

2018 In Remembrance

Texas Health Resources Foundation fondly remembers our gracious donors in the last five years who passed away in 2018. Their spirit of giving and dedication to bettering their community has helped to foster Texas Health’s Mission. Read more on how our Hawthorne Society members made a difference for the patients and families in our community who Texas Health is privileged to serve.

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Bold names = Hawthorne Society members

Herbert G. Abbs	William David Dunaway
John W. Anderson	Ms. Erwina K. Dunn
Fred A. Attaya	Linda C. Elsey
Patricia M. Bilardi	William D. Emory
Bill Boomer	B. Henry Estess, M.D.
Bruce W. Bowles	Mary H. Ferrell
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Helen P. Chiles	Wilfred L. Gilchrist
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 James Clif Stone
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 Arthesta M. Upshaw
 Maxine P. Waldman
 Sarah E. Wear
 Joan W. Webb
 Betty B. Weber
 Margurette White
 Florence L. Wiedemann
 Shirley J. Wood

Fred Attaya

November 5, 1930 – January 30, 2018

Fred Attaya passed away on Tuesday, January 30, 2018. Fred was born on November 5, 1930, to Saleem and Tameena Attaya in Picayune, Miss. He “sparked” the West Point football team during the early 1950s and was a member of the West Point class of 1954. He served as president of The West Point Society of North Texas in 1967.

After undergoing surgery on a torn Achilles tendon at another area hospital, Fred acquired a medication-resistant staph infection that became a non-healing wound. After several frustrating months of unsuccessful treatment, Fred’s cardiologist referred him to the Wound Healing and Hyperbaric Medicine Center at Texas Health

Fort Worth. During his subsequent year of care, Fred’s wound was successfully treated. In gratitude, the Attayas established an endowment specifically directed to the Wound Healing and Hyperbaric Medicine Center. Because of their desire to express their appreciation, the Attayas have ensured that a greater number of patients will receive the limb and lifesaving care they need. Fred is survived by his wife of 63 years, Mary B. Attaya; children, Kay Allison Attaya Rollins and Michael Eric Attaya; brothers, Moses Attaya and James S. Attaya; numerous nieces, nephews, and friends.

Linda Morris Elsey

November 12, 1940 – June 26, 2018

Linda Morris Elsey passed away on Tuesday, June 26, 2018. Linda was born on November 12, 1940 to Alene Reynolds and Robert Warren Chalker in Cisco, Texas. Raised in Abilene, Linda attended Baylor University where she earned a Bachelor of Arts in Education to become a teacher. Linda led a life devoted to her family, and those in need. In 1974, Linda met Jack B. Morris, and they were together for the next 30 years, where they shared a wonderful marriage and life with their family.

Together, Linda and Jack created The Morris Foundation of Fort Worth in 1986. Their mission was to help the disadvantaged in Fort Worth and Tarrant County in the areas of education, social services and health care. The Morris Foundation made annual gifts to the indigent pharmacy and mammography funds, as well as the cancer

care coordinator program at Texas Health Fort Worth. They also supported the hospital's Harris Methodist Heart Center and created the Morris Meditation Garden. Linda personally supported the hospital's annual Puttin' on the Pink fashion luncheon for nearly 20 years as a Kupferle Health Board member.

After Jack's passing in 2004, Linda continued to build upon their legacy as the sole trustee of the Foundation. Linda is survived by husband David Elsey, children Todd and Laura, David's son, Mitch Elsey of Ruidoso and children KD, Zech, and Leah; David's daughter Lee Hutchinson husband Danny and their children Abigail Fletcher and husband Jake, and great granddaughter Avery, and Samuel Hutchinson and wife Emily.

Dr. Henry Estess

September 7, 1937 – January 23, 2018

Dr. B. Henry Estess died at home Tuesday, January 23, 2018 as a result of complications associated with Parkinson's disease. He was born in Denver, Colorado on September 7, 1937, grew up in Houston and graduated from The University of Texas at Austin. He and Sandra Street were married July 1, 1961. Dr. Estess received his Doctorate in Medicine from UTMB, Galveston in 1964 and came to Dallas where he completed an internship and residency program in Obstetrics and Gynecology at Methodist Hospital. After his medical training, he served as a Captain in the USAF and was stationed at Carswell AFB, Fort Worth. Following his military service, he began private practice in Dallas co-founding Walnut Hill Obstetrics and Gynecology Associates. He was a clinical professor at UT Southwestern and an attending physician at Texas Health

Dallas until his retirement in 1997. Dr. and Mrs. Estess have provided financial support to Texas Health Resources since 1986, including gifts to various scholarship and endowment funds as well as capital campaigns.

