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The life of Ellen Williams Neal will be celebrated at noon, Aug. 12, at Capital Manor, 1955 Dallas Highway NW in Salem. Ellen Neal died peacefully in her sleep June 21, 2018 at the age of 90 following a stroke. Her final day was spent sharing stories and singing songs with her children, sister and other beloved family members at Capital Manor, in Salem.

Throughout her life, Ellen was recognized as a quintessentially gracious, dignified lady. Words that describe her include thoughtful, generous, organized, wise, engaging, practical, and nice, all traits which did an excellent job of concealing the fact that she was amazingly tough. Ellen made a meaningful difference in the lives of Oregonians for more than 60 years through her career as a high school teacher and her community volunteer work.

Ellen was born Dec. 18, 1927 in Grants Pass, to George and Lula Williams who also were native Oregonians. In her formative years during the Great Depression, she remembers many encounters her family had with needy citizens who were then known as "hobos," and how her mother often gave food to them. In high school, Ellen joined The Toppers, a popular big band in southern Oregon, as their pianist and sole female member. Upon graduation from Grants Pass High School at the age of 16, she matriculated to Oregon State College where she received her bachelor's in education in 1950. A decade later, she continued her education during summer months and she received her Master in Education

ELLEN WILLIAMS NEAL

DEC. 18, 1927 - JUNE 21, 2018

in 1964. While attending OSC, Ellen joined the Delta Gamma Sorority. She remained active in the organization for decades, serving as a mentor to students in several DG chapters and spearheading their largest annual fundraising event for many years.

During the summer of 1947, while working at the soda fountain in her parents' pharmacy in Reedsport shortly after her family's move from Grants Pass, she met Ernie Neal who also attended Oregon State. Ernie was three years older than Ellen, a World War II veteran, and a member of the Beaver basketball team. He had enough life experience to know a good thing when he saw it! Ernie wisely courted Ellen and the following summer, they were married. Their loving union of 67 years lasted until Ernie's death December 2015. Their first child, Steve, arrived in 1949 followed by Dan in 1952 and Gary in 1955. While Ellen was fully occupied raising the boys, Ernie began his teaching career in Rogue River for a year, then in Florence for three years before they settled in Bandon in 1955. Ellen commenced her career as a business teacher in Bandon in 1958. The family loved their decade in Bandon, forming many lifetime friendships as well as an abiding love for the Oregon coast.

In 1965, Ernie and Ellen moved the family to Salem to provide their children with broader educational opportunities over the vigorous objections of their youthful progeny. Discontent abated quickly as the family flourished in their new home at 333 Hollyhock Place. Ernie and Ellen lived there for 48 years before moving to Capital Manor in 2013.

Ellen was one of the original faculty members at McNary High School when it opened in 1965. She taught there for the remainder of her career. When Ellen retired from teaching, she became a member of the Assistance League of Salem. She served in leadership positions for many years and was particularly adept at grant writing which helped the organization raise funds to provide clothing, books and cultural experiences for children from low income families. Ellen was honored with an award for outstanding service to the Assistance League in 2014. She also was an active member

of the PEO Sisterhood for 66 years, serving as chapter president twice, and holding every office at least once. Her special joy came from identifying young women wishing to improve their lives, but who lacked resources for higher education. Ellen counseled many such women, assisting them in obtaining PEO scholarships, and often remaining in touch with them throughout their lives. Her volunteer activities also included serving as an elder in the First Presbyterian Church where she was an active member.

After their retirement, Ernie and Ellen purchased a beach house at The Capes near Oceanside. Their cozy coastal retreat became the site of countless family gatherings and fishing/crabbing/hunting adventures. Ernie and Ellen's travels included Europe, Egypt, Australia, the South Sea islands and the Panama Canal. Their favorite destination, though, was Hawaii where they stayed many times. Ellen also was fortunate enough to visit China, together with her mother and sister, within the first couple years after China began accepting foreign visitors.

Ellen is survived by her sons, Dan and Peggy of Eugene and Gary and Bridget of Yamhill; daughter-in-law, Susan Neal of Chicago; 10 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; as well as her sister, Mary Helen Socolofsky of Portland and her family.

She was preceded in death by her son, Steve of Chicago in 2004; and her husband, Ernie.

Ellen will be remembered for her unerring good advice, her excellence in nurturing others and perhaps most of all, for her ladylike fashion sense and uplifting, unflappable demeanor. As one nephew said, "I never walked away from a conversation with Ellen without feeling better about myself and the world. She had a special way of bringing the best out in everyone."

In lieu of flowers, donations in Ellen's memory may be made to OSC P.E.O. Sisterhood Charitable Trust mailed to: Chapter G, 1935 Wickshire Ave. SE, Salem, OR 97302; or to Assistance League of Salem, 1095 Saginaw Street South, Salem, OR 97302.

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GERALD "JERRY" WOLFF AND MIRIAM ELAINE (STEBBINS) WOLFF

MAY 25, 1935 - JUNE 19, 2018

JAN. 9, 1940 - MAY 14, 2017

Gerald "Jerry" Wolff was born May 25, 1935 in Haxtun, Colo. He passed away June 19, 2018 at the age of 83 in Coos Bay. Miriam Elaine (Stebbins) Wolff was born Jan. 9, 1940 in Cheyenne, Wyo. She passed away May 14, 2017 at the age of 77 in Coos Bay. Cremation was held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

The lives of Miriam and Jerry are being celebrated together even though they passed 13 months apart. Jerry wanted to be part of planning and attending a special memorial for Miriam, but his health prevented that. Their life together of 60 years was amazing. They were world travelers and those who knew them loved them. Jerry was a unique and fun guy who was always working on his next invention. Miriam loved to craft and spent hours developing new patterns and teaching others all about quilting and fabric arts.

They loved to travel and are on their final journey together. Their destination is special because they join family and friends they have not seen in a long time. They rejoice because once again they are with their oldest daughter, Laura Lee (Wolff) Wilson who preceded them in death in 2001. They are all together in a wonderful place where they will socialize, listen to music, be inventive and creative to their heart's content. Laughter and love are guaranteed.

They have left wonderful memories with their daughter, Linda Lou (Wolff) Tooley and her husband, Bryan; as well as their grandchildren, Sarah (Tooley) Boyd, Jacob Tooley, Gerald Wilson and Travis Wilson.

Arrangements are under the care of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131.

Friends and family are encouraged to sign the online guestbook at www.coos-bayareafunerals.com and www.theworldlink.com.

ANTHONY "TONY" G. ANUSICH

APRIL 20, 1932 - JUNE 28, 2018

At his request no services will be held for Anthony "Tony" G. Anusich, 86, of North Bend. He passed away June 28, 2018 in Eugene.

Tony was born April 20, 1932 in North Bend, to Mark and Mary (Karavanich) Anusich.

He retired as director of the North Bend Housing Authority after 30 years.

Tony was preceded in death by his wife, Phyllis; two sisters; and one brother.

He is survived by daughter, Karen McBride; son, Gregg; sister, Linda and Jerry Dean; grandchildren; neice; nephews; and many cousins.

Tony and Phyllis made Christmases very special.

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WILLIAM "BILL" CHARLES GARNER

NOV. 12, 1940 - JUNE 29, 2018



William "Bill" Charles Garner, 77, passed away June 29, 2018 in his beautiful community of North Bend.

Bill was born Nov. 12, 1940 in Rockville, Neb. He attended schools in Fremont, Neb., and graduated from high school in Oxnard, Calif. Bill graduated with an associate degree in culinary arts later in his life.

Bill worked several careers, starting as a waiter and auto parts purchaser in his early years moving on to working as a manager in

Bikes Burger Bar Restaurant in Fremont, Neb. He worked for Walgreens restaurant as a manager starting in Fremont and moved to Dubuque, Iowa and Davenport, Iowa to open new stores for Walgreens. He then moved to the Walgreens Pharmacy side as a manager and retired from Walgreens after more than 30 years. Not ready to fully retire, he went to college for culinary arts and worked as a chef with several restaurants in the Quad Cities area in Iowa. Wanting to move back to the west coast and the ocean he loved, he and Sandy chose North Bend as their final home. He worked at The Mill Casino as a chef and then food purchasing agent, retiring in 2011.

Bill was very creative and applied himself to learn many different artistic skills. He created stained glass pieces, pottery and wood working pieces over his life. He gardened and grew food to feed his family and later learned to grow Bonsai trees.

Bill loved people and had many friends no matter where he lived. When he moved to the ocean and his North Bend community he made new friends. He and Sandy took part in many volunteer activities that included his Ham Radio Club and Coos County ARES/RACES Emergency Response Team. He had

deep close friends in the community where he will be missed.

