

ISLEY—Jeffrey Scott, 32, of NY on September 23rd from AIDS. Graduate of Notre Dame, architect at Butler, Rogers, Baskett. Companion of Eamon Cahill. Son of Harriette C. Isley, brother of Janice Seacat, James Isley, Stephen Isley and Juanita Roberts, all of Tulsa, Oklahoma. A memorial service will be held for friends later.

John Isaacs

John Clyde Isaacs, 47, formerly a lawyer with the U.S. Department of Labor, died on Wednesday, January 20, 1993 at his home in Arlington, Virginia, of complications associated with AIDS, according to his friend, John Schappi of Washington, D.C.

Isaacs's law career began in 1980, when he became an attorney adviser at the Labor Department. He left the department in 1987 as a supervisor in order to work in general litigation at the Internal Revenue Service. Isaacs returned to the Labor Department in 1989, once again assuming the position of supervisor, according to Schappi. Isaacs retired last year.

Born in Atlanta, Ga., Isaacs was raised in Cheshire, Conn. He attended Yale University from 1962 to 1964 and then enlisted in the Navy, where he was trained in ordnance electronics. He served two tours of duty in Vietnam and was honorably discharged as a petty officer second class after four years of service, according to Schappi.

Isaacs came to the D.C. area to attend St. John's College in Annapolis, Md. In 1972 he earned a bachelor's degree, graduating *magna cum laude*, Schappi said. After his graduation Isaacs moved to D.C. and taught science for three years at the Sidwell Friends School in D.C. Then he enrolled in the Georgetown University Law Center, where he received his law degree in 1978. Isaacs moved to Arlington two years ago.

Isaacs's interests included classical and



rock music, sports cars, and taking vacations to Fort Lauderdale, Fla. He also enjoyed visiting Baltimore, Md., where he spent many weekends and made numerous friends, Schappi said.

In addition to Schappi, Isaacs is survived by his parents, Edward and Barbara Isaacs of Cheshire, Conn.; two brothers, Edward of Milford, Conn.; and Richard of Wallingford, Conn.; one sister, Linda Northrop of Wallingford; and five nieces and nephews.

A memorial service was held in D.C. on Jan. 25.

W. Benjamin Incerti

W. Benjamin Incerti, Boston AIDS activist, photographer, and co-owner of Hollywood Hair Salon, died May 13 at age 41 due to complications from AIDS.

As he wished, Benjamin's last days were spent in the home he shared in the South End with Bob Sessions, his companion of close to 20 years. At his bedside at the time of his death were his lover Bob; his mother, Mrs. Angela Incerti of Cromwell, CT; and his brothers John of Santa Barbara, CA, and Nicolas of Essex, CT.

Benjamin will be remembered by his family and friends for his strong convictions and courage in fighting AIDS as a member of ACT UP Boston and the People With AIDS Coalition. Shortly before his death, he appeared in a videotape produced by ACT UP lobbying for compassionate use of the experimental drug TAT gene inhibitor.

As a photographer, he documented the struggle for development and early release of new AIDS drug therapies that showed potential. His photos chronicling AIDS activism were included at shows at Boston's



Museum of Fine Arts, UMass/Boston, and in a one-man exhibit in the Gallery of the Boston Public Library.

His other great love was his time spent at the Hollywood Hair Salon on Beacon Hill, which he co-owned for over seven years with his friend Jim Wilson.

Benjamin's love of life, his courage and strength will endure in the hearts of all who loved him.

IJULA—Joseph R. On March 19, 1992. Beloved son of Mildred and Joseph, Sr., devoted brother of Barbara and Denise, loving uncle of five nieces and nephews. Friends may call at Frank E. Campbell, 1076 Madison Ave, at 81 Street, Monday 2-5 and 7-9 P.M., with funeral service Tuesday, 11:30 A.M. Donations in his memory may be made to GMHC, 129 West 20th St., New York City 10011. 92

IRACLEDES—Vasilis. New York City Opera sadly announces the death of our good friend Vasilis Iracleides on March 10 from complications from AIDS. Vasilis was born 47 years ago in Peristeri, Greece, and was a member of our corps de ballet from 1974-1988. He was a gifted artist and a generous and joyous colleague. His passing will leave an empty space in our lives for a long time. Our deepest sympathies go to his family and his many friends. Vasilis' longtime companion was the late dancer Bill Carter. Per Vasilis' wishes, there will be no funeral service. Contributions may be made in his memory to the AGMA Relief Fund, 1727 Broadway, New York, New York 10019.

