

Daytime Television

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7:00	Today	Good Morning America	Today	Morning News	Sesame Street	Morning Show	News	Weather	Good Morning America	Today	The Flintstones	
7:15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Bugs Bunny	
7:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
7:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
8:00	"	"	"	Captain Kangaroo	Mister Rogers Democracy In Action	Captain Kangaroo	America	Sesame Street	"	"	Cartoon Show	
8:15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Banana Splits	
8:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
8:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
9:00	Donahue	Jeffersons	Donahue	The Jeffersons	News Math Patrol Electric Company	The Jeffersons	Good Morning Houston	Mister Rogers Electric Company	Good Morn. Austin Donahue	Las Vegas Gambit Block-busters	700 Club	
9:15	"	Alice	"	Alice	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
9:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
9:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
10:00	Wheel Of Fortune Password Plus	Love Boat	Wheel Of Fortune Password Plus	The Price Is Right	3-2-1 Contact Democracy In Action	Hour Magazine	Love Boat	3-2-1 Contact Electric Company	To Tell The Truth	Wheel Of Fortune Days Of Our Lives	Leave It To Beaver	
10:15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Brady Bunch	
10:30	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
10:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
11:00	Card Sharks	Family Feud	Card Sharks	Eleven	News Oil Painting News	Young And The Restless	Family Feud	Up & Coming From Jumpstreet	Family Feud Ryan's Hope	"	I Love Lucy	
11:15	"	Search For Tomorrow	News	Search For Tomorrow	"	"	"	"	"	"	Dick Van Dyke	
11:30	Richard Simmons	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
11:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
12:00	The Doctors	Midday	Days Of Our Lives	Young And The Restless	Math Patrol Oil Painting Math Patrol	News	All My Children	Footsteps	All My Children	News	Beverly Hillsbillies	
12:15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Gomer Pyle	
12:30	Days Of Our Lives	Ryan's Hope	"	"	"	Search For Tomorrow	"	Dick Cavett	"	Joyce And Mel	"	
12:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
1:00	"	One Life To Live	Another World	As The World Turns	News Discovering Democracy In Action	As The World Turns	One Life To Live	Soccer Made In Germany	One Life To Live	Another World	Gunsmoke	
1:15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
1:30	Another World	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
1:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
2:00	"	General Hospital	Texas	Guiding Light	News Art Chest Villa Alegre	The Guiding Light	General Hospital	As We See It Victory Garden	General Hospital	Texas	I Dream Of Jeannie	
2:15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Krofft Superstars	
2:30	Texas	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
2:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
3:00	"	Edge Of Night	Doctors	Merv Griffin	Sesame Street	John Davidson Show	Movie:	Sesame Street	Edge Of Night	Cartoons	Popeye & Friends	
3:15	"	Tom & Jerry	Gilligan's Island	"	"	"	"	"	Partridge Family	"	The Flintstones	
3:30	Happy Days Again	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
3:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
4:00	Mary Tyler Moore	Beverly Hillsbillies	Cross-Wits	"	Mister Rogers Electric Company	"	"	Mister Rogers Electric Company	Get Smart	Gilligan's Island	Bugs Bunny & Pals	
4:15	"	Andy Griffith	Joker's Wild	Sanford & Son	"	M.A.S.H.	"	"	Andy Griffith	John Davidson	"	Billy Smart's
4:30	World Of People	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
4:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
5:00	Ron Stone	ABC News	M.A.S.H.	News	3-2-1 Contact Over Easy	News	News	3-2-1 Contact Over Easy	ABC News	"	What's Happening Sha Na Na	
5:15	"	CBS News	NBC News	"	"	"	"	"	M.A.S.H.	NBC News	"	Holiday Circus
5:30	NBC News	"	"	CBS News	"	"	ABC News	"	"	"	"	HBO Sneak Preview
5:45	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	



Is Downtown Bryan Dying?

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Downtown Bryan appears either to be dying or thriving, depending on your view of Main Street.

Bryan City Planner Cliff Miller looks out of his office in the uptown city hall annex and sees a stagnant street.

A block down Main Street, Bob Dodson looks out of his men's retail store window and says he senses a bustling atmosphere. He heatedly says the notion that downtown Bryan is dying is absolutely incorrect.

Further down the street, Jose Montemayor surveys his two-month-old restaurant and wonders how he ever thought it was too big.

Visitors at the end of Main Street see the run down Twin City Mission Thrift Shop, and the vandalized,

vacant shops and are sure the area died long ago.

On the surface the area appears dead. The glaring, empty look of the few vacancies are more noticeable than the faded and worn, but occupied buildings. At times Main Street has the forlorn look of a deserted movie set, but secretary Annabell Bryant says the large number of cars parked downtown indicates it is not deteriorating.

Bryant leases several properties for the Brazos Varisco Estate, including F.W. Woolworth and Co. and the vacant first floor of the Varisco Building. J.C. Penney moved out of the 22,000 square foot property four years ago, Bryant said, and it has remained empty. But she attributed this to the size of the property and not its downtown location.

As a tenant, Woolworth submits

sales reports to the estate, and Bryant said these indicate increased sales.

Dodson reports increased sales too — up to 48 percent from last year. He gets upset when people say the area is dying.

Dodson predicts a trend of merchants returning to downtown when the regional mall on Highway 30 opens.

"The overhead is much less," he explained, "and we can offer better value for the money."

Customer loyalty is Dodson's weapon against the malls, he said.

These malls have taken away some of the marketability of the downtown area, Miller said.

Jack Lester Jr. runs a department store on Villa Maria and he attributes the success of the malls to consumer laziness. The people have moved away from downtown