with what Christ has done for us, then we need to tell others about Jesus. Through our faith in the finished work of Christ, Christ has rescued us from the depths of hell and has given us a standing before God -"Therefore, being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ" (Romans 5:1). yes, I am satisfied with Christ because His finished work on Calvary assures all believers that in the past they have been justified as to position; in the present, they are being sanctified experientially as they yield to the Holy Spirit; and one day they will be glorified.

The hymn writer declares -

I am satisfied with Jesus, He has done so much for me:

He has suffered to redeem me,

He has died to set me free. I am satisfied, I am satisfied, I am satisfied with Jesus, But the question comes to me,

As I think of Calvary, Is my Master satisfied with me? May God Bless!

What's your favorite "praise" scripture? Make someone's day by sharing this post with them and including your story! forward to a friend

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About the Author: Thelma Wells (Mama T)

Long-time Women of Faith speaker Thelma Wells' passion to inspire everyone to "BEE" the best never slows down. See Thelma at a Women of Faith Loved: The Farewell Tour event near you.

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Two Training sessions are set

in August for volunteers to be

VNA Dallas Meals on Wheels

The Sessions are from 10:30

a.m. to noon Thursday August

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1440 W. Mockingbird Lane. Call

Melanie Crommett at 214-689-

Dallas County Health and

Human Services (DCHHS) is offer-

ing families eligible for the Texas

Vaccines for Children (TVFC) pro-

gram an opportunity to get free

back-to-school shots. DCHHS will

open its immunization clinic on

Saturday, August 15 from 8 a.m.

to 12 p.m. The clinic is located on

the first floor of the DCHHS

building at 2377 N. Stemmons

Frwy. in Dallas. Parents must

bring their child's vaccination

records. Appointments aren't

"Preparing to go back to

school is a great time to catch up

on vaccinations," said Dr.

Christopher Perkins, DCHHS

medical director/health authori-

ty. "However, we urge all parents

to make sure their children are

up to date on vaccinations at all

Dallas County residents from birth to age 18 in the following

categories are eligible to receive

free immunizations on August 15

• Uninsured: a child who has

• American Indian or Alaskan

• Underinsured (as defined by

the Texas Department of State

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under the TVFC program:

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• Enrolled in CHIP

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coverage at a certain amount. Once that coverage amount is reached, the child is categorized as underinsured). Insured children with vaccine coverage who have high copays or deductibles are no longer considered underinsured. These children are now considered fully, privately insured and are no longer eligible for TVFC vaccines. "This is a great opportunity for families to bring their children in, but we also we encourage them to take advantage of low cost

DART minor service changes

Two new Parkland Hospital routes highlight Dallas Area Rapid

Transit (DART) bus service

changes scheduled to begin on

With the completion of work on

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Routes 11, 19, 21 and 722 have

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alignments and will no longer be

on detour. Detours through the

start August 17

Monday, August 17.

vaccinations at our clinics in the community," said Zachary Thompson, DCHHS director. DCHHS has six clinics open Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Clinic hours may be adjust-

ed due to high volume. The cost for TVFC-eligible children is \$10 for the child's first visit and \$5 for returning patients. Waivers are given to families in need.

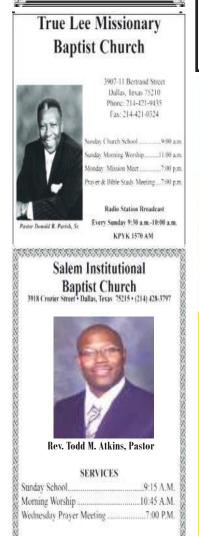
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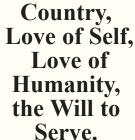
DCHHS Opens August 15 for Back-to-School Immunizations



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your tongue. For it has been said that the tongue can be like a sword. Think long before you criticize your neighbor. Your tongue can be nasty. Living is one of the most beautiful things in the world. But the tongue can kill!

Health Services): a child who has commercial (private) health insurance, but coverage does not include vaccines; a child whose insurance covers only selected vaccines (TVFC-eligible for noncovered vaccines only); or a child whose insurance caps vaccine

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More information about vaccinations is available on the DCHHS website: www.dallascounty.org/hhs.

