



# Brandywine Crucible

## Newsletter

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## The 2010 Brandywine Crucible Cox Family Reunion

**Brandywine Crucible Cox Family Reunion** is scheduled at Lampasas, TX for **May 14<sup>th</sup> -16<sup>th</sup> 2010**. Be prepared to enjoy a number of family events which are scheduled.

Starting on Friday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, the **Brandywine Golf Tournament** will start at 8:00 a.m... It will once again be at the Hancock Park Golf Course. We encourage all golfers young and old, male or female not to miss the opportunity of taking home one of our special trophies. It is a fun time **"under the sun"** to get acquainted with family you have not met. Plus it gives you opportunity to make a name for yourself on **"the old greens!"**

After an exciting day on the golf course you will be ready to relax by the pool or under the shady trees while enjoying the aroma of **burgers cooking on the grill**. Enjoying a cool drink and getting better acquainted with kin folk that are from over the United States. Please be aware later in the evening you will have chances to beat those same kin folk in **dominoes or other planned games**.

Saturday morning has been saved for registration plus more visiting. At 9:30 a.m. Joe Cox, the President, will welcome everyone to the 2010 Brandywine Family Reunion. He will also introduce our special guests and the presenters for the weekend.

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You will need your calendars so you can plan on being a part of the next scheduled Brandywine Crucible Family Trip. You will not want to miss the opportunity to meet new Cox Cousins or to miss experiencing the sites and the history of the beginnings of our great - great grandparents.

Before we call it a day our yearly Cox Family Group picture will be taken. Remember to bring your cameras.

Sunday will start with a Family Devotion lead by Eddie Burchfiel of Oklahoma City, OK. Don't miss it, he is an excellent Bible teacher, do plan to attend.

If you have not already, do make your motel reservations at the Holiday Inn Express now. Just ask for the Cox Reunion group rates. Our special rates are \$86-standard, \$96- king suite and \$109- family suite. The Holiday Inn Express is located at 1200 Central Expressway and their phone number is 512-556-9292. Of course, you can use Holiday Inn's central reservation number - 1 888 465 4329 or their website:

<http://www.hiexpress.com/hotels/us/en/reservation>.

I hope to see each of you at Lampasas in May.

God bless,  
Thelma Burchfiel, Editor

## Brandywine Crucible 2009 Kentucky Tour

Tour Director: *Linda F. Atkins*

### *Historical Kentucky Tour-2009*

An extended **Thank you** to Our Kentucky Cox Cousins for an Enjoyable Time!  
Greatly Appreciated  
From all the Oklahoma & Texans Cox Cousins!



Brandywine Crucible Tour Group: (Front Row) Dottie Smart, Marjory Sutton, Helen & Joe Cox; (Back Row) Les Sutton, Nell Turner, Ada C. Stump, & Linda F. Atkins.

We started the tour in Whitley City, KY. We stayed at Best Western South Fork Inn. The accommodations were nice and enjoyable



We were greeted by Chester Cox, the first of our Kentucky cousins, we would meet.

The KY Cox family helped us to experience history first hand at Sandhill Camp. We enjoyed the tours of cemeteries, attending church, but most of all we enjoyed developing the bonds of friendship with Chester & Debbie, Melvin and Shelby and the whole KY Cox family.

**Thank You!** Chester and family, you have proven once again, what a GREAT family we have.

Our Tour Director, *Linda Atkins*, will be discussing the next Brandywine Tour:

**England & Ireland**

at the 2010 Brandywine Reunion. You are encouraged to start planning now to be a part of this once in a life time tour.



## Cox Family Reunions of 2010

### 2010 Genealogy Exchange Workshop

Saturday, August 7th, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

**Admission Free; Everyone Welcome!**

Williamsburg, KY, Tourism & Convention Center (Exit 11 off I-75 across from Cumberland Inn). SE KY & NE Ten research. Bring photos & family information for sharing with others.

**Contact:** Mary Lou Hudson, [hudgo@medt.com](mailto:hudgo@medt.com),  
**Phone:** 574-491-4502.

### 2010 Cox Reunion, Lampasas, TX

**May 14-16**, Hostess House, Hancock Park, Lampasas, TX. Descendants of Solomon and Naomi Hussey Cox, related families, and friends. Fellowship, fun, & serious family history.

