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Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

F: = Find A Grave (www.findagrave.org)

NOK = next-of-kin

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TUSCANIA

Landrum, Sidney Earl (Sr.)
1895 TX – 1941 TX



Sidney Earl Landrum Sr. - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/12254526/person/-303082612/media/0c3bbfbf-1e6f-4ba7-bbfa-ea2d559c6bf6>



Sidney Earl Landrum Sr. (front row, right) & his unit in WWI - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/12254526/person/-303082612/media/da819d4b-83cb-4b73-9fd0-212e85a185bd>



https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/12254526/person/-303082612/media/rhusa1850_0003-6078

S. E. LANDRUM.
 S. E. Landrum, 46, resident of Handley the last few years, died Tuesday at the veterans' hospital in Dallas after an illness of one year.
 Mr. Landrum was a World War veteran and a member of the American Legion.
 He is survived by his widow; two daughters, Rosa and Lois Marie Landrum; mother, Mrs. Margaret Crosby, Fort Worth; and a brother, Elmer Landrum, Fort Worth. Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p. m. Wednesday at Handley Methodist Church by Rev. A. W. Franklin. Interment will be in Rose Hill Burial Park.

Obituary of Sidney Earl Landrum Sr. – “Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram” Wednesday 31 Dec 1941 p 15 <https://www.newspapers.com/image/635913361/?article=1c762340-e245-40c6-82a9-e58bb31fd77c&focus=0.36119685,0.3142538,0.48339504,0.41029766&xid=3355>

1. PLACE OF DEATH
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Dallas
CITY OR PRECINCT NO. Dallas Precinct 7 Veterans Administration Facility, Dallas, Texas.
2. FULL NAME OF DECEASED LANDRUM, Sidney E.
LENGTH OF RESIDENCE WHERE DEATH OCCURRED YEARS 2 MONTHS 22 DAYS (SOCIAL SECURITY NO. _____)
RESIDENCE OF DECEASED | STREET Handley CITY Tarrant COUNTY Tarrant STATE Texas
THE DECEASED | AND NO. _____

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
54726

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White
5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (WRITE THE WORD) Married
6 DATE OF BIRTH September 21, 1895
7 AGE YEARS 46 MONTHS 9 DAYS 3 IF LESS THAN 1 DAY _____
8A. TRADE, PROFESSION OR KIND OF WORK DONE Machinist
8B. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH ENGAGED _____
9. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Texas
10 NAME Boland Landrum
11. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Texas
12. MAIDEN NAME Mattie Mitchell
13. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Tennessee
14 SIGNATURE [Signature]
Information taken from official records of Veterans Administration, Dallas TEXAS
15. PLACE OF REMOVAL DATE Handley, Texas December 30, 1941
16 SIGNATURE [Signature]
ADDRESS LAMAR AND SMITH FUNERAL HOME
800 W. Jefferson, Dallas TEXAS

MEDICAL PARTICULARS

17. DATE OF DEATH December 30, 1941
18. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM October 9, 1941 TO December 30, 1941
I LAST SAW HIM ALIVE ON December 30, 1941
THE DEATH OCCURRED ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE AT 10:50 A. H.
THE PRIMARY CAUSE OF DEATH WAS:
Malignancy, intra-abdominal, retroperitoneal, far advanced, with metastases
Massive effusion, right chest
DURATION Since 1936 or 1937
Unknown
IF NOT DUE TO DISEASE, SPECIFY WHETHER: ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, OR HOMICIDE
DATE OF OCCURRENCE _____
PLACE OF OCCURRENCE _____
MANNER OR MEANS IF RELATED TO OCCUPATION OF DECEASED, SPECIFY _____
SIGNATURE [Signature] S.C. NIEMAN, M.D., Clinical Director M.D. COR
ADDRESS Veterans Administration, Dallas TEXAS
20 FILE NUMBER 59 FILE DATE 1/3/42 SIGNATURE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR _____ POSTOFFICE ADDRESS _____

