

Leroy "Lumberjack" Brown, Jr.
Football



Leroy Brown graduated in 1962 from Jack Yates High School in Houston where he played for the legendary Coach Andrew "Pat" Patterson. Brown was named an All-City, All-District lineman and move valuable lineman for the Lions in 1961.

He received a scholarship to attend Wiley College where he played for another great coach, Fred "Pop" Long and earned All-Southwestern Athletic Conference honors as a defensive tackle in 1965.

Brown retired from Chaparral Steel Company in 2000 and is currently a supervisor for Guardsmark, LLC. He is a member of the Star of Bethlehem Baptist Church where he serves as Vice President of the Usher Board and was recipient of the Man of the Year Award.

He and wife Sandra have five daughters, 12 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Vernon Carathers
Football



Vernon Carathers was a member of the 1956 and 1957 state championship football teams at L.C. Anderson HS in Austin. He also ran track, receiving many medals and ribbons.

He served in the U.S. Air Force for four years, and attended Austin Community College and Texas A&M University advancing his career with the City of Austin. After 29 years, he retired as a Supervisor II.

He is an active member of Freedom Home Baptist Church and serves as a deacon and male chorus president. He is married to Marion Marcella Washington and the father of nine children, 13 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.