**Contact:** Linda Atkins, [Latkins@okclev.net](mailto:Latkins@okclev.net)

**Phone:** 405-677-8029,

**Contact:** Joe Cox, [jandhcox@thrifty.net](mailto:jandhcox@thrifty.net)

**Phone:** 512-392-2097

**Contact:** Les Sutton, [lessutton@aol.com](mailto:lessutton@aol.com).

**Phone:** 713-455-3920

**For motel reservations:** Holiday Inn, Lampasas (reunion hq.) - 512-556-9292, or Country Inn, Lampasas-512-556-6201.

### 2011\* Whitley Co., KY., Cox Reunion

**July 18-19**, Sandhill 4H/RV Camp, Whitley City, KY. 42653.

**Contact:** Chester & Debbie Cox at [djcox@highland.net](mailto:djcox@highland.net) or (c) 606-310-4666

**Contact:** Melvin & Shelby Cox, 606-376-5195.

*\*This reunion will begin meeting every other year.*

### 2010 Cox Reunion, San Antonio, TX, late

**June 5 - 6**. Descendants of Wm. Madison Tucker Cox & Fannie Lindsey Cox. All family lines welcome. **Lady Bird Johnson Park on Hwy 16 So. From Fredericksburg.**

**Contact:** Elden Wagner or 830-570-6688 or at 102256 IH 37, Pleasanton, TX, 78064

[suzheadley@comcast.net](mailto:suzheadley@comcast.net)

**Contact:** Suzanne Headley, 713-785-7606.

### 2010 Cox Reunion, Belton, TX, June 13,

**Bell Co. Sportsman's Club.** Descendants of George W. Cox, Sr. (Samuel Cox & Martha (Cox) Cox). All lines welcome.

**Contact:** Eileen Goldborer, at 512-462-2537 or at 7203 Elm Forest Rd, Austin, TX 78745, or by [egoldborer@austin.rr.com](mailto:egoldborer@austin.rr.com).

### 2010 Cox Reunion, Sweetwater, TX

(formerly at Gustine, TX), **May 1**, at home of Betty Bryant, 814 Crescent Dr., 79556, Ph 325-235-5462. Descendants of Christopher Cox & "Nealy" Cox. All family lines welcome.

**Contact:** Missy Cox Jones, 325-356-3547, **Contact:** Sadie Cox, 432-332-2768 or at 1316 Boatright, Odessa, TX 79763...

### 2011\* Cox Arkansas Reunion, May 7,

Ione Community Bldg on Hwy 23; ten miles from Boonville, AR. Descendants of Nathan & Dorcas King Cox. All family lines welcome.

**Contact:** D.L. "Lew" Powell, at 479-675-2303 or [lewpowell@magtel.com](mailto:lewpowell@magtel.com).

### 2010 Rhodes-Cox Reunion, Pampa, TX,

**April 3**. Descendants of Samuel Cox. All family lines welcome. Site: Knights of Columbus Bldg., 318 N. Cuyler St.

**Contact:** Claude or Frieda Cox at 325-748-5221,

**Contact:** Marvin or Linda Cox, 806-622-1631,

[paandmacox@suddenlink.net](mailto:paandmacox@suddenlink.net).

### 2010 Cox Reunion, Nolanville, TX. June

**26-27**, Nolanville Community Center. Descendants of Samuel Hampton and Nicia Jane Cox (Joseph & Samuel). All family lines welcome. Pleasant Hill Cemetery Assn. Meeting at cem., 9:30 AM Sat (off HW 190, Pleasant Hill Rd, Nolanville).

**Contact:** Lawrence Cox, 7003 E. Rancier, Killeen, TX 76543-8819; 254-371-0596.

### 2010 Cox Reunion, Mertzon, TX, June 19

Community Center. Descendants of Emerson Cox (descendant of Joseph and Solomon Jr.). All family lines welcome.

