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Zaltz, Charles MD - Passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on December 17, 2020 at the age of 84 due to complications from COVID-19. He was born in Brantford, Ontario on July 10, 1936 to Noach and Anne Zaltz and was the youngest of four children. He graduated from the University Of Western Ontario School of Medicine and specialized in orthopaedic surgery at the University of Toronto. He practiced in Toronto at St. Michael's Hospital and Scarborough Centenary Hospital before relocating to El Paso, Texas in 1978. He was a leader within the orthopaedic community, respected for his knowledge, compassion, judgement, and surgical skills, and he became the head physician for the University of Texas- El Paso. Charles retired from active practice in 2018. He and his wife Sue became pillars of the community and supported many civic and religious institutions in the city of El Paso. He was predeceased by his two brothers, Maurice and Norman, and his brother-in-law Ted Segal. He leaves behind Sue, his loving and devoted wife of 58 years; three children, Ira (Barbara) Zaltz, Peter Zaltz, and Ruth (Jeff) Katz as well as eight loving and adoring grandchildren Rachel, Emily, Ethan, Jordan, Naomi, Sabrina, Zoe, and Isabel. He is also survived by his sister Shava Segal and his sisters-in-law Ruth Zaltz and Eleanor Zaltz. He was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend and will be sorely missed. A Family graveside service will be held on Sunday, December 20, 2020.

Memorial donations may be made to Temple Mount Sinai, El Paso, Texas www.templemountsinai.com or to the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund at Beth Sholom Synagogue Toronto, 416-783-6103. Charity: Beth Sholom Synagogue (416) 783-6103 Temple Mount Sinai, El Paso, Texas www.templemountsinai.com



Joanne Ellwanger

This lovely lady spent the last days of her over 90 years in Silver City with her son's family before going home to be with her Lord on Tuesday, November 10th.



**Ella Duncan
and Joanne Ellwanger shared
many fun times together**



Art August

Art was born in Detroit, Michigan
September 22, 1935. He and his
wife, Gloria, had been hospitalized
since contracting the coronavirus.

Sadly, Art succumbed
to the virus November 2, 2020.

Click the photo above to view Art's obituary.

Click [here](#) for the slideshow in PDF format of Art's memorial service presentation.





Mary Cunningham Hoover

January 15, 1928 - May 18, 2020

Our beautiful, vivacious, fun-loving Mary has gone home to be with her husband, daughter, grandson, and her Lord.

She will be sorely missed.

Services will be held at the Church of St Clement on June 26, 2020. Joe's and Mary's Ashes will be strewn together in the church garden from 1:00 PM. Funeral service will follow at 2:00 PM

Mary Cunningham Hoover

1928 - 2020

El Paso - Mary Cunningham Hoover
January 15, 1928 – May 18, 2020

Born in El Paso, Texas, the first child of Dr Charles Leslie (Jake) Cunningham and Margaret Hardie Cunningham.

Mary had two sisters, Betty who married Bob Squires, both deceased, and Margaret (Margie) deceased, who married Arthur K. Gorman deceased.

Mary married Joseph R. Hoover in 1948 and lived on the family cotton farm in Fabens for 15 years. Their daughter, Molly Smith and her son, Reed Hardie Smith, died in an automobile accident in 1997.

Mary is survived by her son, Joseph Renick Hoover Jr., his wife Chellie and their children Matthew and Jacob, and Molly's son's Renick Hoover Smith and Bradford Charles Smith.

Mary is also survived by Art and Margie Gorman's children Peggy, Mary, Louise, Allie, Art Jr, Charlie, Kathleen, and Patricia.; Bob and Betty Squires children Rob Jr, Mary Flo and Margaret, and; her sister-in-law Louann Feuille and her children Cita, Dick, Bito, Jim ,and Margaret and all of their spouses and children, and sister-in law Sandra and her step-children Rob III, Ruth, Doak and David their spouses and children. She gives thanks to her precious friends Diana Ortiz, Berta Ortiz, Heidi Penia, and Ricardo and Herminia Hermosio who lovingly cared for her in her twilight years.