Bill loved his wife of 49 years, Sandy. He loved her more than life itself. When she passed six years ago, it broke his heart and he never really recovered from this great loss. Today he is with her again and the joy of their reunion of souls must have lit up Heaven with their embrace.

Bill was preceded by his loving wife, Sandra "Sandy" Kay Garner; father, Willard Ralph Garner; mother, Charline Catherine Garner; and brother, Daniel Lee Garner.

He is survived by two sons, Charles "Chuck" William Garner of Paragould, Ark. and Scott Allen Garner of Moore, S.C.; sister, Joan "Susie" Marie Quillian of Pampa, Texas; brother, Timothy Michael Garner of Bellevue, Wash.; grandchildren, Michael Scott, Steven Allen, Matthew Jacob Garner, and Page Whitney Tanner; great-grandchildren, Titan Michael Garner, Zackery Scott Garner, Melody Huffman, and Whitney Clark; nephews, Aiden Michael and Tyler John Garner; and nieces, Charline Marie Quillian and Lucy Rae Garner.

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MARY MARGARET BANKS GRANGER

AUG. 13, 1915 - JULY 16, 2018



Her life was always entwined with the maritime history of North Bend. A favorite family photo shows Mary at age 3, under the watchful eye of her parents, christening the Ryder Hanify and sending the huge wooden hull splashing into the bay at Kruse and Banks Shipyard.

She attended North Bend High School, graduating in 1933, and went on to study business at University of Oregon. After working in San Francisco, Calif., she married Jack Granger. Together they traveled the northwest working for Sunkist's dealer service. They endured a two-year separation during the war when Jack was in the United States Army in North Africa and Italy. In 1947, they returned to North Bend where Jack served the maritime community as the principal of Banks and Granger Marine Surveying.

For Mary, family was her most valuable endeavor and source of pride. Mary and Jack had four children. She was a woman of deep faith. She attended St. Monica grammar school and one year of high school at St. Mary's Academy in Portland. Her parents were founding member of Holy Redeemer

Catholic Church in North Bend, where Mary was a member her entire life. Over the years, Mary was involved in various community and youth-related organization. She particularly loved her PEO sisterhood. In her later years, she was known as a rich source of "first person" historical knowledge of wooden shipbuilding in the Coos Bay Area. With her clear memory and personal archive of photos and memorabilia from her father's shipyard, she relished sharing her insight on local history. In 2017, Mary was recognized by the Coos County Historical Society for her "exceptional devotion to the preservation of maritime history in Coos County."

In recent years, Mary often speculated on why she was blessed with such a long life. Her short-list included a healthy diet, being surrounded by a loving family and wonderful caregivers and the superb support of Dr. Tom McAndrew and the Bay Area healthcare community.....and good genes.

She is survived by her children and spouses, Robert and Julie Granger, Suzanne and Jim Graves, and John and Kate (Burrus) Granger; nine grandchildren, and 19 great-



grandchildren.

Mary was preceded in death by her husband, Jack; and daughter, Margaret.

Memorial contributions in honor of Mary can be made to the Coos History Museum, 1210 N Front St., Coos Bay, OR 97420.

Arrangements are under the care of North Bend Chapel, 541-756-0440.

Friends and family are encouraged to sign the online guestbook at www.coosbayarea-funerals.com and www.theworldlink.com.



DOROTHY JEAN BEACH MCCARTY

MARCH 7, 1925 - JULY 22, 2018

Bay and at 10 a.m., Saturday, July 28 before the funeral services at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints Relief Society Room.

Dorothy's spirit came from heaven March 7, 1925 in Lead, S.D. She was the second child of Bruce Llewellyn Beach and Hilma Matilda Neamy. She called many places across the west home while growing up with her five siblings. In California, she met James C. "Jim" McCarty while working in the shipyards during World War II. They married Feb. 6, 1946 in her grandmother's home. After a few moves as a young married couple, Dorothy and Jim happily settled down in Empire where they lived together until Jim passed in 2000.

She was a joyful member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints and faithfully served in many leadership and teaching positions. She attributed her long, beautiful life to her dedication to God and Jesus Christ.

Dorothy was grateful to be mother to seven children and their spouses, grandmother to 33, great-grandmother to 84, and great-great-grandmother to two. She

cherished each one of her descendants and showed them by attending every graduation and wedding she could, daily praying for each of them by name, and making them her famous blackberry cobbler when they came to visit.

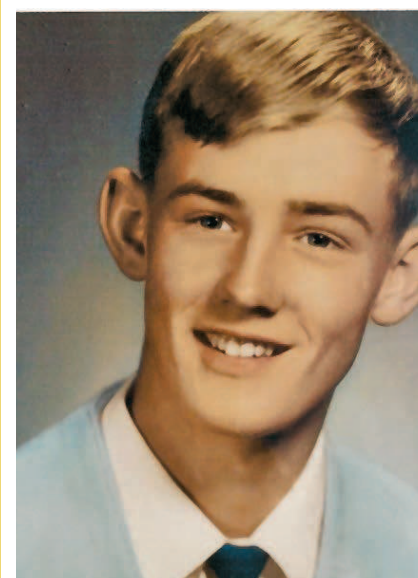
She had a knack for finding joy in small things like cardinals, cheese curds, and the color pink, and was a true embodiment of what it means to love one another.

She is survived by sons, James Bruce and Sandy McCarty, Kenneth and Debra McCarty, Roger and Marsha McCarty, Richard and Robyn McCarty, and Paul and Ellen McCarty; daughters, Cleo and David Castillo and Christine and Mark Cronquist; brother, Leland Beach; sisters, Luella Baker and Gail Timothy; 33 grandchildren; 84 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

She is reunited in heaven with her husband, Jim; her brothers, John and Harry; and her granddaughters, Sarah and Eslyn.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nelson's Bay Area Mortuary, Coos Bay, 541-267-4216.

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JOHNNIE JAY SWIGERT

FEB. 28, 1951 - MARCH 31, 2018

Johnnie Jay Swigert passed away at his home March 31, 2018 in Milwaukie, Ore., with his family by his side.

He was born Feb. 28, 1951 in Myrtle Point, to John Franklin Swigert and Barbara Christina Fass. He moved with his parents and siblings at a very young age to Bandon, where he attended Bandon schools. When his mother, Barbara died in 1959, he and his siblings moved to Mossyrock, Wash., for several years and lived with his grandparents. Johnnie returned to Bandon for high school and graduated Bandon High School, Class of 1969.

Johnnie was employed by Clackamas Community College, where he was a maintenance and grounds keeper supervisor. He loved his dog Ellie May and had a beautiful yard where he spent many hours nurturing his many plants, shrubs and trees.

Johnnie is survived by his sister, Cheryl and husband, Steve Howard of Centralia, Wash.; David Swigert of Langlois; Rick Swigert of North Bend; and many nieces and nephews.

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RODNEY "ROD" LEE SAMS

JUNE 2, 1966 - JUNE 24, 2018



He was born June 2, 1966 in Salem. He grew up and attended school in Myrtle Point, and graduated in 1984. Immediately after graduation he joined the U.S. Army and served for two years.

After the military, Rod lived in Coos Bay and Corvallis working at various jobs.

In 1993, he became a member of the Baker River Hotshot crew and remained with them for seven seasons. From there he worked with the Malheur NF at John Day for one season. He then moved to Sisters, with the Deschutes NF in the Cascade Division. After spending five years in the Sisters area he transferred to the Newberry Division in Bend, as an engine captain and crew boss.

He was a regular fixture at the Forest Service Apprentice Program in Sacramento, Calif., and mentored literally hundreds of new fire fighters.

In 2003, he volunteered on the Columbia Space Shuttle recovery team in Texas.

He remained with the Deschutes National Forest Service in Bend until cancer kept him from his duties.

Rod loved what he did and the people he worked with. It was said that he didn't just

supervise, but he brought people together and built families. Rod was selfless, duty driven, funny and always positive even in his final days. His humor was his trade mark, always making people laugh even in the most stressful times. He had a strong faith that he relied on for strength and courage.

Rod was an avid fan of the Oregon Ducks and Oakland Raiders. On his off hours he was known to DJ at weddings, parties and various events. He loved music.

Rod was married twice and divorced.

He was preceded in death by his nephew, Cody Sams; brother, Donald Sams; and an uncle, Kenneth Dickey.

He is survived by his parents, Eldon and Shirley Sams of Myrtle Point; a son, Stephan Sams of Santa Cruz, Calif.; four sisters, Brenda Goin of Camas Valley, Debbie Breese of Eugene, Connie Dudley of Reed Point, and Montana and Gloria Dimmick of Camas Valley; as well as numerous nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.