**Contact:** Walter W. "Spec" Cox, 806-839-2253, [ccox64@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ccox64@sbcglobal.net)

**Contact:** Johnnie Harper, 432-238-3258, [jshtxtrek@yahoo.com](mailto:jshtxtrek@yahoo.com).

**Contact:** Dana Cox, at 479-675-3136, or [irhoghead@yahoo.com](mailto:irhoghead@yahoo.com)

**2010 Cox Reunion, Chillicothe, Mo.** This annual reunion MAY NOT occur in 2010 except for a get-together to serve as the 49<sup>th</sup> reunion so that the 50<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL reunion can be celebrated in 2011. A really big event is planned for 2011. Descendants of Joseph Cox. All other lines welcome.

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**Contact:** Bill Cox, 660-646-3744  
**Contact:** Juanita C. Firmin, 660-646-1704,  
[firminjuanita@hotmail.com](mailto:firminjuanita@hotmail.com)

## Genealogy Exchange Workshop

Saturday, August 7, 2010; 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
Williamsburg, KY Tourism and Convention  
Center (exit 11 off I-75 across from Cumberland  
Inn)

**Free Admission! Everyone Welcome!**

The Workshop is open to anyone researching family  
lines of southeastern KY and northeastern TN.

Contact: [Mary Lou Hudson](mailto:Mary Lou Hudson), [judgo@medt.com](mailto:judgo@medt.com)

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## Brandywine Crucible Announcements

### BABY NEWS

#### **Birth Announcements:**

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**Gabriel Marcelo Aldape** born to Rachel Elaine Goss and Michael Aldape September 15, 2009 in Amarillo, TX. Rachel Goss is the daughter of Jana Wallace Goss, a descendant of Christopher Cox (b 1773 in NC). Gabriel is the first male child born into the family of Bettye Cox Wallace (Great Grandma) and the late H.E. Wallace since their marriage in 1948. (We have girls, girls, girls). 'Oh, how we love little girls!') Gabriel's father Michael is a music major at WTA&MU in Canyon and Rachel is also a student at the university. They currently live in Canyon.

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**Teresa Buster** - born 8/18/2009, 1<sup>st</sup>. granddaughter of Richard & Pam Cox, Albuquerque, NM. The proud parents are daughter Brenda Vizcaino and father Craig Buster of Albuquerque, NM

**Cassidy Cox** - 12/30/2009, the 2nd granddaughter born to Richard & Pam Cox, the parents are son, Larry Cox and his wife Stacy of Bakersfield, CA.

**Shayla Faye Cox** - 2/19/2010 - 5 lbs 4oz 19" long, 3<sup>rd</sup> granddaughter of Richard and Pam Cox. The

parents are son, Richard Lee Cox and his wife Julie of Plainfield, IN.

The Great Grandparents are the late Bobby Cox and wife Carol of Bakersfield, CA.

We join Richard and Pam in welcoming this great blessing, **Congratulations!**

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#### **Gunter Allen Butterfield** - Jackie Dean

Cox became a grandpa on Sept. 9<sup>th</sup>. 2009. Gunter was born in N. Dakota. Jackie is the brother to Cora & James Flud

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## THE GRADUATES

### **Congratulations to;**

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#### **Chelsey Ilene Lanham** - Daughter of:

Vanessa Cox Blaylock & Carl Wayne Lanham.  
Granddaughter of late William D. & Ima Jean Thomason Cox

Chelsey will graduate May 15, 2010

Mannford High, Mannford, OK

She will attend College in Tulsa, OK

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#### **Tyler Lee Stump** - Son of Ronald W. &

Sharon Stump & Sheree Fish Stump

Grandson of Ron & Ada Cox Stump

Tyler will graduate May 23, 2010

Cox Convention Center, Okla. City, OK

He will attend Univ. of Central OK

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#### **Brandon Michael Winkler** - Son of Jodie

Lee Winkler & Theresa Lyn Paroda Winkler

Grandson of Steve & Linda Cox Winkler Atkins

Brandon will graduate May 18, 2010

Lloyd Noble Center, Norman, OK

He will attend Okla. City Community College, then onto OU

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#### **Blain Allen Giddings**

The grandson of Hugh and Marie Polly; Blain Allen

Giddings, the son of their daughter Susan and Jeff Giddings has graduated Marine boot camp August, 2009. He is attending college in Omaha, Nebraska. The family live at Papillion, NE, a suburb of Omaha.