Mary attended Crockett Elementary School where she was elected Class President and occasionally walked to school on her hands. She attended Austin High School where she was "Most Athletic Girl" and Queen of Austin-in-Action. She won the Kids Rodeo in 1943 and won the State Inter Scholastic League Tennis Championship in Austin in 1945. She enrolled in the U of Arizona in Tucson and pledged Kappa Kappa Gamma. While she was there she won the School Tennis Championship twice, was elected to "Spurs" (honor society), was Rodeo Queen (won team tying event) and traveled to Philadelphia where she and her partner won the National Junior Tennis Doubles Event, and also won the Sportsmanship Award. Later the university inducted her into the U of A Sports Hall of Fame.

Joe and Mary hosted many foreign visitors who were the clients of his dad, Robert T. Hoover, a local cotton merchant and farm owner. When the National Cotton Council met in El Paso, they and their neighbors staged a "train hold up" of the member's train when it stopped in Fabens on the way to their El Paso destination. They hauled them off the train and fed them lunch at four different farms.

They moved from the farm to El Paso in 1963, so their children could attend school. They lived in the family home on 701 Cincinnati for three years, now known as the "Hoover House". It was donated to UTEP by Joe's mom, Louisiana, after her husband Robert T. Hoover passed away.

Joe and Mary were avid UTEP fans of Basketball and Football for many long years. Mary served on the Sun Carnival Board as chairman of the Coronation with Helen Broaddus and designed and built the stage for the Coronation of the Sun Queen. Joe and Mary played Bridge at the Bridge Center on Yandell Blvd with lifelong friends.

An avid golfer, she won a Club Championship at El Paso Country Club, twenty one Club Championship at Coronado Country Club, two Southwestern Tournaments throughout the region, three City Championships and two Campestre Country Club tournaments in Juarez, to name just a few. All her golf friends were fondly referred to as her competitors by her son. With her partner Joe, they won the "Couples" tournament in Silver City several times. Along with her induction into the University Hall of Fame, she was inducted into the "El Paso Sports Hall of Fame and the "El Paso Golf Hall of Fame". She is written about in Ray Sanchez Book "El Paso's Greatest Sports Heroes I have known"

Mary was a member and president of "Comadres", the National Society of the Colonial Dames and Junior League of El Paso. Active at the Church of St Clement, she was the first woman to serve on the Vestry, and she also served on the Search Committee and the Women of St Clement. She wrote and published with Louis McKee a book about the windows of the Church of St. Clement filled with picture of the windows her daughter Molly took, along with descriptions of them titled, "To The Glory of God and In Loving Memory of ...".

Service will be held at the Church of St Clement on June 26, 2020. Joe's and Mary's Ashes will be strewn together in the church garden from 1:00PM. Funeral service will follow at 2:00 PM. Due to the Covid 19 Pandemic please RSVP to mhcho4@aol.com if you will be attending the Celebration of Life Service at the Church of Saint Clement, so they can accommodate attendees. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Church of St Clement.



To Plant Memorial Trees in memory, please visit our [Sympathy Store](#).

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MEMORIAL EVENTS JUN 26 Service 1:00 PM Church of St. Clement

More Memories



Mary Hoover

More stories about Mary Hoover

The death of Mary Hoover in May hit me especially hard.

You see, although I went to El Paso High School and she attended Austin High School, we were practically the same age and I followed her career as she grew up.

I wrote about her in her later years in one of my seven books, "El Paso's Greatest Sports Heroes I have known," as follows:

"She was such a beautiful young lady she could have been a model or a movie star. She was so popular she could have been a successful politician. She was so bright she could have been a successful businesswoman.

"Luckily for the athletic world, she chose sports as her main interest. I say luckily because she went on to become one of the most versatile and successful athletes in the Southwest."

IN 1933, at the age of 5, she entered the first Kids Rodeo in El Paso. She was kicked off a burro five times. It was such a bravado performance it was written up in Western Horseman magazine. Nine years later, she was reserve champion. In 1943, she was Grand Champion.

She attended Crockett Elementary School. While there she participated in swimming meets, neighborhood track, basketball, and football. How's that for a quadruple?

That same year she also won the City Tennis Tournament and the El Paso Country Club beauty contest.

BUT THAT was just a portent of things to come. While attending Austin High School, she and Margaret Warner competed in the Gulf Coast Tournament in 1943 and won every trophy in six events. And in 1945 Mary won the state high school tennis championship.

