

Hans' Funeral All Compendium

By

Helga von Schweinitz

Introduction

This is a collections funeral notes, documents, Obituary, Life Book, and Memorial Book from Hans Ludwig von Schweinitz (née Pörtner) funeral.

Included:

Funeral Documents 82 pages

Life Book 46 pages

Memorial Book 35 pages

Hans' (Papa's) Funeral Compendium

DOD: 26 August 2015

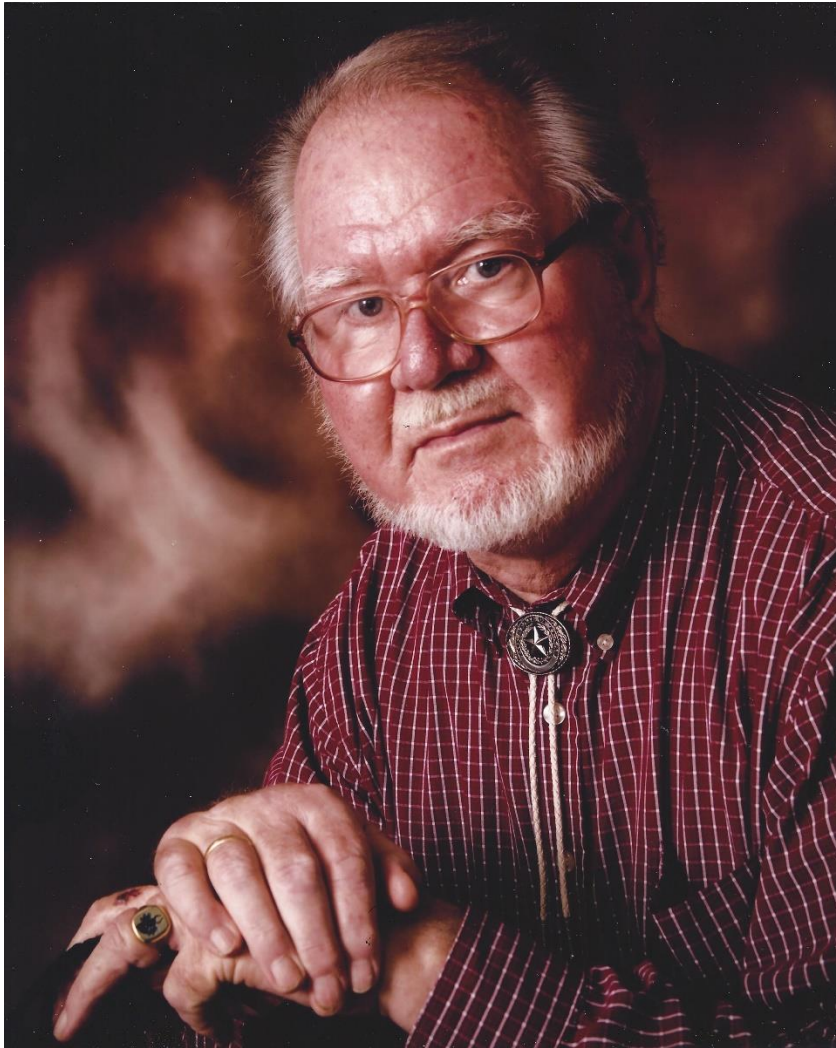
Funeral: 31 August 2015

Life Service: 14 September 2015

by Helga von Schweinitz

Introduction

Documents and Notes from
Cook Walden Funeral Home
Ft Sam Houston Cemetery
Life Memorial Service at Cook Walden Lamar
Obituary in American Statesman
Album from Pflugerville Care Center (Nursing Home)



Name of Deceased Hans Ludwig Von Schweinitz Agreement No. 488401006558

STATEMENT OF FUNERAL GOODS AND SERVICES SELECTED/PURCHASE AGREEMENT

TOTAL SECTION I AND SECTION II CHARGES	\$	10,047.00
SECTION III - ALLOWANCES		
Insurance Allowance	\$	(3,520.00)
.....	\$	n/a
.....	\$	n/a
.....	\$	n/a
.....	\$	n/a
.....	\$	n/a
TOTAL ALLOWANCES.....	\$	(3,520.00)
SECTION IV - TAXES		
Taxable Items Section I + or - Section III.....	\$	n/a
Less Deductibles.....	\$	n/a
TOTAL TAXES <u>0</u> %	\$	0.00
TOTAL CHARGES: Section I + II + or - III + IV =	\$	6,527.00
Less Cash Received.....	\$	n/a
Less Assignments of..... Anticiapted funds from AML policy # 488403068199	\$	4,995.00
Unpaid balance due by: <u>08/27/2015</u>	\$	1,532.00

PAYMENT TERMS: You understand that no extension of credit by us, subject to federal or state credit disclosure, installment sales, or other consumer credit statutes, is contemplated by this Agreement. You have no right to defer payment of any amount due under this Agreement. You agree that you are personally liable for payment of the applicable balance due shown on the Statement of Funeral Goods and Services Selected/Purchase Agreement by the date indicated on the statement. Such payment will be made to us at the address set forth in this Agreement. Where the full amount due will not be paid prior to the performance of the services called for by this Agreement, you authorize us to inquire into your credit history.

IDENTIFICATION AND DESCRIPTION OF MANDATORY ITEMS AND EXPLANATION OF EMBALMING CHARGE: We have identified and described below any legal, cemetery or crematory requirements which compel the purchase of any items listed in Part One and we have explained why we charged for embalming. You acknowledge and agree that embalming and/or preparation of the remains may be performed at the facility of the above-referenced funeral home or at another facility that is duly licensed and equipped to provide such services.

You confirm that you have examined the service and merchandise items listed in Part One and found them to be correct and according to the arrangements selected and that prior to signing this Statement, you reviewed and approved a completed copy of this Statement. You also confirm that you have been informed of your right to select only such services and merchandise as you desire, and that you have the legal right to arrange the funeral services for the deceased named above.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF DISCLOSURES/DISCLAIMER

The Federal Trade Commission Trade Regulation Rule on "Funeral Industry Practices" requires certain disclosures and prohibits misrepresentations. The following is a checklist we ask those we serve to read and sign to verify that the funeral arrangement conference was conducted in compliance with the Rule. You who made the arrangements for the funeral and final disposition of the above-named decedent do hereby attest to the following:

- 1. You were given a General Price List effective on 07/27/2015 prior to discussing funeral arrangements or the selection of any funeral goods or services.
- 2. You were shown a Casket Price List effective on 07/27/2015 prior to discussing caskets.
- 3. You were shown an Outer Burial Container Price List effective on 07/27/2015 prior to discussing burial containers.
- 4. You were advised that the law does not require embalming except in certain special cases.
- 5. You were not advised that embalming is required for direct cremations, immediate burial, or a closed casket funeral without viewing or visitation if refrigeration is available, where state or local law does not require embalming in such cases.
- 6. You were not advised that any law requires a casket for direct cremation or that any container, other than an alternative container, is required for direct cremation.
- 7. You were advised that state law does not require the purchase of an outer burial container or any of the funeral goods or services you selected except as set forth on your Statement of Funeral Goods and Services Selected/Purchase Agreement.
- 8. No claims were made to you as to the merchandise or services (embalming, casket, outer burial container) to the effect that embalming or the use of any merchandise available from us would delay the decomposition of the remains for a long term or indefinite time, or that any such merchandise would protect the body from gravesite substances. No representations or warranties were made to you about the protective features of caskets or outer burial containers other than those made by the manufacturer. The only warranties, expressed or implied, granted in connection with goods sold with the funeral service we arranged were the expressed written warranties, if any, extended by the manufacturers of such goods. No other warranties were extended to you.
- 9. You were advised that the funeral firm's cost for the items listed in Part One, Section II, may be different based on volume or cash discounts or other professional/trade customs where permitted by state or local law.

NOTICES TO PURCHASER/CO-PURCHASER

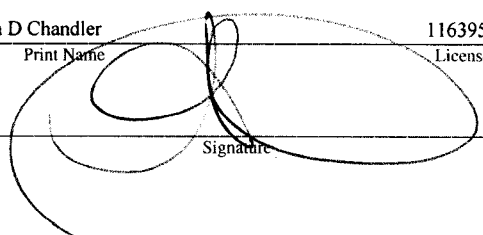
SEE OTHER SIDE FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS THAT ARE PART OF THIS AGREEMENT. DO NOT SIGN THIS AGREEMENT BEFORE YOU READ IT OR IF IT CONTAINS ANY BLANK SPACES. YOU ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF AN EXACT COPY OF THIS AGREEMENT. BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, YOU ARE AGREEING THAT ANY CLAIM YOU MAY HAVE AGAINST THE SELLER SHALL BE RESOLVED BY ARBITRATION AND YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR RIGHT TO A COURT OR JURY TRIAL AS WELL AS YOUR RIGHT OF APPEAL.

In the event you wish to question any area of Seller's service, you may contact Seller at your convenience. If any of your questions cannot be resolved, you may also direct any questions or complaints to the Texas Funeral Service Commission at P.O. Box 12217, Austin, Texas 78711, toll free number (888) 667-4881.

ACCEPTED FOR SELLER:

By: Adria D Chandler 116395

Print Name License No.



Signature

Executed this 27 day of August, 20 15

Purchaser's Name Helga Von Schweinitz

Purchaser's Signature Signed

Purchaser's Social Security No. xxx xx 3410

Co-Purchaser's Name _____

Co-Purchaser's Signature _____

Co-Purchaser's Social Security No. _____

I attest that I have completed/reviewed this document as required by the Company's SOX Key Control Checklist:

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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ASSIGNMENT TO US OF MONIES DUE: You agree that any monies assigned to us in conjunction with this sale shall be paid to us within 60 days of the date of this Agreement. Upon our giving you at least five (5) days prior written notice that any monies due under any such assignment(s) have not been paid to us as promised, we can require that any such unpaid amount(s) previously credited to your account be paid by you at once.

WAIVER OF RIGHTS: We have not, by the execution of this Agreement with you, waived any rights we have to file a claim in the estate of the decedent named in this Agreement. Any amounts collected by us from the estate of the decedent, or from any other source, shall be credited against any amount owed by you under this Agreement.

SELLER AGREES: We agree to furnish all services and merchandise as indicated on the Statement of Funeral Goods and Services Selected/Purchase Agreement.

AUTHORIZATIONS: You acknowledge that, if selected, cremation services will not be performed pursuant to this Agreement until all appropriate authorizations, in the complete discretion of the Seller, have been received.

ANNOUNCEMENT: You authorize us to publish an obituary or memorial announcement in a newspaper, online, or in any other appropriate medium. This does not authorize us to incur or impose any additional charges unless set forth on this Agreement.

WARRANTIES WE DISCLAIM: BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT YOU UNDERSTAND THAT WE, NOT BEING THE MANUFACTURER OF ANY OF THE GOODS BEING PURCHASED, EXPRESSLY DISCLAIM, TO THE EXTENT ALLOWED BY APPLICABLE LAW, ALL WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR OTHERWISE. THE ENTIRE RISK AS TO THE QUALITY AND PERFORMANCE OF THE GOODS REMAINS WITH THE MANUFACTURER AND NOT US. SHOULD THE GOODS PROVE DEFECTIVE FOLLOWING THEIR PURCHASE, EITHER THE MANUFACTURER OR YOU, AND NOT US, WILL ASSUME THE ENTIRE COST OF ALL NECESSARY SERVICING OR REPAIR. WE ARE SELLING THE GOODS ON AN AS IS OR WITH ALL FAULTS BASIS. YOU AGREE THAT YOU ARE NOT ENTERING INTO THIS AGREEMENT BASED ON ANY STATEMENT OF FACT OR PROMISE MADE BY US TO YOU WHICH RELATES TO THE GOODS BEING PURCHASED, ON ANY DESCRIPTION BY US OF THE GOODS, OR ON THE EXHIBITION OF ANY SAMPLE OR MODEL OF THE GOODS. YOU ALSO AGREE THAT THE FAILURE OF THE GOODS TO CONFORM TO ANY SUCH STATEMENT OF FACT, PROMISE, DESCRIPTION, SAMPLE OR MODEL SHALL NOT GIVE YOU ANY RIGHTS AGAINST US.

NOTICES TO YOU (THE PURCHASER): Notices to you shall be sufficient if mailed to your last known address.

DELAY IN ENFORCEMENT: We can delay enforcing any of our rights under this Agreement without losing them. No such delay, forbearance or other action or inaction on our part will create any new Agreement or understanding with respect to the payment or other terms herein unless there is a writing signed by both parties with respect to any such new agreement or understanding.

PARTIAL PAYMENTS: We can accept partial payments, even though marked to indicate payment in full or full satisfaction of debt, without losing any of our rights under this Agreement. No acceptance by us of a check for such partial payment shall be deemed a modification of this Agreement.

COLLECTION COSTS AND ATTORNEYS' FEES: This Agreement may be referred to an attorney who is not our salaried employee for collection or enforcement. In such event, you agree to pay all reasonable costs of collection to the extent permitted by law, including court costs, disbursements, and other lawful charges incurred in the collection of your indebtedness; provided, however, that each party shall pay its own attorneys' fees incurred in connection with any collection effort or any other dispute of any nature relating to this Agreement and the transaction contemplated hereby.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR PAYMENT: This Agreement shall not constitute a release of liability imposed by law upon the decedent's estate, but all persons signing this Agreement will be responsible individually and together, for paying all amounts due under this Agreement. We can take action against you to collect amounts due under this Agreement, even if we do not take such action against any other person(s) signing this Agreement.

LIMITATION OF ACTION: You agree that to the extent allowed by law, any action against us for breach of this Agreement must be commenced by you or your representative(s) within one year after such cause of action has accrued.

INVALID PROVISIONS: If any part of this Agreement is unenforceable, the rest of the Agreement will stay in effect.

TITLES AND CAPTIONS: The titles and captions appearing at the beginning of the various sections of this Agreement have been inserted for convenience of reference only. They will not in any way affect the construction, interpretation or meaning of the text of said sections themselves.

ARBITRATION: YOU AGREE THAT ANY CLAIM YOU MAY HAVE RELATING TO THE TRANSACTION CONTEMPLATED BY THIS AGREEMENT (INCLUDING ANY CLAIM OR CONTROVERSY REGARDING THE INTERPRETATION OF THIS ARBITRATION CLAUSE) SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO AND FINALLY RESOLVED BY MANDATORY AND BINDING ARBITRATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPLICABLE RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION ("AAA"); PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT THE FOREGOING REFERENCE TO THE AAA RULES SHALL NOT BE DEEMED TO REQUIRE ANY FILING WITH THAT ORGANIZATION, NOR ANY DIRECT INVOLVEMENT OF THAT ORGANIZATION. THE ARBITRATOR SHALL BE SELECTED BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES. IF THE PARTIES FAIL TO OR ARE UNABLE TO AGREE ON THE SELECTION OF AN APPROPRIATE ARBITRATOR, THE AAA SHALL SELECT THE ARBITRATOR PURSUANT TO ITS RULES AND PROCEDURES UPON THE APPLICATION OF ONE OR BOTH PARTIES. THIS AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATE ALSO APPLIES TO ANY CLAIM OR DISPUTE BETWEEN OR AMONG THE SELLER, YOU AS THE PURCHASER, ANY PERSON WHO CLAIMS TO BE A THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARY OF THIS AGREEMENT, ANY OF THE SELLER'S EMPLOYEES OR AGENTS, ANY OF THE SELLER'S PARENT, SUBSIDIARY, OR AFFILIATE CORPORATIONS, AND ANY OF THE EMPLOYEES OR AGENTS OF THOSE PARENT, SUBSIDIARY OR AFFILIATE CORPORATIONS. EXCEPT AS MAY BE REQUIRED BY LAW, NEITHER PARTY NOR AN ARBITRATOR MAY DISCLOSE THE EXISTENCE, CONTENT, OR RESULTS OF ANY ARBITRATION HEREUNDER WITHOUT THE PRIOR WRITTEN CONSENT OF BOTH PARTIES.

ENTIRE AGREEMENT: This Agreement contains all terms which have been agreed upon by us and you relating to the goods and services listed on the Statement of Funeral Goods and Services Selected/Purchase Agreement. This Agreement replaces all other discussions and agreements, whether oral or written, relating to those goods and services. No subsequent discussion or agreement can change the terms of this Agreement unless it is written and is signed by both us and you.

JURISDICTION: This Agreement shall be governed by the local law of the state in which the funeral service is being performed and you agree that the jurisdiction of any suit involving this will lie in the courts in that jurisdiction.

QUESTIONS REGARDING SERVICE: In the event you wish to question any area of our service, you may contact us at your convenience at the address shown on Part 1.

SERVICES AGREEMENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

This Services Agreement (the "Agreement") is made between Making Everlasting Memories, LLC., a Delaware, United States based limited liability company, and you, the Customer identified on the reverse side hereof.

SERVICES, PRODUCTS AND CHARGES: The Life Story products and services currently offered by us are listed on the reverse side (the "Life Story"). By entering into the Agreement you agree to order the Life Story products and services indicated on the reverse side with respect to the person(s) identified (the "Subject"), and to pay the charges indicated (the "Charges"). Unless otherwise indicated, all Charges are non-refundable. We reserve the right to change the future availability and pricing of the products and services offered by us, including products and services relating to updating and supplementing previously posted materials concerning the Subject.

RIGHT TO USE; CONTENTS: You represent that you own, or have received written permission to use all materials (the "Materials") submitted for inclusion, presentation or display in the Subject's Life Story in accordance with this Agreement, and you grant to us a perpetual, royalty-free license to display the Materials in the Subject's Life Story on our web site, on any applicable service provider's web site, and other display and distribution methods, if applicable. We reserve the right, in our sole discretion, to reject or refuse to publish, present or otherwise display any and all Materials submitted by you which we determine to be inappropriate or unsuitable.

INDEMNIFICATION: You agree to assume full and complete responsibility for the form, substance and content of all Materials. You agree to indemnify and hold us, and each of our affiliates, and their respective officers, employees, and representatives harmless from and against any and all claims, losses, obligations, liabilities, damages, deficiencies, judgments, costs and expenses arising out of or relating to any and all Materials submitted by you and the use thereof as contemplated by this Agreement, including, without limitation, claims regarding violations of third party copyrights, confidentiality or secrecy rights or other proprietary interests, even if it is established that we were partially negligent or otherwise at fault. The provisions of this paragraph shall survive termination of this Agreement.

TERMINATION: We may terminate this Agreement at any time in the event of: (i) a disagreement between you and us concerning any Materials requested to be included within the Subject's Life Story; (ii) your failure to pay any Charges when due; or (iii) at any time, in our sole discretion, upon written notice to you. You may terminate this Agreement at any time, but this will not affect any of your prior obligations.

LIMITED WARRANTY; LIMITATION OF LIABILITY: TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, WE DISCLAIM ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE CONTENT OF THE SUBJECT'S LIFE STORY. WE DO NOT WARRANT AGAINST SERVICE INTERRUPTIONS OR ANY ERRORS IN THE DISPLAY OR PRESENTATION OF THE SUBMITTED MATERIALS. FURTHERMORE, WE GIVE NO WARRANTIES REGARDING YOUR INTERNET ACCESS, COMPUTER EQUIPMENT COMPATIBILITY OR SOFTWARE CONFIGURATIONS. THIS WARRANTY GIVES YOU SPECIFIC LEGAL RIGHTS, AND YOU MAY ALSO HAVE OTHER RIGHTS WHICH VARY FROM STATE TO STATE.

IN NO EVENT WILL WE BE LIABLE TO YOU, ANY AUTHORIZED PERSON OR ANY OTHER PERSON FOR ANY INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES OF ANY CHARACTER, EVEN IF ONE OF OUR REPRESENTATIVES HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES. IN NO EVENT SHALL THE AGGREGATE DAMAGES AGAINST US OR OUR LIABILITY EXCEED THE CHARGES PAID BY YOU HEREUNDER. SOME STATES DO NOT ALLOW THE EXCLUSION OR LIMITATION OF INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, SO THE ABOVE LIMITATION OR EXCLUSION MAY NOT APPLY TO YOU.

ASSIGNMENT: We may assign this Agreement at any time without your prior consent. This Agreement shall be binding upon the successors, permitted assigns, heirs and executors of the parties hereto.

GOVERNING LAW: This Agreement and the performance hereunder shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the state in which this Agreement has been executed, without reference to such state's choice of law provisions.

ARBITRATION: You agree that any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement shall be submitted to and finally resolved by mandatory and binding arbitration in accordance with rules of the American Arbitration Association. The arbitration shall be conducted by one arbitrator selected by mutual agreement of the parties and shall occur in the city or county in which this Agreement was executed. The prevailing party in any such arbitration shall be entitled to recover its reasonable costs and attorneys fees as part of any award entered therein, and judgment may be entered upon any arbitration award in any court having jurisdiction.

ENTIRE AGREEMENT: This Agreement, together with all exhibits and order forms attached hereto and incorporated herein, contains all terms which have been agreed upon by you and us regarding the service described herein. This Agreement replaces all other discussions and agreements, whether oral or written. No subsequent discussion or agreement can change the terms of this Agreement unless it is in writing and signed by both parties.

Dignity Memorial® Providers in the Austin Area

To find the provider nearest you, visit www.dignitymemorial.com

PINA ①

**1 Cook-Walden/Capital Parks
Funeral Home & Cemetery**
14501 North Ih-35
Pflugerville, TX 78660
512-251-4118

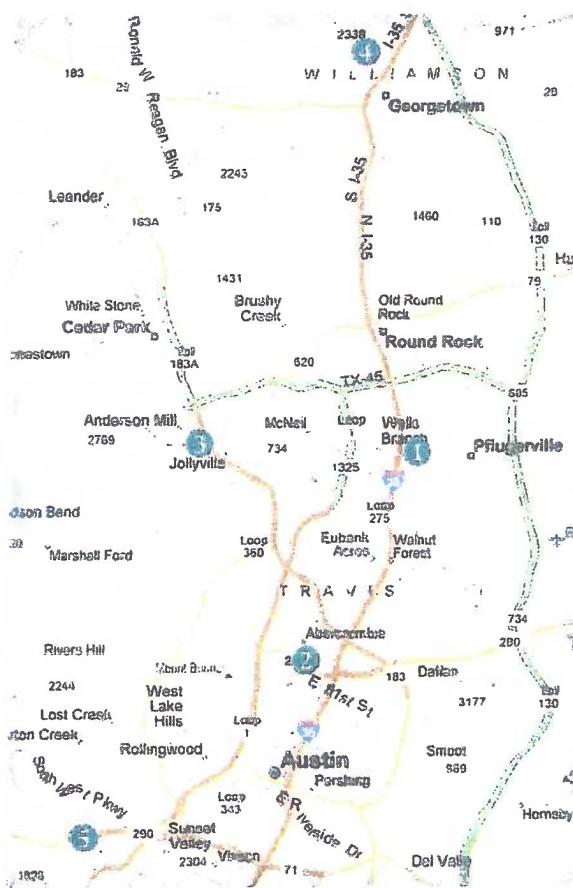
Parents ②

2 Cook-Walden Funeral Home
6100 North Lamar
Austin, TX 78752
512-454-5611

**3 Cook-Walden Chapel of the Hills
Funeral Home**
9700 Anderson Mill Road
Austin, TX 78750
512-335-1155

4 Cook-Walden Davis Funeral Home
2900 Williams Drive
Georgetown, TX 78628
512-863-2564

**5 Cook-Walden/Forest Oaks
Funeral Home and Memorial Park**
6300 West William Cannon Drive
Austin, TX 78749
512-892-1172



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Dear Helga Von Schweinitz,

Welcome to *Making Everlasting Memories*®. Follow the simple steps below to create your member account for the life story. Once you have done so, you may edit or add to the story content.

1. Go to www.mem.com/members.
2. Under Create New Member Account, enter the required information and click Create.
3. On the Stories screen, enter your confirmation number where prompted and click Enter. Your confirmation number is: **PMDWCKCDHY**

Click Add Content at the top of the page to access the editing options.

To view the life story online, please visit your provider's web site or www.dignitymemorial.com.



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*Helga von
Kuna 4006
Story ID: 6571982
Contract: 488401006558*

27 Aug 2015

Email Orbit , Email Orbit picture after scan in

31 Aug 2015 Ft Sam 1pm

- 1) will put free Notice in Statesman about funeral
- 2) will put Mutti's orbits on line and include funeral
- 3) wait on longer Statesman orbit until we know when memorial service is.

Day of funeral ← no pull Banners ← will have casket set up under Canopy

← Chris to give

Headstone → Ft Sam will give us Package with forms.

Go in Entrance, his name on Board gives Pavilion, be there at 12³⁰, service is 20 min, starts at 1pm

Flag ← comes with plastic cover protector

May be able to visit actual Burial site by 4pm

Casket does have handles but will already be placed.

Memorial Service → first do funeral

Slide show at Service 30-40 jpg

more online for Life Remember Book.

Will email me menu

flowers FNIB 8 \$235 mix in Basket.

FPA 75 \$200 has photo 8x10 Red/White/Blue
picked → FRC 6 \$215 Red Roses/White Carnation in Basket w/
handle

Memorial ~~folder~~ ^{Book} Burgundy ← people sign at Memorial Service.
will have same photo for
orbit
Mem folder

Life Remember Book of online photos and
online comments + orbit [↑] we we
annotate

Memorial Service
Just need to pick date, do not have to come back in.