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Evil Evil is the work of the devil, Evil lives inside of very unhappy people. Evil will cause you to do bad devilish things toward your family, Friends, and neighbors to be jealous of each other. Evil causes anger, Fighting, Killings, and world wars. Evil causes people to say hurting words to each other. Evil is another word for HATE! Evil is just another name for satan. By Sandra Gipson

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Local Area Law Enforcement reports that on August 6, 2015, these people were wanted on the listed warrants. Authorities have reason to believe that these people might be in the Dallas area and have requested public assistance in locating them. If you see any of these people, do not approach them. Call Crime Stoppers at 1-877 373-TIPS or visit our website ntcc.crimestoppersweb.com'. You do not have to give your name.



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Eyes: Brown

Charged With:

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Gonzales, Max



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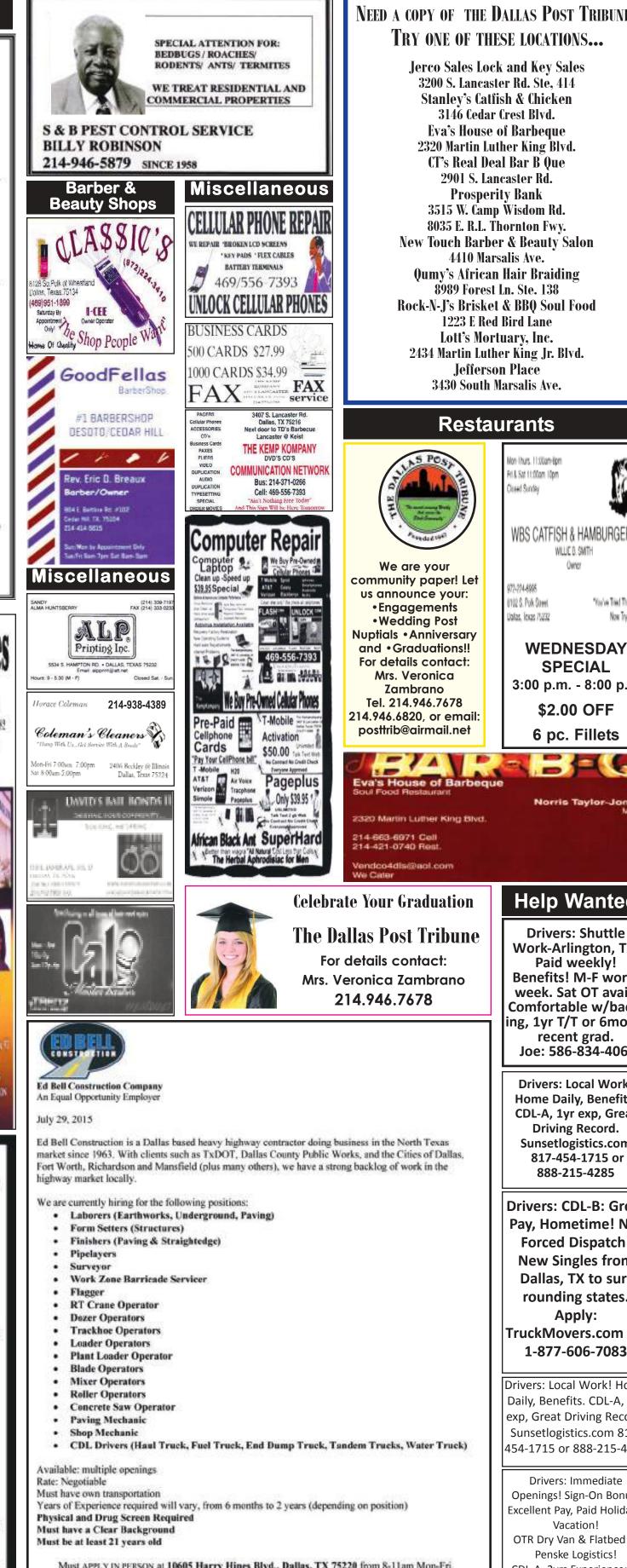


