Thorndale Ex-Students

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How about this heat? Just plain old hot Texas weather. Sure could use a good rain. Along with the Covid-19 virus and trying to stay home as much as possible, makes for some very long days.

I'm still working on thank you notes so please don't think you are forgotten. So many have been so graciously generous to donate to our organization's scholarship fund. So, so nice.

My sincere thanks to the following for their donations to the Thorndale Ex-Students in memory of my Leroy Olbrich, Class of 1951 who passed away June 24, 2020.

Shirley Roepke Becker, Class of 1955 along with a very sweet card, note and gift certificate. Shirley calls to check in every few days which really helps me keep moving.

Allen and Jean Hejl, Class of 1968 along with several sweet cards before and after Leroy passed. So nice.

Marty and Stacy Irwin, exes parents and exes daughter. Also a sweet card and gift certificate. Marty worked so well with my Jeff, Class of 1981 of Pflugerville while Leroy was still at home and in the ICU.

Jack and Beth Brooks of Taylor, dear friends and exes friend, a really nice donation.

Jimmy and Gracie Schneider Cargill, Class of 1967 plus a sweet card and note.

These notes, cards and donations warm our hearts to the fullest. Words are just not enough to say thanks. We are on our way to a second scholarship in Leroy's name. It would have made him so proud. There were many donations in Leroy's memory made to our church, First United Methodist Church in Taylor and to St. Paul Lutheran Church here in Thorndale. All are so appreciated.

Had a call from dear friend, Bette Lee Graham Youngblood, Class of 1954 of Cameron. She calls to check in every few days. We need to continue to keep her in our prayers as her health issues don't seem to be over.

We had a nice donation to the Thorndale Ex-Students Association from Jean and Allen Hejl, Class of 1968 in memory of the late Helen Locklin Barnes, Class of 1940 of Fair Oaks Ranch, TX. Our thanks to them. Our scholarship fund is thriving thanks to all.

I guess it's the virus, but there is not much news. I'll list a few of our "Lost" exes and it will still be a short one.

Class of 1981: Glen Anders, lost in 2018; Stephen Beasley, lost in 2008; Jimmy Butler, Thorndale; Sharon Cochran Parker, Austin; Danny Maxwell; Sue Ann Towery Burlin, Shiner; and Jonathan Unnasch, lost in 2018.

Class of 1982: Russell Becker, Austin; Susie Flores Garza, Katy; Diane Hargers Yarbrough, Thorndale; Yolanda Hernandez, Thorndale; Mike Hinostroza, Thorndale; Janie Lopez Simank, Thrall; Gerard Perry; Anna Rahf, Germany; Homer Scott Rutledge, Georgetown; and Jackie Scruggs Fillip, Taylor.

If you know the address of any of these folks, we will appreciate a call, e-mail or note to let us know and we will truly appreciate it.

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76577. We love to hear from our exes.