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## AWARDS

### **Congratulations to:**

### **Las Vegas Tour Guide To Receive Special Award**

**Charlene Cox Cruze** the "Tour Guide of the Decade" award. The award, of the Las Vegas Tourist Guides Guild, honors Char for her dedication in promoting the history, culture, and the scenic beauty of Las Vegas and its valley. For 37 years Char has guided tourists to historical and natural areas in and around Las Vegas.



Char has conducted training classes at UNLV and CSN. She has taught Las Vegas history to colleagues in the tourism industry.

Char's family heritage dates to 1855 and the arrival of pioneer settlers in Las Vegas valley.

The Las Vegas Tourist Guides Guild, incorporated in 2005, is a professional and educational association for individuals and organizations involved in the guided tour segment of the tourism industry.

The LVTGG promotes dedication, information accuracy, professionalism and commitment by its members. The LVTGG conducts training and testing for the purpose of certifying its members as Certified Professional Tourist Guides. Miss Cruze chairs the LVTGG professional education committee, and is the principal instructor for the CPTG courses.

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## WEDDING NEWS



**Lisa Marie Curtis  
&  
Sean Edward  
Clayton Sundstrom  
June 20, 2009**

Lisa is the daughter of Kelly Stump;

Granddaughter of Ron & Ada Cox Stump of Okla. City, OK

(The newly weds reside in Okla. City, OK)

**Sara Beth Smith**, daughter of Mary Wallace Hensley, a descendant of Christopher Cox (b 1773 in NC), was married in Houston November 21, 2009 to Clinton Waide Fernandez, son of B.C. and Yvonne Klutts Fernandez of Morgan City, LA. Clint, of Cajun ancestry, works for the oil field industry. Sara is a photographer. Their home is in Harris County.

### *Best Wishes to the Newly Weds!*

### Other Announcements:

### *Author! Author!*

**Kristi Burchfiel** – Author of *Without*

*Regrets* (A Bible Study of Ecclesiastes)

Kristi is the daughter-in-law of Eddie and Thelma Cox Burchfiel. This is her first book published by Tate Publishing. Please visit her website at:

[www.kristiburchfiel.com](http://www.kristiburchfiel.com).

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**X.B. Cox** – has completed his book on his WW II memoirs. You may obtain more details at the 2010 Brandywine Family Reunion.

**When you are trying to do research and you find yourself at a dead end. Les Sutton suggest this site. Several researchers have found it helpful.**

**Happy Researching**

<http://homepages.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~brandywi/index.html> Click on Brandywine Cox Database: Enter Security Access Code – brandywine

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[http://www.facebook.com/n/?group.php&gid=103431246361263&mid=214c207G27147df6G481c294G6&n\\_m=web316%40sbcglobal.net](http://www.facebook.com/n/?group.php&gid=103431246361263&mid=214c207G27147df6G481c294G6&n_m=web316%40sbcglobal.net)



# Happy Anniversary

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## *Pollys Mark 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*



Hugh & Marie Polly celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2009. Their children honored them with a come & go open house at Lakehoma Church of Christ.

The couple married at the Eastside Church of Christ in Kermit, TX. Hugh was serving in the Navy and their first home was in Freeport, Maine. They made their second home in Kermit where Hugh worked for Schlumberger Well Services working for 35 yrs before retiring. His job took he & family to different states, but once retired they settled in Mustang, OK. They have 3 children; Hugh III, David, & Susan (Giddings), along with 5 grandchildren.