2pm - 4pm Cater setting up 2³⁰ for food at 3pm
no cilantro

~~week~~ 14th Sep

~~Heida Harris~~ or Pamela (Hospice)
Heida Harris

Memorial folders for day of memorial ~~bifold~~
~~20~~ 23rd Psalm whole thing
couple of photos

Trifold ~~2 up~~ Garden of Promise (w/Gate)

facts

See ~~Examp~~ Sample

Orbit + photo + time schedule funeral + Memorial
Email to Brenna
for Sunday Statesman

8/12/2015

Quicken RPT 150812 funeral extra expenses.xlsx

27 AUG 2015₁

Category	Memo	Amount
Funeral	Cemetery paid VA	0
Funeral	Memorial Marker paid VA	0
Funeral	Flowers	-300
Funeral	Orbit Notice Newspaper <i>Statesman</i> w/ Photo	-500 -1,000
Funeral	Orbit online included	0
Funeral	Certified Death Certs first <i>3</i>	21 20
Funeral	Certified Death certs extra \$ 7 @ x <i>50</i> 100 Qty - 1 for Cook Walden	300 200
Funeral	Clergy/Celebrant <i>Chris</i>	-305 OK
Funeral	Catering Memorial 25guests	-695
Funeral	Hearst funeral home to Ft Houston \$3.50 @ mile -first 35 miles	-256
Funeral	Embalming if required	-1,395
Funeral	Upgrade casket to with handles	-500 placed imposition
Funeral	Memorial Folders Qty50 included	0
Funeral	Music, can use CDs included	0
Funeral	Memorial Service at Cook Walden included	0
Funeral	Flag Keepsake how included (includes only plastic cover)	0 100
Funeral	Memorial book included	0
Funeral	Thank you acknowledge cards 50qty included	0
Funeral	AfterCare planner included, already have	0
Funeral	Life Remembers Book from online <i>included</i>	0
OVERALL TOTAL		-4,312

Enrollment Form for Insurance

(Please Print in Black Ink)

American Memorial Life Insurance Company
PO Box 2730 • Rapid City, SD 57709-2730

1. Proposed Insured/Owner

First <u>Hans</u>	M.I. <u>L</u>	Last <u>vonSchweinitz</u>	Birthdate (mo/day/yr) <u>10/26/34</u>	Age	Sex <u>F</u> <u>(M)</u>	Social Security Number <u>324-34-7622</u>
Street <u>1917 Garton Court</u>	City <u>Pflugerville</u>	State <u>TX</u>	Zip <u>78660</u>	Telephone <u>(512) 990-3557</u>		Email Address (optional)
Owner/Payor (if different from insured)				Social Security Number		Relationship to Insured
Street		City	State	Zip	Telephone ()	Email Address (optional)

2. Beneficiary

Primary <u>Est of Hans L. vonSchweinitz</u>	Relationship to Insured <u>self</u>	Contingent	Relationship to Insured
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3. Plan (Check plan & circle payment years.)

<input type="checkbox"/> Full Benefit Single Premium	-	Funeral Amount
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full Benefit Multi Pay Complete Section 3a.	3 5 10	\$ <u>4,995.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Graded Death Benefit*	5 10	Initial Face Amount
<input type="checkbox"/> Flexible Plan	3	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Special Annuity	Single Premium	Initial Payment
*Graded Death Benefit 5 & 10 Pay		\$ <u>114.89</u>
Year (Month)	% of Initial Face Amount	Periodic Payment
1 (1 - 12)	30%	Amount
2 (13 - 24)	70%	\$
3+ (25+)	Death Benefit Equal to Current Face Amount	\$ <u>114.89</u>

4. Initial Payment Options

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check (Payable to AML)	<input type="checkbox"/> Money Order (Payable to AML)
<input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Master Card (Please complete information below.)	
Account #	Exp. Date
Cardholder's Printed Name	
Cardholder's Signature	

5. Billing Information

Payment Mode: <input type="checkbox"/> Annual <input type="checkbox"/> Semi <input type="checkbox"/> Quarterly <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Monthly	
Billing Mode: <input type="checkbox"/> Direct Bill <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PAC* PAC Date	
*Complete section 5a. <u>3-15-10</u>	

5a. Pre Authorized Check (PAC) Information (Subsequent Payments)

Name of Bank <u>Bank of America</u>
Choose One: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Checking <input type="checkbox"/> Savings
Routing Number <u>13000023</u> Account Number <u>006793584778</u>
Signature of Account Holder

3a. Optional Health Questions (To be Completed by Proposed Insured)

For the Full Benefit 3, 5 or 10 pay, please read Questions A, B & C and respond by initialing the appropriate line below:

A. Within the last five (5) years, have you (the proposed insured) had, tested positive for, or been diagnosed as having Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) or AIDS Related Complex, or been diagnosed with, or received treatment from a member of the medical profession for any of the following:

Cancer (other than skin cancer)

Dementia

Congestive heart failure

Paralysis

Diabetes (over 80 units of insulin daily)

Seizures

Cirrhosis of the liver

_____ Yes _____ No

B. Within the last two (2) years, have you (the proposed insured) been diagnosed with or received treatment from a member of the medical profession for any of the following:

Alzheimer's Disease

Open heart surgery

Lung disorder requiring oxygen

Stroke

Kidney failure

Heart attack

_____ Yes _____ No

C. Are you (the proposed insured) currently hospitalized, scheduled for major surgery, or the recipient of an organ transplant?

_____ Yes _____ No

Proposed Insured's Primary Care Physician (Optional) _____

6. Replacement

Will the certificate that you are applying for replace any existing life insurance or annuity policy? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, give name and address of the existing insurer and policy number, if available: _____

7. Agreement

The above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. Coverage becomes effective according to the terms and conditions as stated in this application and upon receipt of the first full premium by American Memorial Life Insurance Company.

I authorize any doctor, hospital or related facility, insurance company, person or organization having records of me or my family, to give American Memorial Life Insurance Company and its insurers any such information. I understand that this information may be used to determine eligibility for this insurance. A reproduction of this authorization shall be valid as the original. This authorization shall be valid for two (2) years after the effective date.

Signed at: City Austin State Texas Effective Date (mo/day/yr) 2/22/10

Proposed Insured Signature _____ Owner Signature (if different) _____

8. Agent's Statement

Is the insurance applied for intended to replace or change an existing life insurance or annuity policy? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If the health questions are completed, I certify that the information was provided directly by the Proposed Insured.

Agent Signature Dea W. Wallis Agent Printed Name Dea W. Wallis Date 2/22/10

Agent # 35870 Funeral Home Cook-Wallen SCI Location # 4584

CONDITIONAL PREMIUM RECEIPT

THIS RECEIPT PROVIDES COVERAGE ONLY IF CONDITIONS BELOW ARE MET.

The company hereby acknowledges receipt of the initial premium from the proposed insured for which an enrollment for insurance is made to American Memorial Life Insurance Company on the date of enrollment and for the premium collected as shown on the reverse side.

Life insurance and any additional benefits in the amount applied for shall be deemed to take effect as of the date of this enrollment form, subject to the terms and conditions printed below.

Conditions of Life Insurance Coverage (Please read carefully)

Subject to the limitations of this receipt and the terms and conditions of the certificate that may be issued by the company on the basis of the enrollment form, the life insurance and any additional benefits applied for will not be deemed to take effect unless the company, after investigation and such medical examination (if any) as it may require, is satisfied that on the date of the enrollment form the person proposed for insurance was insurable for the amount of life insurance and any additional benefits applied for according to the company's rules and practice of selection; provided, however, that approval by the company of the insurability of the proposed insured for a plan of insurance other than that applied for shall not invalidate the terms and conditions for the receipt relating to life insurance and any other additional benefit applied for.

The amount received shall be refunded if the enrollment form is declined or if a certificate is issued other than as applied for and is not accepted. Any check, draft or money order is received subject to collection.

American Memorial Life Insurance Company or its reinsurers may also release limited information in its file to other properly authorized life insurance companies to whom you may apply for life or health insurance or to whom a claim for benefits may be submitted.

Insurance Funded Prepaid Funeral Benefits Contract

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Control/Contract: 3068199

Purchaser: Hans L. von Schweinitz Funeral Home: Cook-Walden

Loc. No. 4884

Contract Beneficiary: Hans L. von Schweinitz Seller: ☒ SCI Texas Funeral Services, Inc.
☐ Funeral Service, Inc.Permit #376
Permit #870

Statement of Funeral Goods and Services Selected

The Total Contract Price below includes the goods and services to be delivered at the time of the Contract Beneficiary's death. You are not purchasing goods and services left blank. You may purchase these goods and services at the time of the funeral services, if desired or required by law or by a cemetery or crematory.

BASIC SERVICES OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND STAFF, AND OVERHEAD

EMBALMING: (explanation below)

Embalming Services..... \$ -

OTHER PREPARATION OF THE BODY:

Bathing body..... \$ -

Cosmetic/Beautician..... \$ -

Dressing/Casketing..... \$ -

Refrigeration fee (# days)..... \$ -

Other..... \$ -

USE OF FACILITIES AND STAFF:

Rosary or prayer service..... \$ -

Visitation (# days)..... \$ -

Funeral service in our chapel..... \$ incl

Funeral service at other facility..... \$ -

Memorial service (without body) in our chapel... \$ -

Memorial service (without body) at other facility. \$ -

Equipment and staff for graveside service..... \$ -

Other..... \$ -

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES:

(within a 35 mile radius of funeral home)

Transfer of remains to funeral home..... \$ incl

Funeral Vehicle..... \$ incl

Service Vehicle..... \$ incl

Family Vehicle..... \$ -

Pallbearer car..... \$ -

Clergy car..... \$ -

Flower car..... \$ -

Other..... \$ -

GOODS:

Casket... CFWWL18 HAX..... \$ incl

☒ Wood Type: Pine☐ Steel: ☐ 16 ga ☐ 18 ga ☐ 20 ga ☐ ga☐ Stainless Steel ☐ ga (if applicable)☐ Bronze ☐ 32 oz ☐ 48 oz☐ Copper ☐ 32 oz ☐ 48 oz ☐ ga No Int.☐ Other☐ Interior Lining: ☐ Crepe ☐ Velvet ☐ Satin ☐ Other NONE☒ Shell: ☒ Square ☐ Round Exterior Color unfinished light exterior

Outer burial container..... \$ -

☐ Liner ☐ Vault ☐ Box ☐ Other (describe):☐ Wood ☐ Type:☐ Concrete☐ Steel: ☐ 7 ga ☐ 10 ga ☐ 12 ga ☐ 14 ga☐ Stainless Steel☐ Bronze oz☐ Copper oz☐ Other:

Alternative Container (describe)..... \$ -

Urn (Name and Primary Construction)..... \$ -

Shipping Container (describe)..... \$ -

Clothing (describe)..... \$ -

Stationery/Cards (describe) Jewish Mem Pkg \$ incl *

Service Folders (# 50) \$ incl

Memorial Book (# one) Jewish \$ incl

Acknowledgement cards (describe)

Plus Postage (# 50) \$ incl

Other 24-Hr Comp. Helpline \$ incl

Other Dignity Mem Album (1) \$ incl

Other Everlasting Memorial \$ incl

Other..... \$ -

OTHER SERVICES:

Forwarding of remains to another funeral home

(describe method)..... \$ -

Receiving remains from another funeral home... \$ -

Other..... \$ -

Other..... \$ -

Other..... \$ -

Other..... \$ -

Other..... \$ -

Immediate Burial (Basic Charge)..... \$ -

Direct Cremations (Basic Charge)..... \$ -

Subtotal..... \$ 4,530.00

Dignity Service Savings (11980.00)

Discounts/Adjustments: Manager's Disc (\$ 555.00)

TOTAL CONTRACT PRICE: \$ 4,995.00

Service Description: ☒ Interment ☐ Cremation
☐ Ship Out ☐ Immediate Disposition

This Contract provides only the goods and services itemized ABOVE. A prepaid funeral contract normally does not include the following:

Embalming Due to Autopsy
Embalming Due to Organ/Tissue Donor
Funeral Home Overtime Fees (e.g. holiday service)
Donation of Body to Hospital/Medical School
Special-need Cosmetic Procedures
Unforeseen Expenses

Cemetery Set-up (tent-chairs-carpet)
Cemetery Opening/Closing Fee
Cemetery Property
Cemetery Overtime Fees
Crematory Fees
Outside Facility Rental

Clergy Honorarium
Death Certificates
Flowers
Newspaper Notices
Musicians and Singers
Police Escorts
Public Transportation

INITIAL HERE.) Unless otherwise specified in the Statement of Funeral Goods and Services Selected, the Funeral Home will charge and require payment for any of these items, which may be selected at the time of the funeral.

Explanation of Certain Charges

Charges are only for those items that You selected or that are required. If we are required by law or by a cemetery or crematory to use any items, we will explain the reasons in writing below. If You selected a funeral that may require embalming, such as a funeral with viewing, You may have to pay for embalming. You do not have to pay for embalming You did not approve if You selected arrangements such as a direct cremation or immediate burial. If we charged for embalming, we will explain why below.

1. Contract Definitions

Contract Beneficiary - The person for whom this Contract is purchased.

Responsible Person - The person who is legally responsible for the disposition of the Contract Beneficiary's remains. (Section 711.002 of the Texas Health and Safety Code defines who has the right to control the disposition of the remains.)

Funeral Home - The funeral home that signs this Contract and agrees to deliver the funeral goods and services selected. The Seller and Funeral Home may be the same person.

Purchaser ("You") - The person who is contracting to buy the funeral goods and services. The Purchaser may also be the Contract Beneficiary.

Seller - The person that holds a Texas permit to sell prepaid funeral benefit contracts and signs this Contract.

Insurance Company - The insurance company that will issue the Insurance Policy to fund this Contract. The Texas Department of Insurance has licensed this company to sell insurance policies in Texas.

Premiums - Payments You make on the Insurance Policy issued to fund this Contract.

Insurance Policy - The annuity contract or insurance policy or certificate used to fund this Contract.

2. General Provisions

This Contract allows You to pay in advance and freeze the costs of the funeral goods and services selected for the Contract Beneficiary. Page 1 of this Contract lists the funeral goods and services selected. You must apply for insurance coverage to fund this Contract. If you follow the terms and conditions of this Contract and the Insurance Policy, the Seller must deliver the funeral goods and services selected.

You or your estate may incur a tax liability for the Insurance Policy benefits.

The Seller and Funeral Home make no express or implied warranties of merchantability or fitness for particular purpose for goods purchased under this Contract. The only warranties are those expressed or written by the manufacturer.

All parties must notify each other in writing of any address change.

A partial cancellation of this Contract is prohibited. You cannot change the funeral goods and services selected during the duration of this Contract, unless a new Contract is executed. You may change other Contract provisions only by written agreement signed by all parties.

You may choose a different Funeral Home prior to the Contract Beneficiary's funeral service if agreed to by You and the Seller in writing. You and the new funeral home must agree in writing to honor the terms and conditions of this Contract. You must notify the Insurance Company and the original Funeral Home in writing. The original Funeral Home will be released of all Contract responsibility.

This Contract constitutes the entire agreement among the parties. This Contract binds the parties or any other successor who assumes their rights and obligations under this Contract.

After the funeral goods and services selected are delivered, the Funeral Home will receive the Insurance Policy death benefit. The Funeral Home is entitled to keep any funds in excess of the then current retail price of the funeral goods and services provided.

Refer to your Insurance Policy for complete details of the policy provisions.

You agree that any claim, including the interpretation of this arbitration clause, shall be submitted to and resolved by mandatory and binding arbitration in accordance with the laws of Texas. In the absence of such laws, the arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association ("AAA"). Reference to the AAA's rules does not require filing with the AAA or its direct involvement. The arbitrator shall be selected by the mutual agreement of the parties. This applies to You as well as any other party who claims to be a third party beneficiary to the Contract. No party may disclose the results of any arbitration without the prior written consent of the other parties.

3. Contract / Policy Cancellation or Assignment

You may cancel the Insurance Policy within the first 30 days and receive a 100% refund.

If insurance coverage is denied, You will receive a 100% refund.

If You cancel the Insurance Policy after 30 days, or if you cancel at Seller or Provider's request, You will receive the Insurance Policy's surrender value. The surrender value may be significantly less than the Premiums that You paid for the Insurance Policy.

Your contract price guaranty is voided, if:

- 1) You cancel, surrender, or lapse the Insurance Policy;
- 2) You take out a loan against the Insurance Policy; or
- 3) the Insurance Policy pays a lesser death benefit due to the suicide provision.

If You cancel this Contract, it does not automatically cancel your Insurance Policy. The Insurance Policy remains in effect.

If You wish to cancel this Contract, the request must be made in writing on forms prescribed by the Banking Department.

15 days after the effective date of this Contract, You may choose to give up your right to cancel this Contract. You do this by signing a separate Waiver of Right to Cancel. If you sign a separate Waiver of Right to Cancel, You will not be able to cancel your Contract or receive a refund.

You can choose to irrevocably assign your rights under the Insurance Policy, including the right to cancel the Insurance Policy.

This assignment can be made at any time on forms provided by the Insurance Company.

4. Contract / Policy Default

If You are more than 30 days past due on a Premium, this Contract may be void. The Seller and Funeral Home will not be required to deliver the funeral goods and services selected.

At the death of the Contract Beneficiary, the Seller MUST deliver the funeral goods and services selected at no additional cost to You, if:

1) Your Contract is funded by a full benefit Insurance Policy, and:

- A) your premium payments are current; and
- B) You have complied with the Insurance Policy provisions.

OR:

2) Your Contract is funded by a limited benefit Insurance Policy, and:

- A) the limited death benefit period has expired;
- B) your premium payments are current; and
- C) You have complied with the Insurance Policy provisions.

At the death of the Contract Beneficiary, the Seller IS NOT required to deliver the funeral goods and services selected, IF:

1) Your Contract is funded by an annuity contract, and:

- A) You have NOT paid this Contract in full.

OR:

2) Your Contract is funded by a limited benefit Insurance Policy, and:

- A) the limited death benefit period is in effect; and
- B) You have NOT paid this Contract in full.

However, the Seller MUST deliver the funeral goods and services selected at no additional costs to You, IF:

- 1) You have complied with all Contract and Insurance Policy obligations, including making all required premium payments; and
- 2) the remaining balance due on the Contract is paid before the funeral service, or, the Funeral Home agrees to another payment arrangement.

If the Funeral Home is unable to deliver the funeral goods and services selected at the death of the Contract Beneficiary; then,

- 1) You and the Seller may agree to use a different Funeral Home; or
- 2) the Insurance Company will pay the death benefit to the Insurance Policy beneficiary or assignee.

If the Seller is unable to honor the Contract terms, the Insurance Company will pay the death benefit to the Insurance Policy beneficiary or assignee.

5. Changes to a Contract at the Death of the Contract Beneficiary

If the Seller is required to deliver the funeral goods and services selected with no further payments due at the time of death, then this Contract is fully funded.

Relating to fully funded contracts: The law states that the Responsible Person may decide to change the funeral goods or services selected up to 10% of the Total Contract Price at the time of the funeral. Additionally, the Seller, Funeral Home and Responsible Person may agree in writing to more extensive changes. The Responsible Person must pay any increased costs resulting from any changes. The Seller is not required to refund any money, or apply any money to another contract or funeral, if the Contract is decreased.

- ♦ **If this Contract provides a funeral for someone other than You** and the Contract Beneficiary did not leave written directions that meet legal requirements, then the Responsible Person may change the funeral goods and services selected at the time of the funeral service. Changes could include the method of final disposition stated in this Contract. (For example, the Responsible Person could exchange a ground burial service and substitute a cremation service.) The Responsible Person can also change other Contract selections. (For example, the Responsible Person can change your casket choice.)
- ♦ **If this Contract provides for YOUR OWN funeral**, then You are the only person who can change the method of final disposition that You have chosen, such as by ground burial or by cremation service. However, the Responsible Person can change other Contract selections, unless you sign below. (For example, the Responsible Person can change your casket choice.)

Relating to Contracts not fully funded: If this Contract is not fully funded, then the final funeral arrangements could be significantly different from the funeral that You have planned under this Contract. However, laws relating to the final disposition of the body of the Contract Beneficiary still remain in effect.

If the selections You made are important to You, You should discuss the funeral goods and services selected with your family and tell them what is important to You. If You wish to prevent changes to this Contract. You must sign the space below:

This Contract is for my funeral service and, if paid in full at the time of my death, the funeral goods and services selected may not be changed after my death, SIGN HERE IF THIS IS YOUR CHOICE. _____

6. Payment Terms

An Insurance Policy funds this Contract. Any payments You make will be Premium payments for the Insurance Policy. The Contract Beneficiary must apply for insurance coverage. The Insurance Company will either issue your Insurance Policy or deny insurance coverage within 30 days, after You sign this Contract. If coverage is denied, the Insurance Company must notify You in writing of the reason for the denial.

_____(INITIAL HERE.) You acknowledge receiving a copy of the application for insurance, which contains the Insurance Policy's payment terms.

The premiums paid on the Insurance Policy may be more or less than the Total Contract Price.

7. Required Signatures and Notices

Do not sign this Contract before You have: (1) read it, (2) had an opportunity to ask questions, (3) received the Funeral Home's General Price List, and (4) been offered the Funeral Home's Casket Price List and Outer Burial Container Price List before discussing or being shown these goods. You are to receive a copy of this signed Contract. Keep this Contract to protect your legal rights.

By signing this Contract, You agree that any claim shall be resolved by arbitration. You further agree to give up your right to a court or jury trial as well as any right to appeal.

If You sign this Contract at a place other than the Seller/Funeral Home's place of business, You may cancel this Contract at any time prior to midnight of the third business day after the date of this Contract. See the Notice of Cancellation form provided to You for an explanation of this right. You do not have this right if the Contract is signed at the Seller/Funeral Home's place of business.

You may request a copy of the Insurance Policy funding this Contract.

You certify by signing this Contract that the Social Security Number listed below is the correct number issued to You. You also certify that You are not subject to any backup withholding or any other order that requires special reporting to the IRS. You will receive a copy of this Contract and the Seller will retain the original Contract. If a Seller's Representative signature is required, You will receive a copy of the dual signature Contract within 30 days of final acceptance and execution.

Signed this 22 day of Feb, 2010, at: ☒ Funeral Home or, ☐ _____ (Place)

Purchaser:

[Signature] 324-34-4622
Signature Social Security Number
Harold Schmitt 312-710-3504
Printed Name Telephone Number
1417 Canton Blvd
Mailing Address
Plugarville TX 78660
City State ZIP Code

Funeral Home:

[Signature]
Signature of Agent or Authorized Representative (Counselor)
Rea W. Wallis
Printed Name
Rock-Wallen 912-494-5611
Funeral Home Name Telephone Number
6100 N. Lamar Blvd
Mailing Address
Austin TX 78752
City State ZIP Code

Contract Beneficiary:

[Signature] 10/26/34
Printed Name Date of Birth
Harold Schmitt
Mailing Address
Plugarville TX 78660
City State ZIP Code

Seller:

Signature of Seller's Representative (Location Manager)

Printed Name
1929 Allen Parkway 713-522-5141
Houston, TX 77019

Inquiries should be directed as below. All complaints must be in writing.



Concerning
the prepaid contract:
Texas Department of Banking
2601 N. Lamar, Austin, Texas 78705
1-877-276-5554 (toll free)
www.banking.state.tx.us

Concerning
the funeral service or funeral director:
Texas Funeral Service Commission
P.O. Box 12217, Austin, Texas 78711
1-888-667-4881 (toll free)
www.tfsc.state.tx.us

Concerning
the Insurance Policy:
Texas Department of Insurance
P.O. Box 149194, Austin, Texas 78714
1-800-252-3439 (toll free)
www.tdi.state.tx.us



P.O. Box 2730 • Rapid City, SD 57709-2730

February 22, 2013

2013

HANS L VONSCHWEINITZ
19117 GANTON COURT
PFLUGERVILLE TX 78660

Contract Number: 6-780089
Insured: HANS L VONSCHWEINITZ

Dear Customer:

Each year thousands of individuals are realizing the importance of prearranging their funeral and final expenses. COOK WALDEN FUNERAL HOME and their affiliates are leading providers of prearranged funeral services and have many years of experience assisting families during difficult times in their lives.

As you know, your prearranged funeral is funded with an insurance policy issued by AMERICAN MEMORIAL LIFE INSURANCE CO. In keeping with our commitment to provide you with the best possible customer service, this notice is to report your current death benefit and cash value as noted below.

Please note that this notice will be provided to you each year on your contract's anniversary simply for your records and does not require you to respond in any way.

You have made a wise and caring decision to prearrange your funeral and final expenses and we appreciate you choosing us as your funding vehicle.

We know you understand the benefits of your prearrangement. There may be other families you know that do not have the protection you have so wisely provided yourself. We would be privileged to contact anyone for whom you would like to receive more information or have them visit www.dignitymemorial.com.

If you know of someone you feel could benefit from information on prearrangement or if you have any questions regarding this coverage, please feel free to contact our Customer Service Department at 1-800-533-2220. We will be happy to be of service.

Customer Service

Death Benefit:	\$5,147.00
Cash Value:	\$2,026.87

Attachment 4**SURVIVOR ASSISTANCE RESOURCES*****ASSOCIATIONS**

AF Survivor Assistance Program.....	1-877-USAF-HELP or 1-877-872-3435
Air Force Retired Pay (DFAS-CL).....	1-800-321-1080
Air Reserve Personnel Center (ARPC).....	1-800-525-0102
Air National Guard.....	1-888-777-7731
Department of Veterans Affairs (VA).....	1-800-827-1000
National Cemetery System Information	
Memorial Programs Service.....	1-800-697-6947
Headstone and Marker Program	
Presidential Memorial Certificate Program	
National Association for Uniformed Services.....	1-800-842-3451
.....Society of Military Widows	
Social Security Administration.....	1-800-772-1213
Tragedy Assistance Program for Survivors.....	1-800-959-8277

ASSOCIATION WEB SITES

Air Force Survivor Assistance Program - A single point of contact for the Air Force that can marshal all available resources to help families with their problems or concerns. They may be contacted at their toll-free number (above) or by e-mail at <mailto:usafhelp@pentagon.af.mil>. More information is available at their web site: <http://survivorassistance.fsv.af.mil>.

Air Crash Support Network – This nonpolitical, non-profit, organization aids and facilitates the grieving process of people affected by or involved in an air crash by support, referral, and partnership of survivors and volunteers.