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LANDRUM SIDNEY EARL		C	1 458 238
Pvt 1c Co D 23 Inf 2 Div		K	*
1823 May St Ft Worth Tex		A	1 480 752
Ssn	251 480	Died	12/8/17
		T	435 661
Born	9/21/95	Dallas	R
Enl	12/8/17	Dis	8/16/19
		Cl.	57 454
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Landrum, Sidney		251,480	1
(Surname)	(Christian name)	(Army serial number)	* White * Colored.
Ft Worth		Tarrant	TEXAS
(Street and house number)		(Town or city)	(County)
Residence:		Kountz Tex	Dec 8/17
* Inducted at		on	19
Place of birth: Williamson Co Texas		Age or date of birth:	22 3/12 rs
Organizations served in, with dates of assignments and transfers:			
Co D 23 Inf to disch			
Grades, with date of appointment:			
Pvt 1c1 Aug 12/18			
Engagements:			
Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.			
Served overseas from † Jan 24/18 to † Aug 4/19, from † Aug 16/19 to †			
Honorably discharged on demobilization Aug 16/19, 19			
In view of occupation he was, on date of discharge, reported 0 per cent disabled.			
Remarks:			

Form No. 724-1, A. G. O. Nov. 22, 1919. * Strike out words not applicable. † Dates of departure from and arrival in the U. S.

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CHECK TYPE REQUIRED (See instructions attached)		APPLICATION FOR HEADSTONE OR MARKER (PLEASE MAKE OUT AND RETURN IN DUPLICATE)				ORIGINAL
☒	UPRIGHT MARBLE HEADSTONE	Enlistment dates	June 8, th, 1917		Dec. 8, 1917	
☒	FLAT MARBLE MARKER	Discharge dates	Aug. 16 th, 1919			
☒	FLAT GRANITE MARKER	Pension number	C 1 458 228		251,480	
☐	BRONZE MARKER	Serial number	1-33-154		251,480	
Name		Rank	Company	U. S. Regiment, State Organization, or Vessel	Date of Death	
Sidney Earl Landrum		Pvt, 1/c	Co, D.	23 rd, Inf,	Dec, 30 th, 41	
Name of Cemetery		Located in or near—		If World War Veteran		EMBLEM
Rose Hill		City	State	Division	State	Christian
		Handley,	Tex,	2, nd,	Tex,	Highway
To be shipped to		Velma Lee Landrum		T. & P. R. R. Handley Tarrant, Tex,		None
Whose post-office address is		Handley, Texas		(Give R. R., NAME OF TOWN, county, and State)		
DO NOT WRITE HERE For verification AUG 5 1943 COLUMBUS, MISS. Ordered 17596187 B/L Shipped						
WAR DEPARTMENT O. Q. M. G. Form No. 623 Approved Aug. 12, 1915; May 18, 1931; Feb. 15, 1937; May 1, 1939; July 1, 1949 This application is for a headstone or marker for the UNMARKED grave of a veteran. It is understood the Government STONE will be furnished and shipped freight prepaid at Government expense to you direct, where "Delivery Service" by the railroad is in effect; otherwise to the nearest railroad station or steamboat landing above indicated. The BRONZE marker will be shipped at Government expense by parcel post to consignee direct. I hereby agree to accept promptly the headstone or marker at destination, remove it, and properly place it at decedent's grave at my expense. Applicant: Velma Lee Landrum Address Handley, Texas, Date 12, 19, 42						

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ONE FORT WORTH BOY ON TUSCANIA CABLES "SAFE"

"Quite safe. Landrum."

This cablegram, received at 3 p. m. Saturday, apprised Mrs. M. Crosby, 1823 May street, of the fact that her son, Sidney E. Landrum, was aboard the torpedoed Tuscania and had arrived safely at some port.

Landrum was drafted from Sour Lake, Texas, and left here Dec. 9 for San Antonio, where he underwent preliminary training. He is a mechanic.

The origin of the cablegram was omitted by the censor. It was sent Friday.

"Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" 10 Feb 1918 p 7

Two Veterans of First World War Get Purple Heart

The Purple Heart Medal was awarded to two veterans of World War I Friday night at a joint meeting of Fort Worth posts of Veterans of Foreign War, the awards coming 26 years after the men had performed their deeds of valor. The meeting, attended by auxiliary members, was held at the Odd Fellows Hall, 3202 E Rosedale.

Receiving the awards were Olan D. Rogers of 3209 Grayson and Charles Rupard of 2805 Avenue J. A posthumus award was scheduled to be made to Sidney E. Landrum but Mrs. Landrum was unable to attend to accept it. This award will be made at a later date.

C. L. Bridge, state liaison officer of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, made the presentation.

"Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Saturday 8 Apr 1944 p 12

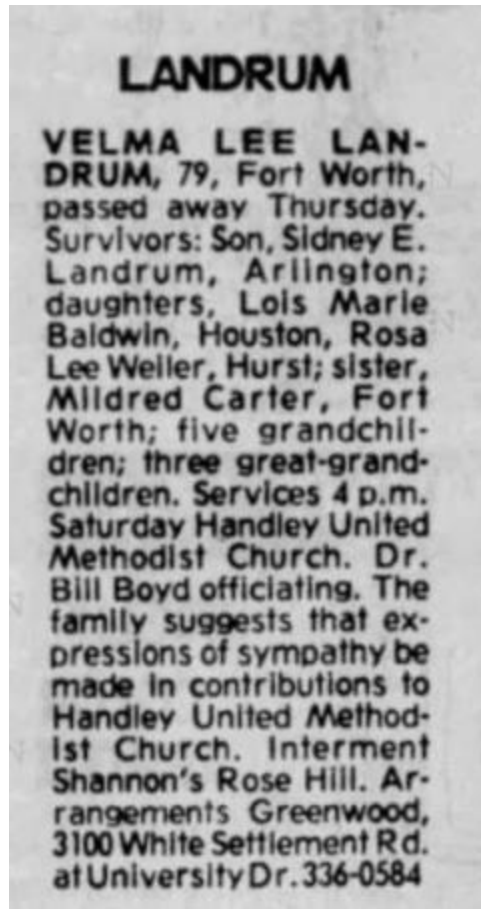
"I am making this presentation in behalf of the United States Government," he said. "It is a small token for the great service you performed in time of need on foreign shores."

Rogers and Rupard were privates in Company C, 359 Infantry, 90th Division. Both were injured in combat. Rogers suffered a leg wound in the battle of St. Mehiel on Sept. 15, 1918. He also took part in the Meuse-Argonne battle. At present he is an employe of the United States Public Health Service Hospital here.

Rupard was wounded in the left arm by a machine gun bullet in the Meuse-Argonne fighting on Nov. 1, 1918. He also took part in the St. Mehiel battle. Rupart is an inspector with the Department of Agriculture.

Landrum suffered a chest injury in the torpedoing and sinking of the United States troop transport Tuscania on Feb. 15, 1918, off the coast of Ireland. He was a member of the Camp Bowie Post, 708.

Wife:



Obituary of wife Velma Lee Cornutt Landrum – “Fort Worth (TX) Star Telegram” Saturday 16 Mar 1985 p 40



Mother Martha Ann Mitchell Landrum Crosby - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/12254526/person/-303082614/media/f16f839f-8d0f-4288-a501-3308ed3b3e30>

MRS. MATTIE CROSBY.

Mrs. Mattie Crosby, 86, of 3300 Forest Park Blvd. was dead on arrival at a hospital Wednesday afternoon after being ill several days.

Mrs. Crosby, a native of Tennessee, had lived in Fort Worth 48 years. She and her husband, the late W. P. Crosby, operated a grocery store in the 3300 block of Forest Park for many years.

After Crosby's death in 1927, his wife continued to run the grocery until 1951.

Survivors are one son, E. L. Landrum of Fort Worth; five sisters, Mrs. Velma Castles, Mrs. Leona Copher and Mrs. Belle Wright of Fort Worth, Mrs. Ella Gary of Colorado and Mrs. Alice Probst of Port Neches; two brothers, Earl Mitchell of Fort Worth and Frank Mitchell of Sourlake, and three grandchildren.