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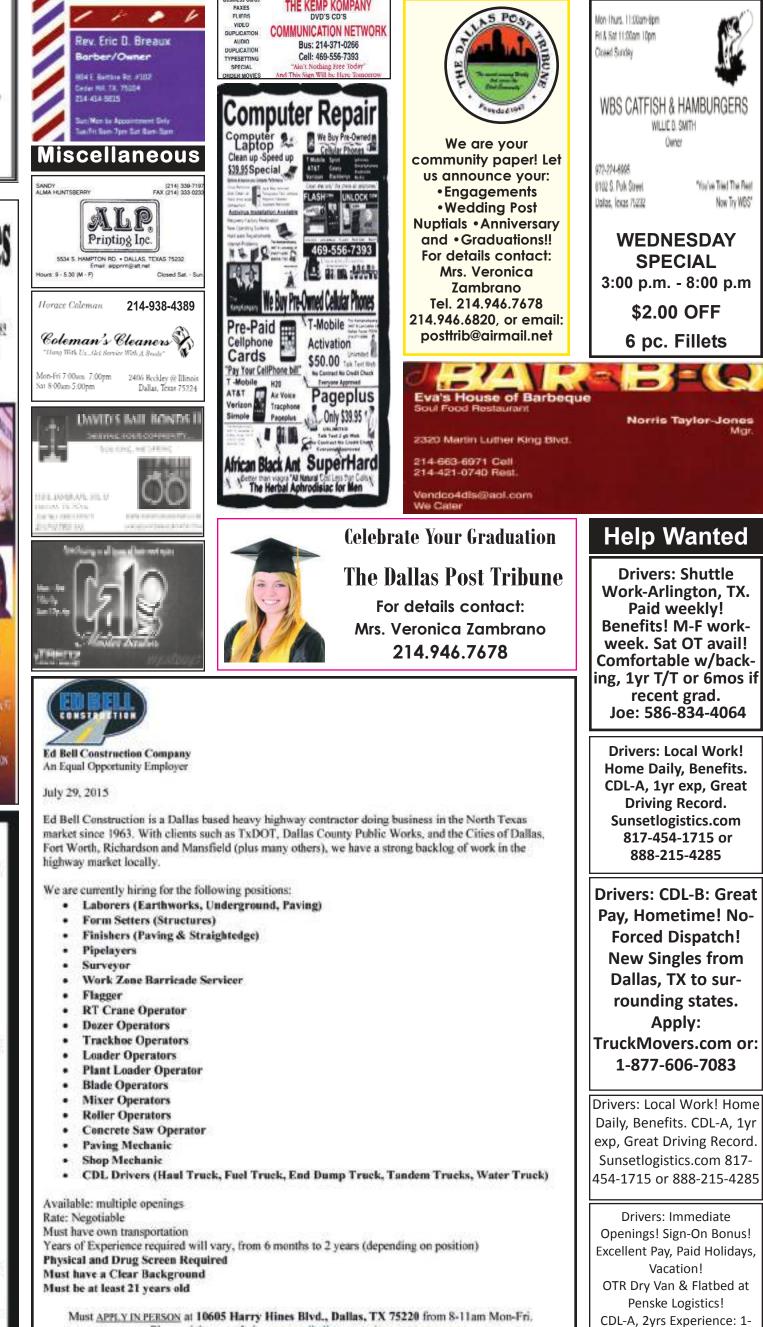
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The Annual Evans and Lowe Family Reunion

August 1, 2015 ~ Mt. Pleasant, Texas People came from across America ~ Colorado, California, Arizona, Texas

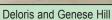
> The Annual Evans and Lowe Family Reunion Dignitaries and participants in attendance were:

Edvernell Davenport, Director and Coordinator; Deloris Hill, Genese Hill, Ruth Banson, Mary Bolden, Marcus Bolden, Alice Brown Johnson, Paul Mitchell, Joyce Ruth White, Janice Heath, William C. Evans, Geraldine Shepard, Larneatha Bowdra, Ann Taylor, Genese Hill and Dewelyn Loyd Evans



Director and Coordinator Mrs. Edvernell Davenport (sitting) & Professor Davenport at podium







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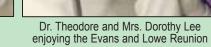


The Models at the Evans and Lowe Reunion

Photos furnished by Deloris and Genese Hill.