1992 Christopher Keene, General Director

IFCHER—Joel B., 53, on August 7, 1992, of complications of AIDS. Born on March 12, 1939 in Brooklyn, New York. Survived by Brian Kong, companion, and sons, John D. and Daniel M. Also survived by a brother, Stanley of North Woodmere, NY and a sister, Suzanne of Mill Valley, CA, and other relatives. A memorial service for the deceased, who was an attorney and an active member of Front Runners NY, the Paul Rappaport Foundation, and the Gay Fathers' Group I, will be held at 2 P.M., on Monday, August 10, at "The Riverside," 75th Street and Amsterdam Ave. No flowers or gifts please. Contributions may be made to the following charities: Gay Mens Health Crisis Inc. (GMHC), People With AIDS Coalition (PWAC), GLAAD and PFLAG.

INGRASSIA—John G. On April 18, 1993. Beloved son of John and Shirley, loving brother of Sherry Georgatos, Diane LaSpina, Debbie Corvelli and Susanne Ferrara. Longtime companion of Lee Mercado. Also survived by 9 nieces and nephews. Reposing at the Frederick Funeral Home of Flushing, corner of Northern Blvd. and 193 St. Funeral Mass Wednesday, 9:45 AM, at St. Mary's Nativity RC Church, Flushing.

INNES—John Robert IV, 29, designer, died Monday, May 17, 1993. Beloved son of Kathy Cirillo and brother of Christopher Cirillo, both of Woodland Hills, CA, beloved friend of John Loring and cousin of Sheila Schmidt, both of NYC. Johnny brought so much into all our lives. Friends may call at Frank E. Campbell, 1076 Madison Ave at 81st St, Thursday 5-8 PM. Funeral services will be held at St. Ignatius of Antioch Episcopal Church, at West End Ave and 87th St (entrance on 87 St), NYC at 10 AM Friday, May 21, 1993.

IONNONE—Louis. On Saturday, December 18, of complications relating to AIDS. He was the creative genius behind Carroll Condit Galleries in White Plains, NY. He is survived by his longtime companion of 25 years, Louis Zapata, his devoted parents, Anthony and Lucy Ionnone of Bronx, NY, and his beloved sister, Antoinette. Funeral Mass to be celebrated Tuesday, December 21, 10 AM, Sacred Heart Church, Central Ave, Hartsdale, NY. Contributions in his memory may be made to the Lord's Pantry, 177 Davis Ave, White Plains, NY.

ISGRO—James B. Age 41 on April 3, 1994 at his home in Plainfield, NJ after a long struggle with AIDS. An actor, world traveler, television associate director and community advocate. He touched the hearts of all who knew him with his warmth, enthusiasm and energy. He is survived by his mother, Anne; brothers Frank, Jack and David and his longtime partner and companion, Richard Coleates. Funeral to be held in Rochester, New York. Memorial service at a later date in Plainfield, N.J. Donations may be made to The Actors Fund or The American Foundation for AIDS Research.

Gregory Inghram

Gregory T. Inghram, 41, of Lomax, Illinois, died on Saturday, April 3, 1993, at University Hospitals in Iowa City, Iowa, of complications associated with AIDS and cirrhosis of liver, according to his friend Pam Pauker of Washington, D.C.

Inghram left his native Burlington, Iowa, after high school to come east for a short visit. This was the beginning of what was to become a 24-year stay on the east coast. During that time he lived and worked in D.C., New York, Florida, New Jersey, Martha's Vineyard, and New Hampshire. He made his home base in Washington, D.C., with his friends the Paukers on Porter Street, at a home they called the "More Fun House," and later with Pam Pauker and friend Patricia Berrend on Nebraska Avenue. His travels took him to India, Israel, Turkey, England, Germany, Greece, and Ireland. He attended Montgomery College majoring in art.

It was Inghram's dream to have a home of his own where he could be near his family, have horses, a garden, and a place for all his friends to come and visit, according to Pauker. His dream came true when in 1991 he returned to the Midwest where he and his friend, Daniel Delaney, bought an old farm house on five acres of land in Lomax, Ill. He had horses and a garden and he and Delaney, with the help of Inghram's brother, Chris Inghram, and other members of the family, worked to renovate the house. Although it is not yet finished, said Pauker, he lived to see "the



farm" emerge into a beautiful, charming, warm home.

In addition to Pauker, survivors include his parents, Earl and Nancy Inghram; a brother, Chris Inghram; two sisters, Coeli Walker; all of Burlington; and Tori McSorley of Silver Spring, Md.; his grandparents, many aunts, cousins, nieces and nephews, and a multitude of friends.

Inghram's remains were cremated.

On Sunday, July 11, friends and family will gather at "the farm" to celebrate his dream and July 14, 1951 birth date. Friends are asked to send a message for a memory book that is being compiled. Please send the message to: Daniel Delaney, RR-1, PO Box 107, Lomax, IL 61454.