Owens-Brumley will announce funeral arrangements.

2307-02-22070 TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH 420-1 25
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STATE OF TEXAS CERTIFICATE OF DEATH STATE FILE NO. 51928

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY Tarrant		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission.) a. STATE Texas b. COUNTY Tarrant	
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give precinct no.) Ft. Worth		c. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give precinct no.) Ft. Worth	
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION DOA All Saints Hospital		d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) 3300 Forest Park Blvd.	
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print) a. (First) MATTIE b. (Middle) c. (Last) CROSBY		4. DATE OF DEATH October 13, 1954	
5. SEX Female	6. COLOR OR RACE White	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) Widowed	8. DATE OF BIRTH Nov. 11, 1867
9. AGE YEARS 86 MONTHS 11 DAYS 2		10. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) Housewife	
10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Domestic		11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Tennessee	
12. FATHER'S NAME Thomas Mite hell		13. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Mary Montgomery	
14. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) No		15. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. Unknown	
16. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE X R. S. Callaway		17. CAUSE OF DEATH Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c) I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) Coronary Occlusion ANTECEDENT CAUSES *This does not mean the mode of dying, such as heart failure, asthma, etc. It means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death. DUE TO (b) _____ DUE TO (c) _____ II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death. 18a. DATE OF OPERATION _____ 18b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION _____	
19. AUTOPSY? YES ☐ NO ☐		20a. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE (Specify) _____ 20b. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.) _____	
20c. (CITY, TOWN, OR PRECINCT NO.) (COUNTY) (STATE) _____		20d. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year) _____ (Hour) (Minute) _____	
20e. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐ _____		20f. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR? _____	
21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from _____, 19____, to _____, 19____, that I last saw the deceased alive on _____, 19____, and that death occurred at 3:15 P. M., from the causes and on the date stated above.			
22a. SIGNATURE R. S. Callaway		22b. ADDRESS Tarrant Co. Ct. House Ft. Worth, Texas	
22c. DATE SIGNED 10-14-1954		23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) Burial	
23b. DATE October 15, 1954		23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Rose Hill Cemetery	
23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) Ft. Worth		24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE DWENS-BRUMLEY FUNERAL HOME (Winona Zeigler, #3823)	
25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. 2387		25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR OCT 15 1954	
25c. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE Dana Brifford			

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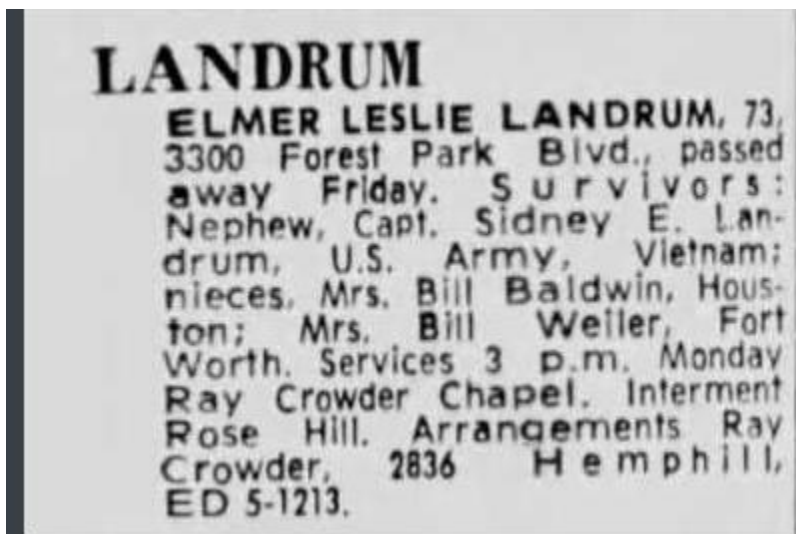
TX death certificate for mother Martha Ann Mitchell Landrum Crosby -
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Siblings:



brother Elmer Leslie Landrum –

<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/12254526/person/-303082611/media/4a62eb20-737b-4546-a495-b7e1e1e9757a>