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A celebration of life will be held for Rodney "Rod" Lee Sams, 52, of Bend, at 2 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 18, at the Myrtle Point Christian Church, 511 6th St., in Myrtle Point. He passed away June 24, 2018, surrounded by family and friends in Coquille. A forest service memorial will be held at a later date in the Bend area. For information call the U.S. Forest Service in Bend.



LEE L. "BUD" BEEBE
DEC. 26, 1927 - JUNE 10, 2018

Lee L. "Bud" Beebe was born Dec. 26, 1927 in Bend to Elmer and Alice Beebe. He was the youngest of seven children. He passed away June 10, 2018 of natural causes at his home in Coos Bay at the age of 90.

Bud lived in Oregon all of his life, with most of it in Coos County. Bud grew up and attended school in Empire. He enlisted in the U.S. Army at 18. While in the Army he learned to fly. He obtained his pilot's license and soaring through the sky was one of his greatest joys.

He met and married Shirley Smith and together they had two daughters and one son who joined Bud's daughter from a previous marriage. Bud and Shirley raised their family in Fairview. Country living suited him as he liked the open spaces and outdoor activities. He refused to get too far from the ocean though. He spent as much time as possible fishing, crabbing and clamming. The ocean was his happy place.

Bud's love of driving led him to a career as a truck driver and heavy equipment operator. He was the first person to drive a loaded mule train over the Allegany Road.

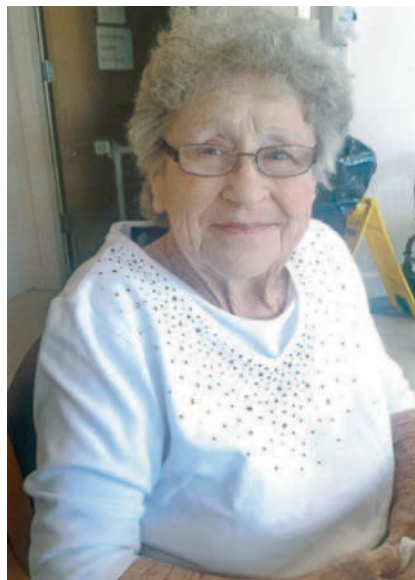
Bud was known for his quick wit and big heart. He was loved by many as he had a generous and kind spirit.

Bud was preceded in death by his wife, Shirley Beebe; daughters, Linda Peerson and Terry Ratliff; and one grandson, Duane Weddle.

He is survived by his sister, Nita Carlson; son, Chris Beebe; daughter, Vikki McLain and husband, Charles; special nephew, Stan DeLapp; five grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

At his request a private burial will be held at Ocean View Cemetery.

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CLAUDIA LEE (VARNEY) MOORE

MARCH 2, 1925 – JULY 24, 2018

High School. She married Everett "Dinty" Moore Jr., Feb. 26, 1947 in a double ceremony with life-long friends, Jack and Gwen Hickam.

She worked for the school district as a cook at Washington School and Coquille High School for many years. She had many fond memories of the children and was known to tease the high school boys as they tried to steal an extra dessert. She later went on to work at J.C. Penney in Coquille where she decorated the window displays and would wrestle with the mannequins and gave many people a laugh while she did so.

Claudia and Dinty bought lake property on Laurel Lake, south of Bandon, where they enjoyed many happy times. They sold the property to purchase a motor home to travel to Arizona for the winters. They loved it there and had many years of fun with long-time friends and family.

She had two terrific grandchildren, Jeff and Justin Johnson, whom she

loved watching them as they participated in many sports.

Claudia loved life, she loved camping, fishing, hunting, golfing, bowling, swimming and cooking with friends and family. She will be missed, but truly had a long and productive life.

She is survived by her daughter, Denece and her husband, Craig Johnson; grandsons, Jeff and his wife, Kim Johnson and Justin and his wife, Heather Johnson; and two great-grandchildren, Macy and Sadie Johnson.

Claudia was preceded in death by her parents; and husband, Dinty, July 22, 2007.

Online remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at www.westrumfuneralservice.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Amling/Schroeder Funeral Service – Coquille Chapel, 541-396-3846.

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SEVERN BEATA (HANS) JONES

DEC. 11, 1923 - JULY 2, 2018

subsequently to Coquille and then to North Bend, where Bill worked for many years as a radio announcer. In 1955, the family moved to an acreage along Tenmile Creek which has been home ever since.

Severn began her college education at the age of 16 at Wayne State, but her education was interrupted by family duties during the war years. She returned to Portland State two decades later to complete her degree during the 1960's. Severn taught in the Reedsport School District for 15 years before retiring in the late 1970's, after which she traveled many times with friends and family to Europe and the Middle East.

Severn is survived by her brother, Warren Hans; her sister, Charla Shindler; her seven children; 15 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and



one great-great-grandchild.

Severn was an active member of Saint Monica Catholic Church, in Coos Bay, where a funeral Mass will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, July 14, followed by a reception in the church hall.

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**HENDERSON MICHAEL
MCINTYRE**
SEPT. 28, 1943 - JUNE 28, 2018

Phi Eta Sigma. In 1967, he earned his Masters in physical chemistry from Yale. In 1971, he achieved his doctorate in physical chemistry from University of North Carolina. In 1977, he graduated with his doctorate in medicine from University of Utah. In 1981, he became certified for anatomic/clinical pathology residency from University of Utah Medical School.

He enjoyed playing bridge, running, dancing, watching the UNC Tarheels beat the Duke Blue Devils in basketball, attending Marshfield High School football games, and serving many years on the Bay Area Hospital Board. He also was a member of the Oregon Medical Association. The world is a lesser place because his sense of humor, gifted intelligence, humbleness, and shy yet effervescent personality no longer exists to charm those who knew him well.

Mike is survived by his wife, Janice of Coos Bay; children, Kathryn of North Bend and Heather of Seattle, Wash.;

Henderson Michael McIntyre, 74, died Thursday, June 28, 2018 at Bay Area Hospital in Coos Bay.

He was born Sept. 28, 1943, to H. Mathias and Fannie McIntyre in Portland. Mike attended Grant High School in 1961 and earned his Bachelors in mathematics, physics and chemistry from Willamette University in 1965. While attending WU he was proud member of Sigma Chi and



**WILLIAM EDWARD
BURROW JR.**
DEC. 11, 1955 - JUNE 26, 2018

No public services will be held for William Edward Burrow Jr., 62, of Coos Bay. Private cremation will be held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

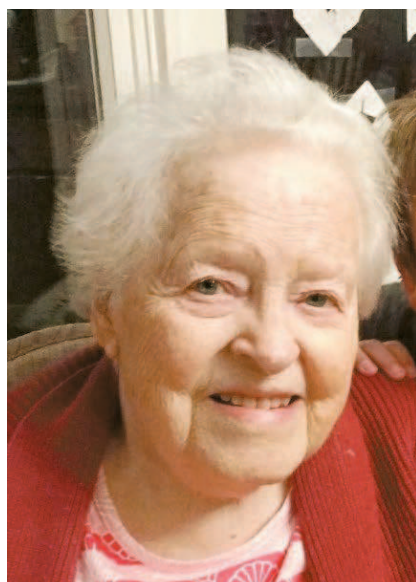
William was born Dec. 11, 1955 in Livermore, Calif., to William Edward Burrow Sr. and Diane Elizabeth (Franklin) Burrow. He passed away June 26, 2018 in Coos Bay.

During his youth, William's family moved to Washington, where he spent his younger years. He enjoyed music and playing drums; his bands played various gigs around his home town. He also loved doing body work and all things automotive, which he was great at.

He is survived by his significant other, Diana G. Brown; daughter, Jeanette Rene'e Phillips and children, Theresa Kristen, Bryce Benjamin, Weston Aaron, Blake Allen, Sarah Esther, Daniel Stephen, Elizabeth Shirley, William Edward, David Riley, Evelyn Liana, Timothy Joseph, Joshua Caleb Phillips; daughter, Cassie Marie Burrow and children, Kyleigh Jade Richardson, Ciarah Leighann and Rayden Wambideezi Adams; sister, Donna Burrow Hopkins; step-daughter, Shi, husband, Tim Lathrom and children, Kam, Bree and Sky Langley, Ty and Amy Lathrom; stepsons, Greg Brown, James Clees, and Johnny Farris; great-grandchildren, Damon, Trent, and Evie Berkley, and Chase Phillips; nephew, Geoffrey William Hopkins; and great-nephew, Shaun William Hopkins.

