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BNSF Industrial Rail Park lands in Gainesville

In 2019, a 1,000 acre logistics center park was proposed in Sanger

BNSF Railway has recently commenced construction on a new rail connection that will serve the Camp Howze Industrial Rail Park in Gainesville. This park is situated one mile west of Interstate I-35 and four miles north of State Highway 82. Spanning 489 acres, this master-planned development is expected to become one of North Texas' largest rail-served industrial sites, with projections indicating the potential for over 7 million square feet of future industrial development, according to city officials in Gainesville. Camp Howze is recognized as a BNSF Certified Site.

In 2019, BNSF Railway proposed a 1,000-acre logistics center park located between Sanger and Valley View. A logistics park is a fully permitted development designed to facilitate easier access to the DFW area and surrounding markets via new rail-served sites. The proposed site was to stretch from Lone Oak Road to County Road 2411, extending south past Chisam Road on the east side of I-35. At that time, BNSF was negotiating with landowners for the project. The planned logistics park would've spanned two counties, with approximately 60% located in Cooke County and 40% in Denton County. The estimated cost for the project was around \$500 million, with an additional \$40 million earmarked for land acquisition. The project would've fallen within the extraterritorial jurisdiction (ETJ) of Valley View and Sanger. At the time, BNSF hoped that the City of Sanger would annex the purchased property and provide utilities, given its proximity to the Wal-Mart Logistics Center and R&L Carriers Company. Some of the land targeted by BNSF for purchase fell within the Lake Ray Roberts Planning and Zoning area, which is located 5,000 feet from the shoreline of the lake. This could pose zoning challenges for BNSF. However, representatives indicated that the project's site map could change depending on landowner willingness to sell. As a result, it might shift farther west of the lake and slightly further south along the railroad, depending on the land BNSF could acquire. They mentioned that the site plan could be flexible. Ultimately, the project did not materialize, as local landowners were unwilling to sell. Instead, BNSF found a site farther north. On June 18, 2026, community leaders, state officials, economic development partners, and BNSF representatives gathered to celebrate the start of rail construction in Gainesville. This rail connection will directly serve the park, with services expected to commence in the second quarter of 2027 and expand as customer demand grows, as stated by city officials.

BNSF is developing the project in collaboration with Camp Howze Development Partners, the City of Gainesville, the Gainesville Economic Development Corporation, Cooke County, North Central Texas College, and BNSF shippers like Buzzi Unicem Cement, which will be the park's first tenant. The development will also include a more than 30-acre transload facility for truck-to-rail and rail-to-truck operations, along with a planned 200,000-square-foot freight forwarding facility. Together, these assets will provide park tenants with multimodal connections to regional, national, and global markets. Scott Bates, BNSF's Vice President of Economic Development, stated, "This project represents one of BNSF's most significant recent investments in North Texas. By providing modern, ready-to-serve rail infrastructure, BNSF

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and Camp Howze are positioned to accelerate development timelines and attract the type of rail-served industries that strengthen local economies and support long-term growth." BNSF Railway is one of North America's largest freight railroads. Headquartered in Fort Worth, Texas, the company operates a network of approximately 32,500 route miles across 28 U.S. states and 3 Canadian provinces. It has been a wholly-owned subsidiary of Warren Buffett's Berkshire Hathaway since 2010.

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Carol Briggs

December 23, 1933 - July 12, 2026

Carol Biggs 92 formally of Krum, Denton and Sanger passed away Sunday July 12th. She was born Dec. 23, 1933 in Los Angeles Ca. and spent her youth in Utah and finally ended up in Texas. Carol retired from Jostens. She was an avid sower and quilt maker. Her life was spent in service to her family, her savior and to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. She served two full time missions. One to California and later to Alaska.



Carol was preceded in death by her husband Sam Briggs, her parents, 6 siblings and two grandsons.

Carol is survived by daughter Linda Shumate and son in law Brad of Sanger, son Sammy Briggs and his wife Yvonne of Denton, daughter Cathy Gatlin of wherever her van takes her, son Kenneth of Gun Barrel city, son Jerry Briggs and wife Stacie of Sanger and son Brian Briggs and wife Christine of Thousand Oaks CA. She also leaves behind 19 grandchildren, 31 great grandchildren and 4 great great grandchildren.

Visitation will be July 17 from 10-11am at Church of Latter Day Saints, 3000 Old North Road in Denton. The funeral service will follow from 11am-noon. Arrangements are under the direction of Mulkey-Bowles-Montgomery Funeral Home in Denton. Please make condolences at www.mulkeybowles-montgomery.com.

Bruce Wayman Miller, Jr.