**God Bless you with many  
more Happy Years Together**

***Congratulations From Brandywine!***

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# Happy 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

***Ron & Ada Stump***

**Married: Sept 13, 1959**

***Ronny Clyde Stump & Ada Marie***

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**The Bride:** Ada M. Cox, the daughter of Lemuel & Opal Irene Bentley Cox. The paternal granddaughter of John H. & Mary Margaret Ellison Cox

**The Groom:** Ron C. Stump, the son of Russell C. Stump & Frances Faye Williams Stump, Norman, OK



Ron & Ada celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on board the Sapphire Princess Ship Cruising to Alaska



Ron & Ada celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary Cruising with Steve & Linda Cox Atkins

*Congratulations  
& Best Wishes!*

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## Contributions to the

### MEMORIAL FUND

#### **In Memory Of:**

*A gift has been presented to  
The Cox Family Genealogical*

**Edna D. Spivey Atkins**

**(1919-2009)**

*Mother of Steve Atkins*

**Gifts by**

Steve & Linda Atkins

Paul & Emma Cox

Chester R. & Aleta Cox

Clifford & Dorotha Plemons

Ron & Ada Cox Stump

Floyd & Lois Cox

Eddie & Thelma Burchfiel

Danny Cox

Diana McCage

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**Larry Parker Cox Brown**

**(1951-2009)**

*Son of the late Dale Burke Cox*

*&*

*Betty Bugher Cox*

*Norman, Oklahoma*

**Gifts by**

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Danny Cox  
Diana McCage  
Raymond & Dottie Smart

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## Elizabeth Johnston Cox

Bybee

(d. 1873)

**Gifts by**

Joe & Helen Cox, Jr & Family  
(Jessie Stephen Cox Family)  
Bobby Lee Cox Family  
Carol Faye Chapman Cox (Bobby's Widow)  
Gary & Valerie Cox Eades Weichelt  
Richard Alan & Pam Cox  
Bobby Leo & Jennifer Bruner Cox  
(Lemuel Cox Family)  
Chester & Aleta Cox  
Clifford & Dorotha Cox Plemons  
Ron & Ada Cox Stump  
Dale & Brenda Stump Absher  
Floyd Lemuel Cox  
Steve & Linda Cox Atkins  
William E. & Thelma Cox Burchfiel  
Diana Cox McCage  
Mark & Stacie McCage Spence  
Daniel Cox  
(Martha Jane Cox Culver Family)  
Raymond & Dottie Culver Simpson Smart  
David Simpson

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## Noah Erbin Clark (d. 1890)

**Gifts by**

Billie Reisfield

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## Alva Clinton A. C. Cox

(1895-1981)

&

## Mona Yarbrough Cox

**Gifts by**

Jerry & Mona Mullins  
Joe B. & Helen Cox, JR

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## Oren Earl Cox

(1925-2007)

**Gifts by**

Cynthia Kilmer  
**Elton Cox**

**Gifts by**

Yvonne Peters

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## Ima Jean Thomason Cox

(1937-2009)

*Wife of late William D. Cox*

(1936-2006)

&

*Mother of daughter, Iva Jean*

*Died (1954-1996)*

*Mother of Donald Ray &*

*Vanessa Ann*

**Gifts by**

Paul & Emma Cox  
Chester R. & Aleta Cox  
Clifford & Dorotha Plemons  
Ron & Ada Cox Stump, OK  
Floyd & Lois Cox  
Steve & Linda Atkins  
Eddie & Thelma Burchfiel  
Danny Cox  
Diana McCage

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## Johnnie M. Cox

(1918-2009)

&

## Modena Haden Cox

(1921-2009)

*Parents of Don & the late*

*Mary Frances Cox Beason*

(1941-2004)

*Ava, Missouri*

**Gifts by**

Joe B. & Helen Hooten Cox, JR  
Paul & Emma Cox  
Chester R. & Aleta Cox  
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Ron & Ada Cox Stump, OK  
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## Lois Ann Andrews Cox

(1946-2009)

*Wife of Floyd Samuel Cox  
Mother of Sherri, Kevin,  
& Shannon*

### Gifts by

Floyd L. Cox Family  
Paul & Emma Cox  
Chester R. & Aleta Cox  
Clifford & Dorotha Plemons  
Ron & Ada Cox Stump, OK  
Steve & Linda Atkins  
Eddie & Thelma Burchfiel  
Danny Cox  
Diana McCage  
Raymond & Dottie Smart

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## James Holt

(1935-2009)

