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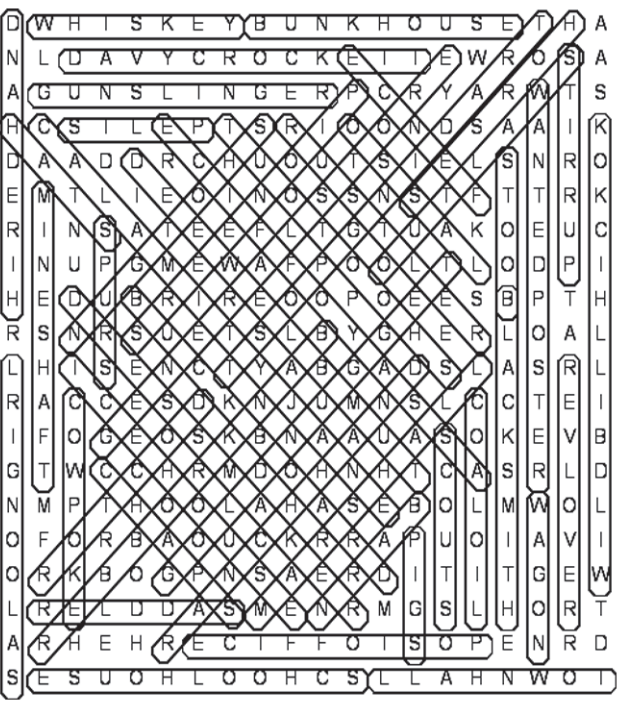
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## JOHN MORROW IS A SUPER HANDYMAN

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John Morrow has a water well drilling business in Clarendon. He makes a lot of his equipment. "The derrick is made out of a swing set and television antenna poles," he says while smiling and laughing, "I used a sprocket from an old cotton stripper and a four-speed transmission from a Chevrolet. I use a Ford starter motor to get things going."

John has always been curious about how things work. "My earliest recollection of any mechanical ability goes back to the little cars I played with as a boy. They had a little centrifugal motor in them and you could push them on the floor a couple of times to get the wheels going, then set them down and they'd take off. After a while those gears would wear out and they wouldn't go any more. I figured out why. They had little bitty tabs and you could bend those tabs out straight, pull the body off and see the working parts of that thing. I bent the frame of that little motor sideways and it would push the gears over where they weren't worn out and they'd re-mesh again and it would work for a while."

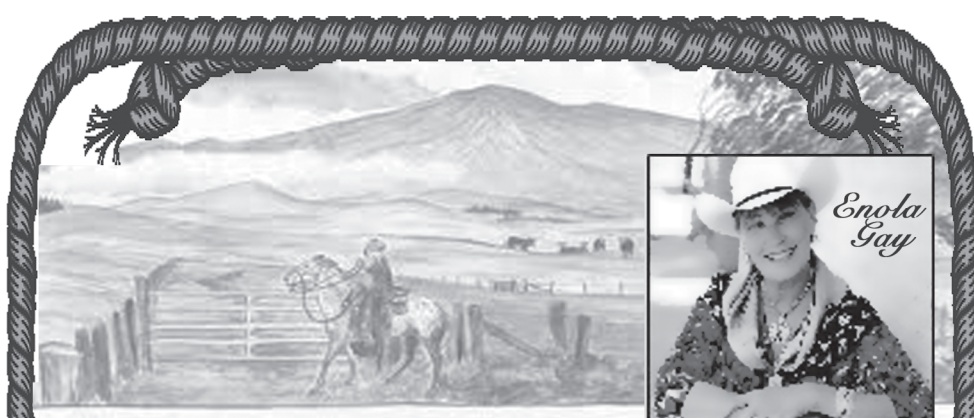
John was doing that at age four. Then he started helping his mother with some of her equipment. "She had an old Maytag wringer-type washing machine and the wringer quit working. There's a little box there by the wringer and I took the top off of it. I saw that when you tried to make it go, this gear would spin on the shaft. There was a series of small holes where some metal pins went in. One of those pins was missing, so I figured out you could use a nail. You had to bend it, but it worked and the wringer was back in service. Mother was proud of me for fixing it."

His first business venture was mowing lawns. "I tied the handle of the lawn mower to the back of my bicycle and pulled that thing across town mowing lawns."

His main transportation around town these days is a pickup from the 70's he bought new. It has nearly half a million miles on it. One of John's trucks is a retired fire engine from the fire department in Hamilton. "When I went to pick it up, the entire Hamilton fire department was there to see old 307 leave. They requested that if I ever used it to put the number 307 somewhere on it. When we repainted the truck, right up on the corner of the hood we put number 307. That's a tough old truck. When I got it we had just had a big snowstorm up here. I did some work on it and took it through a six-foot snowdrift in nothing flat. I drove it over a wheat field covered in deep snow and it never showed down. The wheels just kept turning."