July 27, 1946 - July 6, 2026

Bruce Wayman Miller, Jr., 79, of Krum, passed away peacefully on July 6, 2026, with his family at his side. Born in Denton, Texas, on July 27, 1946, Bruce was the son of Bruce W. Miller, Sr. and Milda Mata (Schultz) Miller.

Bruce graduated with the Krum High School Class of 1964 and proudly served our country in the United States Navy. After completing his military service, he continued his education at North Texas State University, earning a Bachelor of Science degree in 1973.

While attending college, Bruce worked for Moore Business Forms. He later spent time in the automotive industry at several dealerships, including Holbert-Wyatt Volkswagen. Bruce eventually joined American Airlines, where he dedicated many years to the electronic ticketing department before retiring.

Bruce had a deep appreciation for western art and movies, and he loved riding his Harley-Davidson. Traveling the West Coast—especially visiting San Diego—brought him great joy. Above all, Bruce cherished time spent with his family. His grandchildren lovingly called him “Pop Pop,” a name he treasured. He delighted in celebrating their birthdays, attending their events, and especially in taking William to the Lego store and building creations together.

He is survived by his loving daughters, Leslie Miller of Euless, TX and Lauren Miller of Bolivar, and grandchildren, Kira Miller and Karsyn Miller of Euless, TX, and William Baldwin III and Caroline Miller of Bolivar, and his ex-wife, Paulette Miller of Bolivar.



Those preceded in his death are his parents, Bruce Wayman Miller, Sr. and Milda Mata (Schultz) Miller.

A visitation was held from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 11, 2026, at Bolivar Baptist Church. Funeral services immediately followed at 2:00 p.m., with Pastor Dickie Amyx officiating.

The family kindly requests memorial donations be made to the Dallas Area Parkinson Society at <https://daps.org> or the Wounded Warrior Project at <https://www.support.woundedwarriorproject.org>.

Please share a memory or offer condolences to the Miller Family at www.cokerfuneralhome.com.

James “Wayne” Calvert

February 11, 1928 - July 9, 2026

James “Wayne” Calvert, 98, of Denton passed away Thursday, July 9, 2026 at Presbyterian Hospital of Denton. He was born February 11, 1928 in Bartonville, Texas to John Martin and Sealie McCleod Calvert. He attended Lewisville Public Schools and graduated from Lewisville High School in 1946. He joined the US Navy after high school and served for two years. He married Doris Maxine DuFree on June 24, 1950 and she preceded him in death on July 21, 2013.

Wayne worked for several auto shops and dealerships in Denton before he went to work with his brothers Marvin and Lewis Calvert in the mid 1950's. His love of cars and motorcycles were influenced by Marvin and Lewis. The Calvert boys were well known around Denton and the surrounding area by racing enthusiasts and a few Highway Patrolmen as well.

Because of his love of racing and autos he decided to specialize and build those high performance engines that made those vehicles go. In the 1963 he opened Wayne Calvert Racing Engines on Dallas Drive. (Also known as “Skunk Wurks” to an elite few.) Eventually the business was renamed Wayne Calvert Precision Engines.

Wayne was well known in the racing circles in Texas and elsewhere. In 1979 he was one of the first 15 inductees into the National Hot Rod Association Hall of Fame. A great honor in the sport of drag racing.

In 1972-73 he became a Mason during which time he did serve as Worshipful Master.

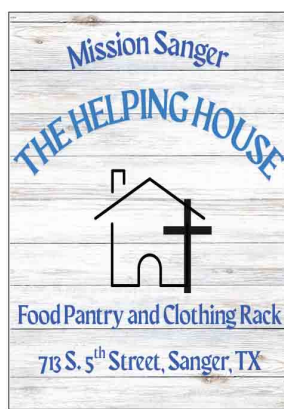
Wayne became a private pilot in the 1970's and learned to fly his brother Lewis' s Cessna 180. He loved flying and taking friends and family up for a ride or an occasional trip to Oklahoma for breakfast. He was also known to use a highway or road for a makeshift landing strip. But as all good things sometimes do this hobby did eventually come to an end at the “gentle” request of his wife Maxine.

He enjoyed deer hunting, fishing and four wheeling with family and friends out in southwest Texas for a number of years. He travelled to France and London with 3 other good buddies in the early 2000s. He paid his respects to those heroes who gave their lives on DDay.

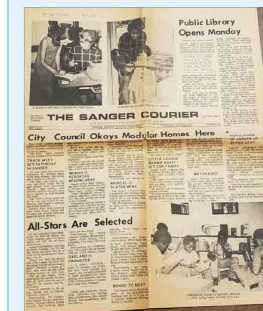
He was a determined and amazing man, son, husband, dad and friend. He worked at his shop up until a week before his passing. He will be truly missed by his family and friends.