Obituary of brother Elmer Leslie Landrum – “Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram” 5 Jun 1967 -

<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/12254526/person/-303082611/media/0041f7b1-f277-4e61-bf5d-d9e1e50683fc>

a. COUNTY Tarrant		a. STATE Texas		b. COUNTY Tarrant	
b. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) Fort Worth		c. LENGTH OF STAY in b. 65 yrs.		c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) Fort Worth	
d. NAME OF (If not in hospital, give street address) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION 3300 Forest Park Blvd.		d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) 3300 Forest Park Blvd.			
e. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐		e. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐		f. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES ☐ NO ☒	
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) Elmer Leslie Landrum		4. DATE OF DEATH June 2, 1967			
5. SEX Male		6. COLOR OR RACE White		7. Unknown	
8. DATE OF BIRTH Aug. 13, 1893		9. AGE (In years last birthday) 73		10. IF UNDER 1 YEAR Months 9 Days 19 Hours Minutes 	
11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Texas		12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? United States			
13. FATHER'S NAME A. B. Landrum		14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Martha Mitchell			
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) Yes (If yes, give year or dates of service) WW 1		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 452-24-2894		17. INFORMANT Adney E. Landrum	
18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).) PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) Cerebral Thrombosis DUE TO (b) Arterial Hypertension DUE TO (c) 		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH 3 hrs 5 years			
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I(a)		19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? YES ☐ NO ☒			
20a. ACCIDENT ☐ SUICIDE ☐ HOMICIDE ☐		20b. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of Item 18.) TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REC'D JUN 23 1967 BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS			
20c. TIME OF INJURY Hour a.m. p.m. Month Day Year 		20d. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐			
20e. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office building, etc.) 		20f. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCALITY Fort Worth, Texas			
21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from June 1, 1967 to June 2, 1967 and last saw the deceased alive on June 1, 1967 Death occurred at 6 A.M. on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.		22a. SIGNATURE H. B. King			
22b. ADDRESS Fort Worth, TX		22c. DATE SIGNED June 6, 1967			
23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) Burial		23b. DATE June 5, 1967		23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Rose Hill	
23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) Fort Worth		(State) Texas		24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE Ray Crowder	
25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. 1881		25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR JUN 6 1967		25c. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE Arch S. Braddock	

TX death certificate of brother Elmer Leslie Landrum -

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Children:



Daughter Lois Marie Landrum Baldwin, of Fort Worth TX – 1952 yearbook of Texas Wesleyan College -

https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/1265/images/43135_b168513_00158?pld=359457008

Miss Lois Marie Landrum And Mr. Baldwin Are Wed

Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Baldwin, who were married Sept. 1 in Handley Methodist Church, are residing at 3706 Ave. M after a wedding trip to Galveston.

The bride is the former Miss Lois Marie Landrum, daughter

of Mrs. Velma Landrum, 2720 Janace Lane. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Letsinger of Sonora.

Rev. N. H. Kupferle read the wedding ceremony.

Attending the bride were Miss Rosa Landrum, maid of honor; Miss Lucile Robinson of Newport, Tenn., bridesmaid; Mrs. Don Turner, bridesmatron; and Miss Janie Letsinger of Sonora, junior bridesmaid.

Don Letsinger of Sonora was best man. Groomsmen were Bill Savell and Herb McKee, both of Sonora. Al Letsinger of Sonora and Timmy Baldree lighted the candles.

Sidney E. Landrum gave his sister in marriage. She wore a gown of imported Chantilly white lace over satin, made with a bouffant skirt which extended into a chapel train. Her bouquet was of white split carnations, centered by a purple orchid.

A reception was held in the church parlor. Misses Eleanor Smith, Jean Claiborne, and Mmes. J. P. Robinson, J. E. Spelce, M. C. Funderburk, and T. C. Duncan were in the house party.

The bride attended TWC and the bridegroom attended the University of Texas.



—Taylor Photo.
MRS. WILLIAM L. BALDWIN.