<http://www.aircrashsupport.com>

- ✓ Form ^{DD} 214 (Hans' retirement orders)
- ✓ Marriage Certificate (For Helga's grave in National Cemetery)
- ✓ Last will (Hans)
- ✓ Last will (Helga)
- ✓ Key to Safe Deposit Box

VA Benefit Counselor 1-800-827-1000

TX Vet Commission 512-463-5538

Travis County Vet Services 854-9340

San Antonio National Cemetery 1-210-820-3891

When arranging for funeral for either Hans or Helga, take copy of discharge paper (Form ^{DD} 214) and marriage license to local funeral home. They'll arrange for a ^{grave} ~~funeral spot~~ and stones on a National Cemetery like on Fort Hood Sam Houston

Attachment 2**IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS**

A2.1. Most of these important documents are necessary to apply for various benefits and/or settling an estate:

- A2.1.1. Civilian Death certificate and/or DD Form 1300, **Report of Casualty** (for retiree deaths occurring within 120 days after retirement).
- A2.1.2. DD Form 214, **Certificate of Release or Discharge From Active Duty**.
- A2.1.3. AF Form 1613, **Statement of Service**.
- A2.1.4. Retirement Order.
- A2.1.5. Birth certificates for all members of the family.
- A2.1.6. Adoption documents.
- A2.1.7. Marriage certificates.
- A2.1.8. Divorce papers or death certificates for any former spouse.
- A2.1.9. Social Security account numbers for decedent and all family members.
- A2.1.10. Custodian or guardianship documents.
- A2.1.11. Medical statements for incapacitation.
- A2.1.12. Income tax records.
- A2.1.13. Bank account or credit union account numbers.
- A2.1.14. Commercial insurance policies.
- A2.1.15. Stocks and bonds.
- A2.1.16. Titles of ownership.
- A2.1.17. Will.

A2.2. Never give the original of a permanent personal or family record to another person, even for business purposes. Certified copies have all the legal status of originals.

Cook-Walden Funeral Home
6100 North Lamar
Austin, TX 78752
(512) 454-5611

Manager : Timothy Vigee , 10878

Funeral/Memorial

14 Sep 2015

The following is a detailed bill for the professional services and/or merchandise arranged for
Hans Ludwig Von Schweinitz

Date of Service : August 27, 2015

Helga Von Schweinitz
19117 Ganton Ct
Pflugerville, TX 78660-5003

Statement Date September 14, 2015
Contract Number 488401006558
Arranger Name Adria D Chandler

	Initial Selection	Final Selection	Difference
Package Offerings			
Dignity Memorial Jewish Tribute Funeral Service	\$7,175.00	\$7,175.00	---
Basic Services Funeral Director and Staff	Incl	Incl	---
Equipment and Staff Services for Graveside Service	Incl	Incl	---
Transfer of Remains to Funeral Home	Incl	Incl	---
Funeral Vehicle/Hearse	Incl	Incl	---
Service Vehicle	Incl	Incl	---
Dignity Jewish Tribute Memorial Package	Incl	Incl	---
A Life Remembered Book™ (HC)	Incl	Incl	---
Everlasting Memorial® (Internet Memorial/Archive)	Incl	Incl	---
Total Package Offerings	\$7,175.00	\$7,175.00	---
Other Goods and Services			
US Aftercare Planner	\$245.00	\$245.00	---
Flowers	\$215.00	\$215.00	---
Catered Receptions	---	\$1,390.00	\$1,390.00
Total Other Goods and Services	\$460.00	\$1,850.00	\$1,390.00
Merchandise			
148099 6P1 Pine 52X Square All Wood No Fabric	\$1,095.00	\$1,095.00	---
Total Merchandise	\$1,095.00	\$1,095.00	---
Cash Advance			
Certified Copies of the Death Certificate	\$317.00	\$317.00 ✓	---
Newspaper Notice	\$1,000.00	\$1,178.98	\$178.98
Total Cash Advance	\$1,317.00	\$1,495.98	\$178.98

Service Corporation International

PRINT SINGLE CASH RECEIPT

Date 9/14/2015

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Batch #: 197541521

Batch date: 9/14/2015

of Trans: 1

Batch Amt: \$1,683.66

Location: 4884 - Cook-Walden Funeral Home

Cash Receipt date: 9/14/2015 4:11:00 PM

Address: 6100 North Lamar

Cash Receipt #: 488414032999

Austin TX 78752

Cash Receipt Amt: 1683.66

Payment Type: Master Card

Payer: Bettina Vonschweinitz Ref #:

Account #	Purchaser	Amt
488401006558	Von Schweinitz, Helga	1683.66

Account Description	Amt
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Total: 1683.66

Trans ID -

	Initial Selection	Final Selection	Difference
Total Services, Merchandise and Cash Advance	\$10,047.00	\$11,615.98	\$1,568.98
Allowances			
Insurance Allowance	(\$3,520.00)	(\$3,520.00)	---
Total Allowances	(\$3,520.00)	(\$3,520.00)	—
Taxable Items	\$0.00	\$1,390.00	\$1,390.00
Total Taxes	\$0.00	\$114.68	\$114.68
Total Charges (Total Services +/- Allowances + Taxes)	\$6,527.00	\$8,210.66	\$1,683.66
Less Cash Received		(\$1,532.00)	
Less Assignments of			
American Memorial Life Claim		(\$2,497.50)	
American Memorial Life Claim		(\$2,497.50)	
Unpaid Balance Due		\$1,683.66	

11,615.98
 - 3,215.66

 8,400.32

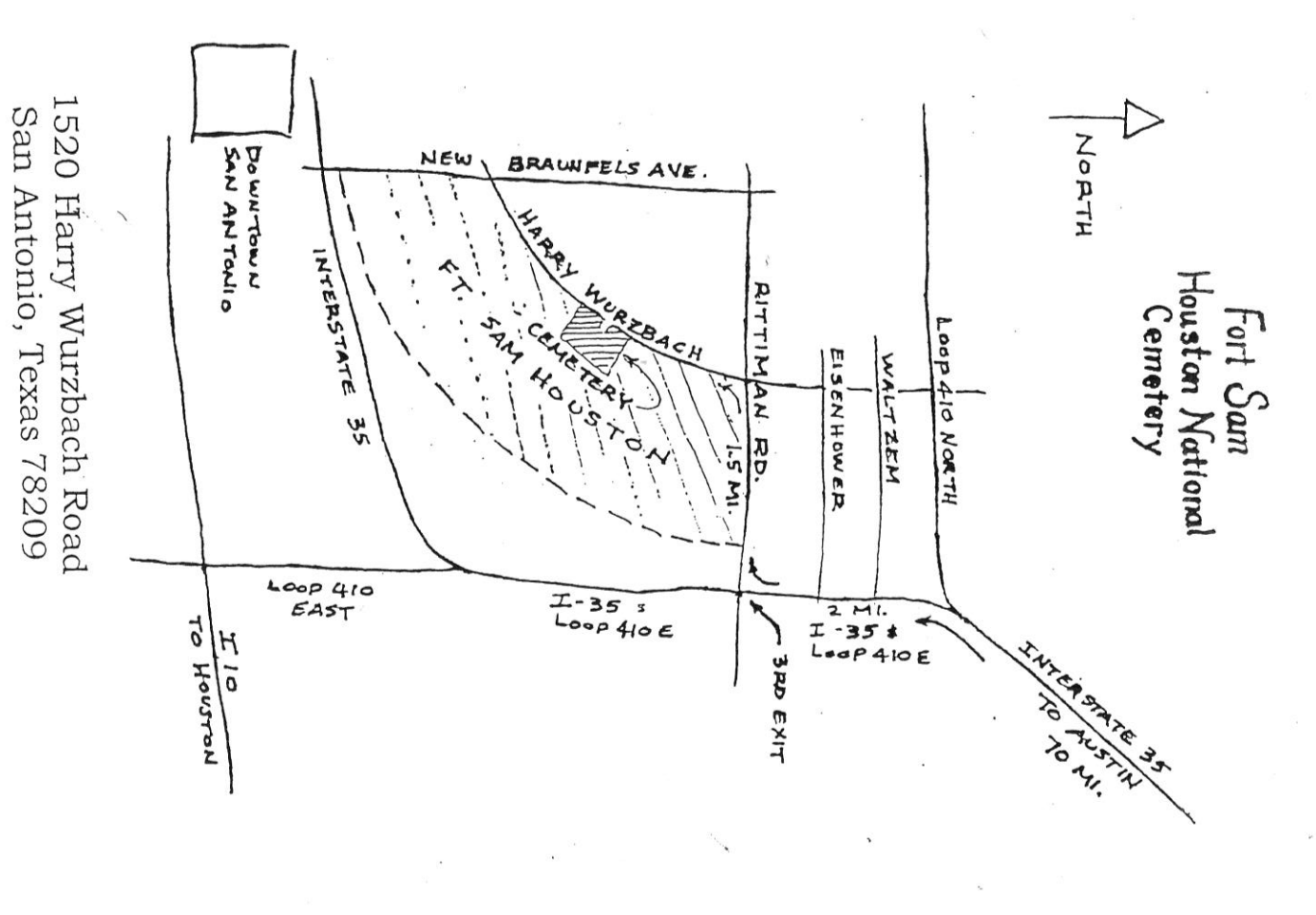
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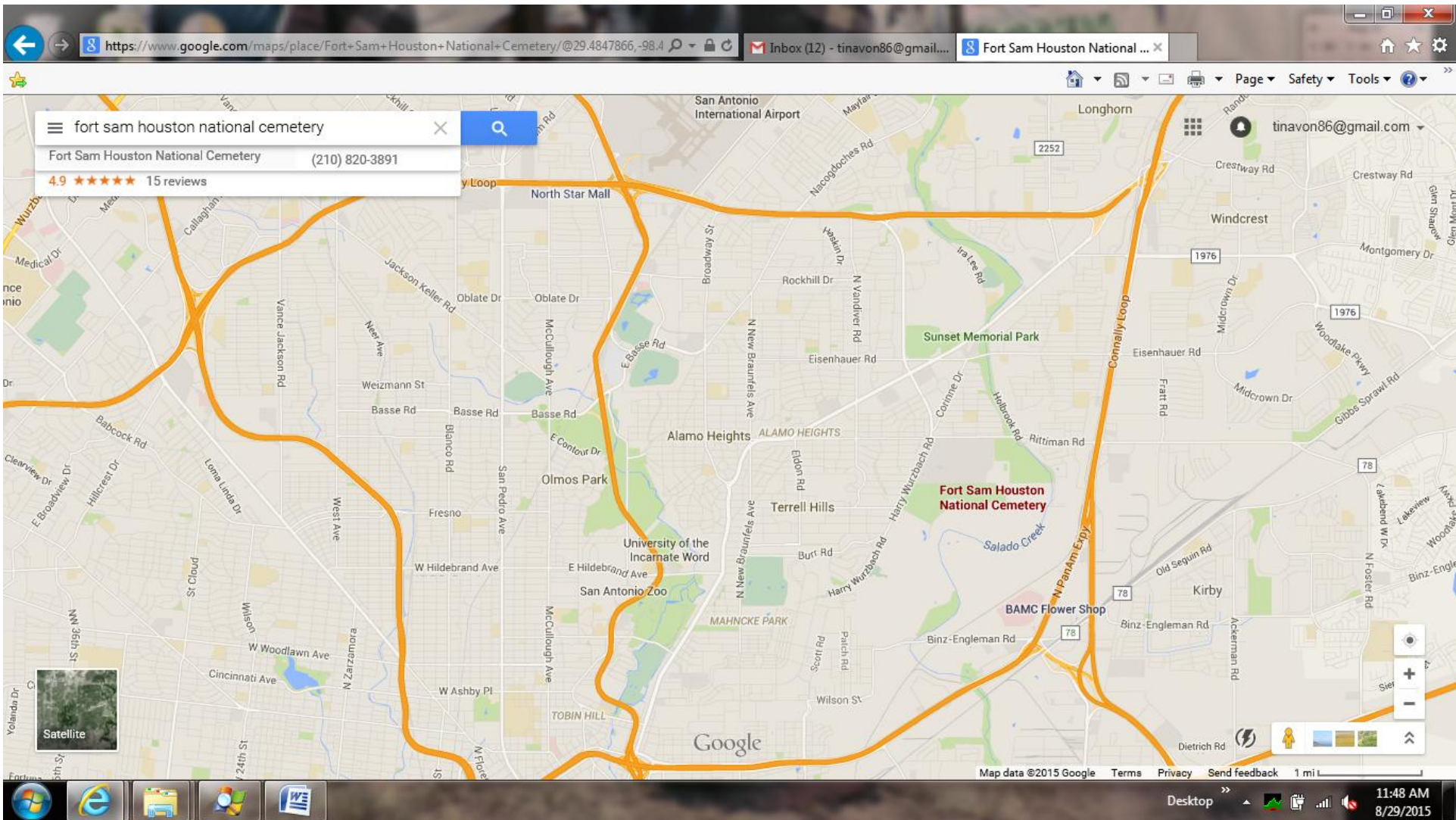
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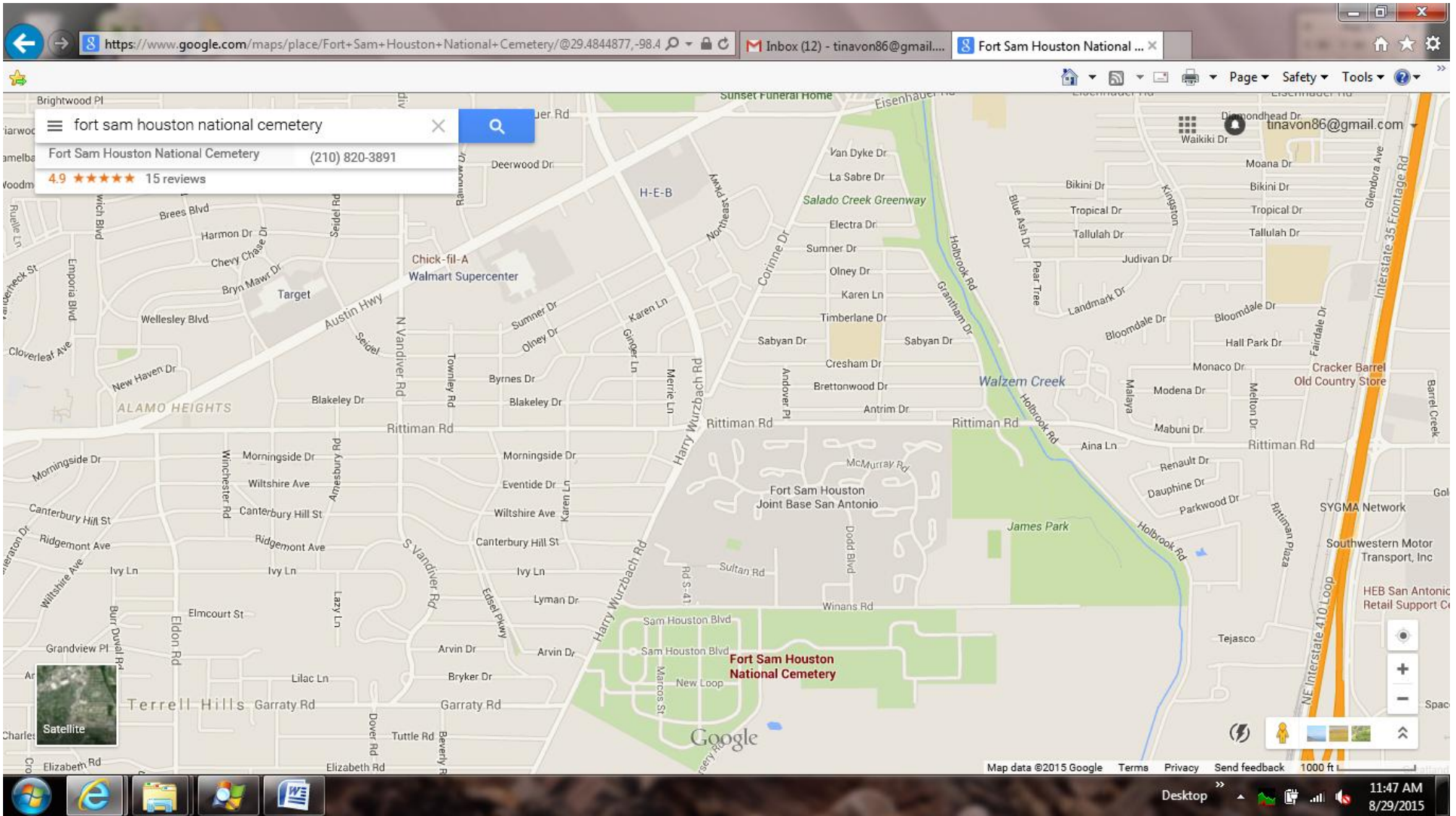
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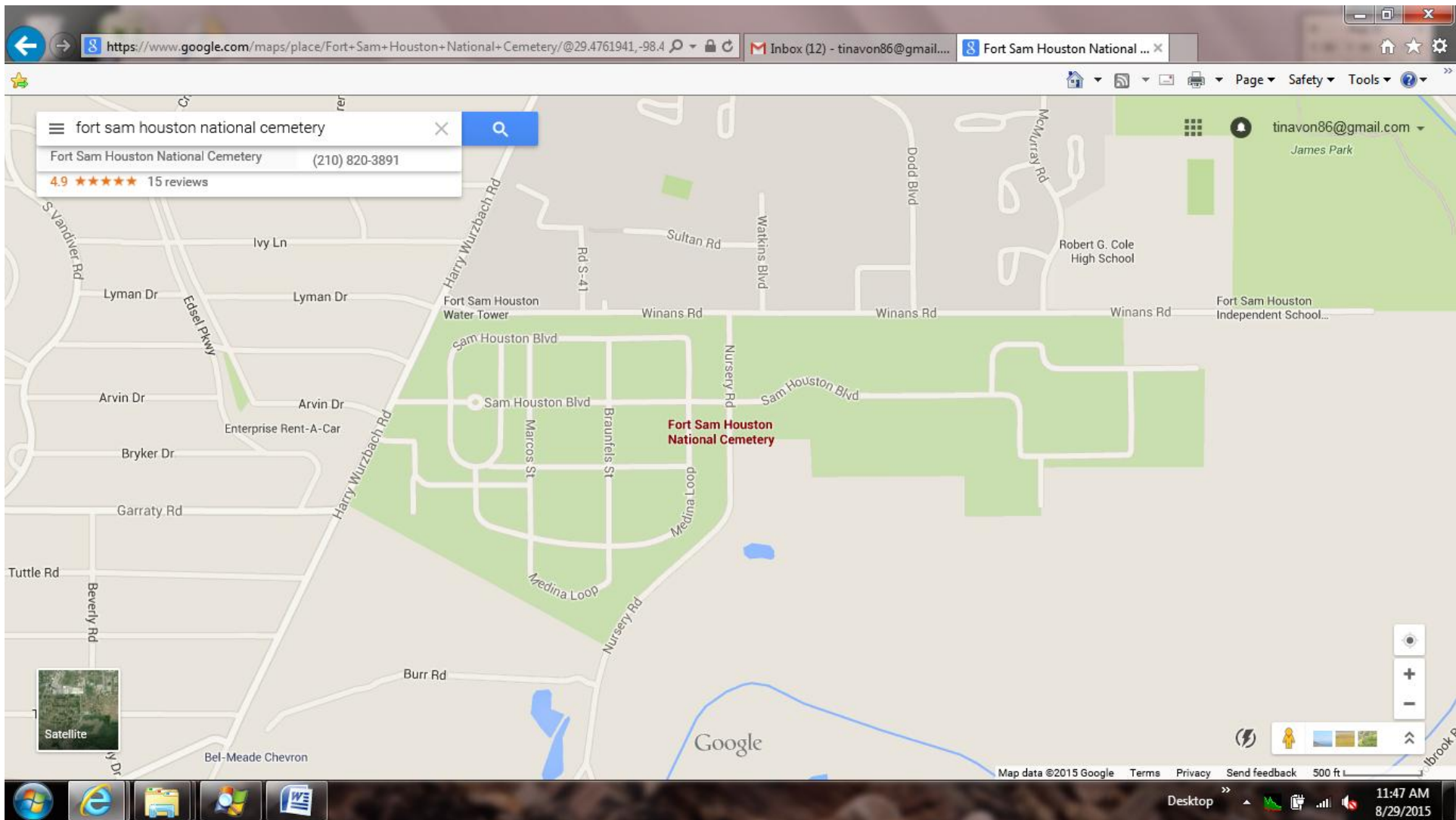
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TO GRAVE: Section 123 Grave 10: Go .4miles, LEFT onto Winans Rd, RIGHT onto Nursery Rd, LEFT onto Sam Houston Blvd. Follow Cemetery Map









FT SAM HOUSTON NATIONAL CEMETERY MONUMENT WORKSHEET

PHONE: 210-820-3891

FAX: 210-820-3445

EMAIL: SA

*****TIME SENSITIVE***MUST BE RETURNED WITHIN THREE DAYS OF SERVICE**

Date of Burial Service 31 AUG 2015 Funeral Home Cook Walden

Religious Emblem 1 Latin Cross (Specify by name or number)

First Name HANS Middle Name/Initial LUDWIG

Last Name VON SCHWEINITZ Suffix (Sr., Jr., III) _____

Veteran's Highest Rank(s) SMSGT Veteran's Branch(s) of Service USAF
(NOTE: Must provide discharge paperwork for each branch of service, war period, and medal of valor)

War Periods _____ (World War II, Korea, Vietnam, Persian Gulf)

NOTE: Iraq, Afghanistan, Somalia, Lebanon, Grenada, Panama, Kosovo can be inscribed if the Veteran's discharge shows they served in that country during the conflict.

Date of Birth OCT 26, 1934 Date of Death AUG 26, 2015

Medals of Valor, In Order of Precedence from left to right (Circle any of these awards that apply):

MEDAL OF HONOR	DSC	NC	AFC	DDSM	DSM	BM
SILVER STAR	DSSM	LM	DFC	SM	N&MCM	AMNM
CGM	BSM	PH	DMSM	SMM	MSM	AM
JSCM	ARCOM	NCM	AFCM	CGCM	CR	AAM
NAM	AFAM	CGAM	POWM	EX-POW	KIA	MIA

ADDITIONAL INSCRIPTION (OPTIONAL)

NOTE: Additional inscription is a term of endearment and can include nicknames, titles, scriptures, military operations (Enduring Freedom,) etc.

~~FLAT MARKERS (Burial Casket) 10 Characters and Spaces~~

UPRIGHT HEADSTONES - 15 Characters and Spaces per line

THE LORD IS MY
SHEPHERD I
SHALL NOT WANT

The number of lines of additional inscription is subject to space available.

~~COLUMBARIUM NICHE COVERS 10 Characters and Spaces (NOTE: Last line has 8 Characters and Spaces)~~

Monument information verified by next of kin:

Daytime phone number for next of kin:

512-990-3557

Email address for next of kin:

helga vs@aol.com

Helga von Schweinitz
(Signature)

Helga von Schweinitz 1 Sep 2015
(Printed Name) (Date)

SPACE COUNT

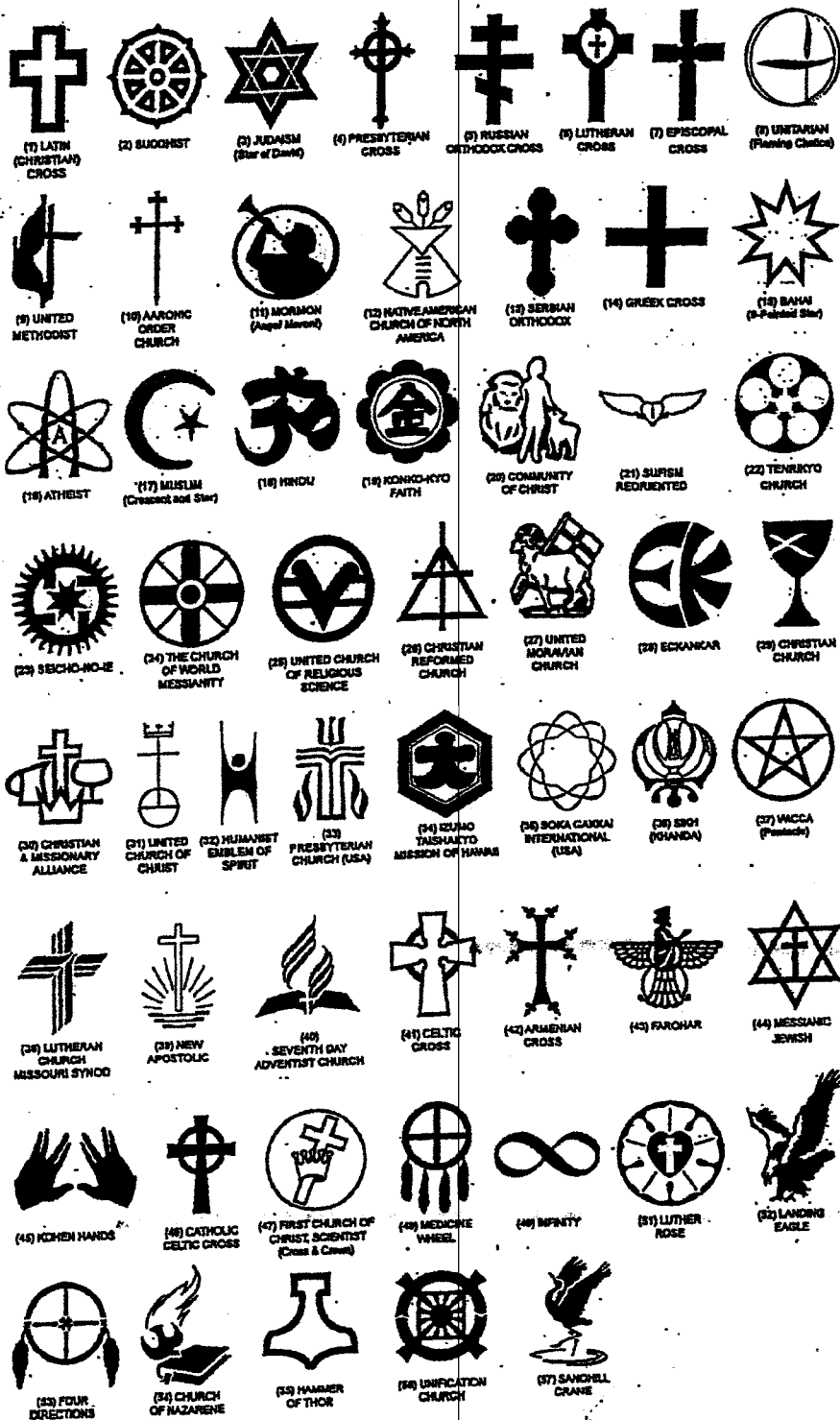
HANS LUDWIG	11
VON SCHWEINITZ	14
SMST USAF	10
OCT 26 1934	11
AUG 26 2015	11
THE LORD IS MY	14
SHEPHERD, I	11
SHALL NOT WANT	14

THIS IS AN IMPORTANT RECORD
SAFEGUARD IT.

1. LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE NAME VON SCHWEINITZ, HANS LUDWIG		2. SEX M	3. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 324 34 7622		4. DATE OF BIRTH 1934 OCT 26
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OPTIONAL INSCRIPTION SUGGESTIONS

1. ABIDE WITH ME
2. GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN
3. UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN
4. LOVING HUSBAND AND FATHER
5. LOVING WIFE AND MOTHER
6. IN THE BEST GARDEN OF ALL
7. IN LOVING MEMORY
8. MAY HE REST IN PEACE
9. MAY SHE REST IN PEACE
10. PROUD FATHER PROUD VETERAN
11. PROUD MOTHER PROUD VETERAN
12. SEMPER FI
13. HE LOVED GOD AND COUNTRY
14. SHE LOVED GOD AND COUNTRY
15. TOGETHER FOREVER
16. HIS SPIRIT LIVES FOREVER
17. HER SPIRIT LIVES FOREVER
18. TRUST IN THE LORD
19. LOVING COMPANIONS
20. A BLESSING TO ALL
21. HE LIVED WITH HONOR
22. SHE LIVED WITH HONOR
23. FLY WITH THE ANGELS
24. EVERLASTING LOVE
25. PROUDLY SERVED
26. WIND BENEATH MY WINGS
27. ALWAYS IN OUR HEARTS
28. HUSBAND FATHER PATRIOT
29. WIFE MOTHER PATRIOT
30. THE LORD BE WITH YOU
31. INTO THE HANDS OF OUR LORD
32. OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM

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HYMN

Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me

Lord, take my hand and lead me upon life's way;
Direct, protect, and feed me from day to day.
Without your grace and favor I go astray;
So take my hand, O Savior, and lead the way.

So Nimm Denn Meine Hände

So nimm denn meine Hände und führe mich
Bis an mein selig Ende und ewiglich!
Ich mag allein nicht gehen, nicht einen Schritt;
Wo du wirst gehn und stehen, da nimm mich mit.

Lord's Prayer

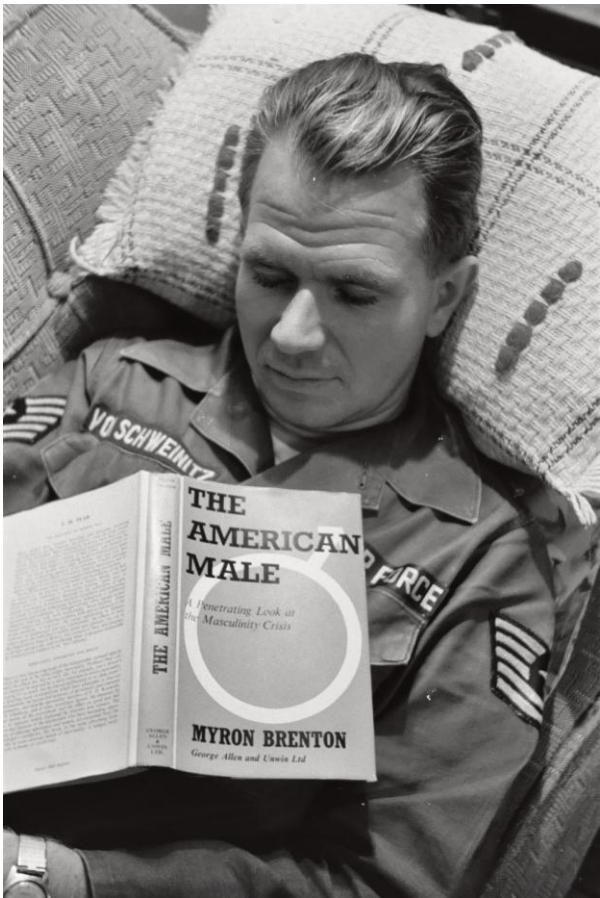
Our Father, who art in heaven,
 hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come,
 thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
And forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those who trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
 forever and ever. Amen.

Music

From Verdi's opera Nabucco: "Chorus of the Slaves" Also called "Exodus".

L. van Beethoven: "Moonlight Sonata"

Anton Dvorzak: "Largo from Symphony # 9". The violin solo played by Andre Rieu.





Sigrid Frein von Zedlitz und Leipe —
von Schweinitz, auch: Muckchen
auch: Mutti



Oma in
Wiesbaden



Kam, Vati, Ina, Anne



Unter unserer Familienhecke im
Sommer 1964



The von Schweinitz
Family on their way
church (Presbyterian)
on Easter 1966

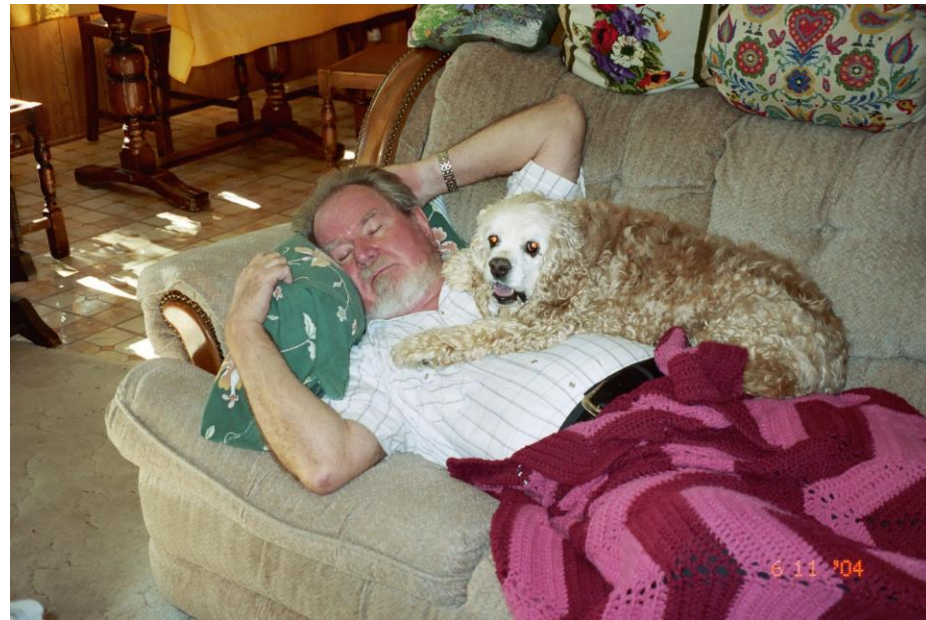


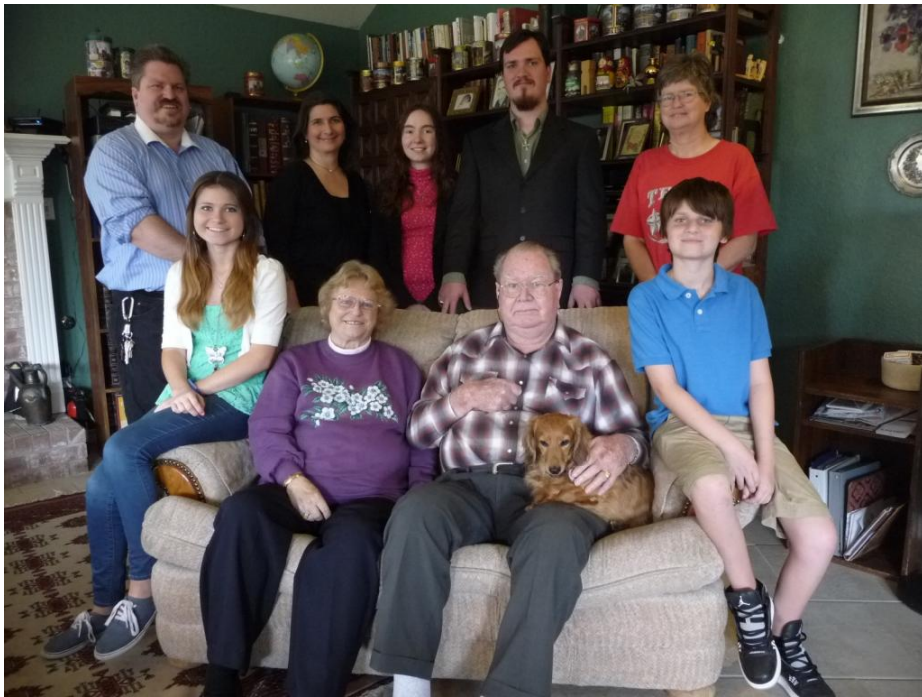
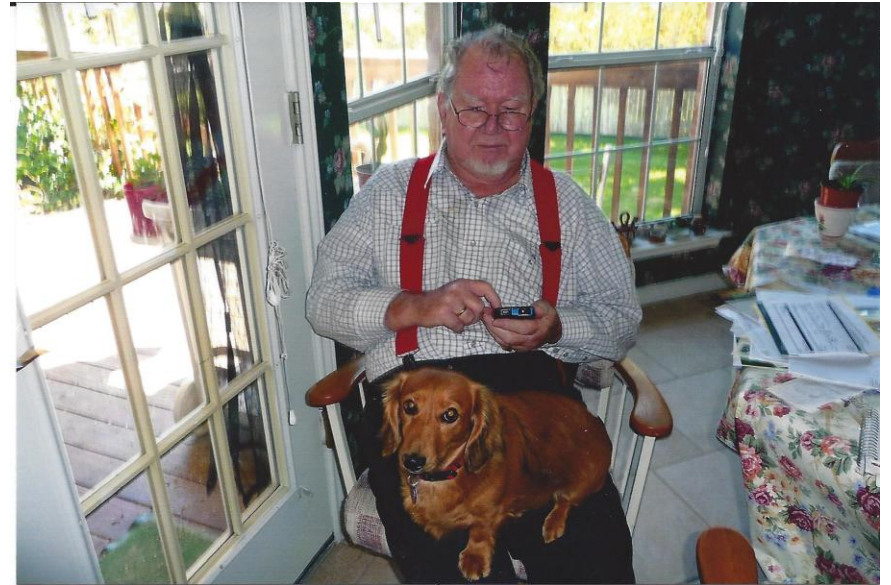
Big Chief from Roswell to Milwaukee



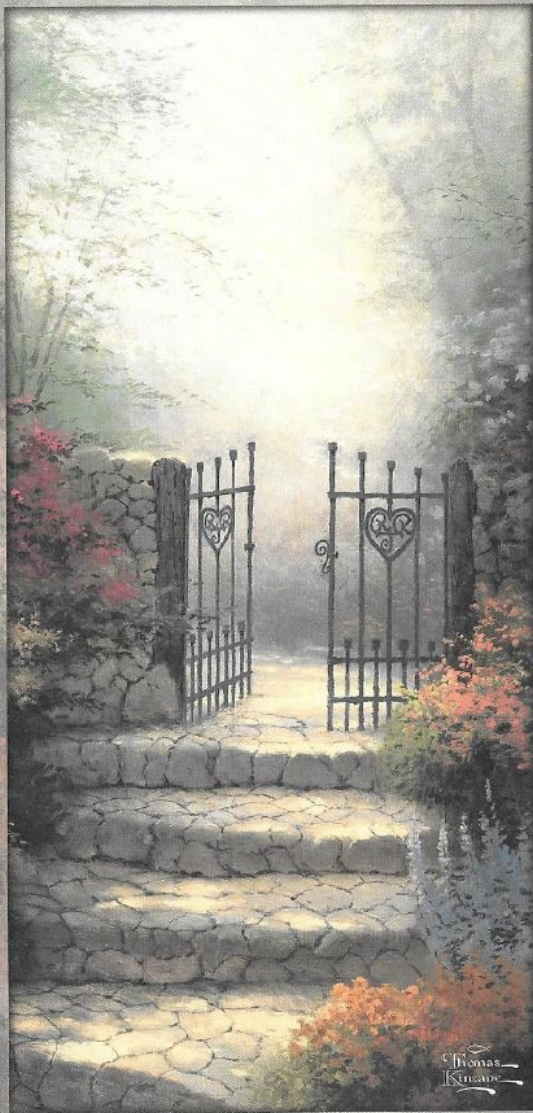












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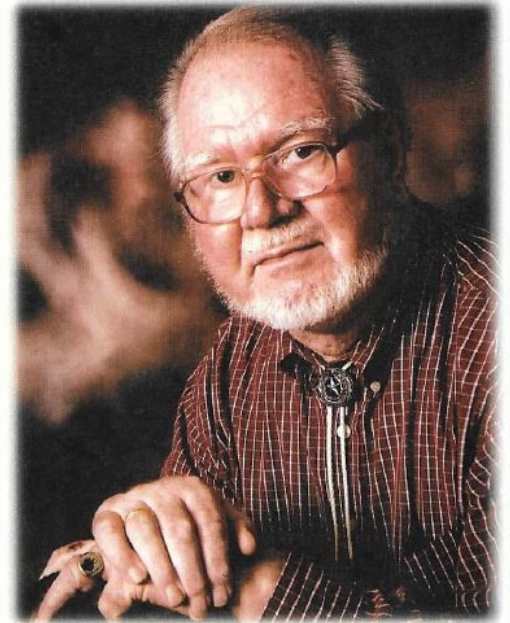
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 Adria Chandler, Cook-Walden
 Christopher von Schweinitz, Son

Order of Service

Greeting
 Prayer
 Word
 Eulogies
 Readings
 Sermon
 Hymn - Music
 Prayers of Intercession
 Lord's Prayer
 Commendation and Sending

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*In Loving Memory of
 Hans Ludwig von Schweinitz*



The Lord Is My Shepherd

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me lie down in green pastures.

He leadeth me beside still waters.

He restoreth my soul.

He leadeth me in paths of righteousness

for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

I will fear no evil,

for thou art with me;

thy rod and thy staff,

they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me

in the presence of mine enemies;

thou anointest my head with oil;

my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me

all the days of my life,

and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord

forever.

King James Version (KJV)

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Air Force



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Alt Raudten



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Ballon ride



BBQ steaks



Brewing Beer



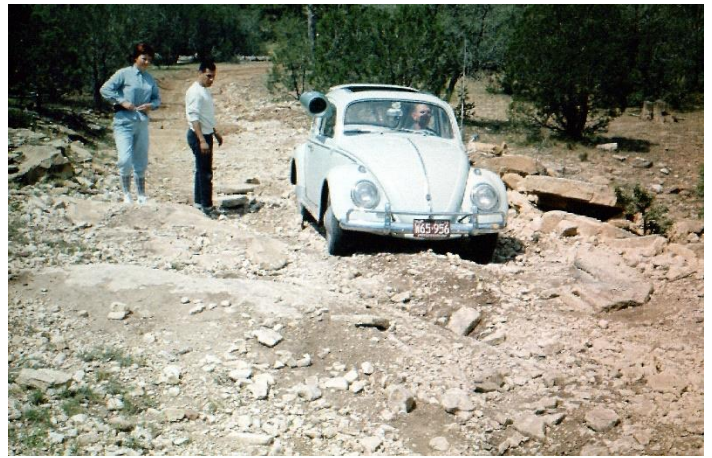
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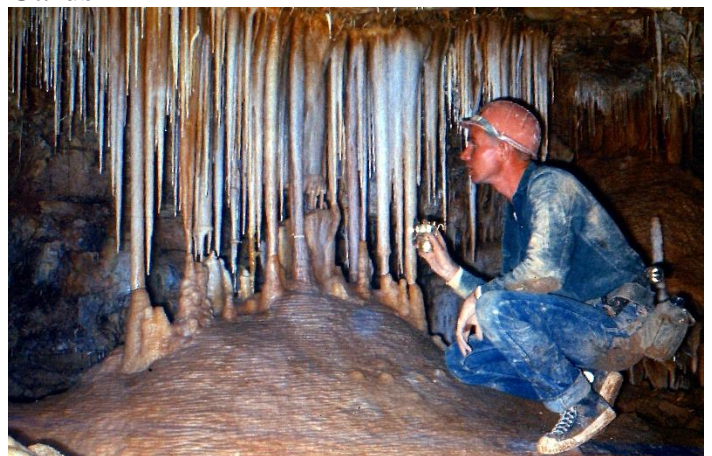
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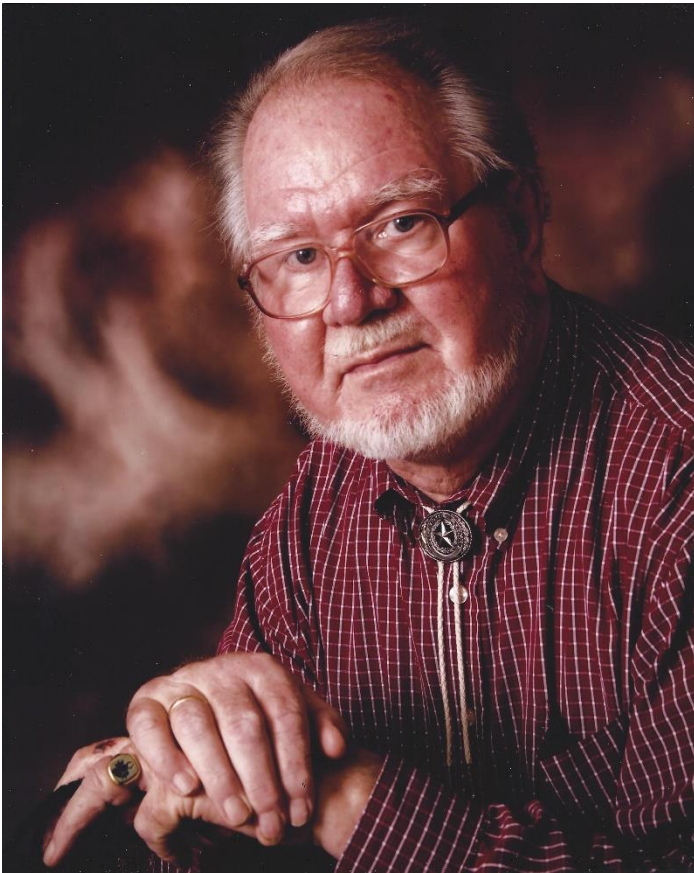
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German Dress



Hans Ludwig von Schweinitz



Hiking



Dog Weiner races



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Interviewed



Family annual photo



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Play pool



Rentals



Repair Rentals



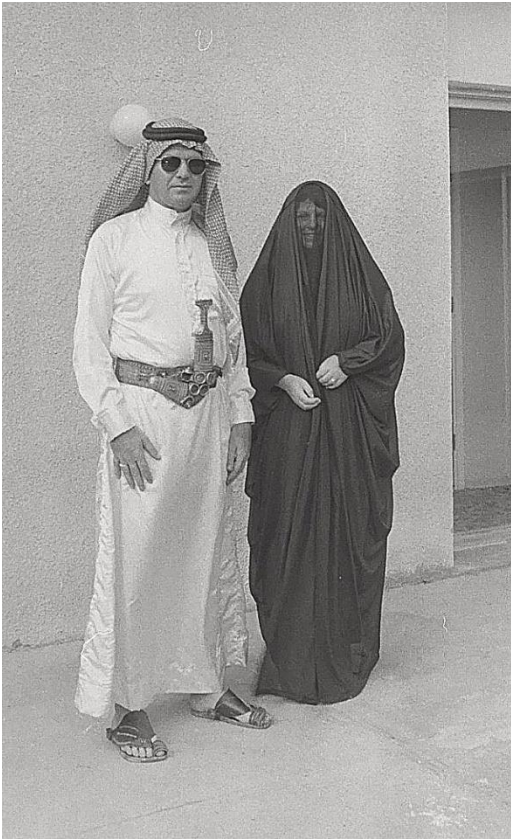
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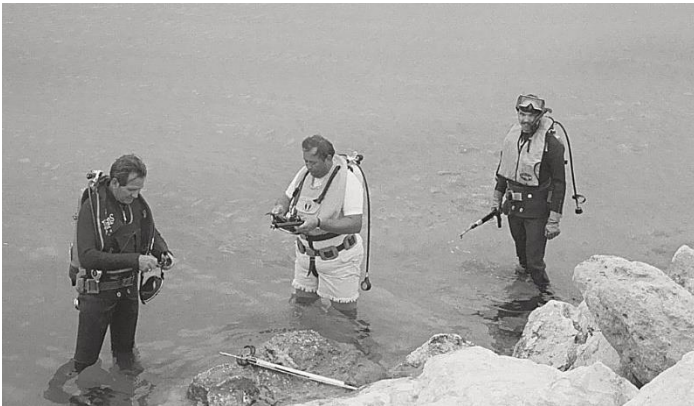
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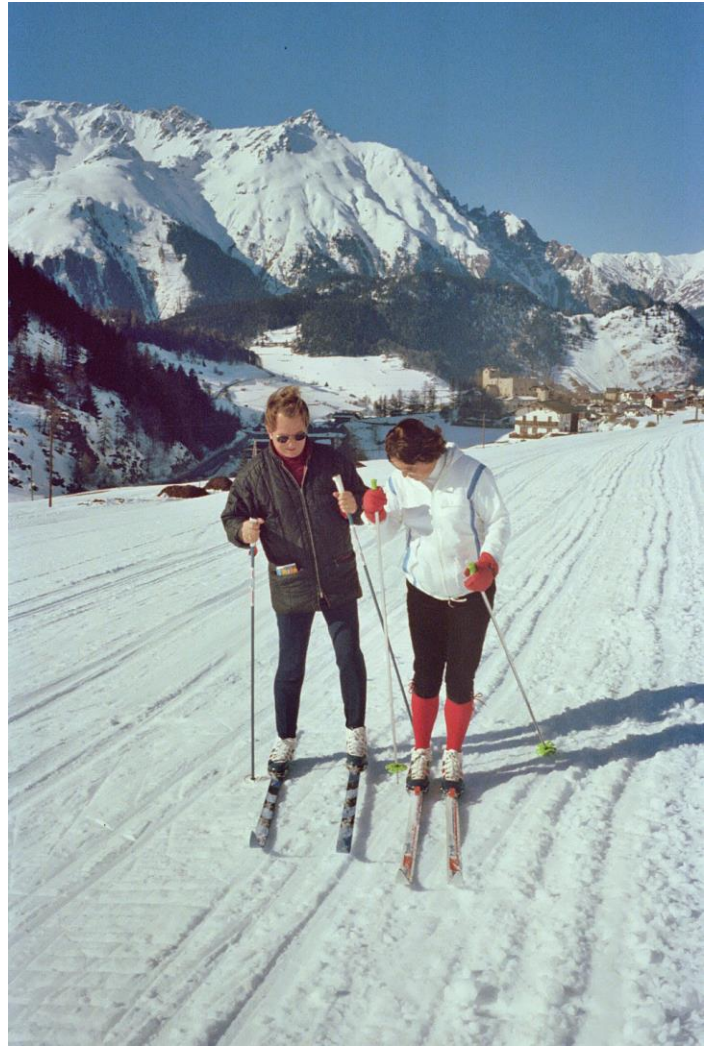
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Scuba diving



Skiing



Skiing Rescue Patrol



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Teen Biking holiday



Thailand 1979



Thailand 1969



Los Vegas Travel



Village Circle



Friendship force



Village Circle



Village Circle



Village Circle Xmas

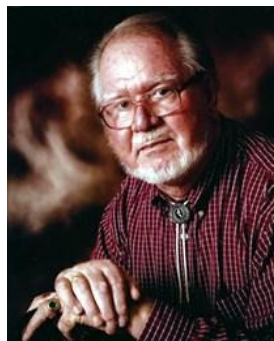
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In Memory of Hans Ludwig von Schweinitz

October 26, 1934 - August 26, 2015

Obituary

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Graveside Service

Monday, August 31, 2015
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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A graveside services will be conducted at one o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, the 31st of August 2015, at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, 1520 Harry Wurzbach Road, San Antonio, TX 78209 under the direction of Cook-Walden Funeral Home.

Memorial Services will be conducted at two o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, the 14th of September 2015, in the Colonial Chapel of Cook-Walden Funeral Home, 6100 North Lamar Boulevard, Austin, Texas.

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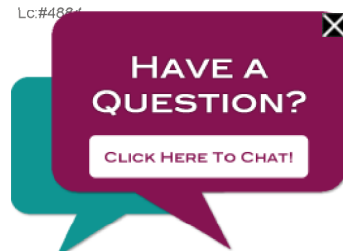
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Austin, TX

Tuesday, September 01, 2015



Liebe Frau von Schweinitz,

I am so sorry to hear of your husband's passing. I remember you well, even though I have no expectation that you will remember me. I took German classes with you at Anderson High School and I have very fond memories of your class. I was an eager student and have always loved the language. I travel to Germany often and still have family there. You made me appreciate the importance of correct pronunciation

and losing any hint of a Texas accent! I know hearing us speak German with a Texas accent must have been painful! Thanks for sharing so many of the pictures and esp the ones from Saudi...I remember you had just moved back from there when you began teaching us. My sympathies to you and your family and please take comfort in knowing that you and your husband had lasting affects on many lives. Angela (Schuenemann) Franklin

~ Angela Franklin, *Richardson, Texas* | [Contact Me](#)

Monday, August 31, 2015

So sorry to learn about Hans passing. He was truly an genuine friend, always willing to help if you needed it or would listen if you had something to say. We were neighbors for many years until his stroke then him and Helga relocated to be closer to Chris. He will truly be missed but not forgotten, may you rest in peace my friend!

