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Winning Numbers

LOTTO TEXAS	PRIZES PAID	NUMBERS
10/13	\$1,035,674	16-24-25-40-46-50
10/16	\$1,433,414	05-10-18-30-31-41
10/20	\$1,728,138	11-15-22-33-38-47
10/23	\$40,502,700	10-12-14-16-31-40
10/27	\$662,667	01-12-20-27-44-50
10/30	\$881,064	07-12-21-22-23-39
11/3	\$871,916	03-20-22-40-43-45
11/6	\$1,079,178	02-08-15-42-47-48
11/10	\$11,091,018	03-15-18-30-31-40
11/13	\$2,929,926	03-14-38-40-47-50

CASH 5	PRIZES PAID	NUMBERS
10/14	\$386,455	15-12-31-07-25
10/15	\$428,768	21-17-31-38-15
10/18	\$374,753	15-04-24-39-32
10/19	\$380,250	10-27-04-29-36
10/21	\$392,439	29-34-23-17-08
10/22	\$412,234	05-30-24-02-21
10/25	\$378,245	34-27-31-23-39
10/26	\$381,032	13-25-18-28-26
10/28	\$403,182	30-28-26-24-15
10/29	\$428,628	06-37-03-17-20
11/1	\$389,802	28-30-37-21-14
11/2	\$396,930	17-08-22-12-15
11/4	\$411,412	11-16-34-27-23
11/5	\$434,823	12-08-34-30-32
11/8	\$385,205	15-13-30-03-18
11/9	\$385,712	10-07-06-34-21
11/11	\$400,388	38-15-26-12-06
11/12	\$427,146	06-23-33-31-39

TEXAS MILLION	PRIZES PAID	NUMBERS
10/15	\$373,030	42-44-50-97
10/22	\$364,150	01-08-70-76
10/29	\$364,750	67-75-93-95
11/5	\$383,240	26-38-61-72
11/12	\$364,130	35-39-40-66

PICK 3	PRIZES PAID	NUMBERS
10/13	\$331,310	9-2-3
10/14	\$297,130	6-4-9
10/15	\$284,440	3-0-5
10/16	\$281,680	7-2-7
10/18	\$234,030	0-4-2
10/19	\$337,490	2-2-1
10/20	\$171,720	6-0-4
10/21	\$192,510	5-9-9
10/22	\$237,350	9-2-3
10/23	\$1,598,250	8-8-8
10/25	\$145,370	0-7-8
10/26	\$265,270	2-5-1
10/27	\$207,390	4-8-5
10/28	\$229,440	0-8-4
10/29	\$170,910	4-3-3
10/30	\$289,210	5-3-7
11/1	\$271,670	9-1-5
11/2	\$279,490	1-6-7
11/3	\$192,610	9-8-8
11/4	\$319,470	2-3-6
11/5	\$415,660	6-2-9
11/6	\$465,720	7-8-6
11/8	\$267,010	1-6-8
11/9	\$312,680	3-1-9
11/10	\$359,100	2-3-7
11/11	\$188,110	6-9-8

These are unofficial winning numbers for *Lotto Texas*, *Cash 5*, *Texas Million* and *Pick 3*. In the case of a discrepancy between these numbers and the official winning numbers or the total cash prize for each draw, the official numbers and amounts will prevail.

Lucky Day for Garcia Family



Candelario and San Juanita Garcia left, share a laugh with Texas Lottery Executive Director Linda Cloud during their press conference held at Lottery headquarters.

On their way to Louisiana on October 23rd, 1999, Candelario and San Juanita Garcia and his mother, Stella, all of Victoria, stopped in Baytown to get gas, never thinking that a clerk's mistake would make them millionaires.

They were thinking only of celebrating the younger Mrs. Garcia's birthday, which was on the 23rd.

With their \$20 in winnings from the previous night's *Texas Million* drawing, the Garcias purchased \$10 worth of *Lotto Texas* tickets each at the Chevron located at 5027 I-10 and Garth.

"The clerk made a mistake when I asked for a Lotto ticket," San Juanita said.

"She gave me 10 annuity *Quick Pick* tickets instead of the Cash Value Option I planned to get. So my husband got 10 Cash Value Option *Quick Picks* and I got another 10, but under the annuity plan."

Mr. Garcia says they took the errant tickets because, "I remembered that once someone had won the *Lotto* with a 'mistake' ticket."

