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A memorial service will be held for Nellie "Marie" Graham, 88, of Coos Bay at 1 p.m. April 1, 2017 at Ocean Ridge Assisted Living, 1855 Ocean Blvd. SE, in Coos Bay.

Marie was born April 3, 1928, in Rome, Tenn. to William and Icey Octavia Hayes. She passed away peacefully Jan. 1, 2017, in Coos Bay.

Marie grew up in Rome, Tenn., the seventh of nine children. She was baptized at the Belmont Heights Baptist Church in Nashville at age 12. She lived in Nashville, Tenn., until she was 17 years old.

At 17, she moved to Norfolk, Va., with her two older sisters, Nina and Frances, and worked for the munitions depot as a clerk typist during the last year of World War II. She then went to work for Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company as an operator. Marie attended beauty school in Boise, Idaho, was a lunch counter clerk in a department store, and a dress shop manager for Rasame Dress Shop and Veta Moss

#### **NELLIE MARIE GRAHAM** APRIL 3, 1928 - JAN. 1, 2017

Dress Shop in Ocean Beach, Calif. She was the past president of TOPS club in San Diego, Calif. During her life she lived in Tennessee, Virginia, Texas, North Carolina, Idaho, California, and Oregon.

She married Irvin Stuker in Portsmouth, Va., and their son, Chris Stuker was born Dec. 20, 1947 in Norfolk, Va. They later divorced and she married Richard N. Graham Sr. in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho and their son, Richard N. Graham Jr. was born July 5, 1963 in San Diego, Calif. She moved to North Bend in 1980. She attended Hauser Community Church for 25 years.

Over the years, Marie enjoyed Bible studies, garden clubs, silk flower making, and oil paintings. She sold some of her paintings at local craft shows held at Pony Village Mall. Her family, both near and far, were very important to her. She loved keeping in touch with her friends and family who lived far away through phone calls. She was very close to her grandchildren Alan and Scott Stuker, Jenna and Randall Graham, and her great-grandchildren, Michael and Iris.

Marie survived by her son, Chris Stuker and his wife, Debby of Gilroy, Calif.; her son, Richard Graham and wife, Sandi of Terrebonne; grandson, Alan Stuke of Gilroy, Calif.; granddaughter, Jenna Graham of Terrebonne; grandson, Randall Graham of Redmond; niece, Donna Pietrzak of El Cajon, Calif.; and numerous nieces and nephews across the United States.

She was preceded in death by her former husbands, parents, brothers and sisters and grandson, Scott Stuker.

Thank you to all who played a supportive role in Marie's life through the years. She cherished and prayed daily for all her family and friends.

Cremation rites and inurnment will be held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay under the direction of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131.

Lowell Everett Cooper, 84, of Eugene, previously of Reedsport, died Dec. 19, 2016, in Eugene.

A celebration of life will be held at 3 p.m. Friday Jan. 6, at the Forest Hills Golf Course Club House, 1 Country Club Drive in Reedsport. Military honors under the auspices of the U.S. Navy. Private family inurnment was held at the Reedsport Masonic Cemetery.

Lowell Everett Cooper was born Nov. 29, 1932, in Palisade, Hayes County, Neb., to Lawrance Everett and Golda Alice Henderson Cooper. He was raised and educated in Palisade where he graduated from high school in 1951. Lowell enlisted in the U.S. Navy in May 1951, where he achieved radarman first class while serving during the Korea conflict. He was on the USS Princeton, the Eldorado and the Bellgrove, until May 1955. He returned home and went on to attend Oregon State University receiving his bachelor's in business administration in March 1959.

He was united in marriage to Grace Beatrice Scribner March 20, 1954 at the

#### LOWELL EVERETT COOPER Nov. 29, 1932 - DEC. 19, 2016

Little Chapel of the Roses in Chula Vista, Calif. Together they celebrated 35 years together before she preceded him in death in 1989.

Over the years Lowell worked for Brooks-Scanlon until he attended the IRS Schooling after which he worked across southern Oregon. Later he would work as a private accountant and opened his own practice in Reedsport in August 1963 until 1989 when he retired. Lowell spent time in California and Oregon.

Among his personal interests he enjoyed traveling in the motor home and playing golf. He was a member of the Shriners, the Masonic Lodge, American Legion, Elks Lodge, Eagles Lodge and Eastern Star.

Survivors include his four children including son, David Allen Cooper of Yucca Valley, Calif.; three daughters, Laura Cooper Fenimore of Eugene, Elizabeth Michelle Ohlmann of Portland and Nancy Joan Frankes Mann of Puyallup, Wash.; grandchildren, Travis James Cooper, Kevin Michael Cooper, Kathryn Elizabeth Cooper Foran, Anthony Everett Cooper, Christopher Jude Cooper, Lydia Maureen Ohlmann Weinert, Franklin Thomas Olhmann, Marc Edouard Ohlmann, Elizabeth Ann Frakes, Catherine Grace Mann and Mary Christine Mann; and great-grandchildren, Aaron Jacob Weinert, Alexander Leo Cooper, Damian Jude Cooper, Gerard Philip Cooper, Nathaniel Allen Cooper, and Dominic Edward Cooper, Julian Edward Cooper, Daniel Joseph Foran, Brian Francis Foran, Xavier Francis Cooper, Cecilia Maria Cooper, Hnri Maxwell Ohlmann, Oliver LaPlace Ohlmann, August Reid Weinert.

Lowell was preceded in death by his parents, his wife and his brother, William Rex Cooper.

The family suggests that remembrances may be contributions made to the any Shriner's Organization in Lowell's Memory.

Arrangements are under the direction of Dunes Memorial Chapel, 541-271-2822.

# LEVI GAUDALUPE GALLO-CAMACHO

JAN. 18, 1998 - DEC. 29, 2016

A memorial Mass for Levi Guadalupe Gallo-Camacho, 18, of Coos Bay will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 7 at the Saint Monica Catholic Church, 357 S. Sixth St., in Coos Bay with Father Robert Wolf officiating. A private graveside will be held at a later date at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

Levi was born Jan. 18, 1998, in Coos Bay to Sandra and José Gallo. He passed away tragically in a logging accident in Coquille, Dec. 29, 2016.

Levi loved to be outdoors, whether it was fishing, hunting, working in the woods, mudding or spending time on the dunes. He is remembered for his calming nature, endless positivity, and infectious laugh. In his easygoing sense of humor, he could often be heard saying "You should have got a 'yota," in reference to his truck.

Levi is survived by his parents, Sandra and José Gallo of Coos Bay; an older brother, Max of Coos Bay; an older sister, Micaela of San Diego, Calif.; and the love of his life, Savannah Salazar of Coquille.

He was preceded in death by his older brother, Luis, in 2013.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the gofundme account that has been set up in his honor.

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

# LARRY W. RESCORLA SR.

JAN. 14, 1941 – JAN. 3, 2017

No public services will be held for Larry W. Rescorla Sr., 75, of Coos Bay. Private cremation rites were held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

Larry was born Jan. 14, 1941, in Mesita, Colo., to Howard and Leola (Vieths) Gullion. He passed away peacefully Jan. 3, 2017, at his home in Coos Bay.

After leaving the U.S. Navy (1960-1962) he met his forever love, Geraldine Anderson. They married after a six-week courtship in Reno, Nev. They were married until Geri's passing Jan. 11, 2014.

Together they had two children, Andrea (Rescorla) Morgan and Larry Rescorla Jr.

Larry had many jobs throughout his lifetime. He worked at Georgia-Pacific for 17 years as a millwright until the mill closed down, he went to work as a welder at Mid Coast Marines fixing and building boats for several years, then went back to the mill life at Sun plywood again as a millwright. Larry finally found his calling when he started working as a Coos County tax assessor. He loved looking at the houses and talking with the people he met daily on his job.

