

# SOUTHWESTERN NEWS

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## MARSH GIFT ENDOWS PROFESSORSHIP IN PEDIATRICS AT UT SOUTHWESTERN

DALLAS -- September 26, 1994 -- A memorial gift from Tom and Charlene Marsh will advance the quality of pediatric services provided by The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas.

The \$100,000 gift was presented to the Southwestern Medical Foundation by the Marshes in memory of their son, Thomas, Jr., who died in childhood. The gift will be matched by the foundation to establish the Thomas Fariss Marsh, Jr. Professorship in Pediatrics at UT Southwestern.

"This generous gift from the Marsh family will support our ongoing research in pediatric illnesses and provide us additional resources for the study of critical and atypical diseases afflicting children," said Dr. Kern Wildenthal, UT Southwestern president. "The Marsh family gift will help us move our pediatric research and clinical programs forward."

Dr. Charles C. Sprague, chairman of the board and president of Southwestern Medical Foundation, said the Marsh family gift "helps us support UT Southwestern as it meets the challenge of improving the quality of health care provided to children in north Texas and the nation."

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