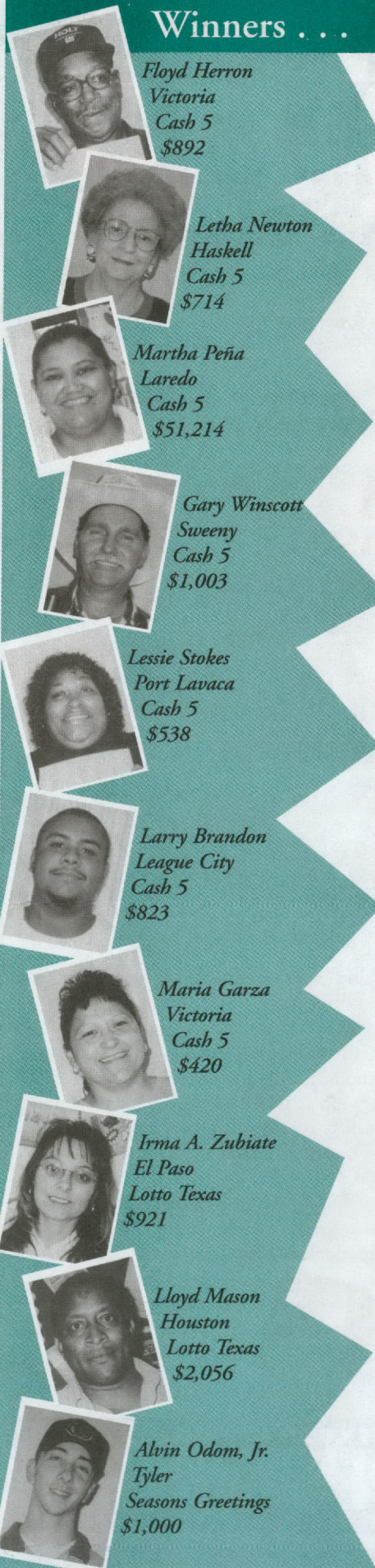
On the return trip, the Garcias stopped in a Beaumont restaurant at 2 a.m. to have breakfast. Mr. Garcia had picked up a printout of the winning numbers in Vidor.

"My husband checked the numbers, he stopped eating," she said. "When he told me I had all six, I told him to quit kidding

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Number of Scratch-Off Tickets Cashed in Oct. 1999:
17.9 MILLION WINNERS!
 (17,975,199)

Winners . . .



Floyd Herron
Victoria
Cash 5
\$892

Letha Newton
Haskell
Cash 5
\$714

Martha Peña
Laredo
Cash 5
\$51,214

Gary Winscott
Sweeny
Cash 5
\$1,003

Lessie Stokes
Port Lavaca
Cash 5
\$538

Larry Brandon
League City
Cash 5
\$823

Maria Garza
Victoria
Cash 5
\$420

Irma A. Zubiate
El Paso
Lotto Texas
\$921

Lloyd Mason
Houston
Lotto Texas
\$2,056

Alvin Odom, Jr.
Tyler
Seasons Greetings
\$1,000

Winning Stories from around the State

Lots of folks take home some very nice prizes. Here are a few of their stories.

Thelma Smith, Corpus Christi

Players who've experienced the thrill of winning the Texas Lottery seem to share similar reactions. Usually they are excited, elated, and many times they can't believe they're holding a winning ticket. Thelma Smith of Corpus Christi certainly can relate to those feelings. "I discovered I had won when I scratched the ticket at the store," she says of discovering that her *Domino Dollars* ticket was a \$3,000 winner. "I was so surprised, I asked the clerk to check it (to make sure it was a winner)," she says. She adds that she'll keep on playing The Games of Texas.

Robert Kent, Bullard

When someone discovers that their Lottery ticket is a winner, they can visit any retailer to redeem their prize up to \$599. So, Bullard's Robert Kent was quite surprised when he was told by his retailer that he'd have to go to the Tyler Claim Center to redeem his \$100-winning *Lotto Texas* ticket. What Robert didn't realize until he'd reached the Tyler center is that his \$100 ticket wasn't worth \$100 after

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around and let me have my breakfast. But he was insistent and I knew he was serious because he wouldn't touch his breakfast."

They stopped three more times to pick up more printouts. The numbers were, of course, always the same.

It wasn't until they arrived at Mr. Garcia's parents' home to read the numbers in the *Victoria Advocate* that they were convinced they'd won.

From that moment on, time sped up. Calls were made to faraway friends, lawyers, and financial advisors. Advice was taken and plans were made.

Mr. Garcia quit his job as a security officer at DeTar Hospital in Victoria. His wife, a lab technician and medical secretary, continues to work there and plans to stay.