Fort Worth Star-Telegram
Fort Worth, Texas
13 Sep 1956, Thu • Page 33

marriage of Lois Marie Landrum – “Fort Worth (TX) Star Telegram” Sunday 21 Jun 1959 p 48 -

<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/12254526/person/27108114070/media/5724a240-614a-4f4d-b128-decf10cd0080>



Sidney Earl Landrum Jr. 1935-2010 – Find A Grave 54263194



Pair Wed In Church At Handley

Mrs. LaVerne L. Franks and Sidney Earl Landrum were married in Handley Methodist Church at 8 p. m. Saturday. Rev. R. Kenneth Reed performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Lawrence of Atlanta, Texas. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Velma Landrum, 2720 Janice Lane.

Mrs. Victor Gene Thompson was her sister's attendant, and James C. Mangum of Kaufman was best man. Ushers were Billy Wilder of Fort Worth and Wayne Cobb of Arlington.

The bride, escorted by Walter Dixon, chose a gown of aquamarine Chantilly lace. The sheath dress had a slightly belled overskirt from a satin bow at the waistline. She carried a white orchid circled with pink rosebuds and pompons.

After a trip to Monterrey and other points in Mexico, the couple will live at 812 Summit. The couple are with Dun & Bradstreet and he is a graduate of North Texas State University.

Wedding of Sidney Earl Landrum Jr. to LaVerne L. Lawrence Franks on 2 Nov 1963 – "Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Friday 8 Nov 1963 p 15 -

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/640364893/?terms=%22sidney%20earl%20landrum%22&match=1>



Miss Landrum Will Be Married

The forthcoming marriage of Miss Rosa Lee Landrum and William David Weiler IV has been announced. She is the daughter of Mrs. Velma Landrum of 2720 Janice Lane and the late Sidney Earl Landrum. The future bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. David Weiler of 3000 Haynie.

Miss Landrum graduated from Handley High School and attend-

ton and Lynda Jean McMahon. Gene Ray Weiler and Ronald Harrell will light candles. Pamela Sue Weiler will be flower girl and Jerry Harrell, ring bearer.

Ushers and groomsmen will be Dale Woodruff, Charles Sarran of San Antonio, James Copeland of Kenedy, Garth Heithusen of Mission, and George Harris of Three Rivers.

ed the University of Texas. Her fiancé graduated from Handley High School and Victoria College and attended the University of Texas.

The couple will be married at 8 p. m. Aug. 8 in Handley Methodist Church. A reception will be given in the church parlor.

Miss Eleanor Mae Smith will be maid of honor and Douglas Burrage will serve as best man.

Bridesmaids will be Misses Charlene Williford, Carol Strat-

Marriage of daughter Rosa Lee Landrum to William David Weiler IV – "Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Sunday 21 Jun 1959 p 48



ROSA LANDRUM

Allied Youth; Red Cross; D.A.R. Award 55; Press Club; Hi-Light, Co-Editor; Leonard's Star Award; Y-Teen President; Football Queen Nominee; Annual Staff, Layout Editor; N.H.S.; Senior Play; Office Assistant; Future Teachers.

Rosa Lee Landrum – Handley High School (Fort Worth TX) yearbook 1958 -

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Name: Sidney Earl Landrum (Sr.)

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: Camp Travis Det. 1, 165th Depot Brigade - private

Serial number: 251,480

Entered service from: Fort Worth, Tarrant TX

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Sidney E. Landrum

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": mother Mrs. Mattie Crosby, 1823 May St., Fort Worth TX

Returned from war on: "Virginian" Jul 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Sidney E. Landrum

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: mother Mrs. Nettie Crosby, 1823 May St., Fort Worth TX (PFC, Co. D, 23rd Inf.)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Sidney E. Landrum - b. 21 Sep 1895 Williamson TX; res: Sour Lake, Hardin TX. Single. Oil well worker, Producing (?) Oil Co., Sour Lake TX. Tall in height, medium build.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 8 Dec 1917

Discharged 16 Aug 1919

Address: 1823 May St., Fort Worth TX

Rank/unit: private 1st class, Co. D, 23rd Infantry, 2nd Division

TX, WWI service record:

Sidney E. Landrum, serial 251480. Resident of Fort Worth, Tarrant TX. Born Williamson Co. TX.