John has had some unique experiences. On his wedding night his souped-up car blew a front tire while going 115 miles an hour. He and his bride both walked away. John bought an old drive in theater that had been closed for years and brought it back to life. He cleared trees that had grown up around it, repaired the screen, added digital equipment and started showing the latest movies. The drive in has become a destination for panhandle residents.

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Do you, or don't you, like change? Either you do or you don't. Many of us are drawn to the familiarity of having things "the same" in our lives. Others feel a positive surge by selecting something "new and different" when a choice is needed. Then there are the times when we have to embrace change due to circumstances beyond our control. That's how I found the horse doctor.

Dr. David Howton operates a vet clinic in Winnsboro, Texas. He has a partner, Dr. Matt Gerdes. The business sign for Winnsboro Veterinary Clinic is posted as you turn onto it's long gravel driveway from Highway 11 just west of the Winnsboro city limits. It is across the road from Country Boy's Convenience Store, and Winnsboro is just a few miles ahead. The drive to the clinic from Sulphur Springs is a pleasant one, along a smooth, wide roadway where in the autumn of the year, the leaves on the trees offer a spectacular color display (for Northeast Texas). That's also the season that Winnsboro hosts "Autumn Trails" in October, a month-long celebration of the best of small-town living.

I own a couple of horses. From time to time, I have needed the services of a vet. Dr. J.D. Norris was our vet for the past few years. He was always fun, funny and down to earth, kind of like a family doctor for animals. At Veterinary Services on East Loop 301 in Sulphur Springs, his barn always felt welcoming and friendly and kind of a home away from home on the occasions I had to board a horse for a few days. He served the working horses and other animals of the ranches and farm families of the area. Dr. Norris succumbed to an ongoing illness during the Spring of 2016. His funeral was well-attended by rodeo, country, farm and western folk from all around Northeast Texas, and his warmth and humor are still missed. Dr. John Allen is now working out of Dr. Norris' clinic. Dr. Allen has operated a mobile equine service for a number of years, and he also is a trusted long-time servant of God's noblest creatures.

It was during the early summer that my paint gelding Edgar needed a vet. He was experiencing some irritation of the eyelid of the left eye, his "glass"eye. I had heard that the odd-looking blue eye might be susible to a form of cancer caused by exposure to sunlight, but I never took it too seriously. Horses were created to be out in the sun, right? By the time I chose a new vet clinic, the irritation was identified as cancer (squamous cell carcinoma) of the eyelid. It was a good day when we met Dr. Howton in his spacious treatment barn. His prognosis was straight to the point: he would administer the "freezing" treatment on the affected surface every 2-3 weeks and look for positive progress. The first and second visit were pretty rough, with the eye looking just horrible. Cancerous. I began to fear that I'd be unable to beat this for Edgar, and he might lose the eye altogether, or worse. But like a miracle, when we pulled the fly mask off his face today, around the eye we saw pink tissue that was not swelled or weeping. It looked great to me!



Dr. Howton using liquid nitrogen to "freeze" cancer cells invading the eyelid of a horse.

There were a couple of small spots that needed attention today, so Edgar was given a sedative to allow the doctor to work on the eye. By the time he "woke up", there were two more horses in the breezeway waiting for the doctor's care. I loaded Edgar onto the trailer feeling very relieved although Dr. Howton cautioned that diligence is still needed to keep the cancer at bay. And that recurrence is almost a certainty, partly because of Edgar's color-diluted genes. However, I am happy at the present moment and feel rather victorious, thanks to Dr. Howton and his expert staff. Edgar and I have an appointment to keep on behalf of the Hopkins County Sheriff's Posse, to carry the colors at the head of the Fall Festival Parade on Saturday, October 15. I hope to see you curbside as the parade winds through downtown Sulphur Springs. It's a tradition!

If you are looking for a veterinarian that treats large and small animals and provides medical, surgical, dental and wellness care for pets or livestock, then take the relaxing drive to Winnsboro, Texas and meet Drs. David Howton and Matt Gerdes. Their clinic is very busy but adequately staffed by people who are caring and professional, and loving what they do! Meantime friends, til next week, I'll watch for you at the corral gate!







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**Sat, September 17, 9am – 10am** - Yoga on the Square w/ Danni

**Sat, September 17, 1pm – 4pm** - Book Signing Event @ The Bookworm Box. The bookwormbox, 206 Main St, Sulphur Springs. Join us for this very special event to meet your favorite authors, get books signed, take pictures and have a fun day!