The Garcias plan to help their respective

all. Instead, his ticket had matched 5 of 6 numbers and was actually worth \$1,805. He says he'll use his winnings to take his family on a trip to Mississippi.

Keith Mills, Shreveport, LA

Texans aren't the only folks who've won playing the Texas Lottery. Visitors to the Lone Star State have experienced the thrill of winning, including Keith Mills of Shreveport, Louisiana. Keith ventured across the border to purchase a *Super Tic Tac Toe* ticket, and his scratching revealed a \$20,000 winner. Keith was so shocked, in fact, he says, "I had to ask a friend of mine to look at the ticket to make sure it was true." He says he'll use part of his winnings to buy a house. Way to go, Keith!

Dean Ferguson, College Station

Have you ever been surprised to find what you've left in your pockets when getting your clothes ready for the laundry? Dean Ferguson of College Station was recently getting his laundry ready to take to the dry cleaners when he found a *Lotto Texas* ticket he'd bought back

families "reach some of their dreams," Mrs. Garcia said. "We're very fortunate to have won, and we want to make life easier for our families."

They also plan to help restore their parish, Our Lady of Sorrows in Victoria, which was heavily damaged by floodwaters in the fall of 1998.

The winners received an initial payment of \$1,664,858. There will be 24 additional installment payments of \$1,520,000 each, payable on October 15th each year. The total payout after 25 years will be \$38,144,858.

The winning numbers were 16-10-31-40-12-14. For selling a winning *Lotto Texas* jackpot ticket, the Chevron store is eligible to receive a one-percent jackpot bonus of \$381,448.58.

on May 8. So, he decided to stop by a Lottery retailer on the way just to see if his ticket had matched any numbers. Sure enough, Dean discovered his nearly-launched *Lotto Texas* ticket matched 5 of 6 numbers and was worth \$1,377. He says he's a faithful *Lotto Texas* player and he'll make sure to keep checking his pockets.

Wallace Ditzler, Dumas

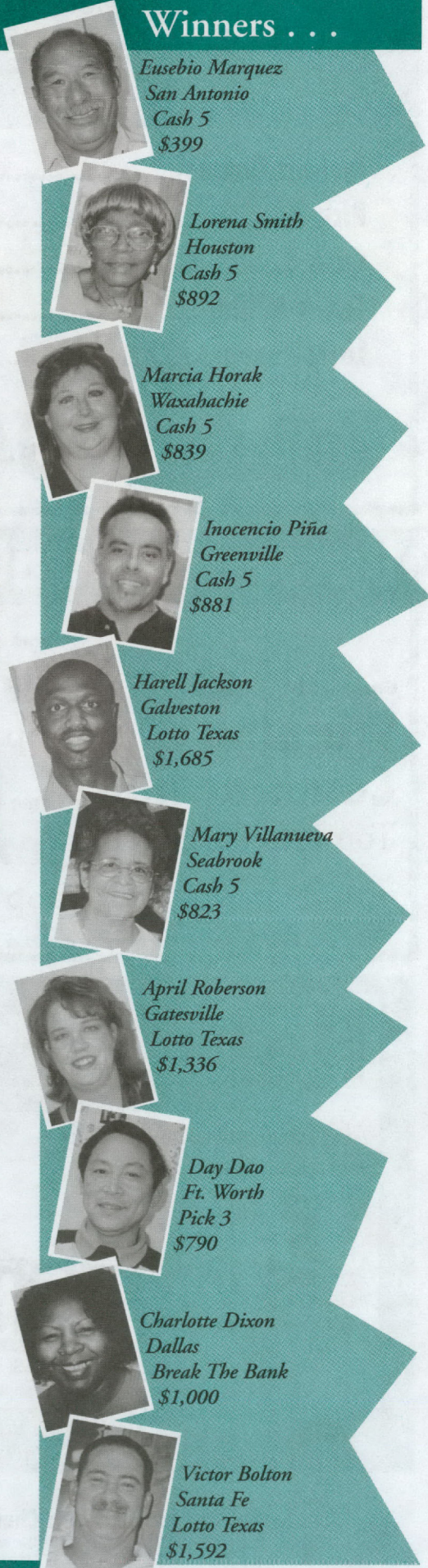
Sometimes it pays to be in the right place at the right time. Dumas' Wallace Ditzler knows there's truth in that statement. He'd just stopped at his local Lottery retailer to buy a *Lotto Texas* ticket when he noticed he had just \$1 remaining, so he purchased a *Lucky Lady Bug* ticket. That single \$1 bill proved to

be a worthy investment, because his scratching uncovered a \$3,000 winner. Congratulations, Wallace!