Dr. Estess is survived by his wife, Sandra; his daughter and son-in-law Drs. Elizabeth and Robert Hughes and their children Payton, Graham and Bo; his daughter Catherine Estess and her sons Henry and Paul Braymen; and his son Blake and his children Katherine Grace, Charlie, Graham and Mary Elise. He is also survived by his sister Patricia Estess; his brother Dr. Michael Estess and his wife Nancy; his sister and brother-in-law Mary and Dr. Jerry Marcontell; his brother-in-law Malcolm Street and his wife Lou, as well as numerous nieces, nephews and their families.

Caroline Rose Hunt

January 8, 1923 – November 13, 2018

Caroline Rose Hunt of Dallas passed away Tuesday, November 13, 2018, at the age of 95. Caroline was born in El Dorado, Ark., on Jan. 8, 1923, to pioneer oilman H.L. Hunt II and his wife, Lyda Bunker. After the discovery of the massive East Texas oilfield, the family moved to Dallas in 1938. Caroline studied English Literature at Mary Baldwin College in Staunton, Va., and received a Bachelor of Arts degree in English and Art History from The University of Texas in 1943. Following her marriage to Loyd Sands, she devoted the next three decades to raising her five children.

In the 1970s, The Rosewood Corporation was formed and became the primary operating vehicle for her family business interests, including oil and gas exploration, real

estate development, private equity and venture capital. Caroline was a dedicated philanthropist, and Texas Health Dallas benefited from her support of several scholarship and lectureship funds, along with her generous gifts to the Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) Program.

Caroline is survived by her son, Stephen Hunt Sands (wife, Marcy); daughter, Laurie Sands Harrison; son, Patrick Brian Sands (wife, Kristy); daughters-in-law, Nancy Sands Esber (Jon) and Gayle Sands; her brother, William Herbert Hunt; half-brother and sisters, Ray Lee Hunt, Ruth June Hunt, Helen Hunt Hendrix, and Swanee Hunt Ansbacher; and extended Hunt family members, as well as several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Margaret McDermott

February 18, 1912 – May 3, 2018

Margaret Milam McDermott, who personified the “greatest generation” of givers in Dallas philanthropy and bestowed millions of dollars upon institutions linked to the arts, education and science, died Thursday, May 3, 2018. She was 106. Born in Austin on Feb. 18, 1912, before the start of World War I, the University of Texas alumna began her post-collegiate years as a journalist, her byline showing up first in the *Dallas Times Herald* and later *The Dallas Morning News*, where she worked as society editor.

In 1952, Margaret married Eugene McDermott, the co-founder of Geophysical Service Inc. and its offspring, Texas Instruments. By themselves, or through their

foundation, the couple allocated millions of dollars to civic, cultural and educational recipients, including the Dallas Museum of Art, The Meyerson Symphony Center, UT Southwestern Medical Center, St. Mark’s School of Texas and the University of Texas at Dallas. Dallas honored her by attaching her name to a major landmark, the Margaret McDermott Bridge, designed by Spanish architect Santiago Calatrava. She established the McDermott Capital Fund at Texas Health Allen in 2008.

Margaret is survived by her daughter, Mary McDermott Cook, and granddaughter, Grace Ellen Cook.

Shirley Smith

March 21, 1933 – March 27, 2018

Shirley Segars Smith was born in the early 1930s to parents Jewel Roberts and Wilburn T. Segars in Oklahoma City. She met Lowell (Stretch) Smith while attending SMU. Shirley and Stretch married soon after SMU days, while Stretch was working for the Texas Department of Banking as an Assistant Bank Examiner. After Stretch's discharge from the military at the end of the Korean War Era, the couple moved back to Cleburne and Rio Vista and Stretch went into the First State Bank Rio Vista (Cowpasture Bank). It was in Cleburne that they raised their daughters, Pamela and Sue Ann. Shirley was committed to the Cleburne community and they were active members of First United Methodist Church, Kings Daughters (Watch and Work

Circle), Meals on Wheels, Panhellenic, Heritage Assembly, and Investment Club. The Smiths have supported Texas Health Cleburne since 1985 through many generous gifts to the hospital's annual fundraiser, the Black & White Gala.

In addition to her husband and daughters, Shirley is survived by her son-in-law Hoke Smith; grandson Wesley Smith, wife Maya Bourdeau, their children Arya and Isa; granddaughter Amanda Smith Cronin, husband Dr. Sean Cronin, their children Nolan and Hannah; sister Jeri Lou and husband Robert Scott; sister-in-law Barbara Smith Denton; and 18 nieces and nephews.