Douglas C. Inks, 45

ALBANY — Douglas C. Inks, 45, of Essex Street died Tuesday in Albany Medical Center Hospital after injuries he suffered in a fall at home.

He was born in Tillamook, Ore., and raised in South Dakota. He lived in Albany for many years.

Mr. Inks worked for the past five years for the state Department of Health Radon Division as a clerk.



Inks

He was a member of the National Covered Bridge Society.

Survivors include his dear friend, William Cleveland of Albany; his mother, Charlotte Engelbrecht Inks of Sioux Falls, S.D.; two sisters, Teola M. Baymiller of Newton, Kansas, and Linda L. Rocheford of Burnsville, Minn.; and three brothers, Gary L. Inks and David L. Inks, both of Sioux Falls, and John W. Inks of Columbus, Neb.

A service will be at 11 a.m. Friday in the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen St.

Calling hours are 5-7 p.m. today in the funeral home. 8-10-93

David Imagawa, an immunologist at the University of California, Los Angeles, who was working on an HIV vaccine, died of a heart attack Nov. 29 in Rancho Palos Verdes, Calif. He was 69. In 1989 Imagawa published an article in the *New England Journal of Medicine* about the relationship between HIV and AIDS.

ISGUR — On Tuesday, August 3, Alan H. of Boston, beloved son of the late Archie and Helen G. (Verstein) Isgur, loving brother of Louis M. Isgur and his wife Sara (Natelson) of San Diego, CA and uncle of David H. Isgur, devoted friend of Lynn Schopf, Dear Graveside services at the Share Tefila Cemetery, Baker St., West Roxbury, on Thursday, August 5 at 2:30 p.m. A Memorial Service will be held at the Jesuit Urban Center, 775 Harrison Avenue, Boston on Thursday, August 5 starting at 5:45 p.m. Remembrances may be made to the Aids Action Committee, 131 Clarendon Street, Boston 02116. Arrangements by the Levine Chapel, BBOVINE

IOVANNI — Of Hyde Park, April 23, Gerald A. (Jerry), age 44, due to complications related to A.I.D.S. Son of Anthony and Anna M. (Memmo), Brother of Richard P. of Quincy, LeeAnn M. Iovanni of Aalborg, Denmark and Nancy J. Iovanni of Scottsdale, AZ. Funeral from the Carroll-Thomas Funeral Home, 22 Oak St., HYDE PARK, Wednesday morning at 8. Funeral Mass in Most Precious Blood Church, Hyde Park, at 9. Relatives and friends invited. Visiting hours Tuesday 2-4 and 7-9. Late Founder of the Peoples Task Force Inc., Hyde Park. Donations in Jerry's memory may be made to Most Precious Blood Church, 43 Maple St., Hyde Park 02136 or the Good Samaritan Hospice, 272 Allston St., Brookline 02146. 94

Lorenzo Iriartes

May 1960-April 1993

Lorenzo, better known by his friends as Cosita, died peacefully on April 12, three weeks short of his 33rd birthday, at SFGH after a month fighting an infection that ultimately took his life.

Cosita, a casual Amanda Miguel impersonator at La India Bonita Gay Club, where he met many of his lovers, was the joy of his many friends, who loved him dearly. He was among the many who fled his beloved Cuba in 1980 at the young age of 19.

After living many years in San Jose with this first lover, he moved to San Francisco five years ago.

He used to tell stories about how amazed he was when he set foot on American soil, because to him it was like a dream, where he could have everything he wanted.

He will be remembered by his dear friends, Angelita, China, Lourdes, Oscar, Maciel, Ricardo, Ramonita, Mama, and his best friend, Guajira, whom he used to call his guardian angel.

Jeffrey N. Ingels

Dec. 21, 1957-April 13, 1993

Jeff died peacefully in his sleep on the evening of Tuesday, April 13, at Coming Home Hospice after a courageous three-year battle with multiple AIDS-related illnesses.

Jeff was born and raised in the Central Valley community of Oakdale, near Modesto. A resident of San Francisco since 1980, Jeff leaves behind many friends and family members including his mom, Billie, who was constantly by his side during the final months of his life.

Jeff was well known in the community of the San Francisco Tavern Guild bowling leagues at Park Bowl. An avid bowler and past co-director of several San Francisco No Tap Invitational Tournaments, SFNTIT, his enthusiasm, energy and commitment will be greatly missed.

With a smile that could melt hearts, a sense of humor that was sometimes "twisted" and an incredible love for life, Jeff will be missed by all those who knew him.