Inducted into Army at Kountz TX on 8 Dec 1917 at age 22 years, 3 months. In Co. D, 23rd Infantry to discharge. Promoted to private 1st class 12 Aug 1918. Overseas 24 Jan 1918 to 4 Aug 1919.

Discharged 16 Aug 1919. 0% disabled.

Birth & death:

Born: 21 Sep 1895 Williamson Co. TX

Died: 30 Dec 1941 Dallas Co. TX

Find A Grave record: 8540411 – presence on Tuscania indicated in text

Burial location: Fort Worth, Tarrant TX

Cemetery: Shannon Rose Hill Memorial Park

Tombstone: veteran tombstone: Texas Pvt. 1 Cl 23 Inf 2 Div

Father: A. Boland Landrum, 1861 TX [or AL?] – 8 Sep 1900 Bolivar Peninsula, Galveston Co. TX. Son of Azariah Kimbro Landrum & Martha Ann Tudor. A casualty of the deadliest natural disaster in US history, the hurricane that hit Galveston TX on 8 Sep 1900. Casualty counts range from 6,000 to 12,000, with many sources citing 8,000 deaths. – Newspaper accounts indicate a “B. Landrum” & his wife & 5 children died in this hurricane at Bolivar (“Houston Post” Wednesday 26 Sep 1900 p 5) or at Patton, a Beaumont summer resort on the beach (“Liberty [TX] Vindicator” Friday 21 Sep 1900 p 1]. Noted on the Galveston Hurricane of 1900 Memorial, Galveston, Galveston TX.

Find A Grave: 145040157

Mother: Martha Ann (“Mattie”) Mitchell Landrum Crosby, 11 Nov 1867 Granville, Jackson TN – 13 Oct 1954 Fort Worth, Tarrant TX. Daughter of Thomas Calhoun Mitchell & Mary Evelyn Montgomery. Following A. Boland Landrum’s death, Martha married William P. Crosby, a grocer.

Buried in Shannon Rose Hill Memorial Park, Fort Worth, Tarrant TX.

Find A Grave: 25403819

Parents’ marriage: 28 Jul 1891 Gillespie Co. TX.

Spouse: Velma Lee Cornutt Landrum, 4 Nov 1905 – 14 Mar 1985. SSN 466-12-94823. Daughter of John Isaiah Cornutt & Rosa Lee Jones (1884-1963). Buried in Shannon Rose Hill Memorial Park, Fort Worth, Tarrant TX.

Spouse Find A Grave: 87095950

Marriage: license on 15 Jun 1933 Sebastian Co. AR

Children:

- Sidney Earl Landrum Jr., 5 Oct 1935 Handley, Tarrant TX – 26 Jun 2010 Arlington, Tarrant TX. Graduate of the University of North Texas; master's degree from Central Michigan University. Member of the National Guard for several years. Served 21 years in the US Army, retiring in 1984 as a lieutenant colonel. Served 2 tours of duty in Vietnam, taught at Trinity University in San Antonio & at the Command & General Staff College in Fort Leavenworth KS. – Husband of Gracie Laverne Lawrence Franks, who survived him. "Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Friday 1 Nov 1963 p 25 – marriage license: Sidney Earl Landrum, 2720 Janice Ln. & Gracie LaVerne Franks, 812 Summit Ave., Apt. 1. Survived by daughter Linda Falke & her husband Jeffrey & son (Dr. William Dale Franks). Survived by 2 sisters: Lois Baldwin & Rosa Lee (Mrs. Bill) Weiler. Buried in Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery, Dallas, Dallas TX. F: 54263194
- Lois Marie Landrum Baldwin, 5 Apr 1934 Tarrant Co. TX – 2018. Married William Lee Baldwin (1934-1987) on 1 Sep 1956; divorced 4 Dec 1980 Harris Co. TX.
- Rosa Lee Landrum Weiler, 30 Apr 1940 Tarrant Co. TX - . The 1940 census was conducted 1 May 1940; she was not listed. Graduate of Handley High School, Fort Worth TX in 1958. Married William David ("Bill") Weiler IV on 4 Aug 1959 in Tarrant Co. TX.