~ Broddrick Family, *Austin, Texas* | [Contact Me](#)

Monday, August 31, 2015

Liebe Helga, sehr traurig bin ich über den Tod meines Cousins Hans-Ludwig, genannt "Hanelu". Ich erinnere mich an sein Baumhaus in der Fischzucht, wo wir Karamel-Bonbons herstellten/kochten oder an den Tag, an dem ich "Schmiere" stehen musste mit Hubertus, weil Hanelu in einem Garten Pfingstrosen "entführte". Bei einem Deutschlandbesuch war er hier in Grödig und hat dadurch auch meinen Mann noch kennenlernen können, was ich sehr schön fand, allerdings hatte er als inzwischen Amerikaner sehr nach Worten zu suchen und seine Aussprache war auch verändert. Du wirst Trost bei deinen beiden Kindern und deinen Enkeln finden, und dazu wünsche dir von Herzen Kraft und Stärke. Ihr habt ein sehr gutes Foto und einen zutreffenden Nachruf von ihm ins Internet gestellt! Das hätte ihn gefreut!
Ines/ Püppi Gaertner, geb. v. Engelmann

~ Ines Gaertner, *Grödig/ Salzburg*

Sunday, August 30, 2015

Dear Helga,
Having lost my husband one year ago, I can honestly say I share your loss.
My heartfelt sympathy and prayers,
Marian H. Nelson

~ Marian Nelson, *Austin, Texas*

Sunday, August 30, 2015

Our deepest sympathy for Helga and the family. Hans was quite a unique man and we are happy to have known him.
Christa and Richard Broderick

Sunday, August 30, 2015

We are so very sorry to hear about Hans; he was my deskmate for several months while he was at the Veterans Administration. I remember him as a very kind and very intelligent man who 'climbed every analytical challenge'. I know Hans' family, extended family and friends will miss his vibrant and energetic presence.
Jeani Sanderfer-Smith

Sunday, August 30, 2015

Helga, you and your family have our deepest sympathy. Lew and I embrace you at this difficult time; we know well what you feel, the hole that Hans leaves in your life and the sadness of his passing. Please know you have the strength of many friends who love and support you and cherish the memory of Hans' extraordinary life. Our hearts are with you.

~ Dona Reeves-Marquardt, *Austin, Texas*

Sunday, August 30, 2015

Unser allerherzlichstes Beileid von Kerstin, Thomas, Patrick und Sven

~ Thomas Pörtner, *Herford*

Sunday, August 30, 2015

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Saturday, August 29, 2015

So sorry to hear of Hans passing. For a man with such a varied life with many accomplishments, the loss must be hard to bear. You have our deepest sympathy.

Joyce and Bill Graham

Saturday, August 29, 2015



~ Peter Wolf, *Taunusstein* | [Contact Me](#)

Saturday, August 29, 2015

Tina, my thoughts are with you and your family.
Pat

~ Patricia White, *GAITHERSBURG, Maryland*

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von SCHWEINITZ, Hans Ludwig

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Hans was born on October 26, 1934, in Liegnitz, Germany, in the province of Silesia (Schlesien). His father was Hans Wilhelm von Schweinitz, his mother was nee Sigrid Freiin von Zedlitz-und-Leipe. He had a happy childhood living on the ancestral estate Schloss Alt-Raudten, but his mother died when he was eight years old.



When, in early 1945, Russian troops rolled into Silesia, the von Schweinitz family, together with millions of other Germans, had to flee. They happened to be on the streets of Dresden when Allied planes dropped phosphor bombs on the crowd, and over 33 000 people burnt to death. The smell haunted Hans all his life.

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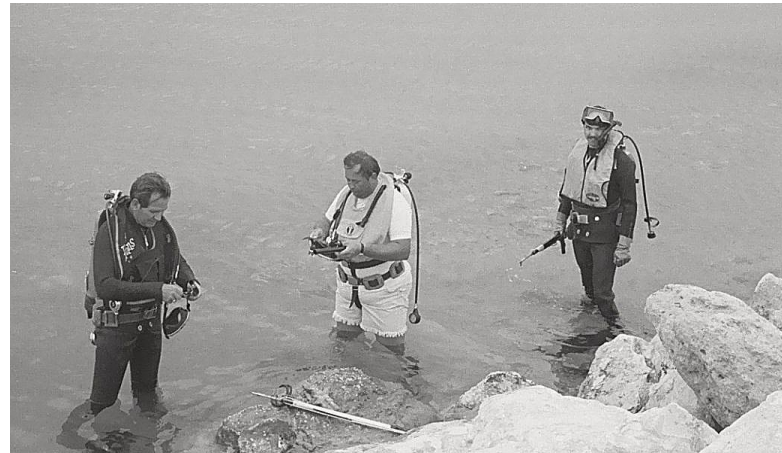
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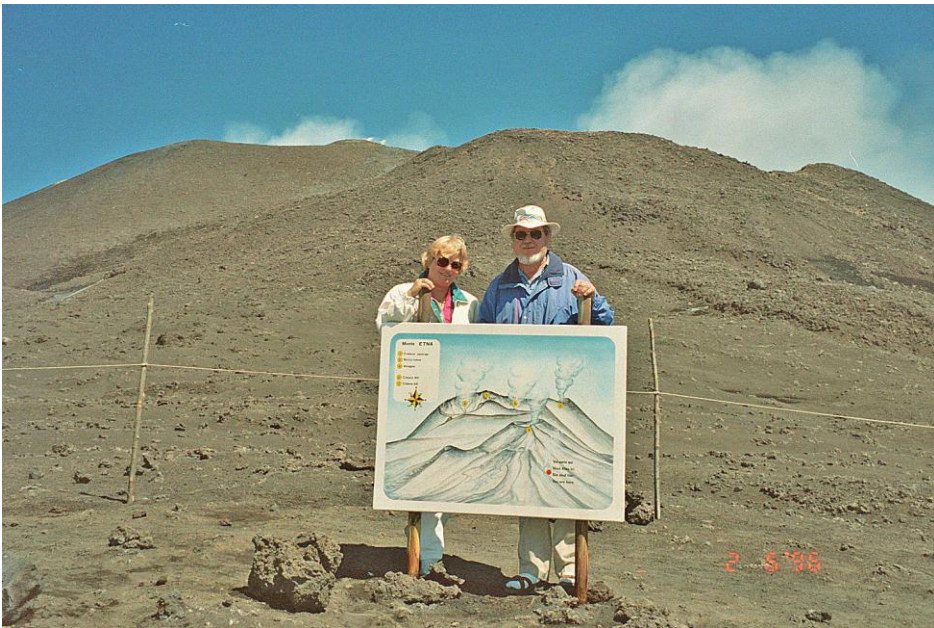
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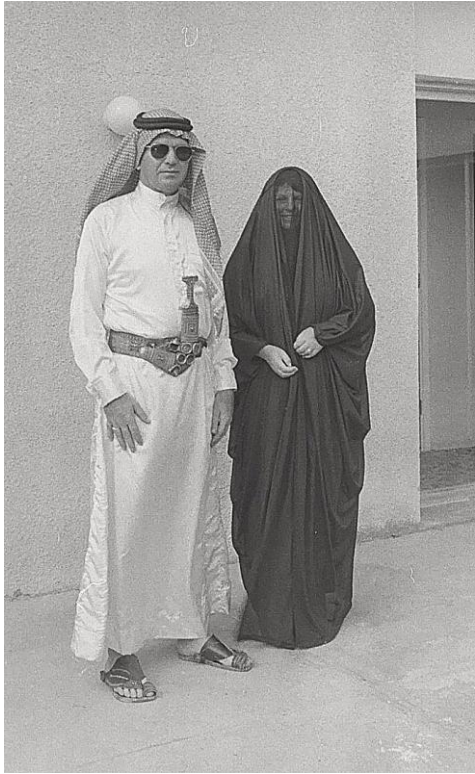




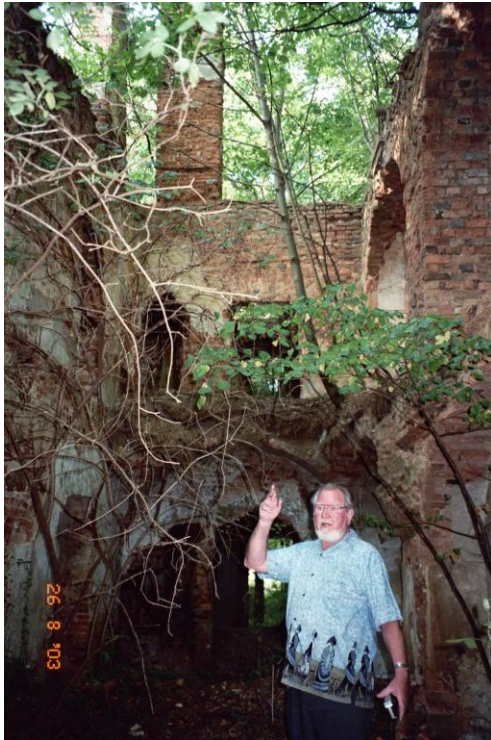
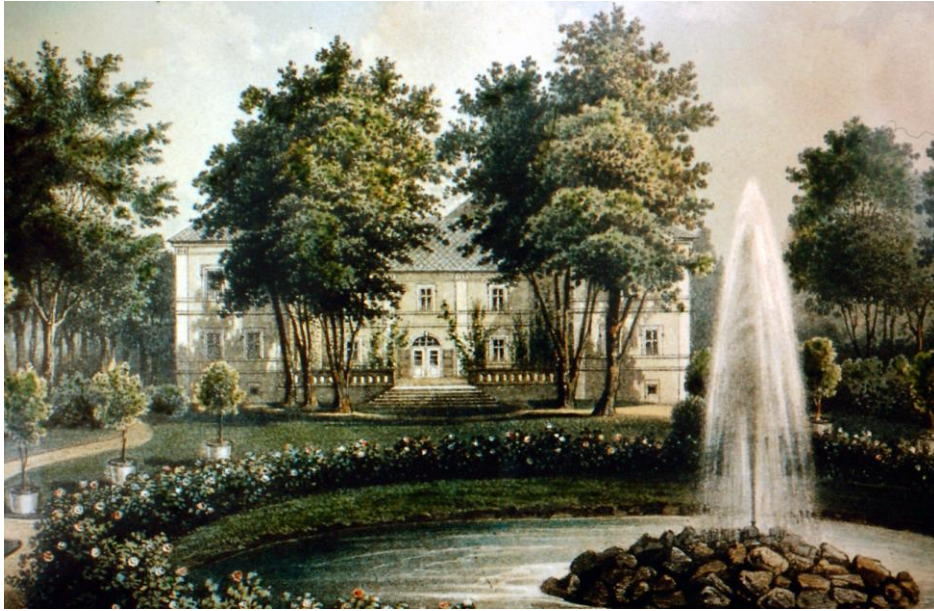


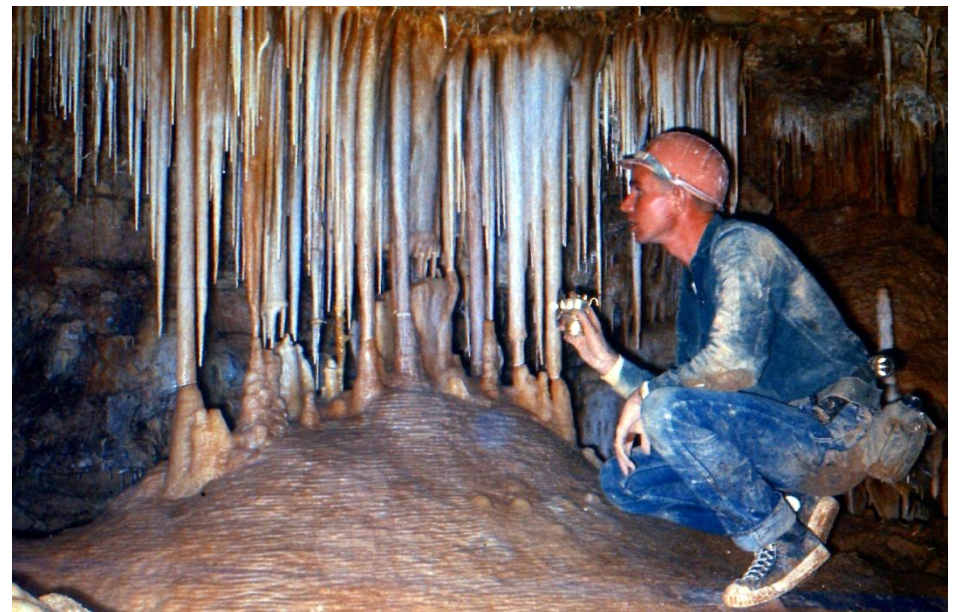








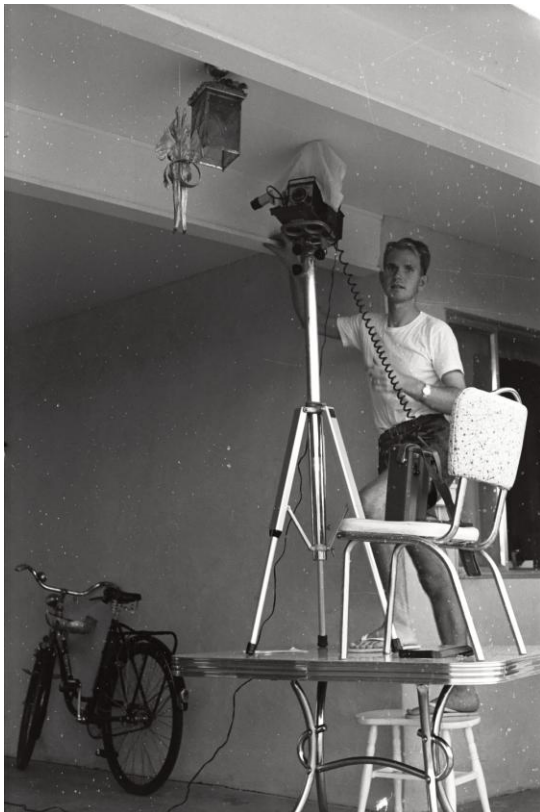




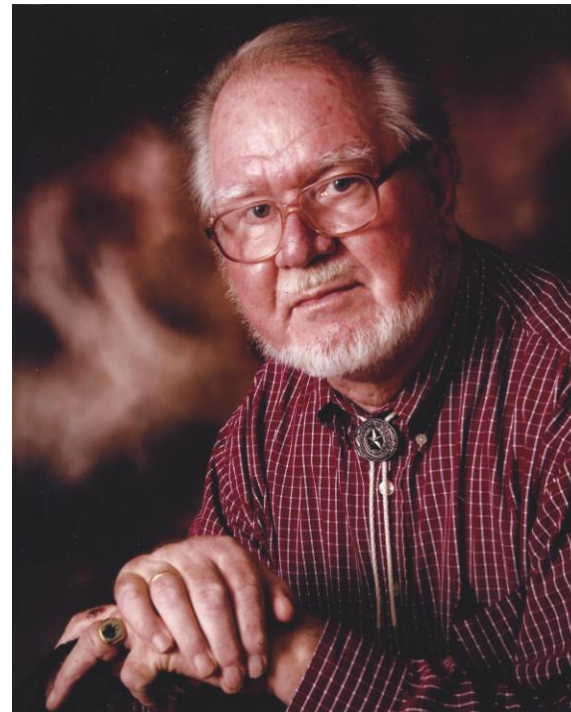
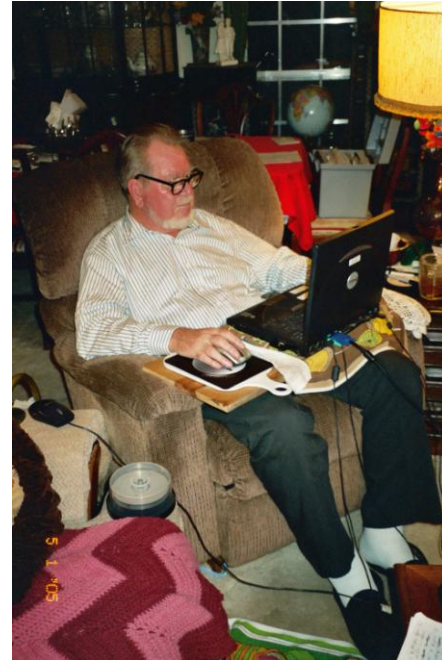








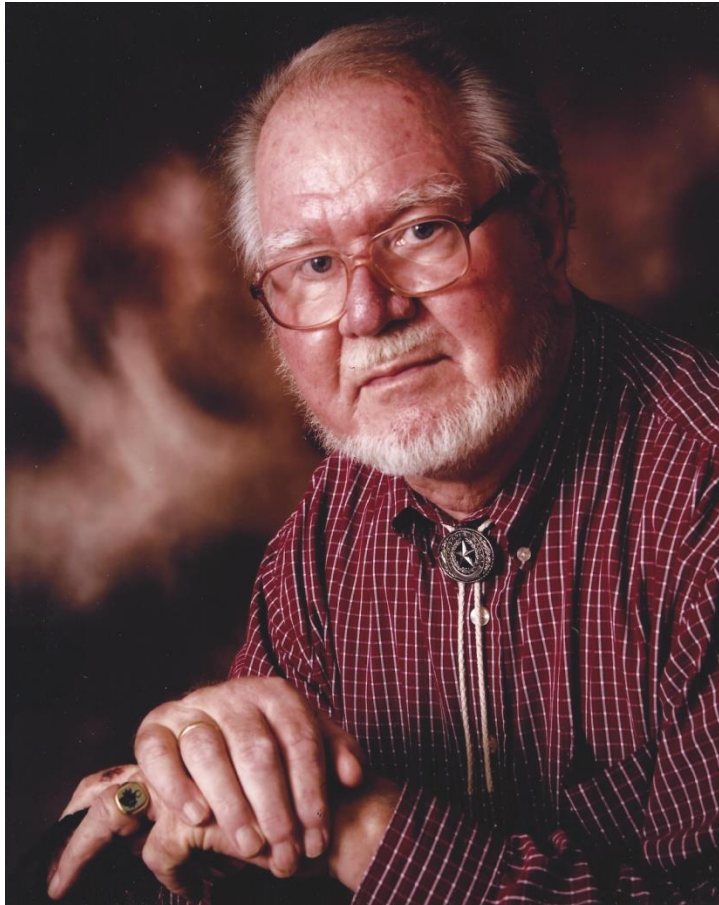












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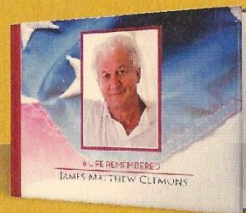
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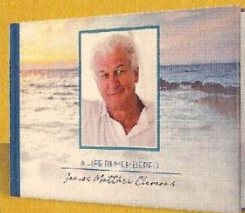
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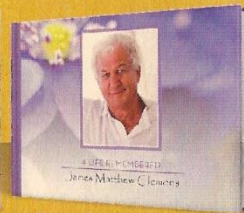
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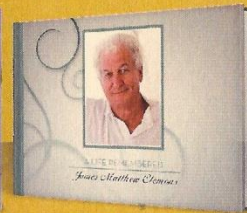
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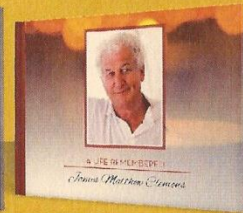
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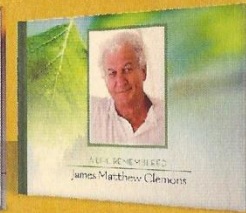
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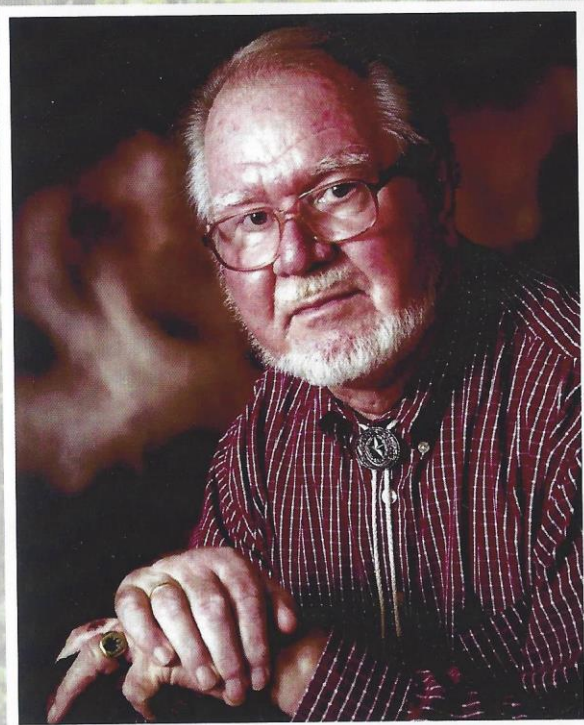


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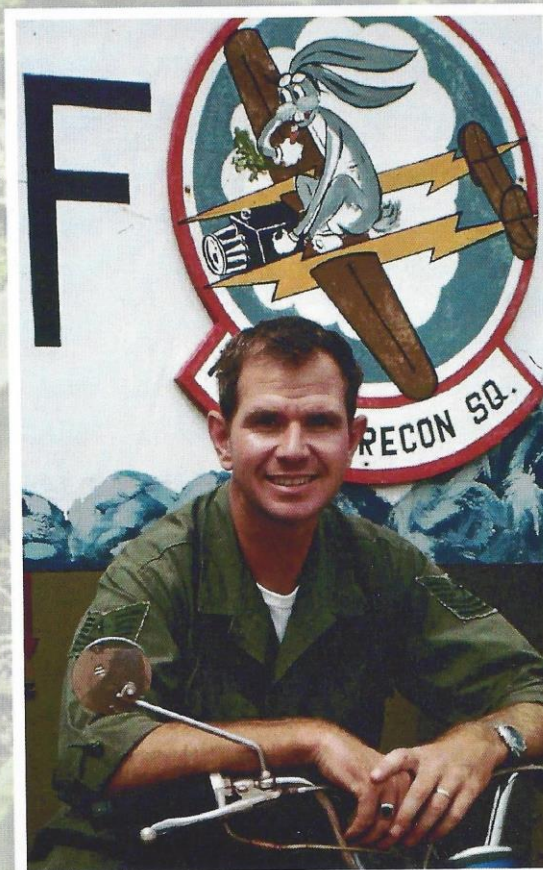


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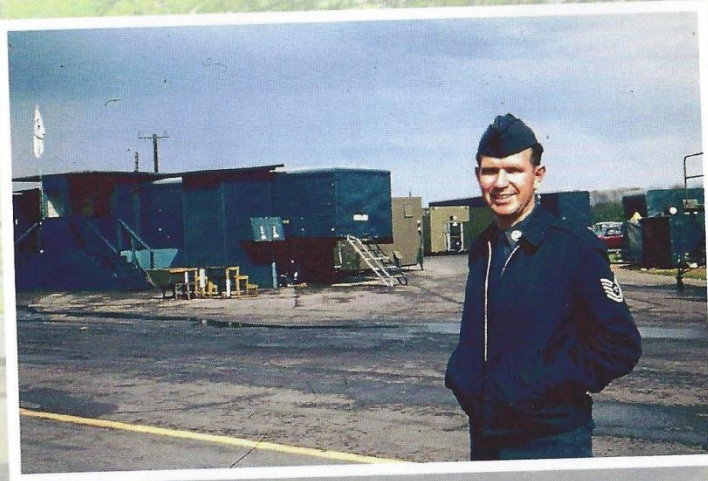
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20 years in US Air Force

