

RICHARD S. FALKOW

Falkow, 81, of Claremont, California, died February 2, 2024. He received his law degree from St. Mary's University School of Law and was admitted to the Texas Bar in 1972. Falkow served in the U.S. Air Force from 1965 to 1990. He was an attorney with the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation from 1990 to 2000; Tippins and Tanner; Tanner, Falkow and Jahn; and the Law Offices of Richard S. Falkow. Falkow is survived by his wife of 58 years, Sheila Falkow; son, Michael D. Falkow; sisters, Lynne Falkow-Strauss and Deena Falkow; and one grandchild.

WILLIAM H. POOL

Pool, 94, of Dallas, died March 31, 2024. He received his law degree from the University of Texas School of Law and was admitted to the Texas Bar in 1959. Pool served in the U.S. Army from 1951 to 1953. He was an assistant attorney general of Texas from 1960 to 1970, serving under attorneys general Will Wilson, Waggoner Carr, and Crawford Martin; an assistant district attorney in Dallas County from 1970 to 1995, serving under district attorneys Henry Wade and John Vance; a legal adviser to the Dallas County Commissioners Court; an associate of the David Dean Law Firm in Dallas; and director of the Dallas County Public Defender's Office. Pool is remembered for his love of travel, having visited over 50 countries and all 50 U.S. states and sailed most oceans; reading; and studying military history. He is survived by his wife,

Anna R. "Bunny" Pool; daughters, Stephanie Pearson and Melanie Houchin; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

KENNETH A. WRIGHT

Wright, 69, of Denton, died April 14, 2024. He received his law degree from Saint Louis University School of Law and was admitted to the Texas Bar in 1981. Wright was an attorney with McKool & Vassallo in 1981, partner in Rogers & Wright from 1992 to 2006, and owner of the Law Offices of Kenneth A. Wright from 2006 to 2024. He was chair of the Eminent Domain Section of the Center for American and International Law's Annual Program on Planning, Zoning and Eminent Domain; certified in civil trial law by the Texas Board of Legal Specialization; and a member of the Tennessee Walking Horse Breeders' and Exhibitors' Association. Wright is survived by his wife of seven years, Melanie Wright; sons, Warren P. Wright and John A. Wright; daughter, Marcella King; brother, John F. Wright II; and seven grandchildren.

M. LYNN TAYLOR

Taylor, 78, of Weatherford, died April 15, 2024. He received his law degree from the University of Texas School of Law and was admitted to the Texas Bar in 1971. Taylor was an attorney with private firms, an attorney with the University of Texas System legal team, and an assistant attorney general with the Office of the Texas Attorney General. He is

remembered for his love of gardening, history, and music. Taylor is survived by his wife of 20 years, Terri Taylor; sons, Drew Taylor and Gray Taylor; daughters, Christina Taylor, Alexa Taylor-Esteraich, and Jodi Bissonnette; and three grandchildren.

MIRZA BAIG

Baig, 32, of Houston, died March 30, 2024. He received his law degree from South Texas College of Law and was admitted to the Texas Bar in 2021. Baig was an associate of Bains Law. He is remembered for his zest for life, his passion for the law, and his love of traveling. He is survived by his parents, brother, sister, and extended friends and family.

CHARLES E. GRAVES

Graves, 92, of Austin, died April 1, 2024. He received his law degree from New York University Law School and was admitted to the Texas Bar in 1999. Graves was also a member of the New York and New Jersey state bars. He served in the U.S. Coast Guard from 1945 to 1949. Graves was a patent attorney with Bell Labs from 1960 to 1992 and owner of Charles E. Graves Associates from 1993 to 2024. He is remembered for his love of telling stories for all ages, especially ghost stories for kids; helping inventors articulate what was unique about their creations; and making hand-crafted presents for family members at Christmas. Graves is survived by his wife, Jeanne R. Graves; son, John J. Graves; daughter, Michelle Seelman; and four grandchildren. **TBJ**