*Husband of the late Dolly Cox Holt*

### Gifts by

Paul & Emma Cox  
Chester R. & Aleta Cox  
Clifford & Dorotha Plemons  
Ron & Ada Cox Stump, OK  
Floyd & Lois Cox  
Steve & Linda Atkins  
Eddie & Thelma Burchfiel  
Danny Cox  
Diana McCage  
Raymond & Dottie Smart

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## Dennis Levi Patton

(1962-2009)

*Son of the late Dennis Leo Patton*

(1935-2007)

&

*Margie Cox Patton*

*Kern Co., California*

### Gifts by

Paul & Emma Cox  
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Clifford & Dorotha Plemons  
Ron & Ada Cox Stump, OK  
Floyd & Lois Cox  
Steve & Linda Atkins  
Eddie & Thelma Burchfiel  
Danny Cox  
Diana McCage  
Raymond & Dottie Smart

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## Mary Angelina Cox Middleton

(1850-1941)

*Daughter of Flemming Trigg Cox  
&*

*Mary Guinevra Leigh*

## John Madison Middleton

(1848-1925)

*Son of John Alfred Middleton  
&*

*Revenny Sutton Middleton Craighead*



**Grave marker for Revenny Sutton Middleton  
Craghead.**

**Born 22 Oct 1828 in Smith County, Tennessee,  
USA.**

**Died 2 Mar 1860  
in Nolanville, Bell, Texas, USA  
Buried in Pleasant Hill Cemetery**

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**Nolanville, Bell, Texas, USA.**

**Gifts by**  
Duryl Bailey  
Joe B. & Helen Cox, JR  
Ron & Ada Stump Family

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## Collie Wright Cox Teer

(1912-2004)

## Oscar David Teer

(1906-1977)

**Gift by**  
Jennifer Rodgers  
Joe B. & Helen Cox, JR  
Ron & Ada Cox Stump, OK



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## In Remembrance Of:



**Johnnie M Cox:** b. August 18, 1918;  
d. Sep 28, 2009

Johnnie Cox, 91, Ava, Mo. He was the son of John Gentry Cox and Bessie Mae Jones. On July 7, 1939 he married Modena Haden, they made their home at Ava. They spent their lives working on the farm that his ancestors had worked before them. They were to celebrated their 70<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary when Modena preceded him in death on June 25, 2009. He was also preceded in death by their only daughter, Mary Frances Beason.

Johnnie enjoyed telling the stories of his family some were of adventure, sometimes the sorrow of death but the stories of the past brought knowledge of our ancestors and much joy to our hearts.

He is survived by; his son-in-law, Don Beason; three grandchildren, Debbie Willis and husband Bill, Patti Chamberlain and husband Greg and John Beason, all of Ava. Three brothers, George Haden and wife, Ethel, of

Olympia, Wash., Jim Haden and wife, Irene, of Sparta, Jack Haden and wife, Bonnie, of Republic; Johnnie's two sisters-in-law, Mae Cox and Myrl Cox; one brother, Joe Cox; three great-grandchildren, Brandon Reed and wife, Summar, Ryan Chamberlain and wife, Rebecca, Reagan Rogers and husband, Cory; two great-great grandsons, Gavin and Blake Reed, all of Ava; several nieces, nephews, cousins, and many friends.

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**Otis Lincoln Campbell** went to be with the Lord November 9, 2009. He was a



native of Kentucky. The son of the late Mike Campbell and Emmaline Cox Campbell, born on April 20, 1922 in Whitley Co., KY. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Orvis, David, and Coit of Kentucky. He served for five years in WWII in the 4th Infantry Division landing on Utah Beach in

June, 1944. **He was a radioman spotter directing artillery fire on the front lines.** His ribbons and medals included the Purple Heart.



## Lois Ann (Andrews)

**Cox** of Noble, OK went to be with the Lord on Nov. 25, 2009. Funeral services were held at the Noble First Baptist Church, with Bro. Sunny Stuart and Ronnie Stump officiating the service. Mrs. Cox was laid to rest at the Washington

Cemetery. Lois was born June 8, 1946, in Washington, OK., the seventh of 10 children born to Jasper Daniel Andrews and Elsie Victoria Madden.