Nettie Bell, Marshall

There's just something fun about grabbing a coin and scratching a Texas Lottery ticket. And, if you ask Marshall's Nettie Bell, it's even more exciting to find out your ticket is a winner. She says with a laugh, "I just couldn't believe I won. I just went off in a trance for a while." Nettie, a loyal Lottery player, was thrilled to see that scratching her *Coyote Cash* ticket uncovered a \$1,000 winner. She adds that her winnings will be used to fix up her home.

Winners . . .



Eusebio Marquez
San Antonio
Cash 5
\$399

Lorena Smith
Houston
Cash 5
\$892

Marcia Horak
Waxahachie
Cash 5
\$839

Inocencio Piña
Greenville
Cash 5
\$881

Harell Jackson
Galveston
Lotto Texas
\$1,685

Mary Villanueva
Seabrook
Cash 5
\$823

April Roberson
Gatesville
Lotto Texas
\$1,336

Day Dao
Ft. Worth
Pick 3
\$790

Charlotte Dixon
Dallas
Break The Bank
\$1,000

Victor Bolton
Santa Fe
Lotto Texas
\$1,592

Winning Tickets Remaining

TEXAS POKER PARTY \$2
Game #65 Texas Poker Party
 \$25,000 - 8
 \$5,000 - 107
 \$500 - 704
 \$100 - 22,881

Bingo \$2
Game #160 Bingo
 \$25,000 - 7
 \$1,000 - 36
 \$500 - 317
 \$100 - 2,899

TEN GALLON TRIPLER \$1
Game #172 Ten Gallon Tripler
 \$9,000 - 19
 \$3,000 - 32
 \$1,000 - 27
 \$300 - 2,317

FEATHER YOUR NEST \$1
Game #168 Feather Your Nest
 \$6,000 - 33
 \$500 - 1,393
 \$100 - 4,802
 \$50 - 9,659

(as of December 4, 1999)

Partial list only: For a complete listing of all active Texas Lottery "Winning Tickets Remaining" see your retailer or visit our web site at www.txlottery.org

PRIZES Paid IN OCTOBER 1999

Instant Games.....	\$72,710,842
Pick 3.....	\$7,816,470
Cash 5.....	\$7,041,739
Texas Million.....	\$1,644,760
Lotto Texas	\$14,802,410

Total: \$104,016,221

Upcoming Scratch-Off Games

<p>Game #201 \$2</p> <p>Winning Combination</p> <p>Top Prize: \$25,000!</p>	<p>Game #187 \$1</p> <p>Sweetheart Cash</p> <p>Top Prize: \$1,000!</p>
<p>Game #190 \$5</p> <p>Texas Roundup</p> <p>Top Prize: \$50,000!</p>	

See your local Lottery retailer for more details or visit the Lottery's web site at www.txlottery.org

Hot

Most Frequently Drawn Numbers

#31	drawn 8 times
#50	drawn 7 times
#1	drawn 6 times
#40	drawn 6 times
#15	drawn 5 times
#22	drawn 5 times
#41	drawn 5 times
#47	drawn 5 times

Cold

Least Frequently Drawn Numbers

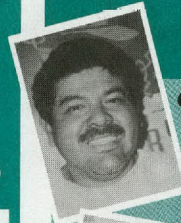
#26	drawn 0 times
#28	drawn 0 times
#8	drawn 1 time
#9	drawn 1 time
#17	drawn 1 time
#25	drawn 1 time
#27	drawn 1 time
#35	drawn 1 time
#49	drawn 1 time



This information is provided in response to requests from players. Statistics represent all drawings from 9/1/99 through 11/20/99.

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and more winners...



Cesar Gonzalez
Houston
Break The Bank
\$1,000



Linda Young
Arlington
Coyote Cash
\$1,000



Gilberto Guzman
El Paso
Lotto Texas
\$1,275



Toni Piacencio
Victoria
Cash 5
\$871



Lucia Vigil
Seguin
Cash 5
\$639



Billy Barham
Amarillo
Fire Ant Fever
\$1,000



Paul Fernandez
Balch Springs
Cash 5
\$952



Alberta Sherow
Longview
Cash 5
\$484



Umar F. Khan
Laredo
Cash 5
\$529



Twila Putman
Denison
Lotto Texas
\$4,014