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## Maxine Crisp Osburn

Services for Maxine Crisp Osburn, age 89, of Dallas, are pending with Tapp Funeral Home. Ms. Osburn passed away Wednesday, August 31, 2016 at her residence in Dallas



## Honorina Ontiveros

Funeral mass for Honorina Ontiveros, age 62, of Emory, will be held at 4:00 pm, Wednesday, Aug. 31, 2016, at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Emory. Rosary will be 5:00 pm and visitation from 6-8:00 pm Tuesday Evening at Wilson-Orwosky Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow service on Wednesday at Hopewell Cemetery.

Mrs. Ontiveros passed away Saturday afternoon, Aug. 27, 2016, with her family close to her. She was born in Apaseo El Grande, GTO on Feb. 26, 1954, to Antonio Licea Galvan and Maria Delores Rubio. She married Florencio Ontiveros-Rogriguez in Apaseo El Grande on Jan. 1970. Honorina was a homemaker. Also, she attended St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church.

Survivors include: Husband: Florencio Ontiveros-Rodriguez of Emory; Daughters: Daysi Ontiveros, Patricia Ontiveros, and Olga Ontiveros; Sons: Ramiro Ontiveros, Fidel Ontiveros, Miguel Ontiveros, Arturo Ontiveros, Francisco Ontiveros; Sisters: Alicia Vargas Licea, and Maria Licea; Brothers: Ines Licea, Saturnino Licea and her Father: Antonio Licea Galvan.

She was preceded in death by her Mother.



## Peggy Jean Knott

Funeral service for Peggy Jean Knott, age 84, of Emory, were held Monday, Aug. 29, 2016. 11:00 am, at Believer's Baptist Church. Bro Jason Rolan officiated. Burial followed in Elm Cemetery. Visitation was Sunday evening, 4:00-6:00 pm, Aug. 28, 2016, at Wilson-Orwosky Funeral Home Chapel.

Mrs. Knott passed away Thursday, about mid-day, at Christus Mother Frances Hospital in Sulphur Springs. She was born Feb. 21, 1932, in Greenville, to Albert Walter and Era Mae Jones Crabb. She married Joe Franklin, in Greenville, on Dec. 13, 1950. To this union was born five children, one of whom died the following day. Peggy was a homemaker, wife, and mother, during most of her life.... she was a beautician during her younger years.

Survivors include: Son: Kyle Knott (Regina) of Little Elm; Daughters: Deborah Knott of Emory; Patti Clifton (Cliff) of Lewisville; and Lou Sharp (Roger) of Emory; Sister, Shirley Gregory of Emory; and brother, James Crabb of Mt. Pleasant; Grandchildren: Brian Morgan, Apri Mathers; Craig Clifton, Jennie Clifton, Cody Knott; Hank Knott; Kristin Lynch; Nicki Villegas; and Drew Sharp; Great-grandchildren: 14; Great-great-grandchildren: 1; Numerous other loving family and friends; Preceded in death by: Parents, Husband in 2010; Infant son, Darrell George Knott; and Brother, Wayne Crabb.

In lieu of flowers, family requests donations be made to: Believer's Baptist Church 1133 N. Texas St. Emory, TX 75440

Arrangements were under the direction of Wilson-Orwosky Funeral Home.



## Jesse Eugene Holland

Jesse Eugene Holland, 47, born on November 17, 1969, in Carthage TX and passed away on July 1, 2016 in Colorado Springs CO. A family memorial Service will be conducted Sunday, August 28 at Mt. Evans near Aurora, Colorado to scatter his ashes.

Jesse had two sisters, Melanie Holland of Benton AR and Teri Robinson of Sulphur Springs. He was preceded in death by his father Terry Holland. His mother, Dianne Hershberger, resides in Sulphur Springs. At the time of his death he was engaged to be married. He had no children.

Jesse was raised in Longview and attended Pine Tree High School where he first became interested in acting. He was active in the Longview Community Theater and modeled for local clothing stores.

After a stint in the Army reserves he moved to Miami FL where he had starring roles in several Thomas Griffith films which were produced for film festivals. He was encouraged by a visiting acting coach to move to Los Angeles and pursue a career in film. In 2005 he did just that. While there, he landed small roles in many popular t.v. shows (including My Name is Earl, According to Jim, Sarah Silverman Show) and became a stunt man on the Deadwood series. He also appeared in several feature films (including Transporter 2, Color of the Cross) and many short films. Jesse's greatest success came in modeling. He modeled for photographers from all over the world. He was sought out by EA Games to be their cover model and main character, Dusty, in the Medal of Honor 2010 video game.