Jeff C. Ice

March 10, 1954-Aug. 1, 1993

Jeffrey passed into a new life on Sunday morning in his home in San Francisco after a four-year struggle with AIDS. Born and raised in Texas, Jeffrey moved to San Francisco in 1980 where he always placed the concerns and needs of others

before his own. After working for the Recreation Center for the Handicapped, Jeffrey went back to school and became a registered nurse. He continued to help others in this capacity at Davies Medical Center until he was no longer able to work. He is survived by his mother and father, two older brothers, and his beloved dog, Cedric. Jeffrey will continue to live in the hearts of his friends and family. ▼

John Imber

John Frederick Imber Jr., 34, of Arlington, Virginia, died Tuesday, May 18, 1993, at the home of his parents in Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, of complications associated with AIDS, according to his friend, Raymond Machesney of Arlington.

Imber, called Jon-Jon by his friends, was born in Dayton, Ohio. He graduated from the Florida Institute of Technology in 1980 with an associate degree in offshore marine technology. He worked in the offshore oil industry for five years, exploring for oil with Teledyne Exploration.

Imber was a seaman in the U.S. Navy and was honorably discharged in 1986. Since then he had been living and working in the Washington area for the federal government. He was a member of the Presidential Commission on Catastrophic Nuclear Accidents and an executive assistant in the Department of Energy until his retirement.

During his spare time, Imber was a motorcycle safety instructor for the Virginia Rider Training Program. He was a member and past road captain for the Centaur's Motorcycle Club and a member of the Thebans Motorcycle Club in Miami, Fla.

Imber was one of those friends always willing to help someone in need, according to his sister, Sharon Imber of Garland, Texas. In fact, he had a hard time



saying "no." Since he owned a pickup truck, he was frequently helping others. As he weakened, she said, he still found strength for his friends.

In addition to his sister, Imber is survived by his parents, Jack and Phyllis Imber of Palm Beach Gardens; and his grandmother, Helen Valentine. He was predeceased by his special friend, Larry Alan Miller.

Imber's remains were cremated. Because he loved to ski, his ashes will be scattered on the mountains of Colorado.

Contributions can be made in Imber's name to Food and Friends, PO Box 70601, Washington, DC 20024, or to a favorite charity.

Intravia was born Jan. 8, 1948 in New York, N.Y. He received a bachelor's degree from Queens College in New York City during the late 1960s, and a law degree from St. John's University Law School in New York City in the early 1970s. He earned a master's of letters and law degree in air and space law from McGill University in Montreal, Quebec in the mid-1970s.

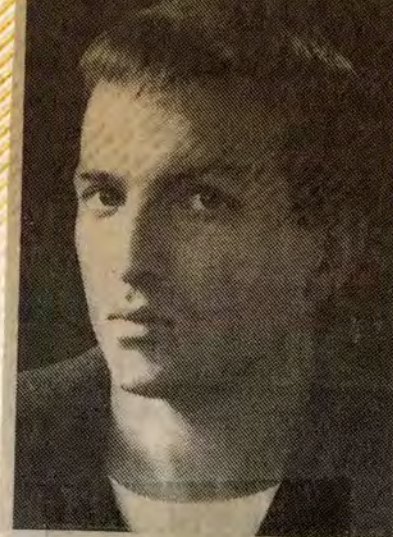
Intravia's other interests included restoring old houses, enjoying opera, and cooking.

In addition to Schwartz, Intravia is survived by his parents, Louise and John Intravia of East Hampton, N.Y.

A memorial service was held April 16 in East Hampton.

Another service will be held Saturday, April 30, at 10 a.m., at St. John the Baptist Church, 12319 New Hampshire Ave., in Silver Spring, Md.

Contributions in Intravia's name may be made to the Humane Society of the United States, 2100 L St., NW, Washington, DC 20037.



Mark Isaacson, 38, Vendor and Expert On Decorative Arts 8-28-93

By HERBERT MUSCHAMP

Mark Alan Isaacson, an expert on 20th-century decorative arts, died on Saturday at his home in Manhattan. He was 38.

The cause was AIDS, said his companion, Gregory Nacozy.

He was a founding partner of Fifty 50, a store specializing in moderne furnishings by such pioneers as Charles Eames, Florence Knoll and George Nelson. The small shop opened in 1981 in SoHo. Two years later he and two partners, Mark McDonald and Ralph Cutler, who has since died, expanded to a larger store at 793 Broadway, which will now close.

How He Began

With a collector's eye, Mr. Isaacson accumulated furniture, glass, ceramics and jewelry from the 1930's, 40's and 50's. He specialized in Italian glass, particularly by the firm Venini. He was called on frequently for advice and was also a source for acquisitions by the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Brooklyn Museum and the Victoria and Albert Museum in London.

