Obituaries

Donald Atkinson, 87, died Sept. 25, 2024, in Beverly Hills, Fla. The former Europe Region district manager retired in 1993.

Walter H. Baynard, 58, died Sept. 29, 2024, in Fort Worth, Texas. He was an eCommerce system analyst.

Daniel J. Bolling, 83, died Oct. 2, 2024, in Grand Prairie, Texas. The former HQ business associate retired in 2011.

Melva J. Brown, 91, died Oct. 1, 2024, in College Station, Texas. The former HQ office assistant retired in 2006.

Crystal J. Carron, 58, died Sept. 28, 2024, in Peck, Kan. She was a McConnell Air Force Base Exchange customer experience associate.

Joyce L. Childress, 87, died Oct. 4, 2024, in Clarksville, Tenn. The former Fort Campbell Exchange services business manager retired in 2006.

Barbara S. Ciebien, 95, died Sept. 27, 2024, in Arlington, Texas. The former Human Resources director of Southwest Region headquarters retired in 1998.

Yvonne K. Dittmer, 93, died Oct. 1, 2024, in Danville, Ind. The former HQ operating accountant retired in 1994.

Hazel M. Garton, 98, died Sept. 18, 2024, in Columbia, Mo. The former Fort Riley Exchange Military Clothing store manager retired in 1982.

Michael G. Gissendanner, 50, died Oct. 23, 2024, in Navarre, Fla. He was an Eglin Air Force Base Exchange warehouse worker foreman.

Brenda J. Goldsmith, 80, died Oct. 06, 2024, in Daleville, Ala. The former Fort Rucker (now Fort Novosel) Exchange reorder associate retired in 2004.

Alan Grossman, 87, died Oct. 17, 2024, in Palm Coast, Fla. The former Heidelberg Exchange general manager retired in 1992.

Myrtle Hackey, 90, died Oct. 4, 2024, in Memphis, Tenn. The former Eaker Air Force Base Exchange retail supervisor retired in 1990.

Alice K. Hearn, 90, died Sept. 20, 2024, in San Antonio, Texas. The former Co-op Advertising Branch lead accounting technician retired in 1990.

Ada A. Huffman, 86, died Oct. 04, 2024, in Axtell, Texas. The former HQ supervisory engineering budget assistant retired in 1992.

Josephine Johnson, 62, died Oct. 01, 2024, in Seguin, Texas. She was a Fort Cavazos Exchange customer experience associate.

Aftab A. Khan, 68, died Sept. 29, 2024, in Germany. The former Grafenwoehr Exchange food court manager retired in 2019.

Brenda B. King, 74, died Oct. 6, 2024, in Waynesville, mo. The former Fort Leonard Wood Exchange supervisory store associate retired in 2005.

Elisa Lovelace, 90, died Sept. 24, 2024, in Madrid, Spain. The former retail operations clerk retired in 1992.

Antonio C. Martinez, 82, died Sept. 4, 2024, in San Antonio, Texas. The former Joint Base San Antonio-Fort Sam Houston Exchange senior store associate retired in 2002.

Gwendolyn L. Mason, 83, died Oct. 3, 2024, in Stockbridge, Ga. The former Keesler Air Force Base Exchange sales associate retired in 1997.

Arturo D. Mejia, 83, died Sept. 17, 2024, in Buena Park, Calif. The former Los Angeles Consolidated Exchange office assistant retired in 2011.

Nestor J. Miraflor, 67, died Oct. 26, 2024, in Suitland, Md. The former Joint Base Andrews reorder assistant retired in 2011.

Nilda A. Molina Martinez, 95, died May 15, 2024, in Bayamon, Puerto Rico. The former Puerto Rico Exchange sales associate retired in 1985.

Alrahim A. Muhammad, 65, died Sept. 20, 2024, in Morrow, Ga. The former Southeast Distribution Center forklift operator retired in 2013.

Carolyn D. Niette, 64, died Sept. 25, 2024, in Leesville, La. The former Fort Polk (now Fort Johnson) Exchange store manager (branch/gas) retired in 2014.

Melencio G. Paguio Jr., 57, died Oct. 08, 2024, in Tachikawa, Japan. He was a Yokota Air Base Exchange baker foreman.

Ward G. Parks, 81, died Sept. 18, 2024, in Irving, Texas. The former Operation Support Center associate retired in 1993.

Evelyn K. Reese, 100, died Oct. 13, 2024, in Dallas. The former HQ executive secretary retired in 1986.