Jesse was a camp counselor for Camp Reach for the Sky which is a camp for children with cancer and their siblings. He also worked with autistic children.

He loved children, horses, dogs, nature, and motorcycle riding.

He was a screenwriter, poet, artist, singer, and musician.

During his adventurous life he traveled to Greece and Great Britain; raced motorcycles; boxed professionally; rode horses; competed in bull riding competitions; trained dogs and horses; became proficient in roping; and was a licensed private pilot.

## Dessie Foreman

Mrs. Dessie Foreman, age 88 of Winnsboro, passed away on Tuesday, August 23rd, 2016 in Winnsboro. She was born on January 3rd, 1928 in Okemah, OK, to the late Lewis Ervin Edmoundson and Goldie Ellen Gates Edmoundson. She was retired from Vick Well Service and was a member of Walnut Street Baptist Church. She served as a charter member of the B&PW Club; past director of Winnsboro Chamber of Commerce; past director of the Autumn Trails Association; Winnsboro Woman Of The Year in 1976, and was a charter member of the Winnsboro Civic Club.

She was preceded in death by parents, brothers, and husband, Wayne Foreman.

She is Survived by, sister, Llevada E. Glass.

Visitation was held on Friday, August 26th, 2016 from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm at Beaty Funeral Home-Winnsboro 816 W. Broadway Winnsboro, TX 75494. Funeral Services were held on Friday, August 26th, 2016 at Beaty Funeral Home-Winnsboro 816 W. Broadway Winnsboro, TX 75494 at 2:00 pm. Rev. David Taylor and Rev. James Schafer conducted. Interment followed at Highland Cemetery in Okemah, OK, with Bill Coe, Will Harrison, Larry Mitchell, Rickey Swanner, Clem Measures, Lynn Shelton serving as pallbearers.



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Fifty Years and Counting...

Commentary by Dr. Don Newbury

A few friends from 50 years ago still remember our wedding day--August 12, 1966. The occasion is a conversation starter when we gather.

Brenda and I smile, our memories quickly rekindled by unlikely occurrences at the ceremony.

Friends and kin remember it for obvious reasons. It rained hard in Alpine, TX, that day. Gullies gushed through the arid land, where ranchers joke about occasional six-inch rains--when drops land six inches apart. During the storm, lightning danced across the sky, one bolt striking First Methodist Church....

When the organist started playing Here Comes the Bride, the instrument emitted only groans and shrieks. Yep, the sky bolt had done a number on the organ.

And, Brenda's aunt, an accomplished musician, had traveled almost 300 miles to play the wedding march. It was not to be. Instead, sounds wafting throughout the sanctuary seemed more like screeches and whines of hyenas frolicking across a steam calliope keyboard.

For Brenda and me, memories center on the lightning strike, and her late mother's admonition at the reception....

It was held, of course, in Fellowship Hall. I'll not forget those standard 4x8 folding tables, their leg joints creaking after many years of placement

for punch, mints and whatever.

I remember the punch bowl, and my mother-in-law cringing with the lading of each cup, fearful errant drops might permanently stain the white lace tablecloth she'd found on sale to use at such a time as this.

Remembered most, though, were the instructions to Brenda as she picked up the knife to slice the wedding cake. This single comment shattered my hopes that her mom's considerable kitchen talents had been passed along to her only daughter: "Remember, dear, use the sharp edge." Hey, this is the risk a "cradle-robber" takes....

Funny how a half-century seems like a long time from the front end, but glancing back, not so much. Oh, there's talk about 70 being the new 60.

Why not? Clearly, folks are living longer.

Consider Delmon and Vida Hodges of Fort Stockton. They've been married 62 years, having lived there since unpaved streets. Serving 16 years in Pecos County elected offices, Hodges, now 89, still conducts oil "bidness" daily.

Friends know they'll ignite fires of extended conversations when they mention the Lions Club. He's been a member since all the Lions were cubs....

He and Vida keep their strength up to show up where they're expected to show up. They were

100% faithful to attend grandchildren's graduation exercises a few weeks ago. On the face of it, we might consider this "ho-hum" stuff.

But wait. During a span of less than two weeks, they drove almost a thousand miles to attend ceremonies for FOUR of their 13 grands.

They couldn't get Pomp and Circumstance off their minds for a week or so. Thankfully, musical numbers wafted as planned, and I'm guessing reception cakes were pre-sliced....

Honorees included Macy, 25, Texas Tech Law School; Katy, 23, UT-Permian Basin; Gage and Natalee, both 18, Midland and Fort Stockton High Schools, respectively.

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