She graduated from Washington High School in 1964 and one year later on Oct. 15, 1965, she married the love of her life, Floyd L. Cox, the middle son of Lemmie & Irene Cox of Noble. Together, Lois and Floyd raised three children.

Lois retired from the OK Dept. of Corrections as an Administrative Parole Officer with over 25 years of service.

Lois' greatest joy was her family, raising her children and spoiling her grandchildren. She will be remembered as a

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loving & wonderful wife, mother & grandmother, sister, and a very special aunt to all of her nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Jasper and Elsie; stepmother, Martha; brothers, Junior and Luke Andrews; sister, Audrey Nelson and nephew, Larry Dover.

She is survived by her husband, Floyd of the home; three children, Sherri Stuart and husband, Shane, of Noble, Kevin Cox and wife, Denise, of Denver, CO., and Shannon Meyer and husband, Luke, of Rossville, KS.; six sisters and brothers and their spouses, Mary and Joe Dover of Purcell, Norma and Kenneth Blair of Goldsby, Carolyn Cheek and Danny Blubaugh of Lexington, Lem Andrews and Mary Walker of Purcell, Billy and Becky Andrews of Goldsby and Jimmy and Carla Andrews of Washington; seven grandchildren, Seth and Sarah Stuart, Emma, Austin and Jake Meyer and Georgie and Phoebe Cox; many nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

Lois was a very special person to everyone who knew her. We wish her all the blessings of Heaven.

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**Billie Francis Cox Brown** went home to be with the Lord on April 25, 2009. She was the precious mother of Nancy Brown Stout. Billie was the daughter of Arnie Columbus Cox and granddaughter of C.C. "Kitt" Cox.. She was laid to rest at Meinda Cemetery.

**Ima Jean Thomason Cox** b. Jan. 19, 1936 joined her husband, William D. Cox & daughter, Iva Jean Allspaugh in heaven on Nov. 4, 2009. She was met at the Pearly Gates also by her parents Charley & Iva Thomason along with other family and friends.

Don and Jean owned their own business and worked side by side most of their lives. Jean also worked and retired from the OK University.

Jean loved and enjoyed all of her family and friends. She always had a smile on her face and laughter in her heart. Her greatest joy was to share about her loving and gracious Lord. Her greatest experience was when she came to know Jesus Christ as her personal Savior. Her desire was to allow His light to shine through her and to be remembered as a child of the King.

Jean will be missed by all who knew her and by those who will not have the opportunity.

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**Brandywine Crucible wishes to express our sincere sympathy to all those who have suffered the loss of loved ones. You have our love and prayers.**



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## Long Meadow Cemetery

(Near Rumley, TX)

For over two centuries, this hallowed ground has been reserved as a final resting place. Thru the years, it has been variously identified as the Long Meadow Cemetery; the Cox Family Cemetery; **The Terreros Presidio Cemetery.**

By family tradition the first burial was on **July 4, 1793**. The deceased, William Charles Bybee, killed by Indians on his 17<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**Other known family members:**

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**Lucinda Wright Cox** - Known

**Joseph "Buck" Cox** - Known, with tombstone

**Elander Hicks** - Known, with tombstone

**Elizabeth Johnston Cox Bybee** - Likely

**Lucinda Cox** - Known, with tombstone

**Noah Erwin Clark** - Known

**Amy Bean** - Known

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**Martha Jane Bybee Cox** - Known

**Elizabeth "Isabella" Cox Hicks** - daughter of Pleasant and Martha Jane Bybee Cox and wife Wm. Clive Hicks-Likely

**James "Jim" Myres** - Known Nephew of Martha Jane Bybee  
"Family tradition indicates a number of other very early burials"

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Everett Clare, the grave dowser, of Austin, Texas, has identified a possible 20 - 25 additional graves previously unknown, with no mention in any family or governmental records found to date and not mentioned in any discussions with older family members. Mr. Clare identified most of these as being infants.