She attended the University of Arizona and while there lettered in basketball, volleyball, field hockey, bowling, swimming, golf and tennis.

GOLF? YES!

Besides winning numerous tennis tournaments throughout the Southwest she was Coronado Country Club champion in golf 19 times, El Paso Country Club champion twice and city champion three times.

She also won the Juarez Invitational, the Border Association three times, the Southwestern Tournament twice and the Horizon Invitational. To read more of her accomplishments, refer to my book, [El Paso's Greatest Sports Heroes I Have Known](#). Ray Sanchez (This article was in The El Paso Inc.)



Joanne Gnauck

January 5, 1935 – April 6, 2020

Joanne passed away after a lengthy battle with cancer. We extend our deepest sympathy to her family and friends.



Joanne C. Gnauck

January 5, 1935 – April 6, 2020

El Paso - After 85 years of loving life, Joanne C. Gnauck left us on Monday April 6, 2020. She was born in El Paso, Tx on January 5, 1935 to David and Mary Cook Crockett. She graduated from Austin High School in 1951; Texas Western College with a degree in Education and then later earned a Master's degree in Psychology from UTEP. After teaching in El Paso, she moved to Fabens, TX where she was a homemaker, mother, taught Sunday school at the First United Methodist Church and was the Contestant Chairman for the Maid of Cotton contestants. She also hosted the Annual Fabens Cotton Festival dinner before the pageant. She moved back to El Paso in

1974 and worked as a Counselor for Planned Parenthood and later as a Stockbroker for A. G. Edwards. She spent time on the Board of the El Paso County Library and was involved with the American Association of University Women, the UTEP Auxiliary and the Dedon Verde Garden Club. She loved spending time with her family, friends and pets. She enjoyed painting, gardening, playing bridge, and traveling to see many gardens and museums throughout the United States and England. She was preceded in death by her parents, first husband Robert H. Vickers and daughter Renee Alice Vickers. She is survived by her husband John A. Gnauck; brother Thomas Cashon (Jill): son's Robert H. Vickers Jr. (Diana) and Gregory M. Vickers (Rosario): grandchildren, Sarah (Austin), Bobby, Mark, Stephan and Ethan and great grandson Lucas.

In lieu of flowers you can make a donation to the [American Cancer Society](#) on behalf of Joanne C. Gnauck.

Julius Seigfried Heins

AUGUST 9, 1924 - MARCH 24, 2020



Julius (Jay) Heins, 95, passed away on March 24, 2020. Born in Dallas, Texas on August 9, 1924, Jay moved to and was raised in El Paso where he graduated from El Paso High School and Texas College of Mines (UTEP). He served in WWII as a Naval Marine Pharmacist's Mate First Class, during Operation Watchtower in the South Pacific. In 1950 Jay met the love of his life, Mary. Together, they raised four children and enjoyed a beautiful life together for 63 years. He was a devoted and loving husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather. A restaurateur, Jay owned and operated Heins Restaurant for thirty-five years, as well as numerous other restaurant ventures until his retirement in 1995. Jay and Mary traveled the

world extensively, leading more than 20 summer trips with students and adults through Europe, the Middle East and Asia. Jay was perhaps best known for his hearty laugh, genuine kindness, thoughtfulness and compassion. He had the unique ability to talk to anyone and was blessed with many wonderful and dear friends. He especially enjoyed his ROMEO (Retired Old Men Eating Out) lunch buddies, his billiard partners, and his bridge and tennis friends. Jay was an avid runner, competing in numerous races and marathons. He was a voracious reader and eagerly gave away books he enjoyed to friends and family. Jay is preceded in death by his parents, Julius and Henrietta Heins and his beloved wife, Mary. He is survived by his four children; Mark Heins (Jackie), Amy Goldfarb (Allan), Barry Heins (Tracy), and Andy Heins (Leslie); ten grandchildren, Shelley Goldfarb, Carroll-Anne Heins (Graham Becherer-Bailey), Judith Jacobson (Ryan), Matthew Heins, Aaron Goldfarb (Rebecca), Benjamin Heins (Rebecca), Emily Heins, Sarah Heins, Kelsey Heins, and Meredith Heins; and two great granddaughters, Margot and Olivia Jacobson. His family wishes to recognize and express their deepest gratitude to Dr. Muneer Assi, Julie Zuniga RN, FNP-C, Dr. Edward Assi, and the entire staff of Envision Hospice. Graveside burial will be private on March 25, 2020 at Temple Mt. Sinai Cemetery. Donations may be made to The El Paso Community Foundation Mary and Jay Heins Charitable Fund (333 N. Oregon St. 79901), Temple Mount Sinai Rabbi's Discretionary Fund (4408 N. Stanton St. 79902) or charity of choice.