Attorney Theodora Lee and Mrs. Dorothy Lee enjoying the Evans and Lowe Reunion



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Celebrating the Life of Mrs. Kalva Sue Scott September 6, 1972 - August 1, 2015



Kalva Sue Scott was born in Dallas, Texas to Calvin John Scott, Jr. and Sue Addie Jameson Scott on September 6, 1972. At a young age Kalva became interested in music by watching her mother teach private plano lessons to students throughout the community. By the age of 3 years old, Kalva was not only attempting to play the melodies she heard but to sing them also. As she became older and matriculated through the Dallas Independent School District, her musical talents become increasingly recognizable. While attending W.H. Atwell Academy, her teacher and mentor Gloria H. Lett recognized Kalva's versatile musical attributes and began to recruit her to participate in more musical endeavors. Kalva Sue Scott was preceded in death by her parents Calvin John Scott, Jr. and Sue Addie Jameson Scott. She leaves to cherish her memory, her brother Cedric John Scott, Aunt Ruby Melton and Uncle Claude Melton, cousins Claudia and Carl Melton, David Jameson, Barbara and Larry Davis, LaFrance Harris and a host of other relatives, friends, and students.

Celebrating the Life of Ms. Ida Maryland Finney June 19, 1938 - August 3, 2015

> School in Quitman, Texas graduated and from Booker T. Washington High School in Dallas. She was a licensed beautician and ran a housekeeping business for many years. After moving to Dallas, she was a faithful member at New Friendship Baptist church for over 20 years. She later united with Salem Institutional Baptist Church where she served as the Superintendent of Sunday School for many years. Maryland was called to her heavenly home on Monday August 3, 2015, where she was met by her husband, Birt, daughters; Patricia and Melba, parents; Corine and Artis Jackson and her brother, Hershel Jackson.



Ms. Ida Maryland Finney 19, 1938 in Mineola. was born to Corine Jackson Texas. and Artis Jackson on June

She attended Quitman Colonial High

Celebrating the Life of Mrs. Ellen Ruth Larkin, October 22, 1915 - August 7, 2015

Born October 22, 1915 to the parentage of Simon Miles Pentecost Estella and Hunt Pentecost in Dallas Texas. Ellen Ruth began her education at N. W. Harllee Elementary School and graduated in 1934 from Booker T. Washington High School. On August 6, 1939 she married Johnnie F. Larkin and this loving union produced one child, Brenda Berkins. Ellen Ruth and husband, Johnnie Larkin were married for 55 years.

Ellen Ruth received her Bachelor of Science Degree from Bishop College and her Masters Education of from Methodist Southern University. Ellen Ruth

began her teaching career at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic School where she was a kindergarten teacher. In, 1968 she began working at Dallas Independent School District as a kindergarten teacher. In 1970, she moved to the Bi-Lingual Department within DISD to assist with writing the bi-lingual curriculum and later becoming a Bi-Lingual Program Supervisor.

After retirement she continued to work occasionally with DISD assisting with system wide bilingual testing for the Evaluation Department.

In her leisure, Ellen Ruth enjoyed traveling, Jazz music, playing the



organ, and dancing; which she continued well into her late 80's. Throughout her years, Ellen Ruth was involved in many social and civic organizations: John XXIII board member, Black Dallas Remembered, High Steppers Senior Dance Group, Oak Cliff Art and Social Club, and Eta Phi Beta Sorority Inc.

Ellen Ruth passed away peacefully on August 7, 2015 knowing in her heart she was deeply loved.

Ellen Ruth was preceded in death by her parents Simon Miles and Estella Hunt Pentecost; her husband, Johnnie F. Larkin; Brothers, Simon and JB Pentecost; Sister

Launita Pentecost, granddaughter Tanya Berkins; and great granddaughter Tifney Berkins. She leaves behind to treasure her memories her Daughter, Brenda Berkins; Grandchildren Sonya Rose (Gregory) and David Berkins (Tiki); Great Grandchildren Alexandria Rose and Stormey Ellen Berkins; Great-Great-Grandchildren Tailor Simpson, Jordan Simpson and Louis Simpson; other loving relatives, and dear friends.

