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## Services Held For John T. Cosgrove

Funeral services for John T. Cosgrove, age 37, of Palestine were held Sunday, February 28 in Bailey & Foster Chapel with Rev. M.T. Blackmon officiating. Burial followed in McCarter Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Bailey & Foster, Palestine.

Pallbearers were Kirk Shultz, Bryan Graham, Mike Herrington, Timothy Strubell, Tim Strubell and Bryan Nickell. Honorary pallbearers were Keith O. Cosgrove and Shannon Spencer.

Mr. Cosgrove died Thursday, February 25, 1999 at his residence. He was born on September 28, 1961 in Houston. He graduated from Palestine High School in 1980. Mr. Cosgrove a veteran of the U.S. Army. He was employed at Wal-Mart Warehouse for seventeen years. Mr. Cosgrove had graduated from Trinity Valley Community College with honors in nursing. He was employed as a registered nurse at the Michael Unit of Texas Department of Corrections. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his mother, Neva Morris of Houston; his father, Frank Cosgrove of Houston; his grandmother, Hazel Blackmon of Palestine; one daughter, Gwendolyn Cosgrove of German; one son, Wayne David Cosgrove of Germany; two sisters, Kinnie Strubell of Spring and Nikkie Graham of Santa Fe, Texas; two brothers, David Cosgrove of LaPorte and Keith Cosgrove of League City; and a special friend, Tena Redd of Palestine.

If desired memorials may be made to the McCarter Cemetery Association.

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