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VIOLET FLORENA HOWARD
DEC. 18, 1925 - JUNE 24, 2018

Gunter and Rosanah Jane (Murr). Her mother passed away when she was 10 years old, so Violet went to live with her eldest sister, Nona Barnekoff, in Bandon. A place she would call home for the next 78 years. In 1944, she graduated from Bandon High School. Violet married James W. Howard Aug. 10, 1946, following his discharge from the United States Army. Together they raised a family of three children in Prosper. On Feb. 3, 1989, Violet became a widow after 43 years of marriage. As a young child, Violet attended the Baptist church in Bandon. In 1955, she was baptized at St. John's Episcopal church. For many years, she worked as a valued employee at Western Bank. Violet loved being with her friends and family, hiking, playing games, and puttering around in her yard. She loved gardening—whether it be berries, flowers or garlic.

In October 2013, Violet moved north to The Dalles, to live with her youngest daughter and be closer to extended

family. Her everyday life became lovingly interwoven with the lives of her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Her greatest joy in life was spending time with her beloved family.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James W. Howard, Sr.; her sisters, Nona Barnekoff and Irene Johnston; brother, Elbert Gunter; son-in-law, Michael Morris; and faithful pup, Mindy.

She is survived by her daughters, Susan and Tom Pipkins of Cusick, Wash. and Phyllis Morris of The Dalles; son, James W. Howard, Jr. of Salem; grandchildren, Melanie and Mark Hansen, Aaron Pipkins, Heidi and William Byers, Travis Pipkins, Kimberly and Joshua Cox, and Jaime and Rene Chavez; and great-grandchildren, Clara, Gabriel, Ashton, Annah, Jadyn, Kayla, Mia, Shelby, Nathan, Keaton, Adalee, and Liam.

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A graveside memorial service for Violet Florena Howard will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 4, at the Bandon IOOF Cemetery off of HWY 42 by Bandon. On June 24, 2018, surrounded by her children, the Lord called Violet to her heavenly home.

Violet Florena Howard began her life in Roseburg, Dec. 18, 1925, the fourth child of Christopher Columbus

MARY JEAN LEATON

DEC. 13, 1957 – JUNE 30, 2018

Cremation rites have been held for Mary Jean Leaton, 60, of North Bend, under the direction of Nelson's Bay Area Mortuary.

Mary was born Dec. 13, 1957 in North Bend, the daughter of Robert J. and Mary Ellen (Miller) Tavernier. She passed away June 30, 2018 in North Bend. She was raised and educated in Coos Bay and graduated from Marshfield High School in 1976. Mary was a loving mother and a hard worker. She had worked as an in-home caregiver, a pharmacy technician, and was currently working at North Bend Medical Center.

She enjoyed camping and spending time with her family and friends and she especially enjoyed being a mother and grandmother.

She is survived by daughter, Shelia O'Callahan of Coos Bay; daughter, Shanna Hash of North Bend; son, Thomas Leaton of Coos Bay; daughter, Cassie Leaton of Portland; daughter, Brooke Leaton of Michigan; six grandchildren; mother, Mary Ellen Hinds of North Bend; brother, Danny Tavernier of Portland; brother, Terry Lee Tavernier of Coos Bay; brother, Billy Brannon of Sheridan; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Keith Tavernier; and sisters, Bobby Jo Melnick and Roylanda Brannon.

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A memorial Mass for Selma Otis "Bud" Colvin, 74 of North Bend, will be held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, July 26 at the Holy Redeemer Catholic Church, 2250 16th St. in North Bend, with Father Henry Rufo presiding. A recitation of the rosary will precede the Mass beginning at 10 a.m. Private cremation will be held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay. An urnside service with military honors will be held at

SELMA OTIS "BUD" COLVIN

MARCH 16, 1944 – JULY 12, 2018

10 a.m., Saturday, July 28 at Mountain View Memorial Park, 4100 Steilacoom Blvd. SW in Lakewood, Wash.

Selma "Bud" was born March 16, 1944 in Elk City, Okla. to Selma Cicero and Mary (Alspaugh) Colvin. He passed away July 12, 2018 in Coos Bay.

Bud grew up in Alabama, Florida, Pennsylvania, Washington and Idaho. He proudly served in the United States Navy for 22 1/2 years also serving as a Navy recruiter on the south coast from 1979 to 1982. He was a disabled Vietnam veteran. Locally he worked for Laidlaw Bus Company, Baughman & Son and Napa. He was a member of the VFW, American Legion and Knights of Columbus. Bud married Janis Quinn March 1965 in San Diego, Calif. Together they lived in the Southern California area until moving to Coos Bay in 1979. He enjoyed family travel, fishing, camping, classic cars and especially spending time with his grandchildren.

He was a very respectable, personable and honorable man.

Bud is survived by his wife, Janis Colvin

of North Bend; daughter, Veronica and Guy Brown of Coquille; sons, Buddy and Myriah Colvin of Coos Bay, and Eric Colvin of Coos Bay; grandchildren, Kris and Jessica Colvin of North Bend, Dallas and Jaime Brown of Olivehurst, Calif., Sierra Brown of Coquille, James, Savannah, and Sarayah and Siyler Colvin of Coos Bay; great-grandson, Elliott Colvin of North Bend; sister, Shari Colvin-Dethloff of Baker City; brothers, Mike and Donna of Minot, N.D. and Jim and Crystal of Walla Walla, Wash.

He was preceded in death by his parents; daughter, Kimberly; grandchildren, Traye and Jasmine; and his special brother, Doug Joyner.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Knights of Columbus, Council 1261, 2250 16th St. North Bend, OR 97459 or to any veterans group of choice.

Arrangements are under the care of North Bend Chapel, 541-756-0440.

Friends and family are encouraged to sign the online guestbook at www.coos-bayareafunerals.com and at www.theworldlink.com.



All are welcome to attend a graveside service for Irma Fay Koivunen, 88, of Lebanon, formerly of Coos Bay, at 3:00 p.m., Friday, Aug. 3, 2018 at Sunset Memorial Park, 63060 Millington Frontage Road in Coos Bay.

Irma was born July 21, 1930 in Oulu, Wisc. to John and Mayme Kalline. She passed into the presence of her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ July 25, 2018 in Lebanon.

IRMA FAY KOIVUNEN

JULY 21, 1930 - JULY 25, 2018

Irma spent her growing up years on the family farm in Oulu, Wisc., graduating from South Shore High School and spending one year at Suomi College to learn bookkeeping.

She married Eino O. (Paul) Koivunen June 25, 1950 on her family farm. In 1952, she and Paul and their 6 week old daughter Diana moved to Coos Bay, where two more daughters, Karen and Linda were born.

Irma belonged to Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Coos Bay, and joined our Savior Lutheran Church in Lebanon, when moving up to live with her daughter Karen in 2014.

Irma didn't know a stranger making friends with anyone she met. She was involved in more than one bowling league at North Bend Lanes and the Coos Bay Senior Center as well as Linn Lanes in Lebanon. She was actively involved with the Senior Center in both cities. She also loved road trips; traveling to many states with her husband Paul, including Alaska. She continued traveling with her daugh-

ters, nieces and friends. She had just completed an epic trip to visit relatives in Minnesota and Wisconsin when she passed away.

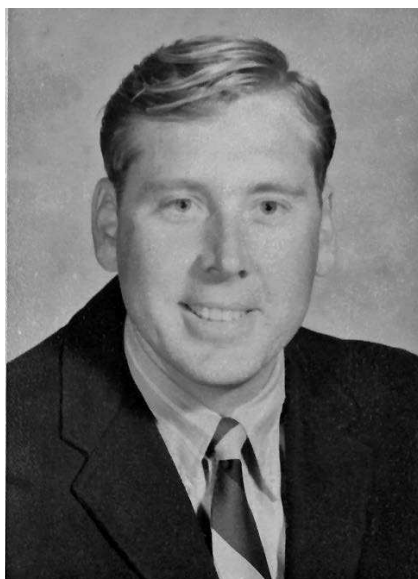
Irma will be lovingly remembered by her daughters, Diana M. Koivunen, Karen G. Jackson, Linda K and son-in-law, Phil Worthington; along with grandchildren, Matthew Franklin and Shannon and Richard Allison; three great-grandchildren, RJ, Grayson, and Emryss Allison; brother and sister-in-law, John and Mildred Kallinen; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul Koivunen; sister, Verna Maki; and parents, John and Mayme Kallinen.

In lieu of flowers, a donation in her name to a charity of your choice would be much appreciated.