Mr. Isaacson began his career in decorative arts in the late 1970's in Paris, where he was struggling to support himself as a painter. At Fifty 50, Mr. Isaacson not only chose exceptional decorative objects but also created a vibrant contemporary ambiance for them.

His talent for visual context took away the taint of kitsch that had clung to the decorative art of the 1950's and helped Mr. Isaacson attract some of New York's most prominent artists as clients, including Robert Mapplethorpe, David Salle, Francesco Clemente, Jasper Johns and David Byrne. Throughout the 1980's, his store was also notable for its friendly social atmosphere and many people came by just to admire Mr. Isaacson's exotic arrangements of flowers.

In addition to Mr. Nacozy, he is survived by his parents, June and Marvin Isaacson of Glen Cove, L.I., and two brothers, Steven, of Gloucester, N.J., and Glenn, of Manhattan.

Larry Intravia

Lawrence Raymond Intravia, 46, a Washington, D.C. attorney, died Tuesday, April 12, 1994 of AIDS related complications at the Washington Hospital Center in D.C., according to his friend, Larry Schwartz of D.C.

During the mid-1970s, Intravia practiced law at Brooklyn Legal services in New York City. He then practiced for several years at the Civil Aeronautics Board in D.C.

Intravia in 1981 began working for the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in D.C. He worked largely in the agency's crime and flood insurance programs.

"He was an effective and dogged litigator, totally dedicated to his client's interest," said Schwartz. "At the same time, he never lost sight of the public lawyer's responsibility for working to obtain a fair and objectively just result His friends and colleagues will miss his wit, warmth, and quiet strength of character."

From the Book "VOICES THAT CARE"

POSTAL WORKER DANIEL ISZARD WAS DIAGNOSED w/ Aids in 1986 AT THE AGE OF 28. Following his diagnosis, he MOVED FROM ALASKA TO CALIF. FOR TREATMENT. He WAS INITIALLY diagnosed with pneumocystis AND T.B. THE ONE CONSTANT in his life during his illness WAS THE LOVE AND CARE he RECEIVED FROM his younger sister, Jackie. Daniel died in 1989

IANACHINO—in Boston's West End, June 8, Edward A. at 70 years, son of the late Adolfo and Vincenzina (Altieri) Beloved and devoted brother of Mrs. Barbara R. Martone of South Yarmouth and formerly of Revere, and the late Anthony and Carmine Ianachino. Also lovingly survived by many nieces and nephews. Family and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the Vertucchio Home for Funerals, 773 Broadway, (Rte. 107) REVERE, on Saturday at 9:15 a.m., followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Joseph's Church in Boston's West End at 9:30 a.m., followed by interment in St. Michael's Cemetery, Jamaica Plain. Visiting hours are respectfully omitted. Late WWII Army Veteran. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to the Hospice at Mission Hill, 20 Parker Hill Ave., Boston, MA 02120. 95

Richard V. Irizarry, 38, Playwright, Political Aide and Volunteer

9-19-94

By LAWRENCE VAN GELDER

Richard V. Irizarry, a playwright and a political figure, died yesterday at Beth Israel North Medical Center in Manhattan. He was 38 and lived in the Inwood section of Manhattan.

The cause was complications from AIDS, his mother, Margaret, said.

Besides writing plays, including a new musical, "Newyoric!" under development at the Joseph Papp Public Theater, Mr. Irizarry served for the last four years as an aide to the Manhattan Borough President, Ruth W. Messinger.

"He was a man of broad and passionate talents," said Andrew Bres-

lau, director of public affairs for Ms. Messinger.

For years, Mr. Irizarry taught the handicapped, often spending his own money to buy them school supplies and clothes and to take them on outings, his mother said. Two years ago, he ran unsuccessfully in the Democratic primary for the State Senate from the 28th District in the Bronx and Manhattan.

Mr. Irizarry's first play, presented in 1988 and 1990 by the Puerto Rican Traveling Theater, was "Ariano." It was adapted from a story he wrote while he was studying for a master's degree in theater at New York Uni-

versity in 1980. He graduated with a bachelor of science in 1978 from Fordham, where his major was political science.

Grappling with what it meant to be a Puerto Rican on the American mainland, "Ariano" was an exploration of race and color described by Richard F. Shepard of The New York Times in 1990 as "stronger thematically than it is theatrically."

He wrote, "The tidal sweeps from shoes-off down-home comedy to supercharged melodrama are very much in the tradition of folk theater."

In 1990, the play won the National

Drama Award of Puerto Rico.

In the 1980's, he was a special-education teacher at Bushwick High School and an adjunct professor of writing for the College of New Rochelle. Mr. Irizarry was also active on the boards of several organizations. These included the Latino Gay Men of New York, the Hispanic AIDS Forum and Gay Men of African Descent.