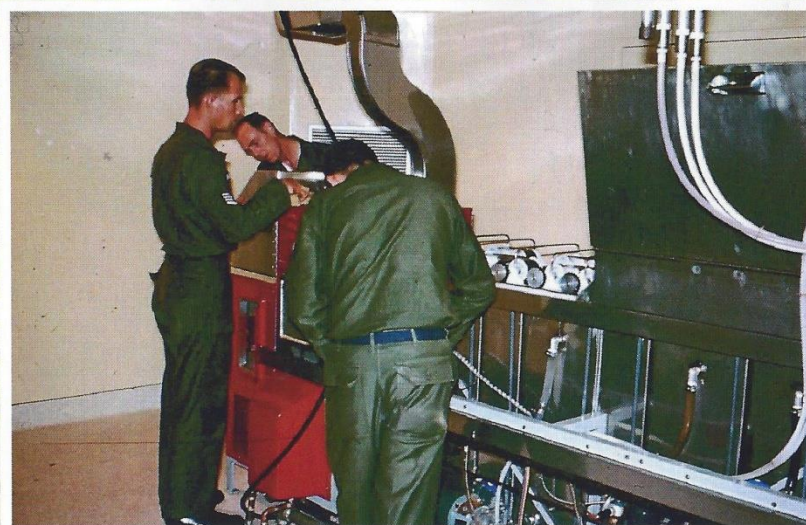


Retired from US Air Force as
Senior Master Sergeant



Worked in Quonset Huts on Flight Line

Photographer in Photo
Lab

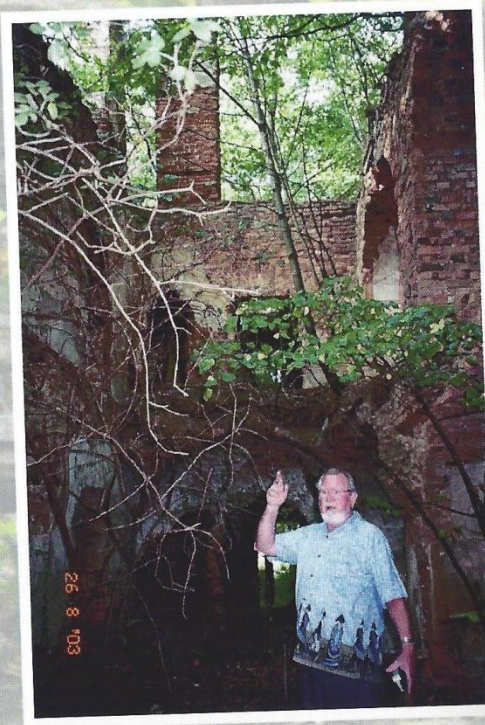


Mixing photographic
chemicals



His GrandParent's house in now Poland

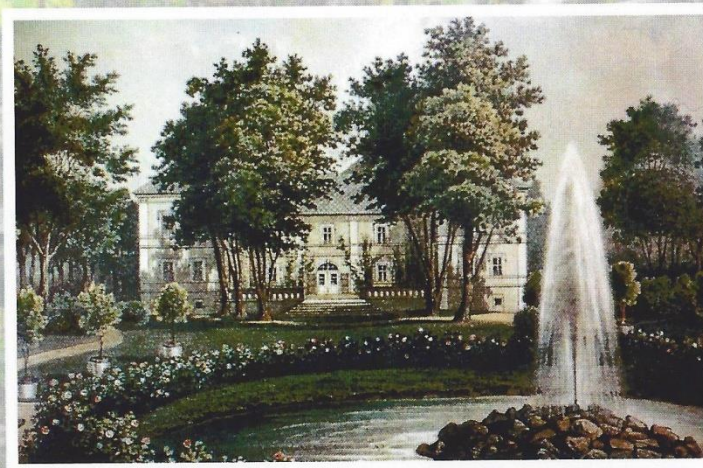
Ruins of his Childhood home, Alt Raudten. He is pointing to his bedroom on second floor





Family Crest - von Schweinitz

His Childhood home, Alt Raudten



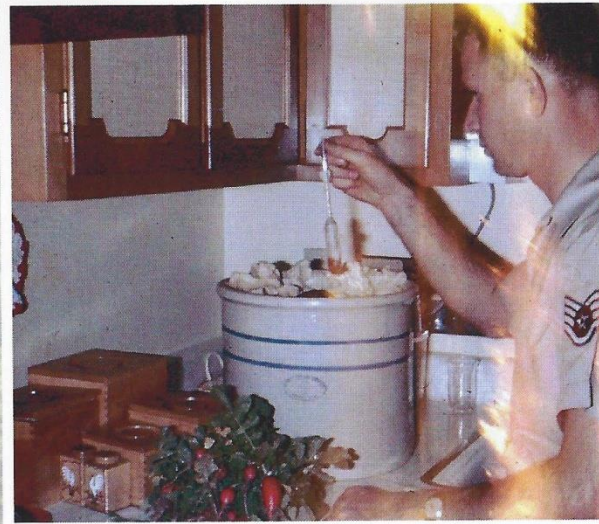


Birthday present,
Balloon ride over Austin



BBQ in back yard at
Village Circle

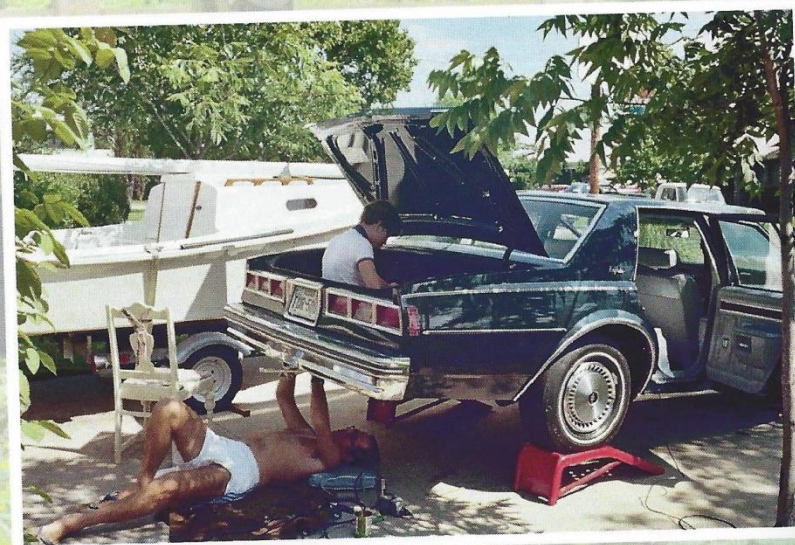
Brewing his own beer



Taking visitors on his
boat on adventure trips
in lakes around Austin

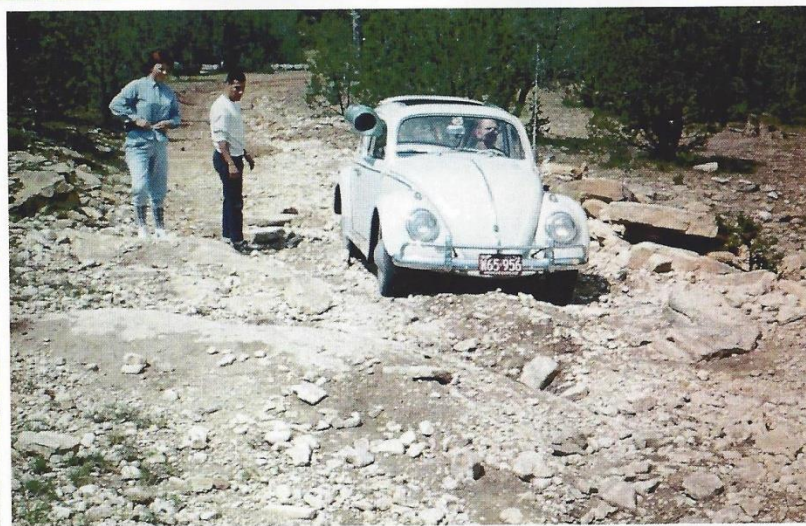


Taking visitors Water
Skiing on Lake Travis

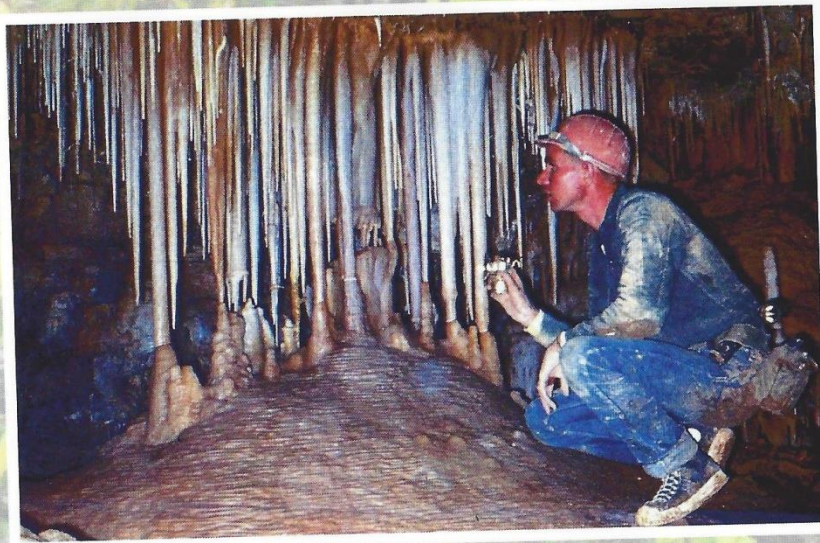


Maintained his own
cars. See son in trunk?

Off Roding the VW in
New Mexico



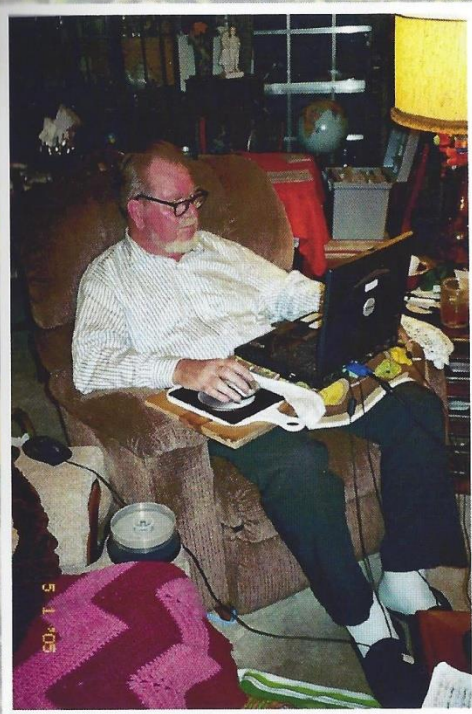
Loved to play cards,
especially Poker



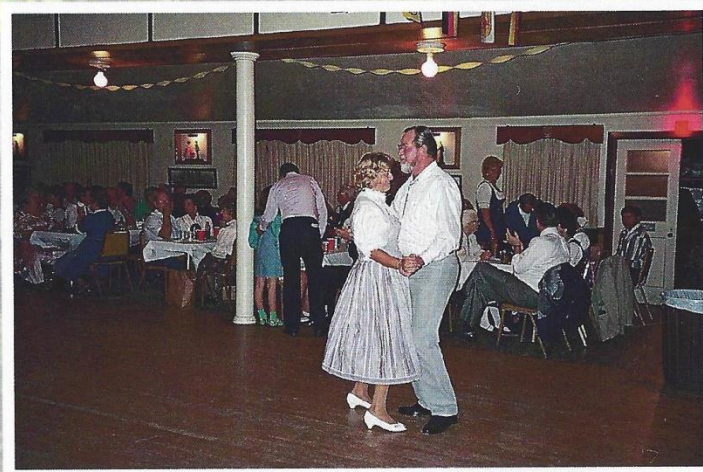
Avid Spelunker (Caving)
while stationed in New
Mexico



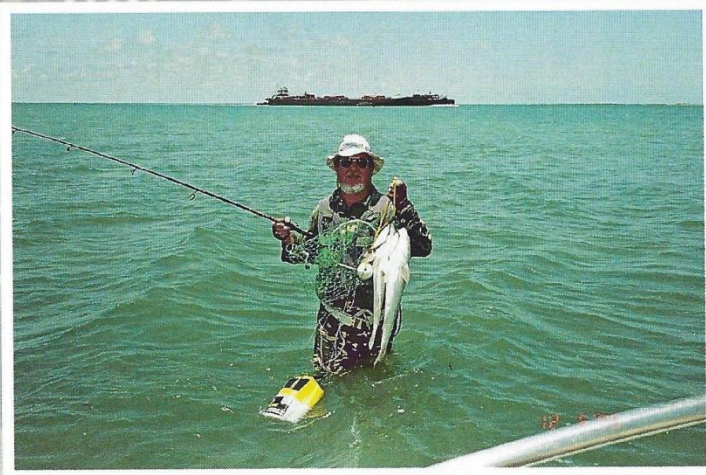
Played Chess. Usually
won.



Monitoring his investment
portfolio on computer



Dancing with his wife



Deep (?) Sea Fishing in Gulf of Mexico

Fishing Salmon with Son in
Alaska or Canada



Feuerzanenbowle,
German Christmas
drink made with fire
and alcohol

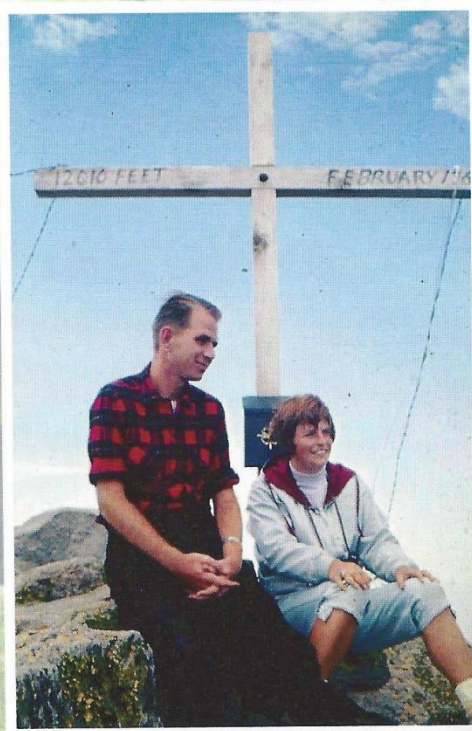


Home in Pflugerville
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At Fasching Fest as Haensel and Gretel

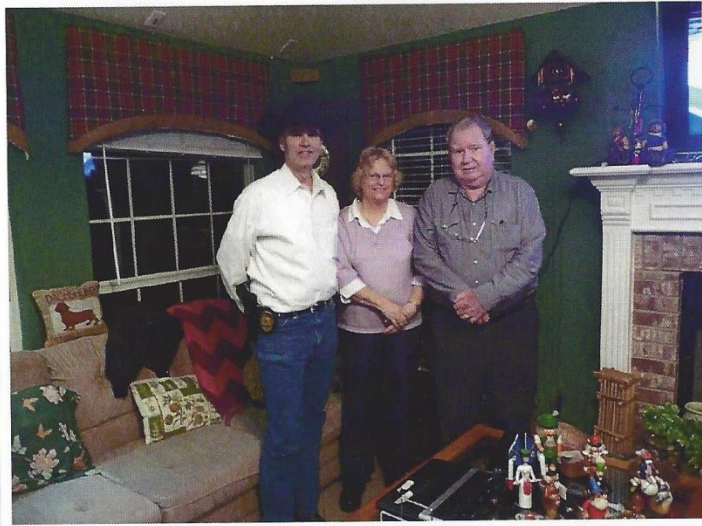
Hiking with wife up Old Baldy
in New Mexico



2014 With his
Dachshund, Schnapsi,
at dog races in Buda



2014 His version of
Stammtisch at German
Free School



Interviewed about his
life story.



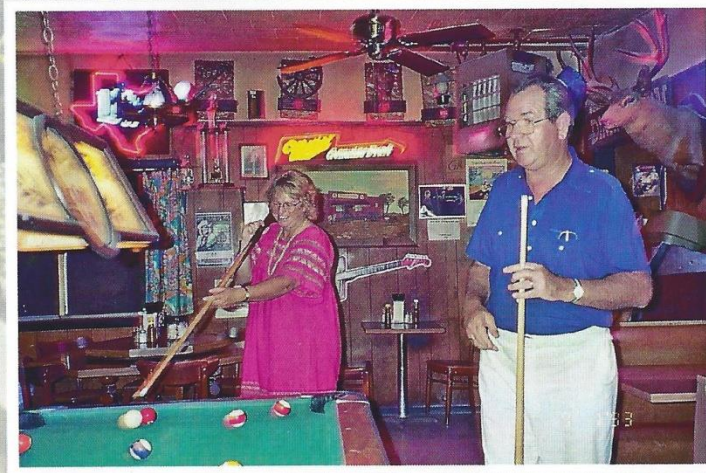
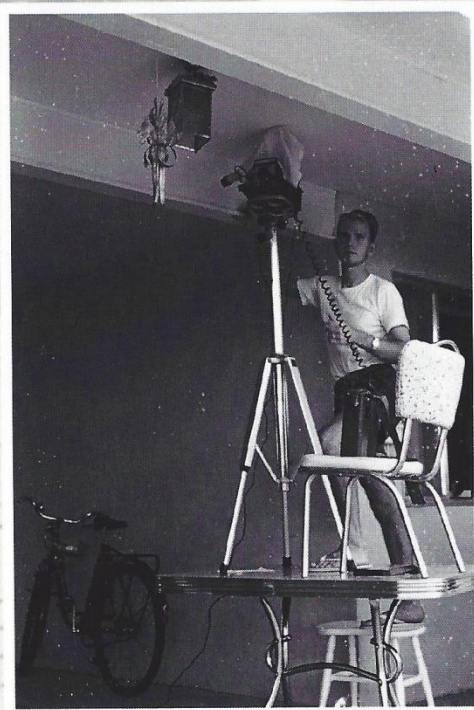
To be wife on Alpine
Meadow.

November 2014
Scooting around
Georgetown Air Show



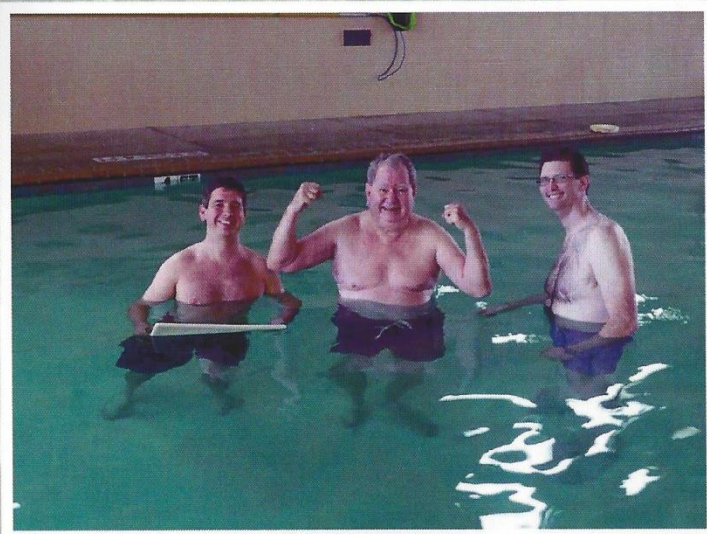
2014 Family Christmas
photo

Photographer by profession.
Setting up in New Mexico



Playing Pool with wife in a Texas Honky
Tonk

Active as Republican
Delegate at convention



Rehabilitation from
Stroke at Reavis Round
Rock

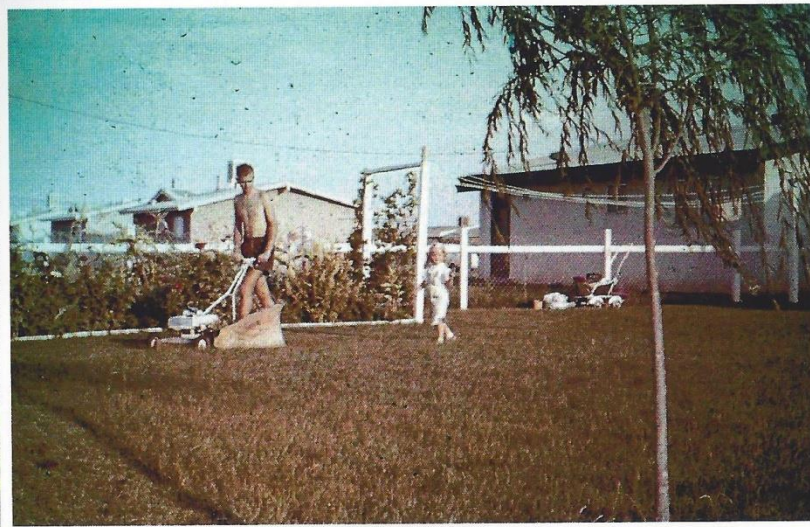


First Rental Investment
- Four Plex in South
Austin



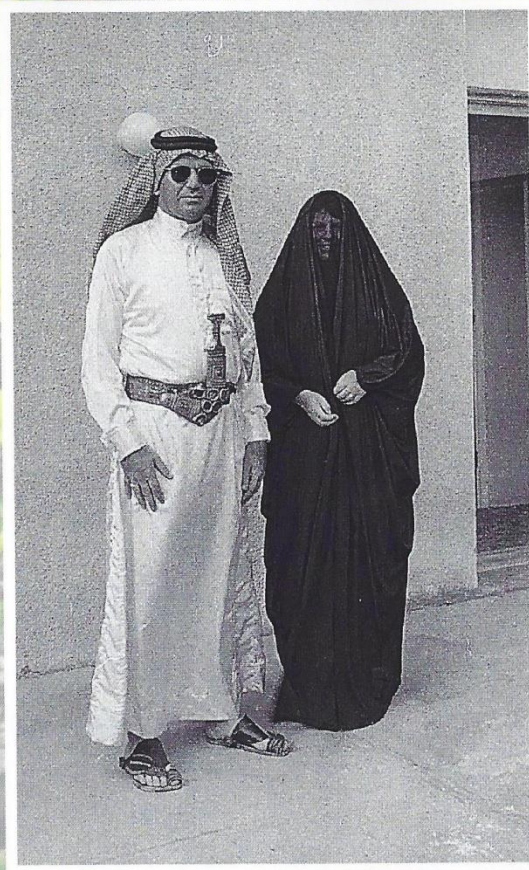
Made money of Rental
House by doing repairs
himself

Riding with Family in
Georgia



Liked a good lawn, in
New Mexico. Being
followed by daughter

Saudi Arabia, in the desert



Hans and Helga in everyday Saudi Arabian garments

Scuba Diving



Skiing with wife

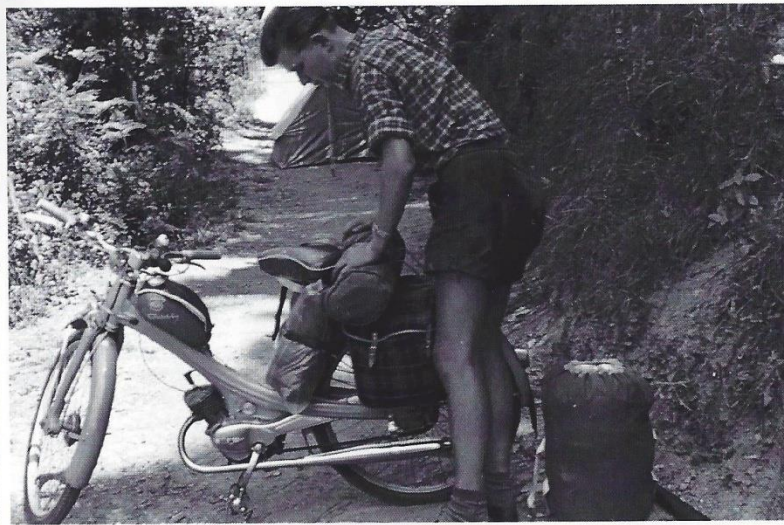


On the Ski Patrol
(Rescue Squad) in New
Mexico



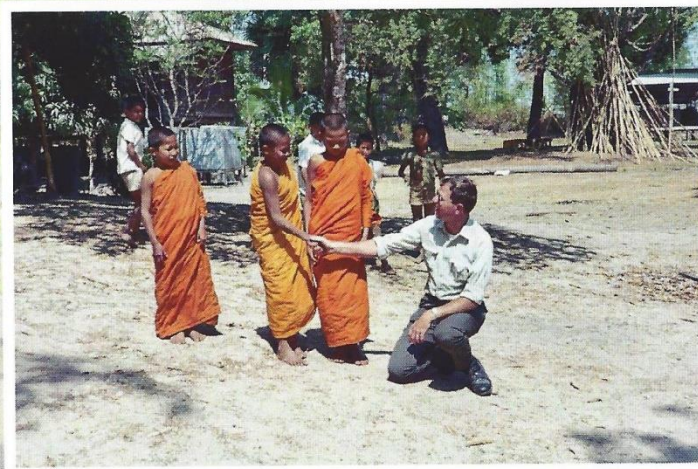
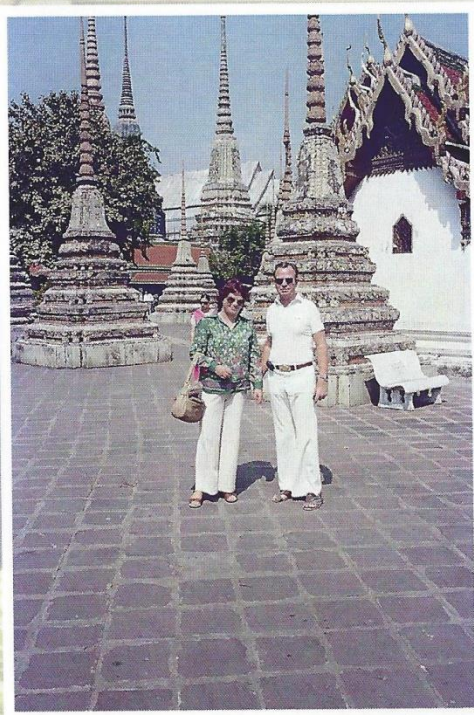
On the US Air Force
Downhill Ski Racing
Team

Studying for his degree
in Mathematics from
Auburn University
Alabama



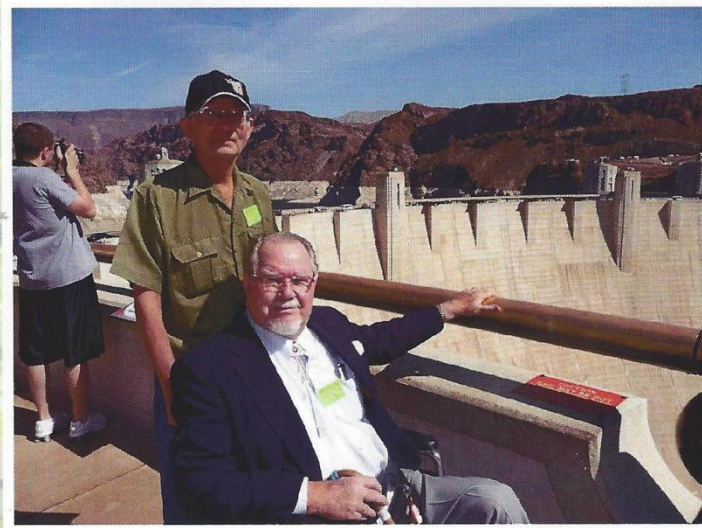
As young man, biked
across the Alp
Mountains

Traveled to Thailand. Was
also stationed in Thailand in
late 60's

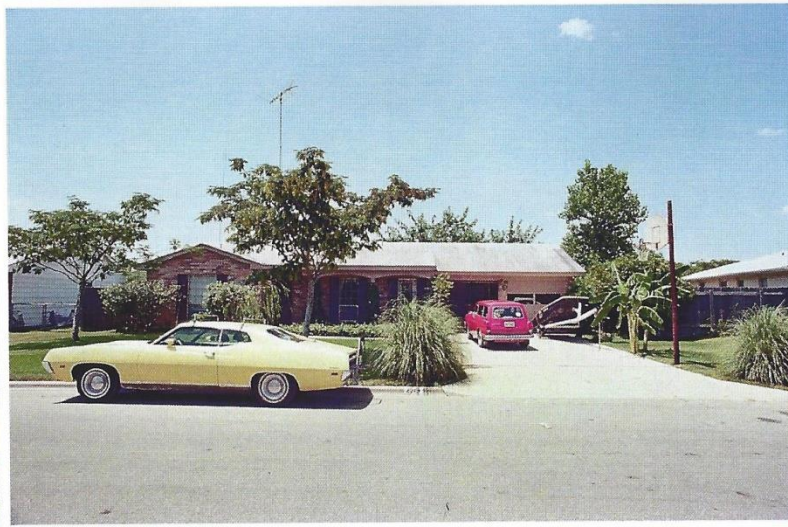


Monks in Thailand

2009 with best friend
at Hoover Dam Nevada



Traveled the world with
Friendship Force



Home for 30 years in South Austin. How the house originally looked.

