

Obituary: Roy Kornegay

June 15, 2020

Roy Aubry Kornegay Jr., Texas Baptist minister of education and associational director of missions, died April 6. He was 82.

Obituary: Charlotte Ware

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Charlotte Eddings Ware, a longtime Sunday school teacher and deacon at Cliff Temple Baptist Church in Dallas, died June 5 in Fort Worth. She was 85.

Obituary: James Shields

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James Shields, an influential Texas Baptist religion professor at Howard Payne University and Hardin-Simmons University, died June 3 in Abilene. He was 86.

Obituary: Paula Jeser

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Paula Barry Jeser, who served two decades as executive director of Christian Women's Job Corps in El Paso, died May 19. She was 72.

Obituary: Becky Ellison

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Rebecca (Becky) Lynn Ellison of Waco, Christian Women's Job Corps/Christian Men's Job Corps consultant for Woman's Missionary Union of Texas, died May 16. She was 58.

Obituary: Sam Underwood

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Samuel Eugene Underwood, pastor of First Baptist Church in Farmers Branch more than 29 years, died April 24 at his home in Carrollton after a lengthy battle with cancer. He was 68.

Obituary: Merle T. Basden

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Merle T. Basden of Granbury, longtime Texas Baptist leader in religious education, died April 26. He was 98.

Obituary: Bill Austin

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Bill R. Austin, longtime Texas Baptist pastor and educator, died April 17. He was 88.

Obituary: Santiago Garcia Jr.

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Santiago Garcia Jr., retired pastor/evangelist, died April 3. He was 89.

Obituary: Frank Denton

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Frank Denton, longtime Texas Baptist pastor, development officer and denominational executive, died Feb. 7. He was 93.

Obituary: James Leo Garrett

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James Leo Garrett Jr., distinguished professor of theology emeritus at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, died Feb. 5 in Nacogdoches. He was 94.

Obituary: Louis R. Cobbs

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Louis R. Cobbs of Tyler, a former campus minister who was instrumental in developing Southern Baptists' Missionary Journeyman program, died Feb. 2 in Tyler. He was 94.