Besides his mother, of Brooklyn, Mr. Irizarry is survived by his companion, James King of Manhattan; his father, William, of Queens; his brother, Robert, of Hollywood, Fla., and his sister, Lisa Irizarry Toro of Queens.

Larry Paul Ivens

Dec. 1, 1961 - Nov. 26, 1994

Larry Paul Ivens of San Francisco died peacefully in the arms of his lover in the Michigan home where he was raised on November 26 at 9:30 a.m. after a long, brave battle with AIDS. A 1980 graduate of Union High School, he moved to San Francisco in 1986.

Larry is survived by his lover of 10 years, Mikel "Tracey" Dominiack; his mother, Maxillia Ivens-Dowagiak; sister, Niles; a twin brother in Washington, D.C.; and another brother in Los Angeles.

Larry was self-employed and spent most of his time trying to help those around him. His soul was taken to Heaven, and his body was cremated. At his immediate family's request, no funeral was held. However, a one-person memorial was held in Marcellus by his partner, who misses him very much but is very glad he is finally at rest. ▼

IRVIN—on July 12, 1995. Michael Irvin, age 40, of Dorchester. An AIDS educator for numerous Boston organizations. Mr. Irvin leaves his wife, Sharon (Bradberry) Irvin, his mother, Artrice; seven sisters, Audry, Cathy, Yolanda, Santita, Yvonne and the late Patricia & Vivian; 3 brothers, Leroy, Darrell and the late Fredrick; his son, Michael, and daughter, Latoya, step-son Christopher, and daughter, Latoya, granddaughter Kestep-daughter Christina, granddaughter Kestep-daughter Jaylen. Also survived by 7 nieces, 5 great nieces, 5 nephews, and a host of extended family and friends. Funeral Services will be held Monday from 7-9 p.m. at Grace Church of All Nations, 452 Washington St., Dorchester, MA 02124. The viewing will begin at 6 p.m.. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to the Boston Living Center, 140 Clarendon St., 7th fl., Boston, MA 02116-5137 or the Grace Church of All Nations. Arrangements under direction of J.S. Waterman & Sons, Eastman-Waring Funeral Home of BOSTON.

Bradley Yoshio Inouye died

Dec. 5 of complications from AIDS in New York City. He was 35. A native of Los Angeles, he was an im-

porter of Bali handicrafts. A violist and set designer for shows at La Mama, he also contributed to productions with his surviving companion, composer Donald Arrington. Other survivors include his parents, Dr. Mitsuo and Lily Ann Inouye; brother, Jon Inouye; sisters Dr. Sharon (Dr. Stephen) Inouye-Helfand, Caron (Kurt) Inouye-Ballash; nephew Benjamin Helfand; Ichiro Inouye and Toshiko Otsuji; and god-mother Dr. (Takao) Helen with his longtime companion Archie Fox in Hawaii, where they operated Kona Steak House and Darnell's Deli. In addition to Fox, he is survived by a sister, Linda Briscoe.



Sam Issa

Dec. 19, 1960 - Dec. 27, 1995

Sam Issa died at home in San Francisco. He was born in Kuwait City, Kuwait on December 19, 1960, departed this life on December 27, 1995 at the age of 35. Devoted son of Yaseen Esa and Badia Assad of Safita, Syria, and beloved brother of Faeema and Rydh Issa of Damascus, Faeem and Ghada Issa of Safita, Salam Issa of Homs, Syria and loving companion of Dewaine Edwards.

Syrian by birth, an American and San Franciscan by choice, Sam was a naturalized American citizen whose love for soccer was only exceeded by his love and care for animals.

May your soul find eternal peace Sam and one day soon, we'll be together again to continue our journey through destiny. We'll miss you Sam.

Memorial services will be held Saturday, January 13, 1996, at 12:00 p.m. at the AIDS Memorial Grove in Golden Gate Park.

Frank Israel, 50, an architect inspired by Hollywood and, later, AIDS, died June 10 in Los Angeles of AIDS-related complications, the *New York Times* reported. Israel designed homes for several Hollywood personalities, as well as offices for film production companies. He also served as set designer on several films, including *Star Trek: The Motion Picture* and *Night Games*. Israel said his AIDS diagnosis allowed him to take more creative risks. He was elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences in May 1996, according to the Associated Press. He is survived by his companion, Thomas Haase of Los Angeles; and family (*New York Times*, Associated Press) **96**

— Christopher Jones

David M. Igdaloff

Sept. 3, 1950 – Jan. 7, 1997



Respected and compassionate physician, devoted son, loving brother, generous friend, David is at peace after a long struggle with AIDS. His fierce determination and courage in coping with the

disease were a tribute to his strength of character as he tried to conquer that which he could not ultimately control.