Larry was a very talented wood worker. He could fix and make anything that Geri wanted. She kept him busy decorating the house that they spent 50 years together building. He also enjoyed making stained glass.

Larry is survived by his children, Andi and husband, Ken Morgan, Larry and wife, Cheri Rescorla; grandchildren, Kyronn Morgan, Jayse Morgan and Mckenzie Rescorla; and one greatgranddaughter, Isabella Morgan.

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



A memorial service will be held for Richard Bushnell, 65 of Myrtle Point at 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 7, at the New Beginnings/Christian Assembly at the corner of Bothwick and A streets in Myrtle Point. A reception will immediately follow the service.

Richard was born Feb. 14, 1951 in Myrtle Point to Victor and Thelma

# **RICHARD BUSHNELL** FEB. 14, 1951 – DEC. 17, 2016

Bushnell. He passed away peacefully Dec. 17, 2016 with his family by his side.

Richard graduated from Myrtle Point High School in 1969 and earned his associate degree in forestry from Southwestern Oregon Community College in 1971. He was united in marriage to Debbie Vanlandingham on July 17, 1971. They celebrated 45 years of life together and were blessed with four amazing sons.

Richard worked for the Department of State Forestry, several private timber companies and later established Bushnell Timber Services where he cruised timber. He was a Boy Scout Leader for about 25 years, a FIRST reader at the elementary school and an outstanding volunteer at the Coos County Logging Museum. Richard was an avid outdoorsman. He enjoyed hunting, fishing camping, family history, and sharing his knowledge of the outdoors with others.

He was preceded in death by his parents and infant brother, Danny Bushnell.

Richard is survived by his wife, Debbie Bushnell; sons, Brent Bushnell and Grant Bushnell of Myrtle Point, Scott Bushnell of Tillamook and Kent Bushnell of Corvallis; brothers, Terry Bushnell and wife, Olivia of Las Vegas, Nev., and Paul Bushnell of Myrtle Point; and numerous nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.

The family suggests memorial contributions to The Coos County Logging Museum, 705 Maple St., Myrtle Point, OR 97458; FIRST Reading, P.O. Box 411, Myrtle Point, OR 97458; or a charity of choice.

Arrangements are under the direction of Amling/Schroeder Funeral Service – Myrtle Point Chapel, 541-572-2524.



Pearl B. Pingleton, 103, of Coquille, passed away Monday, Jan. 9, at Country Gardens – a caring senior residence in Coquille.

Pearl was born in Lynden, Wash., Sept. 27, 1913, to William and Elizabeth Tennant. Her father called her "Topsie" as a child and she

# **PEARL PINGLETON** SEPT. 27, 1913 – JAN. 9, 2017

sometimes accompanied him on the piano as he played his violin. Pearl loved music throughout her life and continued to play by ear: her organ/ keyboards, accordion, and the piano.

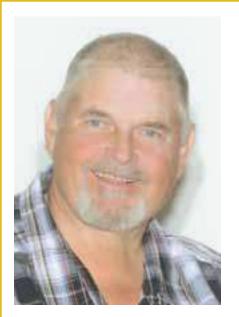
Pearl married her husband Henry L. Pingleton in 1945 and during their 61 years together they built their own home and owned several rental properties in Coquille. She greatly enjoyed gardening in her yard, taking photos with her camera, listening to music, and spending time with her family.

Left to honor and lovingly remember her, Pearl is survived by four children and their spouses, Sharon and Dave Sturdivant of Coquille, Tom and Darlene Pingleton of Winston, Mary and Gerald Aasen of Myrtle Point, and Bob and Grace Pingleton of Newberry, S.C.; 13 grandchildren, and numerous great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Henry L. Pingleton; daughter, Mona Wilcox; sisters, Mildred Spooner, Hattie Waters, and Rose Abell and brothers, Guy Tennant, and Robert Tennant.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 17, at the Coquille Community Center, 115 N. Birch St. with Chaplain John Sheese officiating, graveside vault interment will follow at Myrtle Crest Memorial Gardens, 94105 Rink Creek Lane, Coquille.

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

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



A memorial service will be held to celebrate the life of Stephen Gale Yount, 67, of North Bend, at 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 21, at the Bay Area Church of the Nazarene, 1850 Clark St., in North Bend, with Dr. Mike Myers presiding. A gathering in the church recreational hall will follow. Private cremation rites were held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

Steve was born Feb. 25, 1949, in North Bend

# **STEPHEN YOUNT** FEB. 25, 1949 – JAN. 10, 2017

to Gale Yount and Marina (Manos) Yount. He passed away peacefully Jan. 10, 2017 at Bay Area Hospital in Coos Bay.

Steve attended North Bend High School and Portland State University. Over the years, Steve worked as a longshoreman (casual card), was a partner in S&G Cattle

Company, a recreational director at the Coos Head Navy Base, and owned and operated Steve's Sports for close to 10 years.

Steve was a volunteer with the sheriff's department, a softball commissioner, and in SWOYA and

Southwestern Oregon Community College athletic programs. He was also very involved with North Bend High School athletics and worked as a timekeeper for basketball games and other athletic events. The past few years a great joy in his life was volunteering at Kingsview Christian School – working one on one with students tutoring math and reading and working as a recess monitor. Steve cared deeply for all kids. He volunteered at the first Saturday of the month skate put on by the church. You would find him in his powered wheelchair pulling young skaters around the gym to be able to get the feel of being on wheels. Kids would hang on to the back of the wheelchair and around they would go. Steve loved everyone, but kids really made his day.

Steve will be remembered for his sense of humor, big heart, bear hugs and willingness to lend a helping hand to anyone who needed it. He loved sports and classic cars. He enjoyed taking his dog, Duchess, for long walks where they stopped to chat with many friends along the way.

Steve is survived by his dog, Duchess; brother-in-law, Buz Fourmet; nephew, Lorenzo G. Fourmet and his wife, Talisha; niece, Gina Fourmet-Lepley and her husband, Scott; great-nieces, Ciara and Serena Reid; great-nephew, Isiah Vickery Fourmet; great-nieces, Kyha and Azalea Fourmet; and countless friends who loved him.

Steve was preceded in death by his parents, Gale and Marina Yount; and his sister, Deanne M. Fourmet.

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



A funeral service will be held for Richard W. "Dick" Ulrich, 80, of Coos Bay, at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 10, at Nelson's Bay Area Mortuary, 405 Elrod Ave, Coos Bay. Pastor David Woodruff will officiate. Interment will follow at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

# RICHARD ULRICH

MAY 25, 1936 – JAN. 5, 2017

Dick was born May 25, 1936 in Wickenburg, Ariz., the son of Charles and Peggy (Harp) Ulrich. He passed away Jan. 5, 2017, in Coos Bay. He was raised and educated in Arizona and Southern California. He worked as an engineer in the aerospace field for Thiem Industries until retiring. He was married to Adriana "Audrey" Mostert Jan. 18, 1969 in Redondo Beach, Calif. After retiring they moved from Orange County to Coos Bay where they have lived for the last 20 years.

Dick enjoyed fishing and hunting for many years, he liked to work in his garden, he loved to barbecue and he was famous for his fried chicken. He was a man of few words and a warm heart.

He is survived by his wife, Audrey Ulrich of Coos Bay; daughters, EvaLee Ulrich of Moreno Valley, Calif., Peggy Cansdale of Anaheim, Calif., and Tracy and Justin Fritsch of Girard, Kan.; nine grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren with two on the way; sisters, Barbara Jones of Salton Sea Beach, Calif., and Shirley White of Jasper, Texas; brother-in-law, Dutch Mostert of North Bend; and sister-in-law, Vickie Ruble of Lynden, Wash.