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RON T. PULLEN
NOV. 24, 1942 - JULY 16, 2018

Ron married his wife, Karen, in 1968, at Saint Monica Catholic Church in Coos Bay. He taught mathematics in Oregon and Arizona. In 1974-75, Bonnie Koreiva hired Ron at Southwestern Oregon Community College to teach computer science courses part time along with mathematics courses. In 1988, he was transferred to the mathematics department where he taught classes and then was the division director of mathematics and physical sciences, until his retirement in 1999. Ron was admired by the faculty and the many students he had the pleasure of teaching. From 1973 until 1986, he was a partner in the family business, Charleston Charters, captaining his charter boat, the Karon, during the summers.

Later in 1999, Ron and his wife left Charleston on their sailboat Aegean Odyssey, heading for Greece. Unfortunately their plans changed due to parental illnesses, but did live aboard and cruise Mexico for 15 wonderful years. During their annual visits to Mazatlan, they taught English to the Mexican students of all ages up to age 76, in the school classroom or on their boat. Ron, being a long time teacher, enjoyed making English lesson plans and handouts for the students. Ron also was a favorite and popular mentor for other cruisers, for weather, navigation, fishing, touring Mexico by car, safe anchorages,



computers and other cruisers' boat projects.

Ron leaves behind wife, Karen; a brother, Randy and Katherine of Phoenix, Ariz.; a nephew, Travis and Faith; cousins, Steven Ross and Marka of Apache Junction, Ariz., and Stephanie Stowe and Rob of Beaverton; and family member, Joyce Parke of Phoenix, Ariz.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

In lieu of flowers, a donation to Hospice of the Valley, Phoenix, Ariz., would be appreciated. Leave a loving comment on the online obituary.



LEILA (CAUDLE) ROCHEK
MAY 27, 1919 - JULY 9, 2018

At her request, no service was held for Leila (Caudle) RocheK. Leila passed away Monday, July 9, 2018, in Bandon with her family by her side. She was 99 years old. Burial was at Myrtle Crest Memorial Gardens in Coquille.

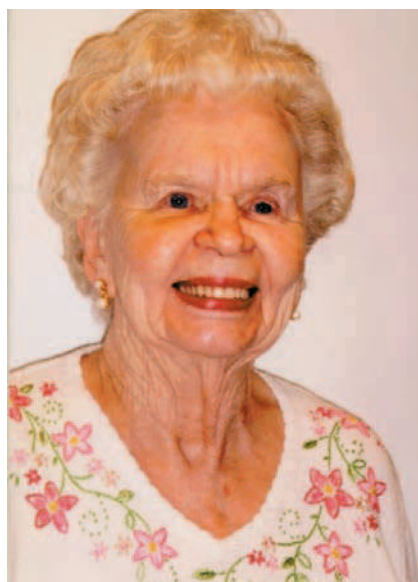
Leila Caudle was born May 27, 1919, to John and Golda (Bradley) Caudle in Wolbach, Neb. She married Rudy RocheK May 25, 1934. During The Great Depression, they worked their way to Oregon, arriving in 1940.

Leila is survived by her sons, Dennis and Dale RocheK and Sharon Dreier all of Myrtle Point; granddaughter, Shawn Roberts and husband, Lonnie; great-grandchildren, Adison and Aiden Roberts of Texas; granddaughter, Keris Hadley and husband, Mike; great-granddaughter, Alissa Lund all of Georgia; great-granddaughter, Hailey Tate and husband, Carl; and two great-great-grandchildren, Jamari and Kayden Tate all of Alaska.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Rudy; daughter, Leila Jean; parents, John and Golda Caudle; brother, Wayne Caudle and wife, Beryl; and nephew, Gerry Caudle.

Leila was primarily a homemaker. She also did the bookkeeping for Rudy's Texaco in Myrtle Point for 25 years.

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ELVINA A. JOHNSON
SEPT. 11, 1923 - JULY 13, 2018

Elvina was born Sept. 11, 1923 in Minneapolis, Minn., to Edwin and Selma Olsen Anderson. She passed away July 13, 2018 at OHSU in Portland.

In 1942, Elvina married Alvin Johnson and lived at Big Sandy Lake and then Minneapolis until they moved to Coos Bay in 1952. She was a stay-at-home mother and wife until 1959 when she learned the printing business. She worked for and retired from The World newspaper. She was a linotype operator when hot metal was used to make the type. She was the first person at The World to learn computer linotyping and taught everyone else how to do it. She loved camping, hunting and fishing with Alvin.

After she retired, they spent winters at Desert Hot Springs until Alvin passed. She continued to make the trip with her dog, Sadie, until she was 83. She loved photography and even took classes at Southwestern Oregon Community College. She was the family photographer so no special event went by without being documented in pictures.

Elvina is survived by her daughter, Joy McCarthy and friend, Sam Stuart of Coos Bay; son, Terry Johnson and wife, Hang of Tampa, Fla.; sister, Lela Collier of Hermiston; grandchildren, Theresa Gilbert and husband, Greg of Wilsonville, Stephani Neville and husband, Tim of Lake Oswego, Erik Johnson and wife, Tiffany of Coos Bay, and Thu Truong of Portland; and great-grandchildren, Cameron and Aaron Gilbert of San Diego, Calif., and Lincoln, Neb. respectively, Nicholas, Grace and Luke Neville of Lake Oswego, McKenzie, Ryan, and Annika Johnson of Portland and Coos Bay.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Alvin Johnson.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Shriners Hospitals for Children, 3101 SW Sam Jackson Park Road, Portland, OR 97239.

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Friends and family are encouraged to sign the online guestbook at www.coosbayarea-funerals.com and www.theworldlink.com.

A graveside service for Elvina A. Johnson, 94, of Coos Bay, will be held at 11:30 am, Friday, July 20 at Sunset Memorial Park, 63060 Millington Frontage Road, in Coos Bay, with pastor Don Berney of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship officiating. A public visitation will precede the service from 9 to 11 a.m., Friday, July 20 at Coos Bay Chapel, 685 Anderson Ave., in Coos Bay.



SHEILA MARIE "DOTY" OWENS
SEPT. 11, 1981- JUNE 29, 2018

A public viewing and small reception for Sheila Marie "Doty" Owens, 36, of Las Vegas, Nev., formerly of Coos Bay was held at La Paloma Funeral home, in Las Vegas, Nev.

Sheila was born Sept. 11, 1981 in Coos Bay. She passed away June 29, 2018 in Las Vegas, Nev.

Sheila moved to Las Vegas 13 years ago when she met and married the love of her life and started a family. She was a loving daughter, granddaughter, mother and wife. She always thought of others before herself. She had a beautiful and very kind soul, easy to love, and will be truly missed by all who knew her. She was a graduate of North Bend High School, Class of 1999.

She was employed by Clark County School District at the time of her passing. She worked in the food service department. Where she met many people who she valued as mentors and friends.

She is survived by her husband, Dusty Owens; daughters, Lilly Owens and Maddison Owens, all from Las Vegas, Nev.; stepson, Jesse Owens of Oklahoma; mother, Tammy Doty of Las Vegas, Nev.; father, John Pemberton of Oklahoma; grandparents, John and Peggy Doty of North Bend; mother and father-in-law, Laquita and Steve Garoutte of Tennessee; father and mother-in-law, Al and Maria Owens of Las Vegas, Nev.; brothers-in-law, Corey Owens of Virginia and Ty Garoutte of Illinois; best friend and confidant, Shannon Devore of Texas, and Melanya of Washington state; as well as numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

A condolence card basket and guest-book will be available at Coos Bay Chapel, 685 Anderson Avenue, 541-267-3131, or you may sign and leave a condolence at www.coosbayareafunerals.com or www.theworldlink.com.

ANNA MALAMANUI (KANUI) WESEL

FEB. 9, 1949 - JUNE 30, 2018

A graveside services will be held for Anna Malamanui (Kanui) Wesel, 69, at 11 a.m., Friday, July 27, at IOOF cemetery in Bandon. A gathering at 1 p.m. will follow at the Bandon VFW. A memorial service will be held for Anna in Winnemucca, Nev., in the fall. She passed Friday, June 30, 2018 at her Winnemucca, Nev., home with her loving husband by her side.

Anna was born Feb. 9, 1949 in Keaukaha, Hilo, Hawaii, to William and Maggie Kanui. She spent her childhood in Hawaii until her family moved in 1964, to Coos Bay, where she attended Marshfield High School and graduated in 1968.