Funeral Services were held on Wednesday August 12, 2015 11 o'clock am at Holy Cross Catholic Church, 4910 Bonnie View Rd. Dallas, Texas

Leaders Of The Week



BROTHER WILLIAM V. CARTER

Will Carter was raised in Northern New Jersey, the last born of 3 siblings. He was educated in Atlanta, Georgia and served honorably as a Vietnam era veteran with the U.S. Air Force. He relocated to Texas, where he has lived and grown his family for over 28 years, in the comforts of Southwest Dallas County. He presently is the Regional President of Prosperity Bank, presiding over southern Dallas County and Ellis County Banking Centers. Will Carter has been a member of the Board of Director's of the following organizations; the South Dallas Development Fund (SDDF), the McNeil Educational Foundation for Ecumenical Leadership, the Moorland Family YMCA, Alpha Kappa Alpha Educational Advancement Foundation, Inc. and Cedar Hill Economic Development Corporation (past). Will is also a member of the Oak Cliff Chamber of Commerce and a past member of Big Brothers, Big Sisters, Inc. and Partners in Education. Will is the son of Richard B. Carter, Jr., WWII & Korean War decorated hero and graduate of the 1st Tuskegee Airman Class of 1942 for Bomber Pilot/Navigators. His father's perseverance is the driving factor behind Will Carter's determination to serve others successfully. Now, after 14 years he has become a significant impact for Prosperity Bank's customers.



BROTHER AL ROBERTS SR

Retired DISD educator(teacher, principal, and central office administrator), President, African American Education Archives and History Program and member of St. Luke "Community" United Methodist Church.

Dr. Alfred Roberts has spent his life teaching and helping others, as a professor of Prairie View A & M University, Boy Scouts of America, YMCA and a father and a grandfather.

Without doubt he is one of the greatest leaders that this city has ever known. The late Dr. B.E. Dade and Mrs. Lucy Mae Davis noted him as a dynamic, courageous and phenomenal.

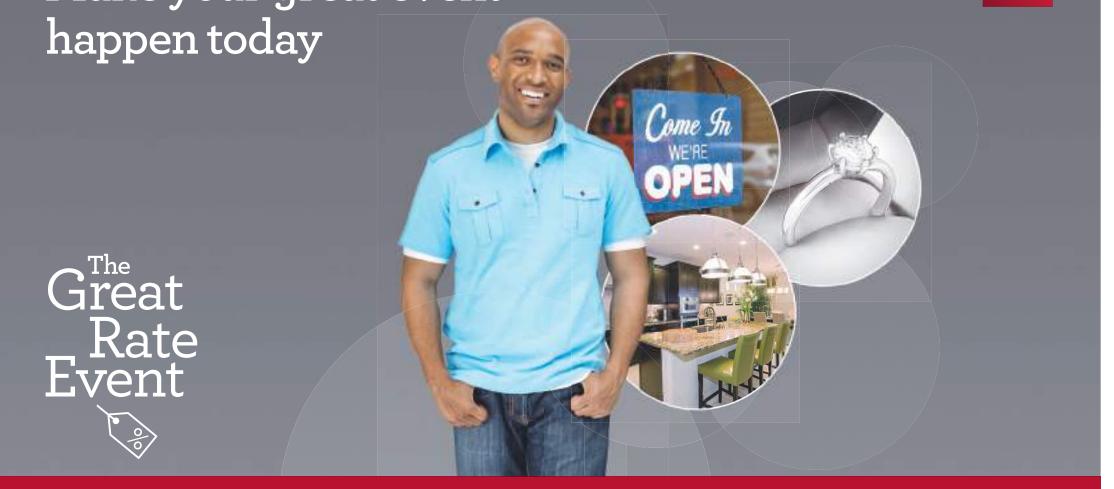
After his retirement from teaching in the Dallas Independent School District Roberts founded the African American Education Archives and History Program Hall of Fame.

Despite his economic means Roberts has chosen to live in South Dallas; because he feels he can do the most good for the community.

His mantra has always been one of love. Love for humanity, youth, service, self and country.

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Kids born in U.S. can enroll in DISD

enroll U.S. born children of non-citizens parents without birth certificates.

June 1st Dallas County stopped issuing birth certificates for children whose parents use foreign con-

Officials are working to sular cards for identification.

The spokesman for DISD Andre Riley said that children will not be turned away if they don't have them.

DISD commitment is to began Monday.

provide education for all students and will not withdraw any student that does not have a birth certificate on file.