He was preceded in death by six brothers and sisters, Harry, Carolyn, Don, Alice, Jack, and Jerry; a grandson; and a greatgranddaughter.

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



**BARBARA LARSEN** MARCH 28, 1927 – JAN. 18, 2017

At her request, no public services will be held for Barbara M. Larsen, 89, of Coos Bay. Private cremation rites were held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay with a private inurnment to take place later in the Spring at Leaburg Cemetery in Leaburg, east of Eugene.

Barbara was born March 28, 1927 in Jackson Hole, Wyo., to Walter D. Perry and Ruby C. (Bennett) Perry. She passed away peacefully Jan. 18, 2017 at Life Care Center in Coos Bay.

Barbara graduated from Springfield High School in Eugene. She married Voyle J. Larsen in 1946. Together they raised two sons, Leonard and Walt. Barbara was a member of the Bay Area Church of the Nazarene in North Bend.

Barbara is survived by her son, Leonard Larsen and his wife, Jan; son, Walt Larsen and his wife, Laura; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

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

# **CARMEN HAKKI** SEPT. 9, 1932 - DEC. 29, 2016

Carmen Victoria Hakki, 84, Reedsport, died Dec. 29, 2016 at Aidan Senior Living in Reedsport.

A celebration of life will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 14 at Dunes Memorial Chapel, 2300 Frontage Road in Reedsport with Terry Newport officiating. Private Inurment will be held at Reedsport Masonic Cemetery.

Carmen Victoria Hakki was born Sept. 9, 1932 in Viroqua, Wisc., to John Benton and Ella Jeanette (Sherrick) Snell. She traveled with her family as a youngster until they settled in Reedsport.

Carmen was united in marriage to Ray Hakki March 13, 1948 in Reedsport. Together they celebrated years of life together and raised three children: Linda, Leland and Frank. Ray preceded her in death Sept. 30, 1986.

She raised her children on the family farm where she was busy with a big garden doing lots of canning and freezing. She also worked at the fish plant in Winchester Bay for many years. She drove the school bus and worked at the local Henderson Grocery Store.

Among her personal interests Carmen enjoyed working in her flower garden and sewing. She was a member of the Rebecca Lodge and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. She enjoyed helping others and took care of everyone around her.

Carmen was preceded in death by her son, Leland, Dec. 24, 2015 in Canada; and her only brother, Victor Snell June 5, 2006.

She is survived by her daughter and son in law, Linda and Wilkes of Reedsport; son and daughterin-law, Frank and Debbie Hakki of North Bend; 10 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

Arrangements are under the direction of Dunes Memorial Chapel, 541-271-2822.



A celebration of life service for Betty Lou Cuthbert, 90, of North Bend, will be held at 2 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 24 at the former Sumner School Gym, 60819 Selander Road in Coos Bay with Matthew McCoy officiating.

Betty was born April 20, 1926

#### **BETTY LOU CUTHBERT** APRIL 20. 1926 – JAN. 15. 2017

on the family farm near Independence, Ore., the youngest child of Richard and Audrey Alderson. She passed away Saturday, Jan. 15, 2017 in Coos Bay.

Betty married James H. Cuthbert Jan. 31, 1946. Betty and James moved to Coos Bay from Salem in 1951. She graduated from Independence High School and Beauty School before working for the state of Oregon until 1951 as a file clerk. James and she started Jim's Gun Shop in 1954, which has become JGS Precision Tool Mfg, LLC. She was known by the employees as the "Cookie Lady" providing cookies at break and loved bantering with all.

She enjoyed reading, visiting with friends and loved animals, especially dogs. Her grandchildren and great-grandchildren were the light of her life.

Betty is survived by her only daughter, Rebecca and husband, Kenneth Humbert of Coos Bay; sister, Mary Otley of Diamond, Ore.; three grandchildren, Kimberly, Jennifer, Lance; and four great-grandchildren, James, Stephen, Haley and Brooklyn.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James, June 21, 1995; parents, Richard and Audrey Alderson; and brother, William Alderson.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations be made out in Betty's name to the Alzheimer's Association, P.O. Box 96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011.

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

## **JOHN PICKETT JR.** DEC. 4, 1944 - JAN. 9, 2017

Private services will be held for John Marcus Pickett Jr.

John was born Dec. 4, 1944, in Long Beach, Calif. He passed away Jan. 9 2017, in Coos Bay. John moved to Oregon in 1976.

John was a very caring man with a love for horses and working in his shop. He was a friend to many and always there to help out those with a need.

He is survived by his son, John Pickett III; his daughter, Pamela Cervisi; his partner, Fran Hartsfield; his brother, Mick Pickett; his niece, Cari Pickett; granddaughter, Phoebe Moreno; and his much loved dog, Max.

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



Leigh Elaine (Coddington) Card lost her six-year battle with cancer Jan. 21, 2017. Leigh was the third of six children, born to Donald and Nancy Coddington.

After graduating from North Bend High School, Leigh moved to Eugene. In 1983 she married Dave Card, and had two boys. She worked

## LEIGH CARD JAN. 21, 2017

for Peace Health Laboratories for more than 30 years, as a client account analyst.

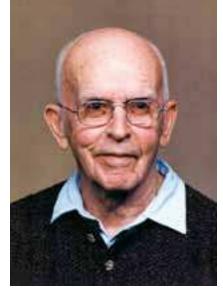
Leigh's pride and joy were her two boys, Brad and Austin.

Leigh is survived by her mother, Nancy Coddington of Eugene; her sons, Brad Card and Austin Card; sisters, Linda and Jeff Enger, Laura Cox, and Leslie and Scott McMorran; and brothers, Lowell and Larry Coddington of Eugene.

Leigh was preceded in death by her father, Donald Coddington; and brother-in-law, Tim Larkin.

A celebration of Leigh's life will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 4, at St. Jude's Church, 4330 Willamette in Eugene.

Contributions are suggested in her memory to SOLV-Oregon, the Greenhill Humane Society, or to Hospice of Sacred Heart.



A graveside committal with military honors for Eugene Albert Anderson, 90, of Myrtle Point will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 13 at Sunset Memorial Park, 63060 Millington Frontage Road in Coos Bay, with the United States Navy Honor Guard presenting colors.

Eugene was born Oct. 24, 1926 in

#### **EUGENE ANDERSON** OCT. 24, 1926 - DEC. 31, 2016

Marshfield, Ore., to Jay and Daisy Anderson. He passed away Dec. 31, 2016 at the Coquille Valley Hospital.

Eugene and his family moved to Grants Pass when he was 12 years old. He attended high school in Grants Pass, but dropped out early to join the United States Navy where he later received his GED. Eugene was in the Navy for four to six years; serving as a boiler technician on the USS Enterprise and other Navy ships. After his service, he worked at Safeway in Grants Pass for a few years and then worked as a civil service employee in Taiwan as well as many other places.

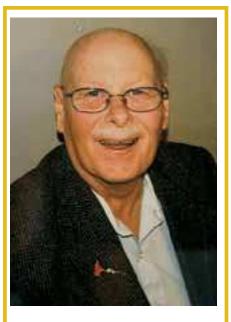
It wasn't until age 66 that Eugene decided to get married. He married Jewel Adel Weyler in September 1993 in Reno, Nev., and together they lived in Redding, Calif. After Jewel passed away, he moved back to Coos County in 2009; living in Myrtle Point for the remainder of his life. Eugene loved the water, the ocean, nature and golf.