Ellen M. Sasser, 90, died Sept. 19, 2024, in Iowa Park, Texas. The former Sheppard Air Force Base Exchange reorder associate retired in 1994.

Joanne Snethen, 86, died Sept. 26, 2024, in Suffolk, Va. The former JBLE-Fort Eustis Exchange shift manager retired in 1994.

Norris E. Stapleton, 86, died Sept. 21, 2024, in Prattville, al. The former HQ associate retired in 1995.

Willie H. Thomas, 72, died Sept. 2, 2024, in Lancaster, Texas. The former financial strategic business group customer contact technician retired in 2020.

Kyoko Triche, 92, died Aug. 27, 2024, in Flower Mound, Texas. The former Joint Base Saan Antonio-Fort Sam Houston Exchange retail supervisor retired in 1992.

Terry I. Tupai, 64, died Sept. 23, 2024, in Cibolo, Texas. The former Hawaii Area Exchange Area Loss Prevention manager retired in 2011.

Elias Uriegas, 83, died Oct. 13, 2024, in San Antonio, Texas. The former San Antonio Exchange Loss Prevention manager retired in 2006.

Manuela A. Vela, 88, died Sept. 19, 2024, in Fort Walton Beach, Fla. The former Eglin Air Force Base Exchange annex manager retired in 1996.

Stefani J. Wickersham, 39, died Oct. 14, 2024, in Garland, Texas. She was an HQ business analyst.

Charles E. Williams, 86, died Oct. 29, 2024, in San Antonio, Texas. The former Joint Base San Antonio-Fort Sam Houston Exchange store associate retired in 2006.

Seretha A. Williams, 81, died Oct. 15, 2024, in Augusta, ga. The former Fort Gordon (now Fort Eisenhower) Exchange shift manager retired in 1992.

Transfers

Nelly A. Acosta-Alvarado – services business manager, Little Rock Air Force Base Exchange, to services business manager, Fort Eisenhower Exchange

Brenda L. Christian – main store manager, Joint Region Marianas-Andersen Area Exchange, to general manager (dual), Kirtland Air Force Base Exchange

Christopher A. Costella – store manager (branch/gas), Luke-Williams Air Force Base Exchange, to store manager (branch/gas), JBLE-Fort Eustis Exchange

Mahleewan Harlow – services business manager, Nellis Air Force Base Exchange, to services business manager, Joint Base Lewis-McChord Exchange

Ryan Homler – Military Clothing store manager, Fort Novosel Exchange, to main store manager, Eglin Air Force Base Exchange

Leslie W. Leibenguth III – Military Clothing store manager, Fort Stewart Consolidated Exchange, to operations manager, Grafenwoehr Exchange

Jessica D. Lynch – sales & merchandise manager, USAG Humphreys Exchange, to general manager (dual), Kunsan Exchange

Desiree Miller – main store manager, Aviano Exchange, to main store manager, Schofield Exchange

Kyle C. Omler – general manager, Minot Air Force Base Exchange, to main store manager, Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland Air Force Base Exchange.

Megan M. Rall – general manager, Denver Exchange, to main store manager, USAG Humphreys Exchange

Bryan C. Smith – general manager, Kunsan Exchange, to general manager, Korea Northern Exchange

Reatha C. Stockton – sales & merchandise manager, Fort Cavazos Exchange, to general manager, Minot Air Force Base Exchange

Dina F. Young – Loss Prevention Manager III, Fort Carson Exchange, to Loss Prevention Manager III, Joint Base Lewis-McChord Exchange

Retirements

Chomae Ashford, Joint Base Charleston, 24 years

William H. Brooks Jr., Davis-Monthan Air Force Base, 36 years

Carmen C. Carr, Human Resources, 20 years

Joaquin B. Dueñas, Nellis Air Force Base, 23½ years

Christopher S. Fincke, Joint Base Lewis-McChord, 30 years

Tonya K. Freeman, Human Resources, six years

Stephan L. Gibeau, U.K. Consolidated Exchange, 20 years

Sherry M. Harmon, Nellis Air Force Bae Exchange, 31 years

Fred E. Killinger Jr., Carlisle Barracks Exchange, seven years

Ronald A. Porter, White Sands Missile Range Exchange, 25 years

Mildred Rivera, Puerto Exchange, eight years

Cynthia J. Ruscetta, Davis-Monthan Air Force Base Exchange, 18 years

Wendy J. Shickles, Fort Leonard Wood Exchange, 20 years

Neal A. Smart, Lakenheath Exchange, 30 years

Rebecca L. Spencer, Fort Sill Exchange, 25 years