ALL MEMORIES

Gwen Patterson, March 25, 2020, Jay was the best soup tester, listener, and errand runner anyone could have asked for (Greenery). Always sharing a smile, a laugh, a silly memory or talking about the book he was currently reading. I always looked forward to seeing him, just his presence made the day brighter. Thank you for sharing so much with me, you will be missed. Gwen



Pat Handly

has gone home to be with her Heavenly Father.

We will miss this fun-loving, witty, sweet lady.

Martin Funeral Home East Chapel 1460 George Dieter

February 15, 2020 - Visitation 11:00 – 1:00

Rosary - 1:00 – 2:00

Eulogies from 2:00 – 4:00

Graveside services will be held in Albuquerque, New Mexico

In lieu of flowers please make donations to the Make-A-Wish Foundation in memory of Pat to continue to pay it forward to children and all those fighting cancer.



Patricia Handly

January 21, 1935 – February 9, 2020

El Paso - Patricia Keenan Handly passed away February 9, 2020 in El Paso, Texas. She was born on January 21, 1935 in Beloit, Wisconsin, the daughter of James and Dorothy Keenan.

She met Milton Handly in Albuquerque, New Mexico and they married in 1963. They moved to El Paso in 1972 and resided there for the remainder of their lives. Their favorite pastimes were reading, fishing and playing Bridge. She earned her Bridge Bronze Life Master status on the high seas in 2013. She was an accountant for Bock Rutherford where she worked until her retirement.

Those left to treasure her memory are her brother James (Jake) Keenan Jr. and wife Louella (nieces Jessica and Janice), son Brent Handly and wife Sleta (grandsons Ryan and Tyler),

stepdaughter Christina Arnold (granddaughters Janelle and Vanessa), stepdaughter Cecily Handly (granddaughters Kaylan and Alissa), stepson Craig Handly (grandson Spencer) and three great-grandsons and six great-granddaughters.

The Handly family will receive relatives and friends on Saturday, February 15, 2020 for visitation from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. with a Rosary at 1:00 p.m. with eulogies to follow in the Chapel of Martin Funeral Home East. Graveside services will be held in Albuquerque, New Mexico. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to the [Make-A-Wish](http://www.ntx.wish.org) organization in her memory to continue to pay it forward to children and all those fighting cancer.