He is survived by his nieces, Elaine Brandon (Don) of Coos Bay, Patty Bessey of Monmouth, and Kay Spray (Randy) of Bakersfield, Cali.; nephews, Clifford (Vickie) Haynes of Coos Bay, and Robert "Bobby" Anderson; uncle, Orah Fry of Evans, Wash.; as well as many cousins and great-nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Jewel; his parents; sister, June Haynes; and brother, Robert Anderson.

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





**CHARLES CONNER** MARCH 8, 1947 - JAN, 6, 2017

Charles Edward "Ed"Conner was born March 8, 1947, in Tacoma, Wash. He died Jan. 6, 2017, in Reedsport. G

Ed graduated from Mt. Tahoma High School in 1965 and served in the U.S. Air Force until 1975. He became a forestry graduate in 1975, beginning a lifelong career in the woods. He was an accomplished cabinet builder and woodworker. He loved bow hunting and fishing. He joined the Reedsport Volunteer Fire Department in 1982, becoming the training officer in 1987 and then fire chief in 1997. He retired as chief in 2002.

His parents, Don and Charlene Conner, and an older brother, Michael, preceded him in death.

Ed is survived by his wife, Alice; son, Michael and Debbie Conner of Reedsport; daughter, Holly and Ron Knight of Springfield: two grandchildren, Maya Conner and Andrew Conner of Eugene; one great-grandchild, Braxton; brother, Don and Robin Conner of Arizona; and sister, Susie and Steve McMullin of Puvallup. Wash.

A celebration of life will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 21 at the Reedsport Eagles Lodge. This will be an informal gathering of all who knew him to share memories, stories, and raise a toast.



Elizabeth Ann (Daniels) Cheslock was born Oct. 2, 1923 to Vincent Daniels and Alice (Sullivan) Daniels in Burlington, Colo. She graduated from Burlington High School May 1941 and went to Blair Business College in Colorado Springs in 1942. Shortly afterward she was employed by the FBI in Washington, D.C. where she

#### **ELIZABETH CHESLOCK** OCT. 2, 1923 - JAN. 2, 2017

shook hands with J. Edgar Hoover.

On Nov. 4, 1943, Elizabeth and Sgt. John T. Cheslock were married at Lowry Air Force base in the chapel by a Catholic chaplain in a nuptial Mass.

After the war, they moved to Detroit, Mich., where her husband was employed at the Dodge main plant and she worked for Montgomery Ward in the credit department. They moved back to Burlington, Colo., where her husband had his own auto body business and she did their bookkeeping. Then they moved to Oregon and John went to college after many years of his lovely wife Elizabeth's encouragement and graduated as a doctor of optometry. After graduation they moved to North Bend, where John had his optometry practice and Elizabeth worked as his office manager. After they retired they volunteered their optometry services at the Navajo Nation, Cheyenne River Reservation and in Mexico. Cheyenne

#### River had incorporated a "Dr. and Mrs. Cheslock Day" in their honor.

They loved to travel, and traveled to almost all the states including Alaska and Hawaii. They also traveled through Europe including religious pilgrimages. Elizabeth was a very religious Catholic Christian and mother.

Her husband died Jan. 22, 2010.

Elizabeth's survivors include brother, Gene Daniels; eight children, Elizabeth Crowell (Dr. Gary Crowell), John Cheslock (Jamie Cheslock), Mary Fischer (Ed Fischer), Dr. William Cheslock (Deidre Cheslock), Theresa Cheslock, Dr. James Cheslock (Rhea Cheslock), Thomas Cheslock (Pam Cheslock), and Dr. Germaine Cheslock (Dr. Howard Heisler); 27 grandchildren, and 14 great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 14, at St. James Catholic Church in McMinnville. Interment will take place at Willamette National Cemetery Jan. 16.



**DOROTHY JOHNSON** AUG. 16, 1930 - JAN. 9, 2017

Dorothy (Simon) Johnson was born Aug. 16, 1930, in San Rafael, Calif., to Eugene and Julia Simon. She died Jan. 9, 2017, in Reedsport.

Dot and Swede were married July 9, 1950. Swede said, "66 years is a long time, but not long enough."

Dorothy was known for, and loved to, set up and cater large family gatherings, she also made it clear, the door was always open for friends and family.

She loved fishing San Pablo Bay for sturgeon and bass, and more recently salmon fishing and crabbing in Winchester Bay.

She is survived by her husband, Vernon "Swede" Johnson; two sons, Vic and Tom; three grandchildren, Chris, Jesse and Erin; and two great-grandchildren, Akayla and Colton.

She was preceded in death by her two brothers, Gene and George; and two sisters, Helen and Julia.

She will be missed by all.

A service was held at Saint John's Catholic Church in Reedsport Jan. 17. A second service will be held in the Petaluma, Calif., area in the near future.



No local public services will be held for James Freeman Hammons, 88, of North Bend. Private cremation rites were held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

James Hammons was born April 16, 1928 in Kansas City, Mo. He left this world 88 years later Jan. 8, 2017 in North Bend with his wife, Nan at his side.

Jim and Nan had 30 years of bliss together, loving their land at La Vita Nueva, planting prodigious gardens. Jim built beautiful winding rock walls with terrace and arch and turret, each adorned with his mosaics of stained glass. He built Nan a six-sided studio for her work as an artist.

They rescued animals together, one of local fame, Tommy, the Tibetan Mastiff who got lost but was found because this community has heart.

Jim left home when he was 14 and made his way in the world as a cowboy in both Wyoming and Colorado, and as a Merchant Marine sailing the world. He walked on the Great Wall of China and visited many of the great ports of the world.

He settled in North Bend in his early 20's and ranched and spent most of his working life as a longshoreman, Local 12. Jim was a true Renaissance man, talented and gifted at painting, stained glass, mosaics, pottery and rock carving. He read literally thousands of books and was a published poet and novelist. He was a thinking man.

Jim and Nan traveled to Great Britain on a cargo ship, rented a car and drove all over England, Wales and then their most loved Ireland. They toured the great cathedrals of Italy.

Jim was a very proud member of Alcoholics Anonymous and would have celebrated 30 years of sobriety this year.

There will be a garden celebration of Jim's beautifully authentic life in July at La Vita Nueva.

Jim is survived by his wife, Nancy Hammons of North Bend.

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



A memorial service for Gloria Gay Yanes, 69, of Coos Bay will be held at 1 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 4 at the First Baptist Church of Coos Bay, 1140 S. 10th St., in Coos Bay with Pastor Gary Rice officiating.

Gloria was born in Fresno, Calif., Oct. 24, 1947. She was the third child in a family of nine children born to Wiley F. Cole, Sr. and Gloria Cole (Hoffman). Gloria took possession of her mansion and moved into

#### **GLORIA GAY YANES** OCT. 24, 1947 – DEC. 29, 2016

**JAMES HAMMONS** APRIL 16, 1928 – JAN. 8, 2017

her Heavenly home Dec. 29, 2016, where the Bible says she is living with her Heavenly Father -- pain free and without tears or sorrow.

She learned to work hard and assume responsibility at an early age, two character assets that remained with her until death.

Gloria had a servant's heart, and was always ready to go beyond what is considered "normal" when it came to helping others. During her life on this earth, she was a blessing to many people and her kind, generous spirit quickly turned acquaintances into friends.

She was a member of First Baptist Church of Coos Bay and although in recent years she was hindered by poor health, she continued to give from her heart to others. Gloria loved people, especially children and enjoyed assisting in the children's ministries of the church. Her special love for little ones prompted her to be involved in teaching Sunday school and raising funds for projects that would bring the good news of Jesus' love to them. Because of her sincere love and efforts on behalf of children, her family has requested that in lieu of flowers, a gift under her name to the

#### Child Evangelism Fellowship of Oregon, INC, Coos County Chapter, P.O. Box 1405, Coos Bay, OR 97420 be considered. All donations will be used to fund projects such as Good News Clubs as well as individual scholarships for children's summer camps.