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## WE WANT YOU IN THE COX MILITARY RECORDS

**Attention All U.S. Military:** Veterans, Active, Retired

Please let us hear from you. We are in the process of compiling a comprehensive collection of photos and data for all the direct lineage COX family members who have served this wonderful country of ours. This project will include all of our ancestors found through genealogy. So dig out those military photos and send them in now. On the back of the photo include the following information: Full Name, Rank achieved, branch served, dates served, where stationed, name of war (if during war time), medals or awards, campaigns. (Any other important event you want to mention). I will also need to know the lineage.

Send to: Ladean Bowman 702 Fawn Dr. Houston TX 77015

Or Email: [turtle2lady@yahoo.com](mailto:turtle2lady@yahoo.com) (Attach photo and include the necessary info in the e-mail)

## Cox Military Moment



### *Colonel X B Cox, Retired*

WWII US Army - June 1937-1967  
Battalion CO 81st Airborne Anti-aircraft  
Anti-tank Bn. 101st Airborne Division

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## MEDALS AWARDED

Bronze Star with 1 Oak leaf cluster  
Distinguished Unit Citation  
EAME Campaign Medal with 4 bronze  
service stars and Bronze  
Arrowhead



American Theater Campaign  
American Defense Service Medal  
Occupation Medal  
World War II Medal  
Order of the Orange Nassau, degree of  
Officer  
Reserve Medal with 20 year pin

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## Lineage Information for Colonel X B Cox, Retired

Thomas Cox, Christian Matthews 1641  
John Cox/Rachel Duskin  
John Cox, Jr./Mary Harlan  
Solomon Cox/Naomi Hussey  
Solomon Cox/Martha Dixon  
Joseph Cox/Amy Baker

John W. Cox/Matilda Castle  
James Christopher Cox/Josephine  
Savannah Miller  
X B Cox/Lula Myrtle Teague  
X B Cox, Jr./Melba White Cox

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## *DNA Project Update*

Les Sutton: I am often asked "When are the DNA tests going on sale again?" The answer is **Now!**

If you are considering a DNA test, now is the time to do it. Family Tree DNA's special pricing is copied below: Our Holiday Season promotion will bring back the discount that we offered this summer for the Y-DNA37, since this has been requested by many of our project administrators.

Y-DNA37 – promotional price \$119 (reg. price \$149)

Y-DNA67 – promotional price \$209 (reg. price \$239)

mtDNAPlus – promotional price \$139 (reg. price \$149)

SuperDNA – promotional price \$488 (reg. price \$665)

I recommend that males start with the 37 marker test. It is also the best value at this point. To order your test, just use this link: <http://www.familytreedna.com/group-join.aspx?code=R71042&Group=Cox>

I recognize that many of you have already taken the test. If you would like to be on my data base I will be glad to add you to my list.

If you would like to donate to this effort, The DNA Project, just send a check to Brandywine Crucible, c/o Ada Stump, Treasurer, P.O. Box 20294, Oklahoma City, OK 73156-0294.

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**Les Sutton, DNA Project Manager:** It appears as we reach out to family members through our research, our tours in other states, and by getting acquainted with family members by email or the internet we are finding a number of those who have or are *devoting their lives to serving in the ministry.* Les Sutton would like to develop a data base to maintain this type of information. If you have a family member, present or pass, who devoted their life to serving in the ministry or is now in the ministry please contact Les. If you would like more information or details concerning this project, you may contact him with your questions.

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## Brandywine Notices

Webmaster Mark Werner's email address [mdwerner@satx.rr.com](mailto:mdwerner@satx.rr.com)

Address for Brandywine Crucible home page:

<http://homepages.rootsweb.com/~brandwi/index.html>

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If you are interested in subscribing  
to the Brandywine Newsletter or if  
you have a new email address and  
would like to update your contact  
information

Please contact - Les Sutton  
254 Old Spring Rd., Houston, TX  
77015-2042

Or [lesSutton@aol.com](mailto:lesSutton@aol.com)  
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You may donate to the [Cox Family Genealogical Memorial Fund](#) by contacting Ada Cox Stump

**Updates on the DNA Project, Family Records Preservation, & Archaeology Projects will be found on the Brandywine website.  
Updates will also be presented at the Brandywine Crucibles Family Reunion at Lampasas, TX.**

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