Bronze Life Master celebration

<http://www.ntx.wish.org/donate>

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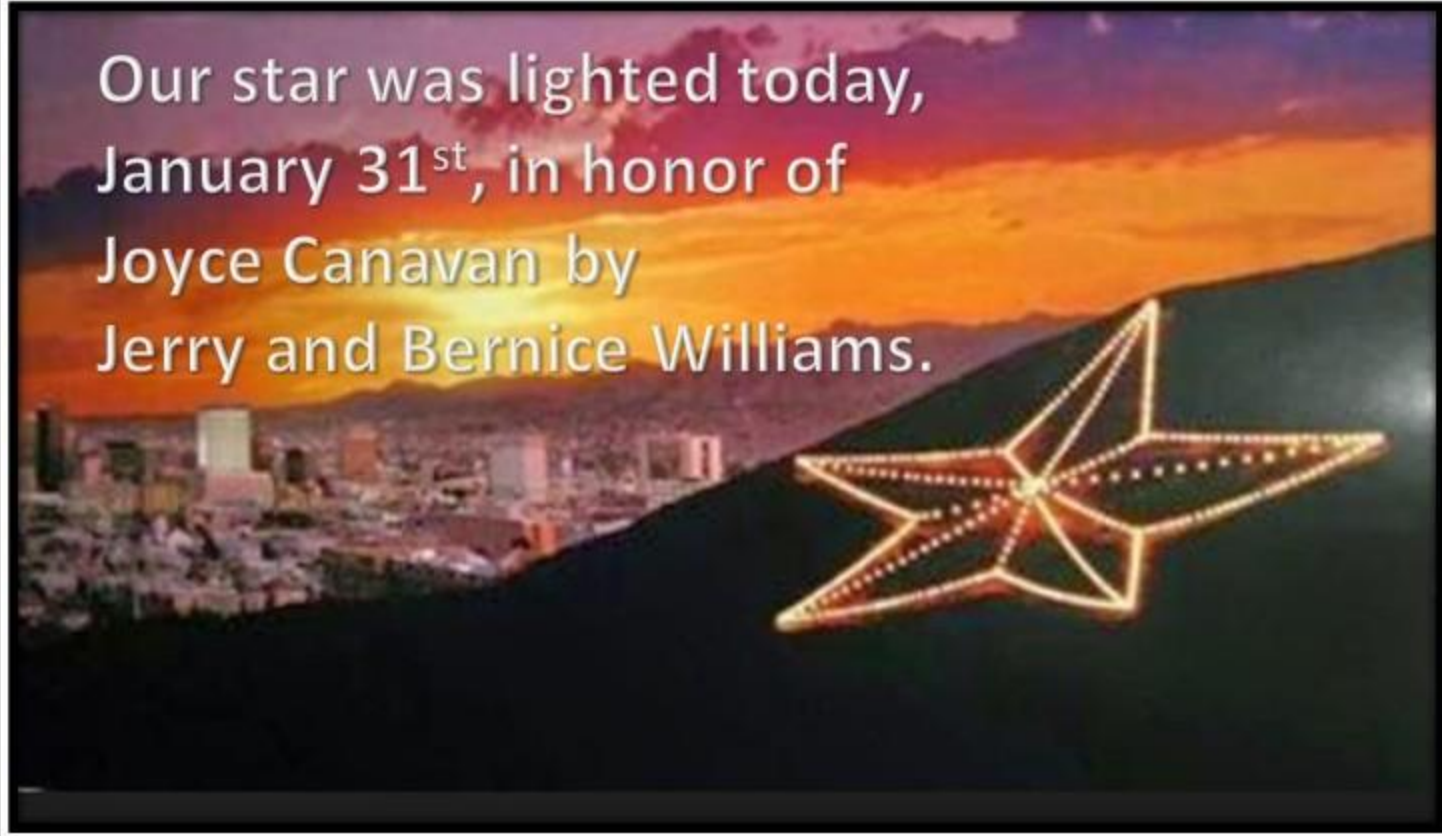


Meleney Kienle

With great sadness I am letting you know, my best friend and true soul mate is in heaven. She passed away after a long battle with cancer on Monday, Jan. 20, 2020. *Greta Pennink*

Meleney's memorial service will be held on Saturday, February 29th, at 1:00 PM at Jesus Chapel at 10200 Album Avenue, 79925

Our star was lighted today,
January 31st, in honor of
Joyce Canavan by
Jerry and Bernice Williams.



Joyce Canavan

April 29, 1934 – January 18, 2020



Our beloved friend, unique partner, worthy opponent, and outspoken member departed this morning for a well deserved rest. She leaves a noticeable void in MANY people's life/schedule/calendar. Generous, flamboyant. She impacted and influenced so many careers and businesses, especially in the medical community. She will be sorely missed. *"Absent from the body; present with the Lord."* *"The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away. Blessed be the name of the Lord."*