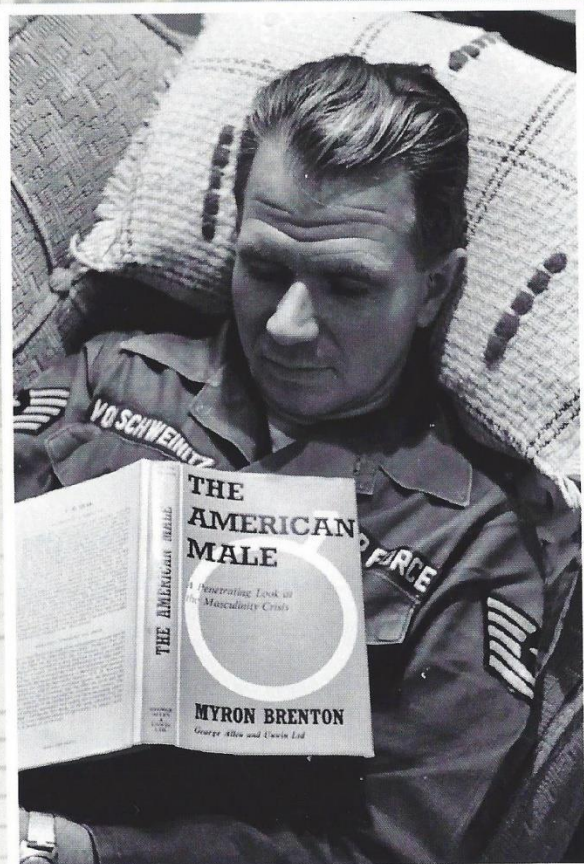


Building pool into backyard at home in South Austin

How South Austin home
looked after all
renovations.



Christmas lights on
South Austin home



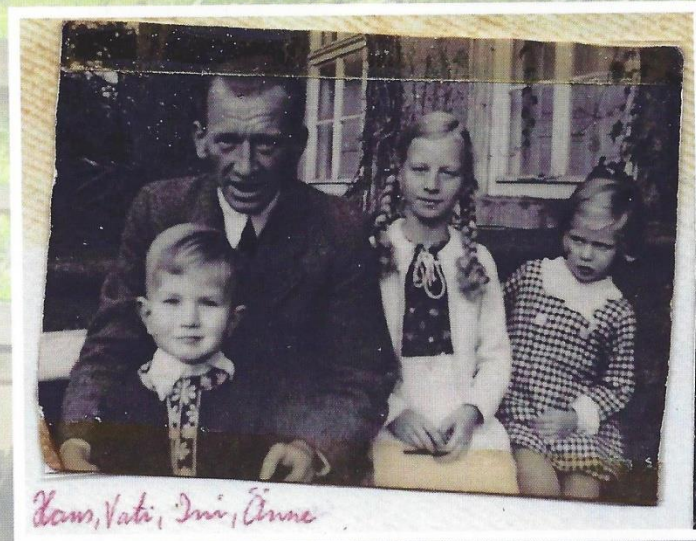
A: Exhausted Air Force Career



B: First day of school with Candy Cone. About 1940 or 1941

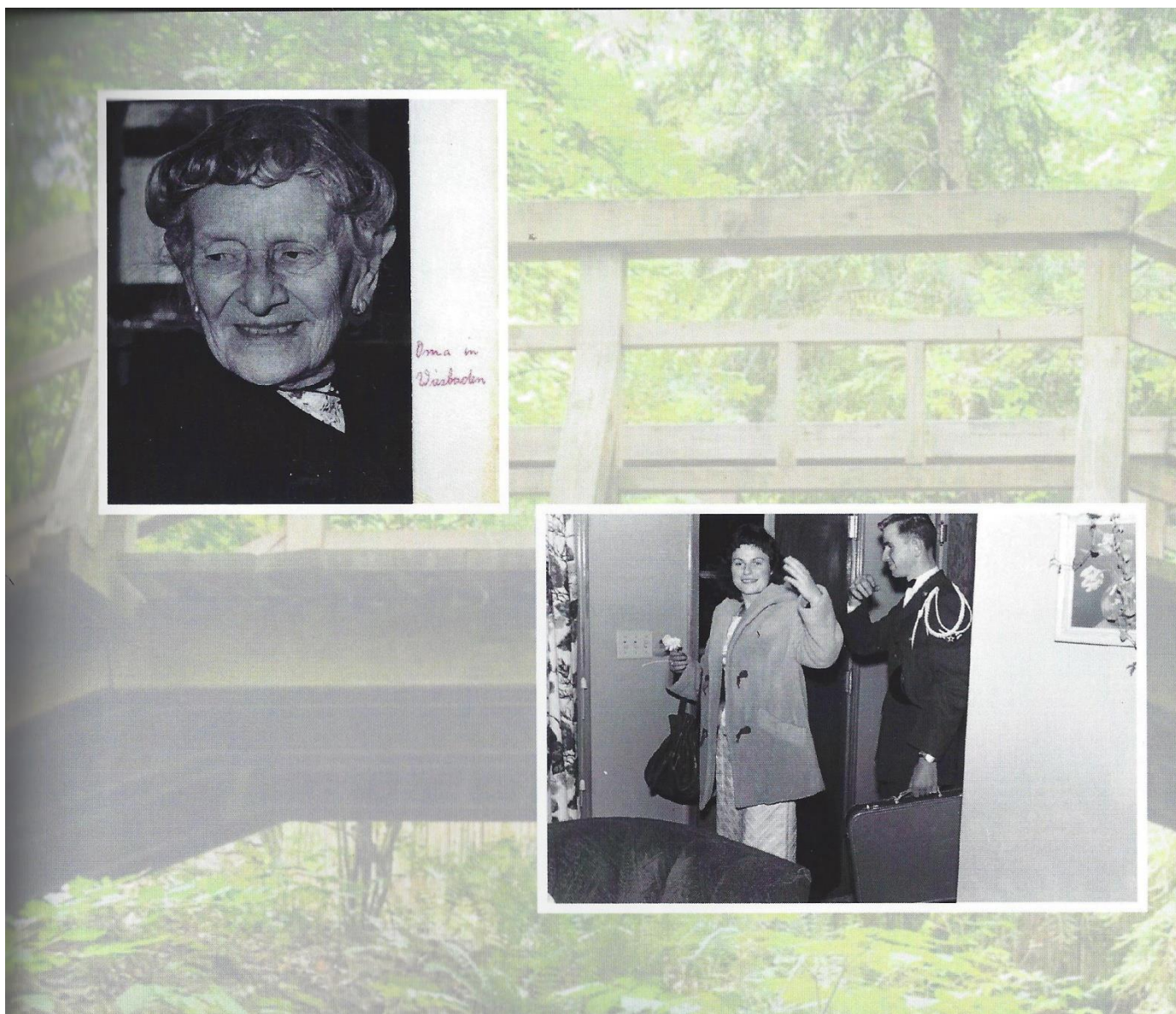


A: Hans Wilhelm von Schweinitz, Hans' Father B: Hans with his father C: Hans with his mother



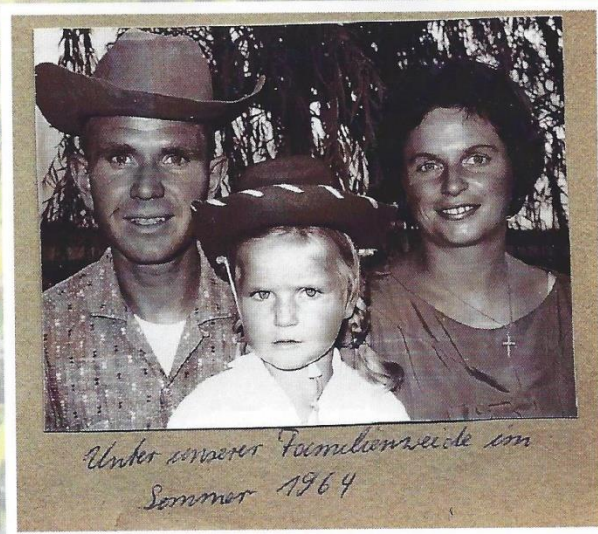
A Hans' mother

B: Hans, his Father, Sister Ini, and cousin Anna



A: Hans' Grandmother on Father's side

B: Hans and wife Helga off to their Honeymoon. 1957



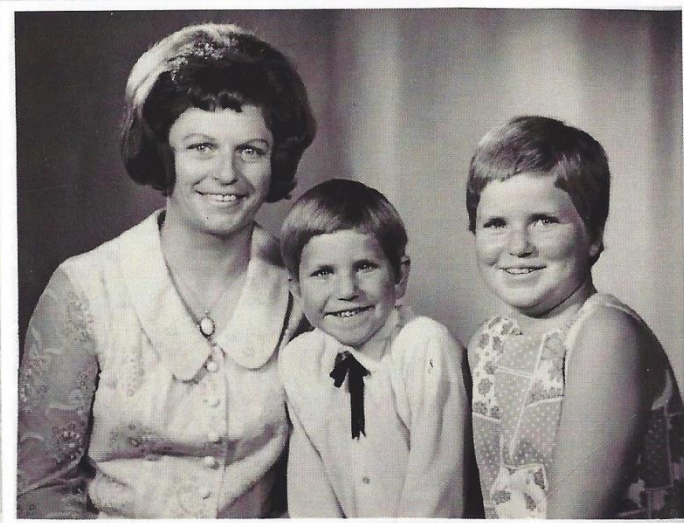
A: Family photo in Summer 1964, Hans, daughter Bettina, Helga B: Family photo Christmas 1964, baby is Christopher



The von Schweinitz
Family on their way
church (Presbyterian)
on Easter 1966

Big Chief from Roswell to Milwaukee

A: On move from New Mexico to England via Milwaukee B: Easter 1966 going to Church in New Mexico



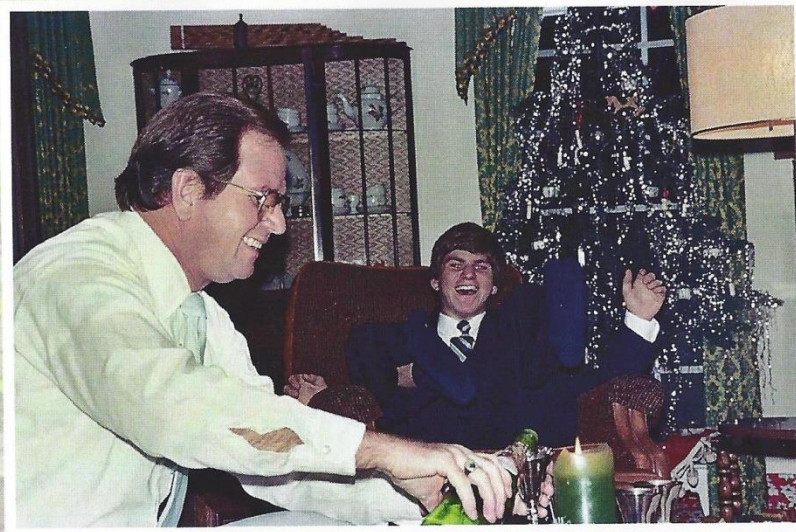
A: Family photo England 1968, Hans was in Thialand.

B: Family picking peaches in South Carolina



A: Family photo in Austin Texas about 1975

B: Family enjoying a waterfall in Texas about 1975-76

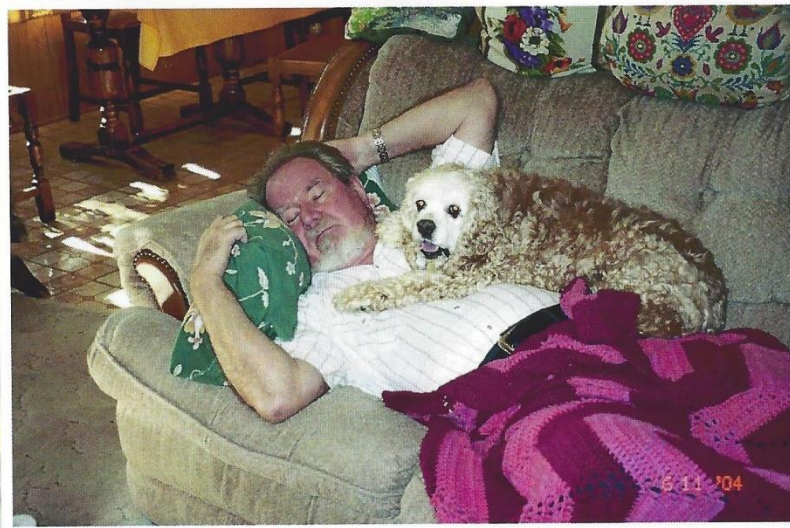


A: Hans and Christopher enjoying a drink B: Visit with Rickard family. Bill, Linda and Lisa



A: Chris, Hans, and Matthew on the computer 1998

B: Hans with Matthew in Hammock about 1994



A: Hans napping with Cocker Spaniel Whiskey B: Hans and Helga enjoying the hammock



A: Family Xmas photo 2013

B: Family Xmas photo about 2002



A: Hans with Dachshund Schnapsi in Pflugerville TX B: Hans and Helga on cruise 2014



A: Family Xmas photo 2014

B: Hans and Helga at Georgetown TX air show 2014

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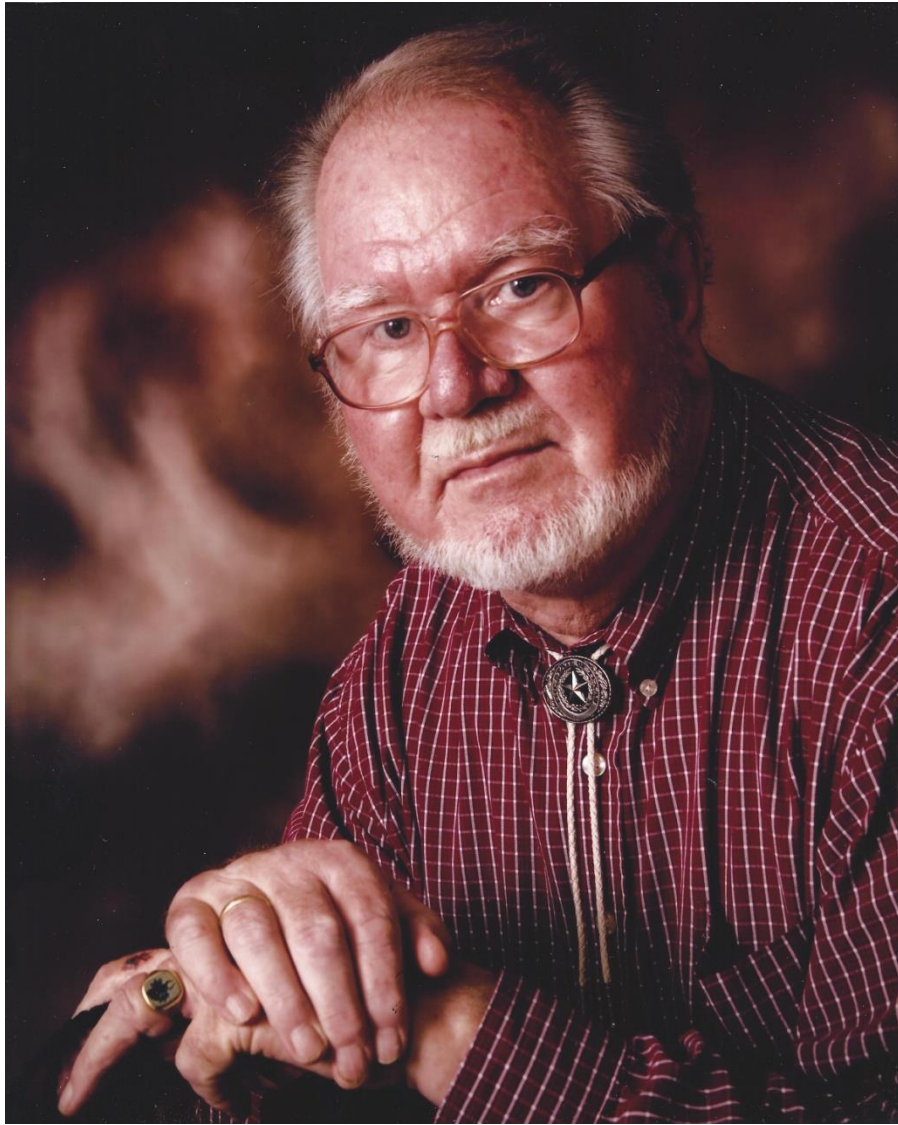
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Sincerely, Brenna

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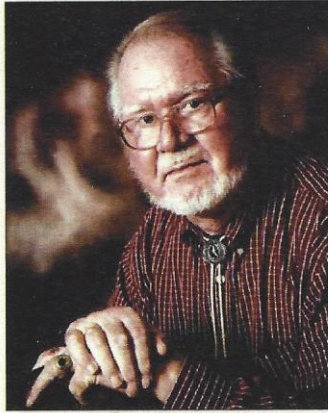
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Graveside Service

Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery
1520 Harry Wurzbach Road
San Antonio, Texas
Monday, August 31, 2015 at 1:00 p.m.

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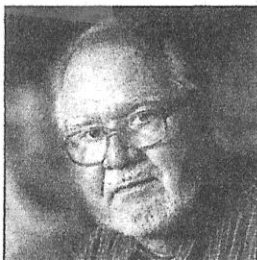
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Memorial Services will be conducted at two o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, the 14th of September 2015, in the Colonial Chapel of Cook-Walden Funeral Home, 6100 North Lamar Boulevard, Austin, Texas.

To share condolence with the family, please visit www.cook-waldenfuneralhome.com.

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Family Heritage for
Hans Ludwig von Schweinitz

Hans Wilhelm von Schweinitz - Father (Deceased)

Sigrid Freiin von Zedlitz-und-Leipe - Mother (Deceased)

Ursula von Frankenberg-Luettwitz - Stepmother (Deceased)

Helga von Schweinitz - Wife

Bettina von Schweinitz - Daughter

Christopher von Schweinitz - Son

Jill von Schweinitz - Daughter-in-law

Matthew von Schweinitz - Grandson

Sara von Schweinitz - Granddaughter

Elena von Schweinitz - Granddaughter

Michael von Schweinitz - Grandson

Ingrid Wolf - Sister

Kurt Balthasar - Half-brother

Michael von Schweinitz - Half-brother

Alexander von Schweinitz - Half-brother

Therese Klar - Half-sister

Hans is survived by numerous relatives in Germany.

**Memorial Service**

2:00 PM Monday, September 14, 2015
Chapel of Cook-Walden
6100 N Lamar Blvd, Austin 78752
512-454-5611

Officiants

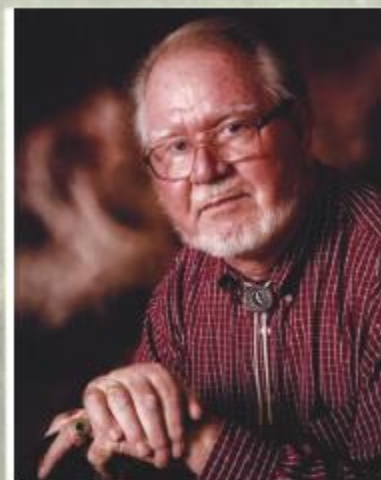
Faye Schott, Pastor
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Order of Service

Greeting
Prayer
Word
Eulogies
Readings
Sermon
Hymn – Music
Prayers of Intercession
Lord's Prayer
Commendation and Sending

Tribute Website

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*In Loving Memory of
Hans Ludwig von Schweinitz*



The Lord Is My Shepherd

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
 He maketh me lie down in green pastures.
 He leadeth me beside still waters.
 He restoreth my soul.
 He leadeth me in paths of righteousness
 for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the
 shadow of death,
 I will fear no evil,
 for thou art with me;
 thy rod and thy staff,
 they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me
 in the presence of mine enemies;
 thou anointest my head with oil;
 my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
 all the days of my life,
 and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord
 forever.

King James Version (KJV)

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Hand out during service

HYMN

Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me

Lord, take my hand and lead me upon life's way;
Direct, protect, and feed me from day to day.
Without your grace and favor I go astray;
So take my hand, O Savior, and lead the way.

So Nimm Denn Meine Hände

So nimm denn meine Hände und führe mich
Bis an mein selig Ende und ewiglich!
Ich mag allein nicht gehen, nicht einen Schritt;
Wo du wirst gehn und stehen, da nimm mich mit.

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
 hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come,
 thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
And forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those who trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
 forever and ever. Amen.

Music

From Verdi's opera Nabucco: "Chorus of the Slaves" Also called "Exodus".

L. van Beethoven: "Moonlight Sonata"

Anton Dvorzak: "Largo from Symphony # 9". The violin solo played by Andre Rieu.

STATE OF TEXAS			
CERTIFICATION OF VITAL RECORD			
DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES			
VITAL STATISTICS UNIT			
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES - VITAL STATISTICS		STATE FILE NUMBER 142-15-124432	
STATE OF TEXAS		CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
1. LEGAL NAME OF DECEASED (Include AKA's, if any) (First, Middle, Last)		2. DATE OF DEATH ACTUAL OR PRESUMED (mm-dd-yyyy)	
HANS LUDWIG VON SCHWEINITZ		AUGUST 26, 2015	
3. SEX	4. DATE OF BIRTH (mm-dd-yyyy)	5. AGE-Last Birthday (Years)	6. BIRTHPLACE (City & State or Foreign Country)
MALE	OCTOBER 26, 1934	80	GERMANY
7. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER	8. MARITAL STATUS AT TIME OF DEATH		9. SURVIVING SPOUSE'S NAME (If wife, give name prior to first marriage)
324-34-7622	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Never Married <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		HELGA POERTNER
10a. RESIDENCE STREET ADDRESS		10b. APT. NO.	10c. CITY OR TOWN
19117 GANTON COURT			PFLUGERVILLE
10d. COUNTY	10e. STATE	10f. ZIP CODE	10g. INSIDE CITY LIMITS?
TRAVIS	TEXAS	78660	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
11. FATHER'S NAME		12. MOTHER'S NAME PRIOR TO FIRST MARRIAGE	
HANS WILHELM VON SCHWEINITZ		SIGRID FREIN VON ZEDLITZ UND LEIPE	
13. PLACE OF DEATH (CHECK ONE ONLY)			
IF DEATH OCCURRED IN A HOSPITAL: <input type="checkbox"/> Inpatient <input type="checkbox"/> ER/Outpatient <input type="checkbox"/> DOA <input type="checkbox"/> Hospice Facility <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nursing Home <input type="checkbox"/> Decedent's Home <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)			
IF DEATH OCCURRED SOMEWHERE OTHER THAN A HOSPITAL: <input type="checkbox"/> Hospice Facility <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nursing Home <input type="checkbox"/> Decedent's Home <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)			
14. COUNTY OF DEATH		15. CITY/TOWN, ZIP (If outside city limits, give precinct no.)	
TRAVIS	PFLUGERVILLE, 78660	PFLUGERVILLE CARE CENTER	
17. INFORMANT'S NAME & RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED		18. MAILING ADDRESS OF INFORMANT (Street and Number, City, State, Zip Code)	
HELGA VON SCHWEINITZ - WIFE		19117 GANTON COURT, PFLUGERVILLE, TX 78660	
19. METHOD OF DISPOSITION		20. SIGNATURE AND LICENSE NUMBER OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR OR PERSON ACTING AS SUCH	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Burial <input type="checkbox"/> Cremation <input type="checkbox"/> Donation <input type="checkbox"/> Entombment <input type="checkbox"/> Removal from state <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)		ADRIA D CHANDLER, BY ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE 116395	
22. PLACE OF DISPOSITION (Name of cemetery, crematory, other place)		23. LOCATION (City/Town, and State)	
FORT SAM HOUSTON NATIONAL CEMETERY		SAN ANTONIO, TX	
24. NAME OF FUNERAL FACILITY		25. COMPLETE ADDRESS OF FUNERAL FACILITY (Street and Number, City, State, Zip Code)	
COOK-WALDEN FUNERAL HOME		6100 N. LAMAR BLVD., AUSTIN, TX 78752	
26. CERTIFIER (Check only one)			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certifying physician-To the best of my knowledge, death occurred due to the cause(s) and manner stated. <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Examiner/Justice of the Peace-On the basis of examination, and/or investigation, in my opinion, death occurred at the time, date and place, and due to the cause(s) and manner stated.			
27. SIGNATURE OF CERTIFIER		28. DATE CERTIFIED (mm-dd-yyyy)	29. LICENSE NUMBER
MICHAEL ANTHONY ROMAIN, BY ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE		AUGUST 28, 2015	K1032
31. PRINTED NAME, ADDRESS OF CERTIFIER (Street and Number, City, State, Zip Code)		32. TITLE OF CERTIFIER	
MICHAEL ANTHONY ROMAIN 12221 MOPAC EXPRESSWAY N. AUSTIN, TX 78758-2483		MD	
33. PART I: ENTER THE CHAIN OF EVENTS - DISEASES, INJURIES, OR COMPLICATIONS - THAT DIRECTLY CAUSED THE DEATH. DO NOT ENTER TERMINAL EVENTS SUCH AS CARDIAC ARREST, RESPIRATORY ARREST, OR VENTRICULAR FIBRILLATION WITHOUT SHOWING THE ETIOLOGY. DO NOT ABBREVIATE. ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE ON EACH.			
IMMEDIATE CAUSE (Final disease or condition resulting in death)			
a. CARDIOPULMONARY FAILURE			
Due to (or as a consequence of):			
b. PANCREATIC CANCER			
Due to (or as a consequence of):			
c. DIABETES			
Due to (or as a consequence of):			
d.			
34. WAS AN AUTOPSY PERFORMED?			
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
35. WERE AUTOPSY FINDINGS AVAILABLE TO COMPLETE THE CAUSE OF DEATH?			
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
36. MANNER OF DEATH		37. DID TOBACCO USE CONTRIBUTE TO DEATH?	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Natural <input type="checkbox"/> Accident <input type="checkbox"/> Suicide <input type="checkbox"/> Homicide <input type="checkbox"/> Pending investigation <input type="checkbox"/> Could not be determined		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Probably <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
38. IF FEMALE:		39. IF TRANSPORTATION INJURY, SPECIFY:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Not pregnant within past year <input type="checkbox"/> Pregnant at time of death <input type="checkbox"/> Not pregnant, but pregnant within 42 days of death <input type="checkbox"/> Not pregnant, but pregnant 43 days to one year before death <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown if pregnant within the past year		<input type="checkbox"/> Driver/Operator <input type="checkbox"/> Passenger <input type="checkbox"/> Pedestrian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)	
40a. DATE OF INJURY (mm-dd-yyyy)	40b. TIME OF INJURY	40c. INJURY AT WORK?	40d. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., Decedent's home, construction site, restaurant, wooded area)
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
40e. LOCATION (Street and Number, City, State, Zip Code)		40f. COUNTY OF INJURY	
41. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED			
42a. REGISTRAR FILE NO.	42b. DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR	42c. REGISTRAR	
0429415	SEPTEMBER 2, 2015	REGISTRAR - TRAVIS COUNTY - PREC 2, ELECTRONICALLY FILED	
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ISSUED SEP 02 2015

GERALDINE R. HARRIS
STATE REGISTRAR

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Name: _____

Jill v. S.