David was a native of Los Angeles and a graduate of the University of Michigan Medical School. He practiced oncology/hematology in Walnut Creek, where he was an active physician at John Muir Hospital and the Contra Costa Cancer Society. David was a caring physician who helped both patients and friends in their times of need. His untiring support of so many of his friends over the years will never be forgotten.

David's zest for life was inspiring. He pursued new challenges constantly — from skiing, bike riding and swimming to scuba diving, computers, foreign languages and travel. His enthusiasm, compassion and intelligence were impressive and infectious. David was loved by many and will be missed. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to AmFAR, 5900 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90036.

Victor E. Indrisano, 44, of Arlington, Virginia, died on Wednesday, Oct. 5, 1994, of AIDS-related complications at Georgetown University Hospital in Washington, D.C., according to his longtime friend, Patrick Bruyere of Arlington.

Indrisano was a professor of psychology at Marymount University in Arlington, Va. from 1984 until 1994. Also during this time, he was a consultant for Drake, Beam, Morin, Inc., a psychological and career change assessment center in D.C.; the Kingsbury Center, an assessment and treatment services facility for children and their families in D.C.; and the Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Hospitals, an organization in Chicago, Ill. that accredits psychiatric hospitals and facilities, said Bruyere.

Prior to Marymount, Indrisano was congressional science fellow of the American Psychological Association from 1984 to 1985.

From the late 1970s to the mid-1980s, Indrisano worked his way up from staff psychologist to acting unit director for the children's program at Saint Elizabeth's Hospital in D.C.

"His courses were enlivened by his extensive clinical experience and his capacity to link theory and practice," said Bruyere.

Indrisano was born on Feb. 5, 1950, in Boston, Mass. He graduated from high school in 1966 and went on to receive a bachelor's from the University of Massachusetts in 1971. Indrisano studied clinical psychology at the graduate level at the Virginia Commonwealth University in Richmond, Va. At VCU, he received a master's in 1975 and a doctorate in 1977.

Indrisano's interests included spending quiet time at home, playing with his dog Annie, going to the theater, reading science fiction novels, and gardening. He especially



liked tending to his roses, said Bruyere. Furthermore, Indrisano taught Sunday school at St. Margaret's Episcopal Church in D.C.

In addition to Bruyere, Indrisano is survived by his brothers, Ralphie, Billy, Joey, and Angelo Indrisano; nieces, Christin and Cara Indrisano; nephew, Albert Indrisano; aunt, M. Margaret Indrisano; all of Boston; and relatives on his mother's side of the family. Indrisano is also survived by his friends, Yates Miller of Arlington, Va.; Stanley Morris of Alexandria, Va.; Steve Streeker of D.C.; Chrissie and Peter Dunn of Boston; and Mary Ellen Collins of Boston.

Indrisano was predeceased by his parents, Olimpio and Anna Micherone Indrisano.

Contributions in Indrisano's name may be made to the Victor Indrisano Memorial Scholarship Fund, Marymount University, 2807 N. Blebe Rd., Arlington, MA 22207.

My friends who died have left me an inspired legacy.

When I moved to New York City from Iowa in 1978, I thought I had leapt the highest hurdle of my life—coming out of the closet. Once I accepted—even embraced—my sexuality, I imagined everything else would be easy. I was 19. I approached each day with enormous hope and anticipation as I explored the many neighborhoods, cultures and people of my new home.

What I experienced, where I traveled and whom I met reinforced my enthusiasm. I can vividly remember hearing of someone especially interesting or attractive or accomplished and thinking, Oh, I haven't met him (or her) yet. It seemed to me that everyone lived in or came to New York City; I raced all over town, bouncing among different social and professional spheres, anxious to know them all. Part social climbing, for sure, but mostly a sense of exuberant urgency to fulfill my dreams in the greatest city on earth.

No matter how many years pass, this history is never far from me. I had thought coming out of the closet was the greatest challenge of my life. I was wrong. I had thought I was making friendships with people whose company I would enjoy for decades—drifting into old age with a familiar group of long-time pals. I was wrong again.

Today, I remain haunted by the painting, dance and music we will never experience, the literature

we will never read, the political and spiritual leadership we will never know. I mourn the pain of every child, lonely, confused and fright-

ened, who has lost one or both parents to AIDS, every homeless, mentally ill or addicted person trying to hold the tiny scraps of his or her life together while at the same time combating HIV. I mourn the thousands of young men and women—now mostly African American—who acquire the virus sexually, from men, because of an AIDS bureaucracy and funding paradigm that won't protect them.

A selfish part of my decision to publish *POZ* was that I wished to record the history—my history—that was quickly disappearing with each new death. I never want my own life and the lives of my friends and contemporaries to become invisible. And as the future unfolds, new stories get told, and more history is at risk of vanishing. But now this history

is most often among the poor and the silent.