Anna met a handsome young fellow from Bandon. After a brief courtship they were married July 28, 1971. Willard A. Wesel and his beautiful Hawaiian wahine moved to Port Angeles, Wash. It was there that they started their family. The Wesel's had three children. In 1978, the family relocated back to Oregon, this time to Brookings where they raised their children. In 1997, the couple moved to Winnemucca, Nev.

Anna was a devoted wife and mother. She was always present during her chil-

dren's sporting and extracurricular events - cheering them on whether it was on the field or during one of life's challenges, she was always there to encourage and lend strength. She was a mom who volunteered for everything and always made sure her children and husband had what they needed especially LOVE!

Anna enjoyed the outdoors, gardening, travel, sports, reading a good book, movies, "talking story", studying genealogy, card games, slot machines, Hula dancing, singing and playing old Hawaiian music and teaching about the Hawaiian culture. She was strong in her faith in Christ. Anna also loved her dogs, but most of all she loved her family and friends. There's nothing she wouldn't do for people. Her kindness and generosity were a gift to all who knew her and you never saw her without a smile.

While her children were still young, she was a stay-at-home mom. As they grew older Anna found joy in working outside the home, but always found time to help others. She held many positions from a chiropractic assistant to store/casino manager. Her talents and ways of

giving to others were endless.

Anna is survived by her husband of 47 years, Willard Wesel of Winnemucca, Nev.; son, Guy and Michele Kanui of Winchester, Calif.; daughter, Desiree Hultenschmidt of Lovelock, Nev.; son, Eric Wesel of Salida, Colo.; grandchildren, Ashley and Laura Kanui, Aidan and Hailey Wesel, and Dylan Hultenschmidt; great-granddaughter, Ha'ilia Lopez; brothers, William Kanui III of Coos Bay, Edwin and Tiki Kanui of Hilo, Hawaii, and John Kanui of Hilo, Hawaii; sisters, Margaret Hill of Coos Bay and Lucille Morris of Vernonia; as well as countless cousins, nieces, nephews and extended family.

She was preceded in death by her parents, William and Maggie Kanui; brothers, Joseph Kanui, Samuel and Truly Kawaha; nephews, Blue Kanui and Joe Wendy and Kanui; and grandson, Justin Garrett Hultenschmidt.

The family has asked that in lieu of flowers please, make a donation to your favorite charity or to the American Cancer Society.

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EVELYN GILPATRICK
OCT. 14, 1934 - JULY 13, 2018

Klamath Falls Methodist church. Soon after the couple moved to Coquille and raised four children; daughter, Diana White, husband, Mark; son, Stanley Gilpatrick, wife, Lapriel; daughter, Janice Miller, husband, Vestal; and Kelly Christopherson, husband, Robert Moore.

Evelyn enjoyed camping, fishing, and boating with family which now includes eight grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

Evelyn was an active member of the Coquille Christian Church since 1967, most recently participating in the annual concerts; a member of the Rebekah and Odd Fellow lodges (IOOF or FL Club); and she and Bill were former members of the Good Sam Club. Evelyn previously served her community as a Sunday school teacher, church deaconess, Girl Scout leader and troop organizer, and was a previous member of the Red Hats Society.

She is survived by children and

grandchildren; in-laws, Wayne and Konnie Gilpatrick; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death were husband, Bill Gilpatrick; parents, Vera and Sam; parents-in-law, Halbert and Mary Etta Gilpatrick; brothers, Bud and Roger Jones; and grandchildren, Michael Livingston and Kristina Yex.

Evelyn made financial donations to several organizations important to her. The family asks anyone who wishes to honor her direct donations to the Back Pack Program (providing school supplies) in care of the Coquille Christian Community Church, to which she donated hours of service.

Online remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at www.westrumfuneralservice.com.

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MARYANNE JACOBSON MCKINLEY

AUG. 6, 1941 – JULY 17, 2018

2018 at her residence in North Bend with her loved ones by her side.

MaryAnne graduated from Marshfield High School in 1959 and married Frederick "Jim" McKinley in 1960 in Coos Bay. Together, they raised three sons in North Bend. In her younger years, MaryAnne worked as a bookkeeper. She was a member of the Coos Ladies Rouge Red Hat Society, and a member of the Longshoreman's Auxiliary No. 1.

MaryAnne enjoyed playing bunko and celebrating birthdays with the M-5 birthday club, but most of all, she enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and later in life, her great-grandchildren, each one of them brought her great joy in life.

She is survived by her sons, Dan McKinley and life partner, Lisa Campbell of Coos Bay, Brad and wife, Betty McKinley of North Bend, and Randy McKinley and life partner, Tracy Webster of Coos Bay; big brother, Tom Jacobson of Coos Bay; grandchildren, Matthew McKinley and life partner, Kelley Gurniak of Ohio, Hayley and husband, Seth Dean of Cottage Grove, Tyler McKinley and fiancé, Kristinne Sneddon of North Bend, Alicia and husband, John Sternenberg of Coos Bay, Jeff and life partner, Morgan Hongell of Coos Bay, and Forrest of Portland; great-grandchildren, Kimber, Whitley, Raelynn, Reegan, Aiden, Amelia and

A chapel funeral service for MaryAnne Jacobson McKinley, 76, of North Bend will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, July 28 at Coos Bay Chapel, 685 Anderson Ave., in Coos Bay with pastor Don Berney of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship officiating. A graveside will follow the service at Sunset Memorial Park, 63060 Millington Frontage Road in Coos Bay. A gathering will follow the graveside at the ILWU Local 12 hiring hall, 2064 Sheridan in North Bend.

MaryAnne was born Aug. 6, 1941 in North Bend, to Carl and Pearl (Fields) Jacobson. She passed away peacefully from liver cancer July 17,



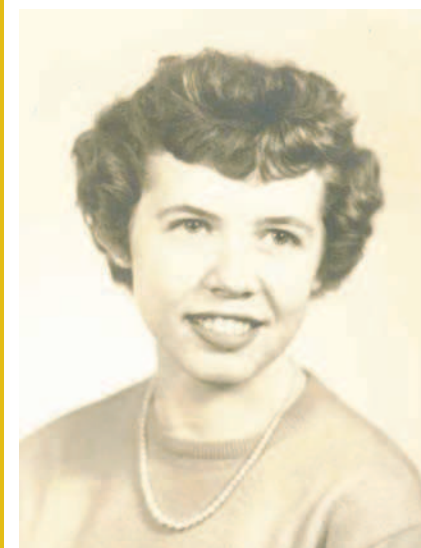
Adelaide; companion, Tom Shannon of North Bend; as well as many nieces, nephews, and extended family and friends.

MaryAnne was preceded in death by her husband, Frederick Jim McKinley.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, Coos County Unit, 31 West 6th St., Medford, OR 97501.

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Friends and family are encouraged to sign the online guestbook at www.coosbayareafunerals.com and www.theworldlink.com.



MARLENE LOUISE KAUFMANN

OCT. 6, 1935 – JULY 9, 2018

A celebration of life will be held for Marlene Louise Kaufmann, of Reedsport, from 1 to 4 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 4, at the Kaufmann family home, 650 Evergreen Loop. She passed away Monday, July 9, 2018.

She was born Oct. 6, 1935 in North Bend, to Ludwig and Nellie Bachmeier. She lived her entire life in Reedsport, attending Reedsport schools, and working as a telephone operator after graduation. She married Gerhardt Kaufmann Nov. 27, 1954 and enjoyed raising their three children.

She is survived by her husband, Gerhardt; their children, Lori and Rick Miska, Diane and John Novak, and Michael and Becki Kaufmann; her sister, Julia and Steve Riley; nine grandchildren, Gary, Christy, Jeremy, Gunnar, Garrett, and Griffin; and three great-grandchildren, Kaitlyn, Payton, and Elliott.

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HELEN LOUISE GERMAIN-HAMMOND

NOV. 24, 1932 - JULY 4, 2018

Helen was born Nov. 24, 1932 in North Bend. She graduated from Marshfield High School in Coos Bay, and later the University of Pacific in Stockton, Calif., with degrees in music and education. Helen married Charles Hammond Nov. 30, 1958, and celebrated 57 years of marriage. For 29 years, Helen held a variety of teaching positions, from instructing kindergarten to directing various preschools.

Helen had so many interests. She absolutely loved people and helping wherever she could. Helen attended St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Walnut Creek for more than 30 years, volunteering with youth groups, the Sunday school programs, and multiple parish events. She especially loved singing in the church folk choir. Helen also sang in a Bay Area Choir and was able to participate in a European tour. Helen was a member of the PEO organization for over 60 years, from when she lived in Coos Bay, up to her time in Turlock, Calif. Helen also

was an avid quilter. She designed her own patterns, and loved gifting people with her special creations. Lastly, Helen adored being with her family more than anything else. Nothing made her happier than spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She will be incredibly missed.