Barbara Harrid



Joyce Marlene Ashley Canavan

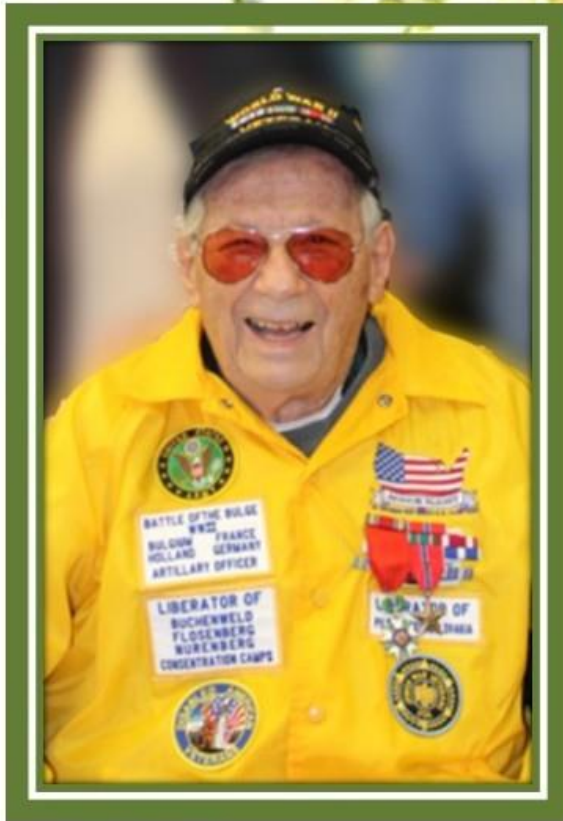
April 29, 1934 – January 18, 2020

El Paso - Joyce Marlene Ashley Canavan slipped the surly bonds of Earth on Saturday, January 18, 2020 at the age of 85. She moved to El Paso at the age of 5 when she was diagnosed with TB. She remained in El Paso and graduated from Austin High School. She worked at her family's restaurant, Ashley's Gardens, until she returned to school after her four daughters were born. Joyce excelled at everything she attempted. She graduated Valedictorian of her class at Hotel Dieu School of Nursing and went on to earn a BS Ed. with an emphasis in Business, and a Masters of Science, Nursing. She had a strong background in Obstetrical and Neurosurgical Nursing, Medical Group Management, and Psyche and Mental Health Nursing. Early in her career, she was the first nurse in El Paso to teach Natural Childbirth Classes to expectant mothers and fathers and encouraged those fathers who attended her classes to be present in the delivery room. During her nursing career she became the

Chief Flight Nurse/Pilot for Air Transport, an air ambulance service. She earned Single Engine, Commercial, Lear Jet, Instrument, Multi-Engine, Glider, and Glider Tow Pilot ratings as well as helicopter training. Later in her career she was a Lead Instructor in Mental Health, LVN and RN training into her 80's preparing graduating students for their NCLEX Review and their future service to the community as nurses. Her true passion was duplicate Bridge where she earned her Gold Life Master. Her achievements were numerous, but what she considered to be her greatest accomplishments were her daughters and grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren. She is survived by daughters, Benell Canavan, Cathy (Reed) Leverton, Joyce Marlene (Robin) Hood, Donna B (Dave) Canavan-Conklin; Grandchildren, Joy (Devin) Lewis, Cathryn (Dave) Thomas, AJ (Katie) Klundt, Pete (Ale) Klundt, Joseph (Apryl) Richeson, Bethany (Jonathan) Davis, Kate (Micah) Miller, Maggie (Brian) Weisenberger, Luke Leverton, Bailey (Mariana) Leverton, Ashley (Jeffrey) Moore, Lauren (Kyle) Surridge, Jake (Rebecca) Canavan, Kelsey Canavan. A Celebration of Life Service will be held Friday, January 31, 2020 at 10 am at Martin Funeral Home West. Services entrusted to Martin Funeral Home West

www.martinfuneralhomewest.com





Stanley Marcus

Passed away on
January 11th

Burial Mt. Sinai Cemetery
with Military Honors on
Wednesday, January 15th
at 1:30 PM

Stanley S. Marcus

February 3, 1921 – January 11, 2020

El Paso - Stanley S. Marcus, 98, member of Temple Mt. Sinai in El Paso, Texas since 1947. He was born on February 3, 1921 in New York City, NY. He passed away peacefully in El Paso, Texas on January 11, 2020. He is preceded in death by his father Louis Marcus and mother Mamie Marcus; sister Lillian and brothers, Robert and Jerrold. Stanley received a business degree in 1942 at the college of business of New York. He proudly enlisted in the Army March 1942 as a Private and fought within the European Theatre. In 1944, Private Marcus saw combat in France, Belgium, Holland, Germany and Czechoslovakia. His accomplishments include the Battle of the Bulge as an artilleryman, partook in the Liberation of 3 concentration camps, and the liberation of the City of Pilsen, Czechoslovakia. His awards included 4 battle stars, Pilsen liberation occupation medal, Czechoslovakian legion of honor and commendations from President Harry Truman. Mr. Marcus retired from William Beaumont Army Medical Center in 1947 with 100% Disability after serving for 5 ½ years, from 1942-1947. He was part of honor flight in 2014 to Washington DC to honor WWII Veterans. Stanley loved fishing in the Sea of Cortez originally with 25 Buddies of 5 airplanes, but as of 2015, he was last of the Mohicans. He was the commander of Rio Grande Sailing Club, he was a lifelong sailor. He ended his lifelong sailing by owning a 27 ft. Coronado sail boat in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico. He also was an avid bridge player, silver life master, skier, bowler, sea diver, and world traveler. Stanley was the owner from 1953 to retirement in 1986 of Airway Loan Company, Midway Loan Company, and Atlas Loan Company. Member of the Jewish War Veteran's Temple Mt. Sinai.