Gloria will be sincerely missed by the many people who considered her more than just a friend.

She is survived by two sons, Damon Richard and Dawn Yanes of Coos Bay and Dexter Ray and Bea Yanes of Arizona; one granddaughter, Shawnee Yanes and fiance, Nathan Flood; one great-grandson, Niko of Coos Bay; two stepgrandsons, Hayden Murphy and Riley Murphy of Coos Bay; three sisters, Wanda R. Bellamy and M. Ellen Ashoori, both of Myrtle Beach, S.C., and Janie C. Perlenfein of Coos Bay; two brothers, Elton G. Cole and Joe T. Cole, both of Eagle Creek; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents and three brothers, Wiley F. Cole Jr., Vernon Luther Cole and John M. Cole of Oregon.

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# **JOSEPH RAYMOND WULFENSTEIN**

OCT. 8, 1937 - JAN. 13, 2017



On Jan. 13 2017, Joseph Raymond "Ray" Wulfenstein made his final lap around this earthly life to join his beloved bride, Irene, at the finish line. He was 79 years old.

He was born to parents Velma Ruth (Edwards) Wulfenstein Hall and James Elroy Wulfenstein Oct. 8, 1937 in St George, Utah. He moved to Lakeside, Ore., at the age of 10 and then at the age of 15 to Las Vegas, Nev., where he graduated from Las Vegas High School in 1956.

Ray married his sweetheart, Irene Dorothy Eriksson, Aug. 2, 1957 in the St. George Church of Jesus Christ of Latterday Saints temple. Together they raised four children and became the grandparents of 15 grandchildren and 10 greatgrandchildren.

"The Stormin' Mormon", as he was referred to in his years of racing cars, was constantly on the go and always working on a project. As a young man, Ray worked as a painting contractor in Las Vegas before moving to Pahrump, Nev., in 1972. There he began paving the road toward his dream of developing the small town and establishing a name for himself. Ray worked day and night, and with the support of his wife, he built a successful real estate business and construction company. Ray loved and supported the community of Pahrump, but his heart was always on the Oregon coast. Ray and his family spent many summers vacationing in Oregon, where he welcomed family, friends, acquaintances and even strangers to join him for a good time. Whether it was a heartstopping ride in his Jeep on the Oregon dunes, getting flipped around on a water tube as he expertly steered his boat, or being served up a deep-fried meal cooked by the man himself, he made sure everyone was eating well and having fun.

Ray was preceded in death by his beautiful bride, Irene, his parents and his siblings.

He is survived by his children, James (Terri) Wulfenstein, Cynthia (Michael) Colucci, Steven Wulfenstein and Judith (Douglas) Maughan; as well as his grandchildren, Bryan (Suzie) Wulfenstein, Brittany (Christopher) Jacoby, Michelle (Andy) Rimer, Michael (Sara Coleman) Colucci, Amy (Mark) Carter, Jill Wulfenstein, Joey Colucci, Lisa (Jud) Holtan, Rachel Maughan, Sara (Jantzen) Bowles, Katie (Beau) Condie, Bradley Wulfenstein, Scott Maughan, Sabrina Maughan, Tristan Maughan; and 10 great-grandchildren, Olive, Poppy, and Townes Jacoby, Koltyn and Bryce Rimer, Jace, Cade, Trey, and Emri Wulfenstein, and Gracie Irene Carter.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, Jan. 21, Pahrump, Nev.





A gathering to celebrate the life of Capt. Jerry W. White, 73, of North Bend, will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 21 at the Red Lion Inn, Umpqua Ballroom, 1313 N. Bayshore Drive in Coos Bay. A private family urnside service was held at Sunset Memorial Park Cemetery in Coos Bay. Jerry was born Nov. 20, 1943, in Jay,



Okla., to Euel White and Ocie Mae (Tudor) White. He passed away peacefully Jan. 6, 2017, at his home in North Bend with his wife, Sandra, by his side.

Jerry and his family moved in 1950 to Bandon, where he was raised. He entered into the U.S. Army in 1960. Following his honorable discharge he spent a short time in the logging industry, and then he began his lifelong career in the maritime industry, as a tugboat captain.

At the age of 23, Jerry got a job at Oliver J. Olson & Company. It was 1967 and he needed a letter of employment to get a Z Card (mariner's document) from the Coast Guard. Jerry started on the tug E. Whitney Olson, starting at the very lowest position on the boat,

#### **CAPT. JERRY WHITE** Nov. 20, 1943 – JAN. 6, 2017

seaman. In 1968 he got a mate's job at Sause Bros. It was there that he learned how to operate a boat, through on the job training, and in 1973 he qualified for a towboat operator license. He continued to work for different towboat companies while he waited for an opening in the pilot's association. He got his pilotage for Coos Bay in 1977, but it was not until 1989 that he acquired a position.

Jerry climbed the career ladder from employee to employer. He began as a lowly seaman for the Olson Company, but by the time he retired from piloting, he owned his own tug company, Oregon Offshore Towing, Inc., and one of the first tugs he purchased was the Mauna Loa, previously owned by Olson.

Negotiating a rough bar and traversing ocean swells never really bothered Jerry. It was the fog that was his nemesis, and least favorite weather condition. Jerry was an exceptional man and he will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Jerry is survived by his wife, Sandra Basney-White of North Bend; daughter, Lisa Whittaker of Eugene; daughter, Carrye Hudnall and her husband, Rick, of Yakima, Wash.; brother, Barney White and his wife, Judy of Coos Bay; sister, Betty Sells and her husband, Gary of North Bend; nine grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and special mention to his namesake, Reece White Billeter of Coos Bay.

Jerry's family would like to extend their deepest gratitude to OHSU CVI team as well as ELVAD for all of their care and support.

Memorial contributions in Jerry's name should be directed to OHSU Foundation, KCVI Patient Assistance Fund, Mailstop 45, P.O. Box 4000, Portland, OR 97208-9852.

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# **GALE STEVENSON** DEC. 1, 1921 - JAN. 16, 2017

Gale was born Dec. 1, 1921, in Gardiner, but grew up in the Redding, Calif., area. He joined the U.S. Marine Corps during World War II and served his country stationed in Hawaii.

After the war he returned home and helped build Shasta Dam. He later moved to Bandon met and married Violet Rose Loshbaugh in July 1953. They were married 56 years before her death in 2009. They moved to Fourmile area and built a home on property that Violet's parents gave them where they lived for 30 years before having a house built in Bandon in 1988. They raised cranberries. He was a longshoreman working out of the Port of Bandon and later out of the Port of Coos Bay until his retirement. He loved to hunt and fish with friends and in later years with his brother Cliff. He could tell stories about the big one that got away.

He is survived by his brother, Cliff of California: sister. Beth of Tennessee; son, Gary Stevenson of Sacramento, Calif.; daughters, Connie and Chuck Brook of Medford, Linda and Tom Malmav of LaPine, and Jane and Shigeo Oku of Coquille; granddaughters, Andrea and Krystal of Coquille, and Marshelle of Bend; grandsons, Lee and Iill of Phoenix, and Chris of Burbank; and great-granddaughters. Halev of Coquille and Brooklyn of Phoenix. In his last years he could be found with friends having coffee at the local café. He was a loving father. grandfather, great-grandfather and friend. He will be missed by all.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 21, 2017, at Amling Schroeder Funeral Service Bandon Chapel.



A public visitation for William Myers, 90, of Coos Bay will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 26 at the Coos Bay Chapel, 685 Anderson Ave., in Coos Bay. A celebration of life memorial will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 28 at Coos Bay Christian Fellowship, 61570 U.S. Highway 101 in Coos Bay with Pastor Jim Parmenter officiating

William was born Dec. 31, 1926, in Lafontaine, Kan., to Joseph and Esther Myers. He passed away Jan. 9, 2017, in Coos Bay.