He is survived by two daughters, Debbie Calvert of The Colony, and Rhonda Calvert, of Denton; a son, Randy Calvert, of Denton and a granddaughter, Ashleigh Calvert-Bonner of The Colony. Nieces and Nephews: Dian Calvert Miller of Argyle, Alan Calvert of Denton, Mary Calvert Moses of New Braunfels, Linda Robertson Lang of San Antonio, Don Robertson of Denton, Anne Aronowitz Newell of Little Rock, Ark, and Steve Aronowitz of Anken, IA.

Services were under the direction of Bill Deberry Funeral Directors in Denton, TX. Please make online condolences at www.deberryfuneraldirectors.com/



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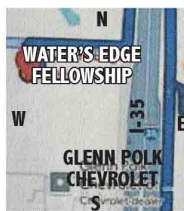


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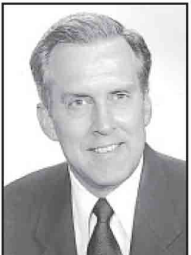
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Debunking five common Social Security myths

Social Security is often one of the most important income sources in retirement. Yet widespread myths about how it works can lead to confusion, unnecessary worry and poor planning decisions. Here's the truth behind five of the most common misconceptions.

Myth 1: Social Security is going broke. You've probably heard this one, but the full picture is more nuanced. According to the 2026 Social Security Board of Trustees Report, if Congress does nothing, the program would need to reduce benefits starting in 2032, paying roughly 78 cents for every dollar owed.

But that's just one scenario. Congress could raise the combined payroll tax from 12.4% to 16.65%, which the trustees estimate would secure full benefits through 2100. Other options include eliminating the earnings cap subject to payroll tax or adjusting retirement ages. Lawmakers have tools to address this.

Myth 2: Social Security will cover all your retirement needs. Think of Social Security as a financial foundation, not the full building. According to the Social Security

Administration, benefits replace only about 40% of pre-retirement income for a median earner. That means you'll likely need to account for most of your retirement income yourself. Building a strong personal savings strategy now can help close that gap.

Myth 3: You lose benefits permanently if you keep working. Not true. Social Security does have an "earnings test" that can temporarily reduce benefits for people who claim early and keep working. If your earnings exceed a set annual cap – which changes each year – Social Security will withhold a portion of your benefits. But once you reach full retirement age, the Social Security Administration adjusts your monthly check higher to repay those withheld amounts over time.

Myth 4: An ex-spouse's benefits come out of your own. If you were married for at least 10 years and are currently unmarried, your former spouse may be eligible to collect on your earnings record, or you may be able to collect on theirs. Divorced spouse benefits can be up to 50% of the other person's full retirement benefit. But those payments don't affect yours. Your monthly benefit is not reduced by anything paid to an ex-spouse or even a cur-

rent spouse.

Myth 5: Social Security benefits are no longer taxed. Recent legislation caused some confusion here. The One Big Beautiful Bill Act did not eliminate taxes on Social Security benefits. If your combined income exceeds certain thresholds, you'll still owe taxes on a portion of your benefits.

The law also created a temporary deduction (available through 2028) for people 65 and older. Eligible taxpayers can deduct \$6,000 per qualifying filer if their modified adjusted gross income is \$75,000 or less for singles or \$150,000 for couples. The deduction phases out at \$175,000 for singles and \$250,000 for joint filers.

The more you understand Social Security, the more control you have over your retirement outcome. Grounding your decisions in facts rather than assumptions can make a meaningful difference in your long-term financial security.

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Nikki Smith is a financial advisor with Edward Jones in Sanger. She can be reached at 940-458-7866.

The Sanger, TX Senior Center will hold a keynote speaker event on July 27, with Judge Andy Eads as the featured speaker.

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When “We’re Fine” Isn’t Fine: 6 Early Signs Couples Need Support



Tiffany Stone, LMFT
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Summer often brings more time together—vacations, kids home from school, family events, and longer evenings. For some couples, that extra time feels like a great time to connect. For others, it exposes the stress that’s been simmering under the surface.

Many couples wait to get help until things feel unbearable. But therapy isn’t only for relationships in crisis. In fact, the earlier couples get support, the easier it is to rebuild connection.

Here are six early signs that it may be time to get help, before resentment consumes the relationship.

1) You’re talking, but not really communicating

You may be discussing schedules, kids, bills, and logistics with your partner, but you’re not talking about feelings, needs, or what’s happening inside.

A relationship can look “functional” while emotional intimacy quietly fades.

2) Conflict is either constant or completely avoided

Some couples fight frequently. Others never fight, but also never address their issues.