Siblings:

- Elmer Leslie Landrum, 13 Aug 1893 Shelby Co. TX – 2 Jun 1967 Fort Worth, Tarrant TX. WWI veteran. Listed as A.L. Landrum in the 1920 census. Buried in Shannon Rose Hill Memorial Cemetery, Fort Worth, Tarrant TX. F: 8540410

Notes:

Pre-war:

1907 Fort Worth TX city directory:

Landrum, Mattie (widow of A.B.), boardinghouse, 201 Peach

Wartime:

"Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Saturday 9 Feb 1918 p 5 – S.E. Landrum on board, former supply manager with the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway at Fort Worth, resident of 1908 Olive Ave.

"Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Tuesday 11 Jun 1918 p 12 – one of the 53 mothers whose sons are in France who are attending the Chamber of Commerce Lecture is Mrs. Mattie Crosby, mother of Sidney E. Landrum, 33rd Infantry -

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/634403138/?terms=%22sidney%20e%20landrum%22&match=1>

Post-war:

1943 Fort Worth TX city directory

Crosby, Martha (widow of William P.), grocer, 3306 Forest Park Blvd., resident 3302 same [Martha operated the couple's grocery store after her husband died]

Obituary:

Social Security number: 430-03-5123

Censuses:

1900 Austin, Travis TX – E. 5th St. – conducted 8 Jun 1900, A. Boland Landrum is killed 8 Sep 1940 in Galveston hurricane

Mattie Landrum, 32 TN, Nov 1867, parents b. TN, married, gave birth to 3 children, 2 are living

Elmer L., 6 TX, Aug 1893, father b. TX, mother b. TN

Sidney, 4 TX, Sep 1895, father b. TX, mother b. TN

1910 Fort Worth, Tarrant TX

Thomas C. Mitchell, 48 TN, parents b. TN, married 48 years, farmer

Mary, 61 TN, parents b. TN, gave birth to 12 children, 11 are living [wife\

Fannie, 30 TX, parents b. TN, dressmaker [daughter]

Earl, 23 TX, parents b. TN, custom tailor [son]

& grandsons:

Elmer LANDROM, 17 TX, father b. AL, mother b. TN, sausage maker

Sidney LANDROM, 15 TX, father b. AL, mother b. TN

1910 Fort Worth, Tarrant TX – his mother & 2nd husband

Will P. Crosby, 42 MS, in 2nd marriage, married 2 years, merchant, groceries

Mattie, 42 TN, in 2nd marriage, gave birth to 3 children, 2 are living

Robert L., 37 MS, in 1st marriage, married 7 years, barber, shop [brother]

Laura, 23 TX, in 1st marriage, gave birth to 1 child, 1 is living [sister-in-law]

1920 Fort Worth, Tarrant TX – 278 May St.

A.L. [E.L.?] Landrum, 26 TX, single, father b. TX, mother b. TN, grocery store [head of household]

Mattie Crosby, 52 TN, married, parents b. TN [mother]

Lenora Crosby, 32 TX, widow, father b. TX, mother b. TN [sister]

Juanita Crosby, 15 OK, father b. MS, mother b. TX [niece]

Sidney Landrum, 24 TX, single, parents b. TX, mechanic, piping [brother]

Fred Montgomery, 28 TN, single, parents b. TN, pressman, newspaper [cousin]

1930 Precinct 1, Stephens Co. TX

Sidney E. Landrum, 34 TX, parents b. US, single, laborer, oil field, WWI veteran, boarder with:

John H. & Edith K. Massey

1940 Tarrant Co. TX – same house in 1935 – conducted 30 Apr 1940, daughter Rosa Lee b. 1 May 1940

Sidney E. Landrum, 44 TX, engineer, apartment buildings

Velma L., 34 AR

Lois Marie, 6 TX

Sidney E. Jr., 4 TX