Name: _____

Chris v. S.

Tuesday, September 01, 2015



Liebe Frau von Schweinitz,

I am so sorry to hear of your husband's passing. I remember you well, even though I have no expectation that you will remember me. I took German classes with you at Anderson High School and I have very fond memories of your class. I was an eager student and have always loved the language. I travel to Germany often and still have family there. You made me appreciate the importance of correct pronunciation and losing any hint of a Texas accent! I know hearing us speak German with a Texas accent must have been painful! Thanks for sharing so many of the pictures and esp the ones from Saudi...I remember you had just moved back from there when you began teaching us. My sympathies to you and your family and please take comfort in knowing that you and your husband had lasting affects on many lives. Angela (Schuenemann) Franklin

~ Angela Franklin, *Richardson, Texas* | [Contact Me](#)

Monday, August 31, 2015

So sorry to learn about Hans passing. He was truly an genuine friend, always willing to help if you needed it or would listen if you had something to say. We were neighbors for many years until his stroke then him and Helga relocated to be closer to Chris. He will truly be missed but not forgotten, may you rest in peace my friend!

~ Broddrick Family, *Austin, Texas* | [Contact Me](#)

Monday, August 31, 2015

Liebe Helga, sehr traurig bin ich über den Tod meines Cousins Hans-Ludwig, genannt "Hanelu". Ich erinnere mich an sein Baumhaus in der Fischzucht, wo wir Karamel-Bonbons herstellten/kochten oder an den Tag, an dem ich "Schmiere" stehen musste mit Hubertus, weil Hanelu in einem Garten Pfingstrosen "entführte". Bei einem Deutschlandbesuch war er hier in Grödig und hat dadurch auch meinen Mann noch kennenlernen können, was ich sehr schön fand, allerdings hatte er als inzwischen Amerikaner sehr nach Worten zu suchen und seine Aussprache war auch verändert. Du wirst Trost bei deinen beiden Kindern und deinen Enkeln finden, und dazu wünsche dir von Herzen Kraft und Stärke. Ihr habt ein sehr gutes Foto und einen zutreffenden Nachruf von ihm ins Internet gestellt! Das hätte ihn gefreut!
Ines/ Püppi Gaertner, geb. v. Engelmann

~ Ines Gaertner, *Grödig/ Salzburg*

Sunday, August 30, 2015

Dear Helga,
Having lost my husband one year ago, I can honestly say I share your loss.
My heartfelt sympathy and prayers,
Marian H. Nelson

~ Marian Nelson, *Austin, Texas*

Sunday, August 30, 2015

Our deepest sympathy for Helga and the family. Hans was quite a unique man and we are happy to have known him.
Christa and Richard Broderick

Sunday, August 30, 2015

We are so very sorry to hear about Hans; he was my deskmate for several months while he was at the Veterans Administration. I remember him as a very kind and very intelligent man who 'climbed every analytical challenge'. I know Hans' family, extended family and friends will miss his vibrant and energetic presence.
Jeani Sanderfer-Smith

Sunday, August 30, 2015

Helga, you and your family have our deepest sympathy. Lew and I embrace you at this difficult time; we know well what you feel, the hole that Hans leaves in your life and the sadness of his passing. Please know you have the strength of many friends who love and support you and cherish the memory of Hans' extraordinary life. Our hearts are with you.

~ Dona Reeves-Marquardt, *Austin, Texas*

Sunday, August 30, 2015

Unser allerherzlichstes Beileid von Kerstin, Thomas, Patrick und Sven

~ Thomas Pörtner, *Herford*

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Saturday, August 29, 2015

So sorry to hear of Hans passing. For a man with such a varied life with many accomplishments, the loss must be hard to bear. You have our deepest sympathy.

Joyce and Bill Graham

Saturday, August 29, 2015



~ Peter Wolf, *Taunusstein* | [Contact Me](#)

Saturday, August 29, 2015

Tina, my thoughts are with you and your family.
Pat

~ Patricia White, *GAITHERSBURG, Maryland*

Helga,

Please know that
our thoughts and prayers
have been with you these
difficult days -

Thank God our memories
sustain us.

Truly
Genny

Liebe Helga,

Wir sind alle sehr traurig,
daß Hans nicht mehr bei Dir
und unter uns ist. Wir wußten
um seine schwere Krankheit. Wir
haben alle gehofft, daß Hans sich
erholt und gesund wird.

Hans bleibt uns in bester Erinnerung.

Hans war immer aufgeschlossen allen
Dingen gegenüber. Hans konnte zuhören
und hatte für jeden ein passendes
Wort parat. Die Gastfreundschaft,
die wir bei Euch in Austin alle genießen
konnten, kam von Herzen und wir haben
alle gespürt, wie Hans sich gefreut hat,
daß wir da waren.

Dies mußst jetzt erstmal zur Ruhe kommen.
Tina u. Chris mit seiner Familie werden Dir
zur Seite stehen.

Ingrid, Dietlhard, Ute.
Robert, Julia, Lena Paul
Rothmann u. Familie.

Liebe Helga,

auf diesem Wege unser
herzliches Beileid.

Wir denken an euch und
wünschen euch viel
Kraft.

Alles Liebe von

Sebastian, Katharina
und Carotta

„Was man tief in seinem
Herzen besitzt,
kann man nicht durch
den Tod verlieren“

J.W.v. Goethe

Dear von Schweinitz Family,
Hans always seemed a
bit larger than life to
me. I know my parents

*May the thoughts of sympathy
help to ease your pain
at this difficult time.*

greatly enjoyed their
friendship over the years -
the get-together and the
New Year's Day hikes, etc.

Our thoughts are with
you

Doris Heinen & family

Dear Helga and Tina,

I was sad to hear about
Hans passing away and wanted
to let you know my thoughts
and prayers are with you during
this time. Hans lived a full life
and made a lot of courageous
decisions for himself and with you.
He was a formidable man whose
words had a great effect on me,
I am very glad to have known
him and very grateful for the

September 2015

It's so hard to find the right words,
But I hope you'll know somehow,
My sympathy and very warmest thoughts
Are with you now.

friendship that the two of you
offered to our family, and
the help you gave us in times
of need.

My deepest sympathy
and love,
Linda

I have many fond memories of Hans.
Mostly, his bright eyes and inquisitive
nature stand out in my memories. He
always made me feel welcome, and
I appreciated that. And I loved the
stories he sometimes shared about
the many places he adventured in his
life / your lives together.

I hope that your memories of your
best times together make your
hearts feel a little lighter.

Thinking of you and
 sending our love,
 Dana, Dylan +
 Darren

HELGA,
 OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS
 ARE WITH YOU, MAY YOU
 BE COMFORTED BY THE OUTPOURING OF
 LOVE SURROUNDING YOU.
 STEVE, JANET, AND MICHAEL
 FISHER

Hello,

Hans Vonschweinitz
 be good !! my friend.

Axel, kran

Sept. 15

Liebe Helga und Tina,
 lieber Chris,
 eine so traurige Stimme
 schweigt nun für immer.
 Mus bleiben nur die
 lebendigen Erinnerungen.

Mus herzlichste Beileid
 Doris & Wolfgang

Sept 21st 2015

DEAR Helga,

It is with love & sadness we think
 of Hans' passing. We have lots
 of great memories.

We thank you for having us
 as part of your friendship
 circle and we want to see
 you very soon.

You can call anytime & also
 may email me at

ROSEANNECULLOWHICMORROW@gmail.com
 (all lower case) Mary sends her love.
 Roseanne

My sympathy to you and your family on the loss of Hans. I enjoyed reading his interesting obituary. His last years weren't easy.

Sincerely,
Lana Haskabe

Dear Helga,

Wishing you peace and comfort at this most difficult time.

Sincerely with love,
Helen Vodicka

I was sorry to read about Hans' death in the latest GTHS's Journal, and will be remembering you in my thoughts and prayers.

JIM GEORGE 29 Dec 2015

Dear Helga,

I thought your obit of Hans was really touching and a tribute to a most exceptional & worthy man. Thank you for having brought to this country - birth of you.

Jim Aures

Dear Helga,

We were so sorry to hear about Hans and our thoughts and prayers are with you. May your many memories of him keep you close in heart and we pray the Lord will bring you peace. Please know we are thinking of you and the family, you have our deepest sympathy.

In Deepest Sympathy,

Peace & Love,

Matt & Tracy

Jacob, Ryan & Kyle

Liebe Helga,

We are so sorry to hear about Hans' passing. He was shining for the one who will always be in your heart. bigger than life, and led an amazing life with you. I know you will miss him every day. My thoughts and condolences are with you. In tiefen Trauer, Dirk

Liebe Helga,

unser tiefstes mitgefühl
Dir und Deiner Familie

Thorsten

Birgit

Jil

Zoe

Leu

Almann

Helga,

I wish you
comfort & peace
in finding your way
into the next phase of
your life.

Ray Binder

Liebe Helga!

Kupfer, den 30.09.2015

Wir möchten Dir hiermit unser herzlichstes Beileid zum Tod von Hans mitteilen. Der Schmerz ist sicherlich unendlich groß wenn es passiert, weil es auch so endgültig ist. Aber sicherlich war es eine Erlösung für Hans, der in der letzten Zeit nicht mehr so leben konnte, wie er es gewollt hätte. Wir wünschen Dir mit Deiner Familie viel Kraft um den Schmerz und die Trauer zu überwinden. Hans wird uns immer in sehr guter Erinnerung bleiben. Er hat insbesondere mit in meinen jungen Jahren viel gehen können. Die Erlebnisse mit Hans und Euch werden unvergesslich bleiben.

Herzliche Grüße

Thomas, Kristin, Patrick & Sven

Dearest Helga and family -
My heart is with you.
Hans was a fine man.
May he rest in peace.

With deepest sympathy
to you and your family.

Love to you,
Beth

Liebe Helga,

meine Kinder, Schwieger-
kinder und ich haben
in den letzten Tagen oft
über Hans und unsere
Erinnerungen an ihn ge-
sprochen. Jeder hat ihn
auf seine Art als ganz
„speziellen“ Menschen
beschrieben - vor allem sehr
geradlinig und humor-
voll. Als einem solchen
Menschen werde auch ich
immer an ihn denken!

Viel Kraft für
die nächste Zeit
deine Schwester
Reinold

Aug. 6, 2015

Dear Helga,

I'm thinking of you and Hans and hope that all goes as well as can be expected. I know your wonderful attitude, strength and optimism will help you cope with whatever comes.

Marlene told me how much she enjoyed her conversation with you - I know you brighten the days of your family and friends. I hope you get the same in return (I'm sure you do!)

Things on my end are chugging along as usual. I had a trip to the Spoleto Festival in Charleston S.C. in May and spent 5 days in New York City in June. The last week in July was spent at the Traverse City Film Festival. Saw

13 films in 3 days. No time to eat or sleep but we were certainly well entertained. Now I plan to rest up in preparation for Marlene's and my trip to Portugal & Spain.

Our summer has been mostly lovely - even on the hottest days it cools down in the evenings which makes for pleasant walks and sleeping.

Spend much of my time at the health club doing step aerobics, circuit training, strength and stretch training and yoga. Feels like I'd best keep moving or I may never un-stiffen. Actually doing very well all things considered. Now I'm in search of some new interests - something fresh and stimulating. Any suggestions?

My very best to you all!

Marcia

② So, we'll keep you in our prayers every day. Stay strong for each other. Helga and Iria, remember to take care of your selves!! Neither one of you can help each other if you don't.

Love, Joanie

(and David, too!)

Dearest Helga, Hans and Iria -
Just "dropping in" to let you know we are always keeping you in our thoughts and prayers. This is a rough and very difficult journey each of you is on; I wish there were some perfectly magic words I could offer, but I know there are none.



...and in the sympathy
of all of those who care.

Dear

Helga & Family,

Our hearts go out to you!
Even tho it is expected (it is still a huge loss). Hope your memories of Hans will help you find peace.

We love you,

Marlene & Rick

Liebe Helga,

Liebe Bettina, lieber Christopher,

zu dem Tod deines Mannes und eines Vaters sprechen wir euch unser aufrichtiges Beileid aus.

In Gedanken sind wir in dieser schweren Zeit bei euch.

Für Hans war der Zeitpunkt gekommen, aus dieser Welt zu gehen. Da, wo er jetzt ist, wird es ihm gut gehen.

Johann Wolfgang von Goethe schrieb:

„Was man tief in seinem Herzen besitzt, kann man nicht durch den Tod verlieren.“

Es wird die Zeit kommen, dass ihr auch bei der Erinnerung an Hans schmunzeln könnt, bei der Erzählung von kleinen Geschichten oder Anekdoten. Wir wünschen euch, dass diese Zeit bald kommen wird.

Claudia und Stefan mit Luca und Mika

We are thinking of you
and your family.

Love,

Megan, David, Will &
Ruby

Liebe Helga,

zum Tod deines lieben
Mannes Hans spreche
ich dir und deinen Kindern
meine Anteilnahme aus.

Viele Grüße aus Hamburg

Eckhard Altmann

Liebe Helga,

es ist sehr schwer
tröstende Worte zu finden,
wenn sich ein Mensch, der
uns einen großen Teil
unseres Weges begleitet hat,
für immer verabschiedet

Wir trauern mit Dir
und Deiner Familie

Dear Helga,

My thoughts are with
you and your family at this
time of sorrow -

I have such fond memories
of our trips together with friend
ship Force and especially the
the great fun we all had
in Japan - Hans and his
humor kept me laughing
the whole trip.

I shall be out of the
country when you have the
memorial service - My thoughts
prayers are with you -

Love,
Joanne Anselmi

In Sympathy

Dearest Helga & family,

Please accept our deepest
sympathies over the loss of your
Hans! We will miss him greatly.
We were shocked to hear about it.

If there is anything we can
do for you let us know

Love
Carmen and Earl (E.O.) von May

Liebe Helga und Tina,

May you find strength
in the love of family and in the
warm embrace of friends.

Ich bin in Gedanken
bei Euch, denn ich
weiß ja, wie schwer
diese Zeit ist. Hans hat
so schön gesprochen
bei Rolf's "memorial",
er war überhaupt ein
guter Freund für Rolf,
der sonst nicht viele
Freunde hatte. Hans
war halt ein guter Mensch.
Alles Liebe Euch allen,
Annette

Thinking of You

This has been a long,
and difficult journey
for you all - you're
in our thoughts and
prayers, as always,

Love, Joanne (and David,
too!)

Liebe Helga und family,

Wishing you comfort
in the love you knew
and will always know together.

With Sympathy

I pray the love of God
enfolds you during
your journey through
grief.

Love,
Hilde

Doris has told me that Hans' time had come. Well, we knew it was coming, but it must still feel like a great shock. What was really good was that his sister was able to visit him in good time, & that you were able to minister to him in his last weeks. He had enlivened the Stammtisch, & we have been missing him (as well as you!). He was obviously a very talented - & amusing - man. Joanna (who very much enjoyed meeting him years ago) & I send you our condolences, & our very best wishes for a new kind of life now.

August 28th

Martyn

Liebe Helga.
 Wir wünschen Dir und
 Deiner Familie ein
 Herzliches Beileid.
 Eure Katie und
 Dieter

With Heartfelt Sympathy

I will always remember the
 stories Hans would tell and he
 will be missed by many who knew
 him. Our thoughts are with you
 and your family in this time
 of sorrow.

Sincerely,
 Margaret & Herman
 Nitzfeld

I was so glad that I
 met Hans - he was just
 a remarkable guy.
 Let your family support
 you at this time. I know
 how great the loss really is.

With deepest sympathy
 Allen

So sorry for your loss.

We were so sorry to
 learn about Hans.

With deepest sympathy
 Gary & Beth Olivier

Helga,
 Ivan and I were
 saddened to hear of
 Hans' passing.
 Our thoughts are
 with you.

Sam & Ivan

I was so sorry to
 hear about Hans -
 keeping you in my
 thoughts and prayers.

Harje

31. August 2015

Helga,
 Sorry for your loss.

May it help to know
 that others are thinking of you
 and wishing you comfort.

We are always remembering
 Hans.

With sympathy,

Amadeo Lana
 Kempff

August, 2015

Liebe Helga!

Wir und Deine Familie unser herzlichst
 Mitgefühl zum Tode von
 Hans. Ihr habt schlimme Zeiten hinter
 Euch, und Hans wird uns in unserer
 Gruppe fehlen.

Was für ein interessantes und abwechslungs-
 reiches Leben Ihr gehabt habt. Ich
 hoffe, es sind überwiegend glückliche
 Erinnerungen.

In Freundschaft,

Helga + Viktor

... wünschen dir und
 deiner Familie
 ganz herzliche

Doris Jan & Wolfgang

Liebe Helga und Tina!

Words cannot express
the sympathy and hope
this brings to you today.

Gestern hörte ich, daß Hans
von seinem jahrelangen Leiden
erlöst wurde. - Ich will mein
herzliches Beileid ausdrücken
und wünschen Euch viel Trost.
Ich sehe Euch bald und
wünsche Euch in Eurer Trauer,
daß Ihr alles mit Mut und Er-
gebenheit ertragen könnt.
Herzlichst, Edith

SHARING IN YOUR SORROW

In dieser Situation
weiß man nicht immer
was man sagen soll.
Hast Du ein Bild von
ihm? Ich hatte, daß Du
nicht allein bist. Du hast ja
Betтина Gott zu danken!!

Viele Grüße Rein Ige

Helga ~

I send you condolences -
over many losses: Hans,
your sister, the changes we
face in aging
...and because of love, also,
that we will be comforted.

.....

Keeping you close during this sad time.

Please know that I love you
as a good friend and will
always be your friend. I
thank you for years abiding
friendship and I feel for
your losses. Come visit me
in my Breezy Bluff farm -
finally renovated.

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2/
Call when you return from
Germany so we can coordinate
a time to visit again.
I am enjoying the space, the view,
the nature that surrounds me.
I am slowly putting the trauma
of two floods behind me, still
missing Herbert nevertheless.
I got a little Dachshund for a
companion.

Safe journey, till then...

♡ Beth

From: Marlene Ebert <marlene.ebert@icloud.com>
To: Hans and Helga Von Schweinitz <helgavs@aol.com>
Subject: Re: Hans
Date: Fri, Aug 28, 2015 3:28 pm

Very sorry Helga! I know you have been used to the idea for some time but it is still a tremendous loss. I'm glad he is at peace now.

I've been thinking about him and you as we have a friend from church who went into hospice care around the same time as Hans. She passed away this past Sunday.

I hope you will have some peace now too. I'll be in touch.

Love,
Marlene (Dick too)

On Aug 28, 2015, at 3:07 PM, Helga Vonschweinitz <helgavs@aol.com> wrote:

Hans passed away last Wednesday ,8-26-15,. Memorial service will be on Sept. 14. Details later. Helga
Please forward this to Ralph and Werner and Paul.

From: Dietmar Hösel <post@hoeselfilm.de>
To: Helga von Schweinitz <helgavs@aol.com>
Subject: Hans
Date: Sat, Aug 29, 2015 2:08 pm

Hallo liebe Helga,
Tex hat mich angerufen und mir die traurige Nachricht verkündet. Ich möchte Dir mein aufrichtiges Beileid aussprechen. Wünsche Dir viel Kraft für die nächsten Tage und Wochen.
Schicksal hin Schicksal her, so etwas ist immer „Schei...“. Die, die gegangen sind, haben es wahrscheinlich einfacher, als die, die bleiben.

Ganz liebe Grüße
Dietmar

From: Krause, Michael G <michael.krause@austin.utexas.edu>
To: helgavs <helgavs@aol.com>
Cc: 'Charles Locklin' (chlocklin5@austin.rr.com) <chlocklin5@austin.rr.com>
Subject: Hans
Date: Fri, Aug 28, 2015 8:51 pm

Helga,

I am very saddened that we have lost Hans from this life but he is now no longer suffering and in a wonderful place. I express my deepest condolences to you and your family.... I know it will be difficult for some time but we must think of Hans who is now with the lord and remember and celebrate all the wonderful times we had together....

Michael G Krause P.E.

President, German Texan Heritage Society
512-517-8578 Cell

From: Eva Cadima <evacadima@gmail.com>
To: helgavs <HELGAVS@aol.com>
Date: Tue, Sep 15, 2015 1:41 pm

Liebe Helga,

ich habe heute nach langer Zeit von Martyn gehört, leider mit der traurigen Nachricht über Deinen Mann. Ich möchte Dir mein allerherzlichtest Beileid aussprechen.
Ich habe leider auch eine schlechte Nachricht. Mein Mann sollte sich vor kurzem einer "Hip-replacement" Operation unterziehen. Bei einer Voruntersuchung wurde festgestellt, daß er Prostatakrebs hat, sein PSA Wert war sehr hoch. Gestern mußte er allerhand CT-Scans durchmachen, ob es sich nicht verbreitet hat. Jetzt warten wir auf das Ergebnis. Das ist ein schrecklicher Schock für uns. Meine Nerven sind total im Eimer. Es war total unerwartet.

Liebe Grüße,
Eva

From: Rosa Schmid <rosaschmid@hotmail.com>

To: Helga & Hans Von Schweinitz <helgavs@aol.com>

Subject: Hans

Date: Fri, Aug 28, 2015 9:57 am

Helga,
Karl joins me in expressing our extreme sorrow for the loss of Hans. He
will always be remembered. Love,
Karl and Rosa

Sent from my iPhone

Helga,

I just recently found out that Hans had passed. I wanted to let you know how sorry I am. I didn't realize he was so sick. My wife's father had the same disease and I know how horrible that must have been for him. I really did admire Hans and everything he accomplished. I learned a lot from him over the years which helped me in my career. He was a one of a kind and probably mis- understood by some people. I saw through that and realized he had a big heart. I enjoyed my friendship with him and you over the many years. I feel very lucky that our paths crossed. I'm sorry for you and your families loss and hope things get better in the future.

Sincerely,

Geary Louis

Geary Louis

I sent Geary a letter and obituary on July 17, 2016

From: Heinz Fey <lfey@rz-online.de>

To: Helga von Schweinitz <HELGAVS@aol.com>

Cc: hfey <hfey@rz-online.de>; Victoria FEY <Victoriafey@gmx.de>

Subject: HANS !

Date: Thu, Sep 3, 2015 8:23 am

Liebe Helga,

heute Nacht hat uns Tom Rodgers per Email darüber informiert, dass HANS verstorben ist.

Lucia, Vicky und ich möchten Dir und deinen Kindern unser aufrichtiges Beileid bekunden.

Es war für HANS ein langer Leidensweg der nun im Frieden sein Ende hat.

Du hast HANS auf seinem Lebensweg mit viel Liebe und unerschöpflicher Fürsorge begleitet

und die letzten Jahre haben dir viel psychische und physische Kraft abverlangt.

Wir alle, die wir HANS kennenlernen durften, wissen, dass HANS eine Persönlichkeit war,

die mit universellem Wissen und kluger Weisheit seine Mitmenschen positiv beeindruckte.

Sein souveräner Habitus wird stets in bester Erinnerung bleiben, genauso wie die Erlebnisbilder

im Hause eurer Gastfreundschaft.

Wir wünschen DIR, liebe Helga, bestes persönliches Wohlergehen.

Herzliche Grüße,

Lucia, Victoria und TX-Henry

PS: Vicky wird am 4.d.M. schon 21

From: info <info@germantexans.org>

To: 'Helga Vonschweinitz' <helgavs@aol.com>

Subject: GTHS Donors -Hans

Date: Thu, Oct 22, 2015 2:58 pm

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