Helen is survived by her devoted children, Karen Detomasi of Turlock and Skip Hammond of Antioch; grandchildren, Alicia Hammond, Ashley Hammond, and Nick Hammond all of Antioch, Jessica Detomasi of Turlock, and Nathaniel Detomasi of McCloud, Calif.; and great-grandchildren, Trevor, Ryan, Matthew, Anika, Malaya, and Annie.

Donations in memory of Helen may be made to Covenant Care Hospice of Turlock, 125 N. Broadway, Suite 1B, Turlock, CA 95380.

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Family and friends are invited to a memorial service for Helen Louise Germain-Hammond at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 4, at St. Paul's Church in Walnut Creek. She passed away on one of her favorite holidays, Fourth of July, surrounded by her loving family in Modesto, Calif. Helen touched many lives with her joyous, kind, and loving personality.



KERRY M. GOARD
AUG. 8, 1936 - JULY 16, 2018

In 1959, he married Caroline Leon of Miles City and over the next 30 years they lived in Sidney, Baker, Glendive, and then Miles City.

After his career at Midland Lumber, he and Caroline moved to the north county area of San Diego, Calif., where he had a second career at Dixieline Lumber. Upon retirement they settled on the southern Oregon coast, in the charming community of Bandon, where he had a third mini-career at the Bandon Dunes Golf Resort.

He enjoyed woodworking, fishing, golf, gardening and community service. Kerry was particularly proud of his collection of African Violets.

He was a member of both Lions and the Elks for more than 50 years and was a local Lions Club president multiple times. In addition, he served as the president of the Montana Building Material Dealers Association in 1985.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his brother; and two children.

He is survived by his bride of 59 years, Caroline; his sons, Brent and Alan; three grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

A funeral Mass was held July 19 at Holy Trinity Catholic Parish in Bandon.

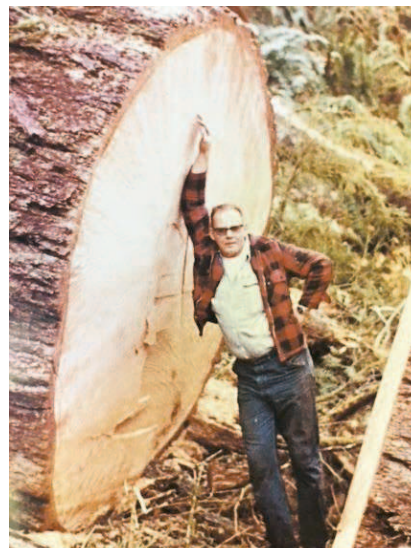
The family requests donations to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society in lieu of flowers or other gifts.

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Kerry M. Goard, 81, of Bandon, died July 16, 2018 in Coos Bay, after an extended illness.

Born Aug. 8, 1936 in Glendive, Montana. Kerry was a 1954 graduate of Custer County High School in Miles City. He attended Montana State College and San Jose State College before beginning his 30-year career at the former Midland Lumber Company chain in eastern Montana.

Kerry was a proud veteran serving in the U.S. Navy Reserve for 8 years. In 1962, he was honorably discharged.



RONALD L. AMELUNG SR.
DEC. 20, 1936 - JULY 22, 2018

great-grandchildren; brother, Dennis and his wife, Judy of Cottage Grove and their children; his family from St. Louis, sister, Sharon and her children, Pam and her husband, Dick as well as their children; and his brother-in-law, Leon Martin from Virginia.

At the age of 18, he started his life-long career in the timber industry. In 1984, Ron partnered with three others to form AGM and M Inc., which he was actively involved in.

Ron was also a long-time member of the Eagles and Elks, had a passion for old cars, guns, and his Bassett hound, Sammy. He supported different organizations and people, but would not allow it to be acknowledged. He was a big man, but had a gentle heart and will be missed every single day.

A private ceremony was held Saturday, July 28, at Myrtle Crest Memorial Gardens. The family invites those who wish to "raise one" for Ron to join them from 1 to 4 p.m., Saturday, August 11 at the Coquille Eagles.

Leave a loving comment on the online obituary.

It is with great sadness the family of Ronald L. Amelung Sr. announces his passing Sunday, July 22, 2018.

He was married to his wife, Diane, for 61 yrs. They had lived in the Coquille Valley for the last 53 yrs.

He is survived by his daughters, Sherry McLaughlin and Penny Crawford and her husband, Don; his son, Ronald "'Ronnie'" Jr. and his wife, Allaina; six grandchildren; and 10

DAVID MICHAEL HOPPER
AUG. 16, 1959 – JULY 22, 2018

A graveside service will be held for David Michael Hopper, 58, of Waldport, formerly of North Bend, at 2 p.m., Monday, July 30, at Eagle Point National Cemetery in Eagle Point, under the direction of Nelson's Bay Area Mortuary.

David was born Aug. 16, 1959, the son of Ray "Red" and Wilma (Eldredge) Hopper in North Bend. He was raised and educated in North Bend and graduated in 1977 from North Bend High School. He enlisted in the United States Marine Corps and served two tours as a radio technician. After the service he continued in his profession as a radio technician working for Cubic Communications in Oceanside, Calif., from 1985 to 1990 before returning to Oregon working in Brookings, for Curry County Communications, in Coos Bay for Clackamas Communications, and

then to Newport where he provided radio maintenance for the U.S. Coast Guard for 21 years. He had made his home in Waldport for the last five years.

David enjoyed Harley Davidsons, working computers, playing online video games, and his beloved dogs.

He is survived by mother, Wilma Hopper of North Bend; sister, Terry and Jamie Evans of Provo, Utah; sister, Lynn and Rick Yager of Coos Bay; brother, Wayne and Patty Hopper of Central Point; brother, Keith and Laurie Hopper of Beaverton; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, Ray "Red" Hopper.

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ROSEMARIE MCNANNA
JAN. 10, 1939 – JULY 24, 2018

and Ed (Sarah). She will be dearly missed by her precious grandchildren; Heather, Amanda, Kyle, Larry, Anthony and Natalia; her great-grandchildren, Frank, Madeline and Larry; and her brothers, sisters and their families. Rose will be forever remembered by many treasured friends.

Rose was a lifetime member of the VFW Auxiliary No. 965 and a member of the Coquille Fraternal Order of Eagles Lodge 2196 Women's Auxiliary.

A celebration of life will be announced at a later date.

Online condolences and remembrances may be shared with the family at www.westrumfuneralservice.com.

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It is with great sadness that the family of Rosemarie McNanna announces her passing July 24, 2018, after a brief illness. Rose was born in Trier, Germany Jan. 10, 1939. Rose will be lovingly remembered by her husband of 60 years, Frank. She was blessed with four children who adored her; Lauren Bliton (David), Denise Gustafson (Stan), Karon Fairchild,



STEVE SHRIVER
MAY 10, 1955 - JULY 15, 2018

Idaho. After his military service in the United States Air Force, he moved to Portland, where he met his wife, Leslie. They enjoyed many years there until 1998, when they moved to Coos Bay.

His passions ranged from dirt bike riding, computers, to sitting back and watching his aquarium fish. He loved boating and wanted a celebration of life to include time on the water, fishing, laughing and remembering good times together.

Steve was preceded in death by his parents, Bonnie Thompson and Bill Shriver.

He is survived by his wife, Leslie; his siblings and their spouses, sister, Deb and husband, Jeff, brother, Paul and wife, Barbara, sister, Maria and husband, Jon; and brother-in-law, Jeff.

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Steve Shriver, 63, passed away July 15, 2018, surrounded by those closest to him at home in Coos Bay.

He was an exceptionally bright, independent man who deeply loved his family, nature and animals, especially his dogs who were always a big part of his life. In his youth, Steve spent many happy years in northern



MARY MARLENE BARRETT
DEC. 01, 1931 - JULY 17, 2018

Construction in Lakeside, OR with her husband, Tom.

Marlene touched many lives with her kind and joyous personality. When she wasn't with her family, you'd find her dancing, cooking, shopping and traveling. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Tom Barrett; son, Michael Barrett; parents, William and Mary Johannesen; and sister, Marjorie Hoffine.

Marlene is survived by her daughters and their families, Johanna and Kim McLaughlin of Roseburg, Shannon and Tom Porter of North Bend; grandchildren, Nicole West, Justin Barrett, Bailey and Brooklyn Lyon and Gracen Porter; and nephews, Mark and Matt Budiselich and Ken, Scott, and Jeff Hoffine.