The first day of school is Aug. 24, and enrollment

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Celebrating the Life of Mr. Roy Louis Epting

March 27, 1942 - August 3, 2015

joined Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc. He began his career in the Dallas Independent School District in 1970 at O. W. Holmes Middle School, where he served as a tutor and teacher assistant. In 2000, Roy retired after faithfully serving the district for 30 years.

After meeting his wife Mary, they quickly united in holy matrimony, August 5, 1967. Roy and Mary truly understood the meaning of "til death do us part". Roy loved his wife as "Christ" loved the church and demonstrated those behaviors in their nearly 48 years of marriage. Together, they provided a loving home to their four children,

FAMILY OF THE WEEK THE KENNEDY FAMILY



(Left to Right): Dillon, Keith, Dr. Lisa, Hunter

Dillon is a freshman attending Columbia College Chicago, Keith is the CEO of iWell ife, Dr. Lisa is a Physician and Anesthesiologist, and Hunter is a Senior attending Columbia College Chicago.

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Roy Louis Epting, Jr., was born May 27, 1943 in Dallas, Texas. He was the only child born to the parentage of the late Roy and Lois Epting. Roy accepted Christ at an early age at Greater Bethlehem Baptist Church in Dallas, Texas, under the leadership of Dr. G. A. Hobart Shepphard. As a young boy, he was an active member of the Carol and Youth Choir, Starlight Band, Boy Scouts, Youth Prayer Band, Literary Drama Club and Baptist Training Union. As an adult, he was a member of the Male Chorus, Bertha M. Sheppard Music Ministry and Tape Ministry. Roy was also ordained as a deacon in the fall of 1988.

Julius, Vicki, Roy III and LeByron.

During his free time, Roy enjoyed being a disc jockey (D.J.) for school dances, parties and entertainment events. During the events, his various chants were loved and often repeated by attendees. Many can recall "Shake it to the East. Shake it to the West. Shake it to the one you love the best!" and "The roof! The roof is on fiva!"

Roy was an avid Dallas Cowboys and Dallas Mavericks fan. He was extremely elated when they won and undeniably disappointed when they lost.

On the evening of August 3, 2015, God called Roy to his heavenly home. He was preceded in death by his parents and his sons, Julius Alexander and Roy L. Epting III.

He leaves fond memories to be cherished by his loving wife, Mary; 2 children, Vicki Alexander (Elton) and LeByron Epting; daughter-in-law, Martha Epting; 11 grandchildren, Montrell, Travor, Courtney, Britnany, Elton II, Elise, Xavier, Roy IV, Genarose, LeBryon II, and LeDarren; 8 great-grandchildren, Brendaja, Davieon, Dearra, Jalen, Tralon, Travon, Makayla and Nyla; 2 sisters-in-law, Doris Gillis and LaShon Washington; 1 brother-in-law, James Dean; 1 God-daughter, Bridgette; and a host of cousins, nieces, nephews and friends.



Roy graduated from Lincoln High School in 1961 and attended Bishop College, where he

EXPANDING COLLEGE OPPORTUNITY

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Stanley B. Lemons

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As an adolescent, Stan received a scholarship through the Boys & Girls Clubs of America to attend The Greenhill School, a private college preparatory school in from Greenhill, Stan moved across the country to attend Amherst College, a highly selective liberal arts school in Amherst, Massachusetts. Stan later served as a Coro Foundation Public Affairs Fellow in St. Louis, Missouri, and as a Peace Corps volunteer in West Africa. He earned an M.B.A. from the UCLA School Anderson of Management in Los Angeles, California. Additionally, Stan completed executive educaprograms tion at Northwestern University and Stanley B. Lemons is an Harvard University. He has held a number of leadership roles in both public and private sector organizations, including senior marketing strategy positions at Citigroup,

Dallas, Texas. After graduating The Coca-Cola Company, and S.B. Lemons & Company—the global marketing strategy consulting firm he founded.

> Stan is passionate about education. For over 10 years, Stan has served as a volunteer college counselor and academic advisor. Today, he works as a writer, marketing strategist, and counselor

for TheSecretToWriting.com, an organization that assists students with writing skills and both admissions and scholarship essays.

Who is Stanley B. Lemons? author, speaker, trainer, private college counselor, global marketing strategist, entrepreneur, and—as Stan likes to proudly say—a husband and a parent.

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