After graduation from Fredonia High School in Kansas, Bill answered his nation's call and enlisted in the U.S. Navy in July 1945. He often joked that "Hirohito knew that he was on the way" which was why the Japanese surrendered. After his discharge from active duty, Bill returned to Kansas to attend college, and to meet his future wife, Sharon Pond. Bill was then recalled to active duty when the Korean War began. The Navy allowed Bill to complete his junior college degree rather than report for duty immediately.

On April 6, 1951, Bill and Sharon were married in Independence, Kan. In June 1951, Bill reported aboard a reserve training ship in San Diego, Calif. After serving on that ship for 16 months, they decided to reside in San Diego rather than relocate to Kansas. Bill enrolled at San Diego State College (now University). Unfortunately, Bill was unable to complete his studies there, because of a series of circumstances. The Navy beckoned once again, so in May 1955, Bill reenlisted as

# WILLIAM MYERS DEC. 31, 1926 – JAN. 9, 2017

a second class petty officer, sonar technician. After reenlistment, Bill was assigned to a ship at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. By now they had two children, and one on the way. The family joined Bill in Hawaii after sailing on a naval vessel across the Pacific Ocean. Bill was promoted to first class petty officer, while stationed in Hawaii.

In February 1958, Bill was reassigned to a ship stationed in Long Beach, Calif. The family decided to settle in San Diego, which resulted in periods of separation. Bill was subsequently reassigned to a ship home ported in San Diego. In 1960, Bill was promoted to the rank of chief, sonar technician. While stationed there, Bill was assigned to four different ships, which necessitated many West Pac cruises, of at least six month duration. Bill also served as an instructor at the fleet Anti-Submarine Warfare (ASW) School. Ultimately, Bill was promoted to master chief (the highest enlisted rank).

In June 1970, Bill completed his college studies at San Diego State (some of which was done while working full time for the Navy). Bill retired from the U.S. Navy in February 1980, after serving 30 years! After retirement, Bill accepted a position with Civil Service, working at Camp Pendleton United States Marine Corps Base in Oceanside, Calif.

Bill then decided it was time to retire from that job. In March 1995, he and Sharon relocated to Coos Bay to be near a son and his family.

Bill never did fully retire. Upon arriving in Coos Bay, Bill noticed a huge need for organizing the more than 900 worship songs that were sung at Coos Bay Christian Fellowship through the years. He had the time and resources to invest in this monumental task. Starting with an electric typewriter, and then with a personal computer, Bill took lyrics and chords to songs that were mostly handwritten on paper, and were painstakingly transcribed, and inserted into threering binders for all the worship leaders' use. He also at his own expense started printing "song sheets" for every church service (which were inserted into church bulletins), retreats and bible studies. If worship songs were to be sung, there was a song sheet produced by Bill! What he started with the organization of worship songs, was ultimately transformed into the same songs and lyrics being displayed on TV monitors in the church sanctuary. He saw this transformation take place, but never realized that he was instrumental in its genesis.

Bill's mission in life was to share the love of Jesus to others. He desired for everyone to know the life change that only Jesus can bring to the human heart and soul. Even with his mind failing, he knew that he was to share Jesus, with the residents, and staff at Bayside Terrace Memory Care.

Bill, truly had a "servant's heart." This is beautifully depicted in the personalized license plates on the vehicle that Bill and Sharon once owned, BTOBAB (Bless To Be A Blessing). This is a reference to Genesis 12:3 "I will bless those who bless you."

Special recognition is given to the physicians, and nursing staff of the Cardiac and Vascular Hospital at RiverBend in Springfield, Bay Cities Ambulance Service, Bay Area Hospital E.R. staff (especially nurse Marcella), South Coast Hospice and Bayside Terrace Memory Care staff.

William is survived by his wife, Sharon Myers of North Bend; his sons, David Myers and wife, Jacqui of North Bend, Rick Myers and wife, Lanett of North Bend, and Gary Myers of Salem; granddaughter, Nicole Zatta and husband, Jeremy of Portland; grandson, Matthew Myers and wife, Amy of North Bend; and six great-grandchildren, Gage, Nathan, Mya, Ava, Eliza and Keira.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that a donation be made to South Coast Hospice, 1620 Thompson Road in Coos Bay.

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





A chapel funeral service for Elmer Earl Lively, 95, of North Bend will be held at 10 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 28 at the Coos Bay Chapel, 685 Anderson Avenue., in Coos Bay with pastor Don Berney of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship officiating. An interment with military honors will follow the service at Ocean View Memory Gardens, 1525 Ocean Blvd., in Coos Bay.

Elmer was born May 8, 1921, in Webster, Wisc., to Guy and Bessie Lively. He passed

#### **ELMER LIVELY** MAY 8, 1921 – JAN. 15, 2017

away Jan. 15, 2017, in North Bend.

Elmer was proud to have served his country in the United States Army under General George Patton. He was married to the love of his life, Eldora May (Snyder) Lively until her passing in 2013. Alongside his brother, Al, Elmer was the owner of a sawmill. He also drove log and chip trucks for many years.

Elmer was blessed to have lived at Inland Point Assisted Living in North Bend for the past two years.

He is survived by his daughter, Susan Strain of North Bend; sons, Jerry Lively of Hardin, Mont., and Richard Lively of Coos Bay; granddaughters, Nikki Lonergan and Christie Wittlake of Coos Bay; and grandsons, Hayden Zimmerman of the Dalles, Zane Herrmann and Travis Wittlake Jr. of Coos Bay.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Eldora; and siblings, Wilma, Irene, Al and Vern.

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#### **DORIS BERGLUND** AUG. 3, 1933 - JAN. 17, 2017

Doris Verlee Berglund passed away Jan. 17, 2017, in Myrtle Point. Mom was born Aug. 3, 1933, in Rupert, Idaho to Theodore and Thula Johnson. She married Milton "Sonny" "Bergie" Berglund Oct. 23, 1953, in Orofino, Idaho. They made their home at Johnson Mill until its closure in 1972, at which time they moved to Coos Bay.

Mom spent many years working as a waitress at the Fountain (later renamed the Ponderosa), a job she really enjoyed. After moving to Oregon, she continued working as a waitress and motel manager, retiring in the 1980's. Mom enjoyed working with flowers, camping, spending time with her family, and crocheting. With Sonny's death in 1984, Mom concentrated on her family, baking, crocheting, etc. Mom had spent the last nine years as a resident at Myrtle Point Care Center, where she made several new friends who she looked on as extended family and had a smile for everyone. Mom will be missed greatly by her family and friends.

Mom is survived by her daughters, Debra Berglund and Lynn Sorenson; son, Teddy and wife, Michelle of Coquille; granddaughters, Trina Wilmot and Aurora Moss; grandsons, Jerry Sorenson and Chris Moss; two great-grandchildren; and multiple nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, both parents, both sisters and both brothers.

Mom will be buried with her husband at Sunset Memorial Cemetery at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 26 with family and close friends in attendance.



Evelyn E. Breuer passed away in Coquille Dec. 17, 2016 at the age of 96. She was born in Myrtle Point Nov. 5, 1920, to Walter and Ruby Barklow as the second of five children. Her early years were spent in Myrtle Point. In 1929 the family moved to Hubbards Creek near Port Orford and then to Grants Pass where she finished grammar school. She started high school in Grants Pass, but finished in Powers, where she graduated as valedictorian of her class in 1940.

