**Ryan Pennington** and his wife, **Crystal ’06 (Simpson)**, were married in June 2006. The newlyweds live at 800 Link Drive, Apt. 1708, Duncanville, Texas 75116-2682. E-mail: penningtonrc@yahoo.com

**Brooke Webster** competed in the 2006 Miss Texas Pageant as Miss Houston. Brooke was named third runner up and was the overall interview winner. She resides at 211 Cresthill, Waco, Texas 76705-1215. E-mail: txwwebster@aol.com

**MARRIAGE**

- Brandon and Laura ’99 (Sibley) Denning
  - August 26, 2006
- Clifton ’05 and Maggy Mu-Chieh ’05 (Chen) Coufal
  - August 12, 2006
- Rath ’06 and Sharyl ’06 (West) Loeung
  - June 10, 2006
- Ryan ’06 and Crystal ’06 (Simpson) Pennington
  - June 3, 2006

**NEW ARRIVALS**

- Michael ’06 and Valerie Torres
  - August 5, 2006

**NEW ARRIVALS**

- Richard and Cindy ’88 (Boles) Johns
  - Andrew Michael Luke Johns
  - June 20, 2006
- Michael ’96 and Becky ’97 McMinn
  - Aidan Elijah Landry McMinn
  - August 22, 2006
- Ryan and Julie ’99 (Arnold) Snapp
  - Emery Suzanne Snapp
  - March 20, 2006
- Marty and Keri ’00 (Speer) Claiborne
  - Isaiah Thomas Claiborne
  - August 18, 2006
- Jon ’00 and Courtney Spurger
  - Kennedy McHugh Spurger
  - September 27, 2006
- Paul ’00 and Karen Thorogood
  - Anna Marie Thorogood
  - July 13, 2006

**NEW ARRIVALS**

- Joey ’01 and Sarah Beeson
  - Zoe Claire Beeson
  - January 2006
- Leonard ’01 and Erna Sumali
  - Caitlyn Arlena Sumali
  - August 11, 2006
- Trey and Stacy ’02 (Wright) Kazee
  - Aubren Elise Kazee
  - June 12, 2006
- Roy and Carrie ’04 (Summers) Hobbs
  - Chrysta Alexis Hobbs
  - July 5, 2006
- Jason and Brooke ’04 Mann
  - Jenna Kathryn Mann
  - May 1, 2006

**IN MEMORIAM**

- Lena Luellen (Lewis) Gage ’40
  - October 1, 2006
- Carol (Jackson) Kunkel ’55
  - October 15, 2006
- Janice Lanette Cox ’73
  - October 12, 2006

**in memory**

**January 3, 1913 - October 9, 2006**

**DR. FRED WHITE**

The Dallas Baptist University family mourns the passing of Dr. Fred White. One of the founders of the institution and its strongest supporter over the years, Dr. White embodied a life of servant leadership and devotion to the Kingdom of God. He was born on January 3, 1913, and passed away on October 9, 2006, at the age of 93.

A native Texan, White served in numerous churches prior to being called as pastor of First Baptist Church of Duncanville in 1948. In 1955 he was named pastor of First Baptist Church of Carrollton.

Beginning in the early 1960s, Dr. White and other Baptist leaders in the Dallas area began to explore ways in which to begin a Baptist university in the Dallas area. In 1963, the leaders approached Decatur Baptist College (established in 1898) to inquire about moving the college to a new location in southwest Dallas. The Decatur leadership agreed, and in 1965 the doors opened at Dallas Baptist College.

The original freshman class in 1965 was recruited by Dr. White, who was appointed as chairman of the religion and philosophy department, the forerunner of today’s Mary C. Crowley College of Christian Faith. In addition to his role as professor, he also served in various administrative roles, including twice being named as interim president.

In 1985, Dr. White officially retired from full-time service at DBU, but his presence never left the campus. He maintained an office on campus and continued to work as a distinguished adjunct professor of Christian faith until he fully retired in 2002.

Dr. Fred White was preceded in death by his son, Fred, Jr., and his wife of 67 years, Mary Lou, who passed away in 2005. He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, Dr. Bill and Vicki White, and his daughter, Mary Helen Atkins, as well as three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.