Both patterns can signal the same problem: the relationship doesn’t feel safe enough to be honest.

3) You feel more like roommates than partners

This is one of the most common concerns couples share. The relationship becomes a household partnership, not a romantic or emotionally connected bond.

Signs include:

- Little affection
- Minimal quality time together
- Living separate lives under one roof
- “We’re busy” becoming the default explanation

4) Small things trigger big reactions

When your emotional bank account is running low, small frustrations feel huge. A forgotten errand becomes “You never care.” A late text becomes “You don’t respect me.”

Big reactions often point to unmet needs and accumulated hurt.

5) You’re keeping score

Scorekeeping is a fast path to resentment:

- “I always do the dishes.”
- “I’m the only one who plans anything.”
- “You never initiate.”

When couples start tracking who does what, it usually means they don’t feel seen or valued in the relationship.

6) You don’t know how to repair after a disagreement

All couples disagree; you are two separate individuals and you each have your own unique perspectives on the same situation. The difference between healthy and unhealthy relationships is the ability to repair.

Repair looks like:

- Taking responsibility for your part in the situation
- Apologizing without excuses
- Reconnecting after conflict
- Learning what your partner needs to feel safe

If disagreements linger for days, or if

one partner shuts down while the other escalates, therapy can help you build a new pattern.

Why summer can intensify relationship stress

Summer adds pressure:

- Financial stress from travel and activities
- Less routine and more childcare needs with school out
- More time together without intentional connection
- Family-of-origin dynamics during gatherings

The good news is that summer can also be a powerful reset.

A simple “June reset” for couples

Try this for two weeks:

1. 10-minute daily check-in: “How are you really?” How can I help you today?

2. One appreciation per day: specific, not generic. Everyone wants to feel appreciated; it doesn’t need to be reserved for big things, small things count too!

3. One planned connection per week: A short walk together, coffee or tea, porch time

4. One repair skill: “I’m sorry. Here’s what I’ll do differently next time.”

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Watch this quick video for more information on Frankly: You can scan QR, or go to Sanger ISD FaceBook Page and click link.

Please see the flyers for more information on how to get started.

2. Free Summer Counseling Services
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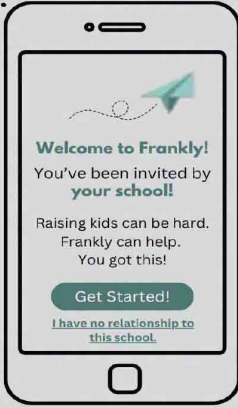
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JULY 28	Back to School Resource Fair, SMS Cafeteria 5:30-7PM	JULY 30	New to SMS & 6th Grade Student Meeting 5:30-6PM SMS Meet the Teacher 6:00-7PM
JULY 29	Chisholm Trail Meet the Teacher 5:30-7PM	JULY 30	LTHS Meet the Teacher 5:30-7PM
JULY 29	SHS Freshman Orientation 5:30-7PM	AUG. 3	First Day of School!

For all you early planners out there, here are some important back-to-school dates to mark on your calendars! Sanger ISD knows you just got out for summer break. But mark these in now and enjoy the rest of your summer!

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- Tuesday, July 21
- Wednesday, July 22
- Thursday, July 23
- 6:30 PM - 7:15 PM
- Tackle Football Camp (2nd-6th Grade)
- Tuesday, July 21
- Wednesday, July 22
- Thursday, July 23
- 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM
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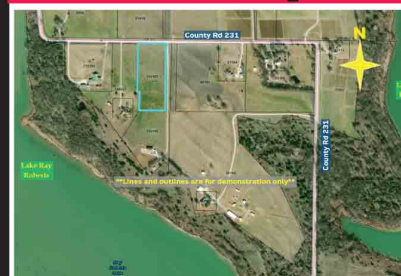
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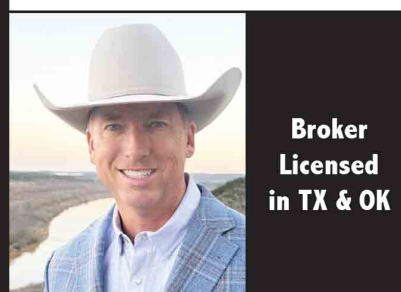
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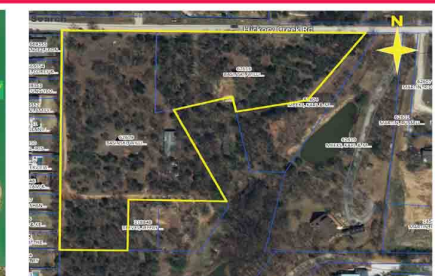
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