After high school she worked at the Cream Crust Bakery in Marshfield for many years and then at Safeway in Oregon City. During World War II she worked at the Swan Island ship yards. She attended night school at Northwestern and obtained a degree in stenography. She then moved back to Coos Bay and met the love of her life - Vern Breuer - at a Sadie Hawkins dance at the Oaks Pavilion on the Coos County Fairgrounds. On Dec. 10, 1945 she married Vern in Vancouver, Wash., and they were married for 51 years with most of their lives together being on the family ranch up Catching Creek.

Evelyn considered herself a career woman. Over her career she worked for George Linn Insurance, Attorneys Frank Meldrum and Wallace Dement, Hogan Realty, and as an officer for

#### **EVELYN BREUER** 1920 – 2016

Bank of Myrtle Point. In her retirement years she continued to be active with many organizations. She served as a trustee for the Coos County Historical Association, served as a greeter at the Coos County Fair, she volunteered at the Myrtle Point Logging Museum and at the Senior Center in Myrtle Point. One of her favorite volunteer activities was serving as a greeter at the Sawdust Theatre.

She was active in the Community of Christ Church and the Myrtle Point Community Church.

In her earlier years of marriage, Evelyn spent many summers tent camping with her family in central Oregon. Among her favorite activities was spending time on the coast and spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren around her. She was a talented basket maker and loved to write.

She is survived by her son, Vern Breuer Jr. and his wife, Kathy of Myrtle Point; her son, John Breuer and Mary Kay of Coquille; and her daughter, Susan Breuer and her husband, Ed Tyner of Myrtle Point. She also is survived by 11 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren; y her sisters, Mary Adams of Eugene and Jackie Seals of Myrtle Point; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Vern Breuer; her sister, Maxine Hogan; her sister, Betty Schroeder; and her brother, Walter Barklow.

Evelyn will be missed by all who knew her. A celebration of life is scheduled for 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 21, at the Sawdust Theatre in Coquille. In lieu of flowers or gifts, memorial contributions can be made to the Myrtle Point Logging Museum, The Sawdust Theatre, or the Myrtle Point Senior Center.

Arrangements are under the direction of Amling/Schroeder Funeral Service – Myrtle Point Chapel, 541-572-2524.

#### DAVID RUSSELL PENNINGTON JAN. 22, 1953 - JAN. 5, 2017

Our beloved David Russell Pennington left this world surrounded by his loving family Jan. 5, 2017. He was born Jan. 22, 1953 in Coos Bay, growing up near the ocean which he truly loved. David graduated from Marshfield High School in Coos Bay and immediately set out for new adventures, one of which was a time with the Merchant Marines and then he was onto his life in Portland.

David had amazing talents and skills. He was one of the most skilled and innovative contractors in the world as his clients will attest to. He had his own business for 35 years. In his spare time he built furniture and always created a beautiful space wherever he lived. His was an amazing chef and loved to create his own recipes. He was a talented skier and brave white water river guide. He loved to take the dogs hiking and pick wild plants and herbs. The list could go on about the talents and passions of this man, but what stands out most is the depth of his heart that showed through in the twinkle of his eye.

David met his best friend and wife, Maurita through a mutual friend in Portland in 1983. They married in 1987 in Hawaii and set forth on their adventure together. This adventure included raising their two beautiful children, moving from Portland to Sun Valley, Idaho where they spent 11 years skiing and enjoying their horses, goat, dogs and cats surrounded by Mountains. They eventually left the cold Sun Valley winters to Arizona and California.

David is survived by his wife, Maurita who resides in Sierra Madre, Calif.; as well as his daughter, Jessica L. Pennington; his son, Justin L. Pennington; his mother, Barbara Pennington; his two sisters, Nancy Rembold and Debra Jansson (Claes); and his brother, Don Pennington.

He was preceded in death by his father, Jack R. Pennington; and his brother, Scott Pennington.

David was an amazing father, husband, son, and uncle. His two children not only loved him as their father, but admired and respected him as a person. His capacity to love unconditionally and his never give up spirit will be missed by all. Because of his love for adventure and the tropics, his ashes will be flown and scattered in Bali. His family and friends are planning a private celebration in Newport, Calif.

# **DALE BARTON** DEC. 27, 1937 - JAN. 4, 2017

Dale Barton, 79, died Jan. 4, 2017, of complications from cancer. He was born Dec. 27, 1937 in Fruita, Colo., he grew up in Yakima. After graduating from Yakima high, he joined the U.S. Air Force. In 1965, he was married to Bertha.

He was an avid golfer for almost 50 years. In later years, he made many sets of golf clubs for family and friends.

In 1990, he and Marion were married in Boise, Idaho. After retiring from St. Luke's Regional Medical Center in Boise, and after Marion's retirement, they moved to Coos Bay in 2002. He is survived by his wife, Marion; son, Brian; daughter, Denise; stepsons, John and Rick; brother, Frank; sister, Nova; grandsons, Drew, Kyle and Ryan; and numerous other family members, as well as special friends and golf buddies, John and Dr. Dale.

Thanks go to the people at the Cancer Center at Bay Area Hospital, Coos Bay, who supported Dale in his cancer fight.

In his memory, give a donation to the charity of your choice.

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



A memorial Mass will be held for Delpha Jakovac, 82, of North Bend, at 10 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 14, at Holy Redeemer Catholic Church, 2250 16th St., in North Bend with Father Jim Graham presiding. A reception will follow in the Parish Hall. A private inurnment will take place at Sunset Memorial Park Cemetery at a later date.

Delpha was born June 15, 1934 in North Bend, to Roland Granville James and Nell Viola (Combs) James. She passed away peacefully at her home in North Bend Dec. 31, 2016.

Survived by her five children, seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren, Delpha Jakovac, in her 82 years, left a loving legacy of service to the community and to the arts; enduring compassion and grace to all who knew her; and infectious sense of humor tempered with an honest optimism in the face of personal challenges. She was a gentle matriarch who beneficently instilled in her children the core human value of giving of oneself to others less fortunate; a helping hand when needed, encouraging words to those beset with worry and emotional anguish. In no small measure, Delpha was a great woman of empathy. "Do for others as you would have done for you," was her credo, her loving example.

Delpha was a wonderfully talented musician, a classically trained pianist with absolute pitch. In the '60s, she co-ran the Academy of Arts school in North Bend with longtime friend and owner/executive director, Hope Cahill, bringing music and dance to a community hungry for art and culture. She also taught piano and voice privately to both youngsters and adults during this period. Other artistic achievements included several musical theater productions, as musical director, for the Liberty

# **DELPHA JAKOVAC** JUNE 15, 1934 – DEC. 31, 2016

Theater, aka, The Little Theater on the Bay, and later, the Senior Follies, again with Hope Cahill at the helm.

Delpha worked for many years in the social services profession as a child care provider, and later, as a program administrator for the federal community action block grant programs birthed by President Johnson's "Great Society" vision for combating poverty in America. Her work for the poor in the areas of health, nutrition, energy and housing earned her many service citations in the '70s and '80s. She worked tirelessly as an advocate for needy adults and families, traveling up and down the I-5 corridor and the south coast to meetings to ensure that the basic needs of the poor were not neglected by state bureaucrats controlling the purse strings. She was affectionately known as the "Cheese Lady", for her efforts in distributing FDA-approved cheese bricks, among other foods, in addition to running the annual holiday gift basket program for the entire south coast region. She also was very active in the church, serving as organist and choral director for many years for Holy Redeemer Catholic Church in North Bend. Delpha retired at age 65 and lived with her devoted husband, Joseph Jakovac Sr.,

who preceded her in death in January 2006.