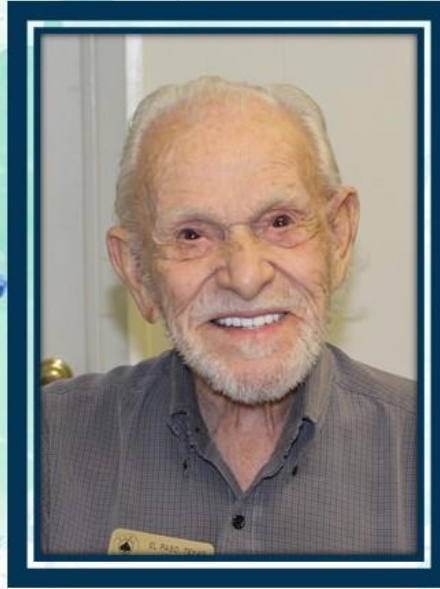
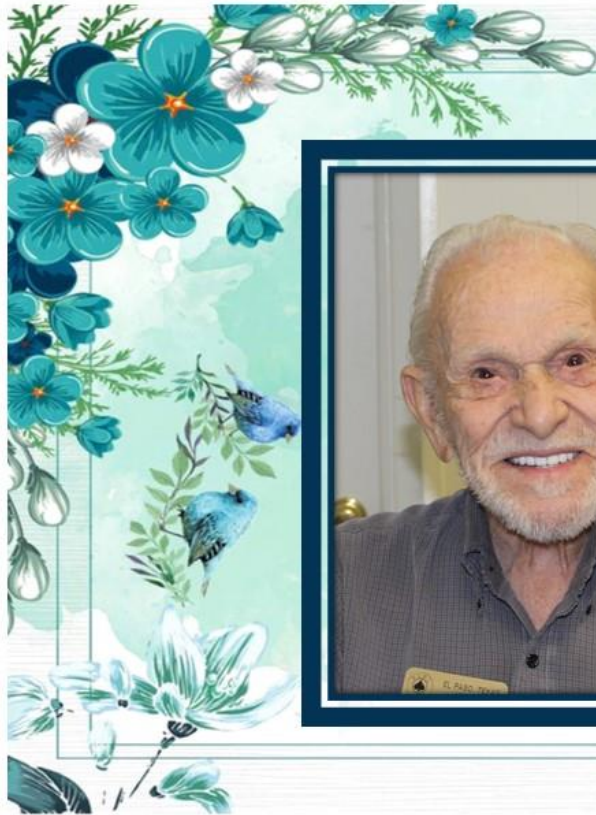
Survived by present wife Armandina Marcus and step-sons Armando Benjamin Cordova, Samuel Cordova and former wife Nancy C. Marcus, daughter Wendy S. Marcus, 3 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Burial Mt. Sinai Cemetery with Military Honors, burial flag to be presented to wife Armandina Marcus on Wednesday, January 15, 2019 at 1:30 PM. Services entrusted to Sunset Funeral Home Northeast.

Please visit our online register book at www.sunsetfuneralhomes.net

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**Ron Bell
has gone to his
heavenly home.
We shall miss
his cheerful
ways.**





More sad news – One of our leading tournament directors
passed away – Gary Zeiger from Phoenix, Arizona
Also, Steve Rosenberg, Chloe's husband passed away on May 15-2020



Bobbie Adams

Some of our longtime members will remember
Bobbie. Sadly, she has passed away.