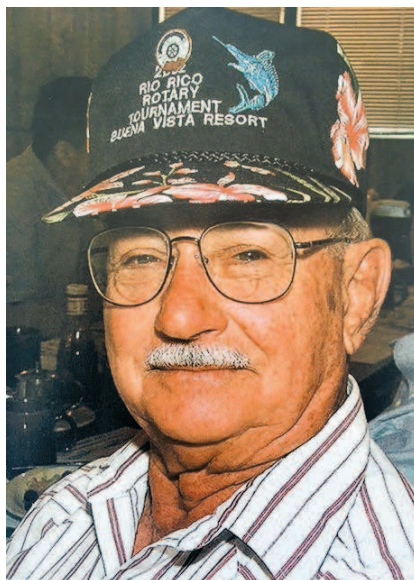
Family and friends are invited to attend a gathering to celebrate Marlene's life at the Lakeshore Lodge in Lakeside, OR Saturday, Aug. 25 from 2 to 5 p.m.

Please leave a loving message on the online obituary.

Marlene was born in Coos Bay, OR to Mary and Bill Johannesen. She was married to Thomas Dale Barrett Dec. 21, 1952.

Marlene and Tom have three children; daughters, Johanna and Shannon; and son, Michael.

After finishing college Marlene worked as a bookkeeper and later owned and operated Sunlake Marina and Barrett



JAMES HOLDEN PHILLIPS JR.
DEC. 16, 1926 - JUNE 23, 2018

tion, Fort Riley in Kansas. Jim's childhood was spent with his family, as they moved to various U.S. Army assignments, Fort Holabird, Maryland; Fort Knox, Kentucky; Fort Leavenworth, Kansas; Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia; and finally, just before the outbreak of World War II, Washington, D.C. During these years, many summers were spent at Erie Ordnance Depot, Ohio, where his father participated in the National Rifle and Pistol Matches with the U.S. Cavalry Team at adjacent Camp Perry. It was during these summers that Jim developed his love of shooting.

He was appointed to West Point from Colorado, joining the Corps of Cadets in July 1946. He graduated in 1951, being commissioned in armor. His assignments during his career took him to Fort Hood, Texas, three times; Korea, where he was wounded; Japan; Fort Knox, Ky. three times; Fort Leavenworth, Kan.; Washington, D.C.; Vietnam twice; and Fort Huachuca, Ariz. He retired as a colonel after 30

years of service and was immediately recalled to active duty as the Commander, USAEPG, for another 21 months. Among his military decorations are the Combat Infantry Badge, the Purple Heart and four awards of the Legion of Merit.

Jim was a past president of the Sierra Vista, Ariz., Cortez, Colo., and Dolores, Colo., Rotary Clubs. He was an active volunteer in the Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) program representing dependent children in the states of Arizona and Colorado Superior Courts. He also was a trained volunteer mediator/arbitrator in the Cochise County Superior Court Alternative Dispute Resolution Program. In his later years, he volunteered much of his time with Habitat for Humanity and other organizations, as his was a lifetime of service to others.

Jim was preceded in death by his wife, Ruth Laverne Keen, the mother of his children; and his wife, Dolores

Grabinski, with whom he shared his later years traveling and enjoying retirement.

He is survived by his children, Eric and Valerie, Mark and Alexandra, Cynthia and Paul Hay, Karen and Michael Harris, Heather and James Davis, and Alicia Phillips; as well as his 10 grandchildren, 5 stepgrandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

A full service with military honors will occur at the old Post Cemetery on Ft. Huachuca, Arizona at a future date to be determined. There also will be a memorial service held later for his friends in Cortez/Dolores, Colorado as well. However, a celebration of life will be held at 2 p.m., July 14, at his home church, The First Presbyterian Church of Bandon. The family asks that in lieu of flowers, please donate to the Educational Gift Fund at the First Presbyterian Church of Bandon in Jim's name.

Leave a loving comment on the online obituary.

James "Jim" Holden Phillips Jr., 91, a remarkable man, found his peace in God and entered heaven June 23, 2018 from his Bandon home.

Jim was born Dec. 16, 1926, to First Lieutenant James H. Phillips and Mary Ethel at the home of his maternal grandmother in Colorado Springs, Colo. A few weeks after his birth, the family returned to his father's duty sta-



ROWDY JACK BLANTON

DEC. 8, 2005 - JUNE 18, 2018

Rowdy was born in Coos Bay, to Adam Blanton and Stephanie Robertson.

Rowdy enjoyed many sports while growing up. He played soccer, football, wrestling and baseball. Rowdy enjoyed music and performing arts. He was a natural on stage. Rowdy had a heart of gold that could bring a smile to any face.

Rowdy is survived by parents, Adam and Jaimie Blanton, and Stephanie Robertson; brothers, Ryder, Rustyn and Beau; and sisters, Jordan, Frankie, Kadence and Kendall.

Memorials may be given at Umpqua Bank, reference: Remember Rowdy.

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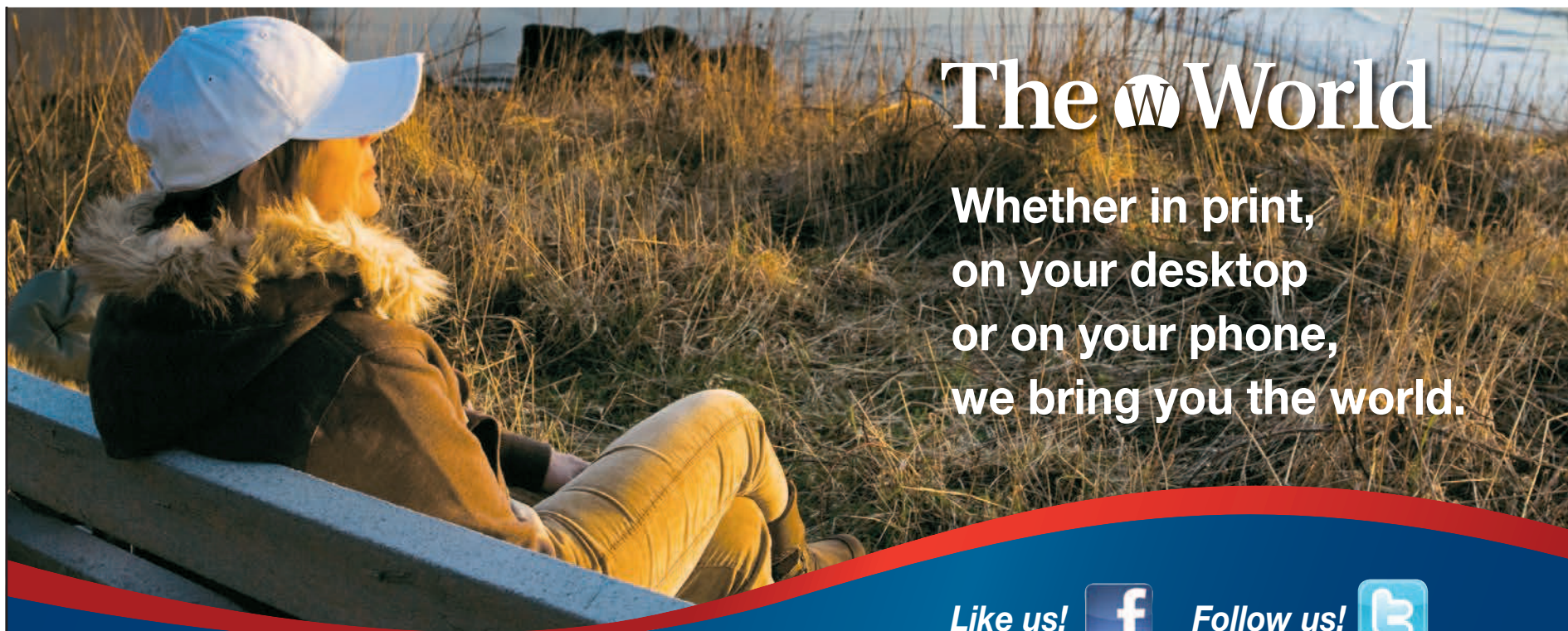
A celebration of life will be held for Rowdy Jack Blanton, 12, of Myrtle Point, at 2 p.m., Sunday, July 15, at Myrtle Crest Elementary School, 903 Myrtle Crest Ln. in Myrtle Point. He passed away June 18, 2018 in San Antonio Texas.

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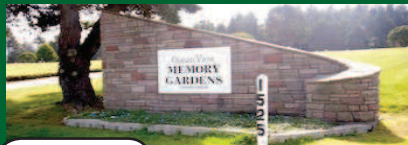
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