In David Drake's one-person play, *The Night Larry Kramer Kissed Me*, the audience weeps for the anonymous men and women who have died: "You who were never famous, never counted, never quoted, never seen. Nobody." But, David continues, they were all "somebody" because each was loved.

We can never know if someone who died of AIDS might have, as the cliché goes, "cured cancer or achieved world peace," but it doesn't matter. What we do know is that all of us have certainly lost someone who could have brightened our day today. Someone who could be holding our hand right now, or comforting or cuddling us tonight. Right now, millions of people all over the globe would give anything to be reunited—even for a moment—with someone they have loved and lost.

We have been profoundly impoverished, collectively and individually, by two decades of horrendous deaths. But we only further impoverish ourselves if we fail to keep the memories and dreams alive. That is why memorials, like the Names Project Quilt and the AIDS Memorial Grove, are almost primal. They remind us, sustain us and allow us to show respect for what we have lost.

My friends who have died—not all of AIDS—have left me an inspired legacy of hope, ambition, faith and love. I think of them often, painfully fantasizing about what they would be doing today, what they would have to say, how we might be enjoying one another's company and lives.

I don't cry easily, but the final scene in Craig Lucas' *Longtime Companion*, in which each and every one of the dead are brought back to life at a celebration on the beach, always brings tears to my eyes. If there is a heaven, that's what I want it to be. Here are the names of some of those closest whom I hope to find there:

ALAN BARON, ROBERTO BARRIOS, KEITH BARROW, RICHARD BEECH, STUART BERGER, MICHAEL CALLEN, STEVE CATES, TROY DAVIS, KEN DAWSON, BRUCE DECKER, TIM DLUGOS, RAY ENGBRETSON, LARRY FAIN, DAVID FEINBERG, TOM FLYNN, JOE FOULON, PAUL FRIEDMAN, BILL GARBE, ROBERT GARCIA, FRED GARNETT, GRIFF GOLD, TERRY GREEN, JACK GREENHUT, RICHARD GUZIKOWSKI, KEN HALPERIN, ROBERT HAYES, TITO HERNANDEZ, ROB HERSHMAN, MICHAEL HIRSCH, JAY JOHNSON, ANDRE LEDOUX, STEVEN LEECH, HELEN L'HEUREUX, SAL LICATA, TIM LOWE, WALTER MARLOWE, KIKI MASON, PATRICK McALLISTER, JOE McDONALD, ALDYN MCKEAN, STEVE MICHAEL, MICHAEL MISOVE, JIM NALL, NATHANIEL PIER, BOB RAFSKY, PAUL RAPOPORT, RICHARD ROUILARD, VITO RUSSO, JIMMY SAVAGE, JEFF SCHAIRE, RUPERT SMITH, STEVE SNYDER, STEVE SPIER, DAVID STECKLING, TOM STODDARD, DAVID SUMMERS, SWEN SWENSON, BRUCE VOELLER, PETER VOGEL, JASON WORTH.



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2	2	39	Jeff C. Ice	8-1-93
3	5	47	DAVID H. IDALOFF	1-7-93
4	1	53	JOEL B. IFCHEK	8-2-92
5	2	69	DAVID IMAGAWA	NO DATE
6	3	34	John Imber	5-18-93
7	F-33		CHRISTINE IMURDI	9-1-91
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10	2	36	Jeffrey N. INGELS	4-13-93
11	2	41	GREGGORY INGRAM	4-3-93
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13	2	45	DOUGLAS C. INKS	8-10-93
14	1	29	JOHN R. INNES IV	5-17-93
15	4	35	BRADLEY YOSHIO INOUE	12-9-95
16	6		INSPIRED LEGACY	NO DATE
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19	2	44	GERALD A. IOUANNI	4-23-94
20	1	47	VASILIS IRAKLEDIS	3-10-92
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22	4	40	MICHAEL IRVIN	7-12-95
23	4	38	RICHARD VINCENT IRIZABERY	9-19-94
24	1	47	JOHN ISAACCS	1-20-93
25	3	38	MARK ISAACSON	8-28-93
26	1	41	JAMES B. ISGRO	4-3-93
27	2		ALAN H. ISGUR	8-3-93
28	1	32	JEFFREY SCOTT ISLEY	9-23-94
29	5	50	FRANK ISRAEL	6-10-96
30	4	35	SAM ISSA	12-27-95
31	4	28	DANIEL ISZARD	1989
32	1		JOSEPH R. IULA	3-19-92
33	4	33	LARRY PAUL IUENS	11-26-94
34	5-89		J. ROBERT IZZI	10-10-95
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