Delpha is survived by her son, Joseph John Jakovac Jr. of Oakland, Calif.; daughter, Stephanie Ljube Jakovac and Michael Philbrick of North Bend; son, Christopher Daniel Jakovac and his wife, Shelly of Battleground, Wash.; daughter, Bernarda Elise Liggett of North Bend; daughter, Marta Ann Jakovac and John Hubbard of Coos Bay; sister, Naida Hedgepeth of Beaverton; sister, Carole Schaefers and her husband, Al of Coos Bay; grandchildren, Chelsea Jakovac and Jed Corliss of Coos Bay, Douglas Jakovac of Mesa, Ariz., Curtis Jakovac and Jaime Reiswig of Eugene, Nicholas Jakovac of Roy, Wash., Matilda and Joseph Jakovac of Battleground, Wash., and Amelia Hess and husband, Brandon of Jefferson; great-grandchildren, Andrew Colton of Lakeside, Howard Blanton of Coquille, James and Ljube Corliss of Coos Bay, Avery and Curtis Jakovac of Mesa, Ariz., Bailey Jakovac of Wichita Falls, Texas and Hank Hess of Jefferson; and numerous nieces, nephews, friends and her loving Bill W. Family. Memorial contributions may be made to the

Knights of Columbus Holiday Food Baskets.

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# **JERRY KIEFER** JULY 1, 1960 - JAN. 4, 2017

Ierry "Googer" Neil Kiefer. 56, passed away suddenly Jan. 4, 2017 in Bandon. He was born in Bandon July 1, 1960, to Robie Ray and Neva Dean Kiefer.

Jerry is survived by his five siblings and their spouses. Dewey and Shelly Kiefer, Robert and Terry Kiefer, Diana and Bob Thiessen, Darrell (Heimer) and Joanie Kiefer and Gary Kiefer; and six nieces and nine nephews, Dewey Kiefer Jr., Morgan Bice, J.J. Sheffield, Ross Kiefer, Clark Andersen, Burt Swanson, Chris Andersen, Juliana Farnsworth, Michael Kiefer, Tia Haskins, Mahina Lui-Kwan. Nicholas Lui-Kwan. Erin Kiefer and Robie Kiefer.

He was preceded in death by his father, mother and sister, Funeral Service, Bandon. Karen Andersen.

Ierry loved his hometown and never wanted to live anywhere else. Jerry was an avid sports fan and loved watching PAC 12 football and the Oakland Raiders. He was raised by his mother to be an ardent Cubs fan. He was so excited and happy when the Cubs won the World Series last year. But more than anything, he deeply loved his family and friends.

Peace be with you little brother, we will always carry your memory in our hearts.

There will be a celebration of Jerry's life on from 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 14, at the Bandon VFW Hall.

Arrangements are under the direction of Amling Schroeder

# JOHN BRADLEY SR. JULY 20, 1935 - DEC. 28, 2016



John Bradley Sr. is survived by his wife of 41 years, Darleen Bradley; two sisters, Ruby Johnson and Doris Peeples; a cousin. Billy Prince: three children. Johnnie Jr. Patricia, and Lynne; six stepchildren Karen, Richard, La Nae, Cynthia, Linda and Vance; also many friends.

John will be buried at sea as requested. He served the U.S. Navy in the Seabees for 20 years, retiring in October 1974. John was ordained in 1983 after Bible school and internship. Just before final retirement John and Darleen taught Bible at the Shutter Creek Prison twice a week, which was the most rewarding work we ever did for our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, our Messiah.

Memorial contributions may be made to Rescue Christians, 2865 S. Eagle Road, No. 310, Newton PA 18940 1-877-832-7200.

#### **HUGH TYSON** OCT. 25, 1940 - DEC. 16, 2016



Hugo Tyson died peacefully at home of pulmonary fibrosis. He was a loving and supportive husband and father. For over four decades, he was a skilled and compassionate physician. He had an unselfconscious and gregarious charm that touched the lives of all those around him. His work in the Indian Health Service and the U.S. Coast Guard fostered lifelong friendships and lasting gratitude. His love of learning and desire to deeply understand the world staved with him to the very end.

He is survived and remembered by his wife. Ingrid Stilson Tyson; three children, Nicco, Anya, and Jake; his sister, Penny Tyson Adams; and many dear friends.

Hugo's family can be contacted at 130 Principe de Paz. Santa Fe, NM 87508.

### JEFFERSON D. COX, M.D. MARCH 23, 1948 - DEC. 29, 2016

Jefferson D. Cox, M.D. passed away Dec. 29, 2016, at his family's ranch near Buffalo Gap, Texas. A private service was held at the family ranch. A family visitation will be held Tuesday, Jan. 10, 2017, at the Odessa Country Club, from 4:30 to 6 p.m.

Iefferson was born in North Bend, Ore., to Leslie and Doris Cox March 23, 1948. He was an Eagle Scout and graduated from Marshfield High School in 1966. He graduated from the University of Oregon Honors College in 1970 and Washington University Medical School in St. Louis in 1980, both with honors.

He married Kathleen Reeves in 1968 in North Bend. After completing his residency at Baylor Hospital in Dallas, Texas Jefferson worked as a physician specializing in radiology in

Odessa, Texas for 32 years. He was a Vietnam veteran, serving in the United States Air Force from 1970-1974, rising to the rank of captain during that time.

Jefferson is survived by his wife, Kathleen; his son, Cary Michael Cox and wife. Robbie Shan Cox with grandchildren. Jackson, Wyatt John, Anson and Caroline; and by his son, Iefferson Randall Cox and wife. Ashley Dawn Cox with grandchildren. Jefferson Noah and Charlotte Dawn: and many dear friends he loved as part of his family.

Donations in Jefferson's honor should be made to the Boy Scouts of America or the West Texas Food Bank.

Arrangements were by The Hamil Family Funeral Home, 325-692-2322.

#### **RICHARD KYLLO JR.** DEC. 18, 1963 – JAN. 2, 2017



A memorial service to celebrate the life of Richard W. Kyllo Jr., 53, of North Bend, will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 15 at the North Bend Chapel, 2014 McPherson Ave.

Rich was born Dec. 18, 1963 in Reedsport to Dick and Ann Kyllo. He passed away Jan. 2, 2017 in Coos Bay following a brief battle with cancer.

Rich is survived by his boys; JR (James Richard), Jacob, Jared and Brody, all of North Bend; siblings, Alan, Brian, Randy and Sandie; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

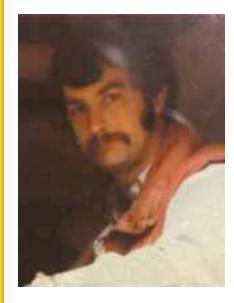
Rich was preceded in death by his dad, Dick Kyllo; and mom, Ann Tucker.

Memorial contributions may be made in Rich's name to the North Bend Bank of the Cascades to assist the family.

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

# ROBERT MONTGOMERY

JAN. 28, 1951 - JAN. 9, 2017



Robert L. Montgomery was born to Dorothy Owens and Robert Eugene Montgomery in Coos Bay. He loved the outdoors, hunting in his younger years, fishing and crabbing. He was a diesel mechanic and log truck driver for 40 years. He loved riding his Harley and having drinks with his crew. A private memorial will be held.

Robert is survived by his daughter, Heather Gilberts; his grandsons, Cooper and Jackson Gilberts; his brother, George Montgomery; sister, Luann Montgomery; and nephews, Bobby and Joe Montgomery.



A celebration of life will be held for Linda "Joy" Murphey, of Reedsport at 1 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 7, at the Winchester Bay Community Building (the old Grange Hall). No graveside service will be held.

Joy was born June 8, 1937 in Dos Palos, Calif., to A.G. "Ted" Worthylake and Maybelle Carey Worthylake. She was raised in Bremerton, Wash., during World War II and then in Fiddle Creek Valley. She graduated from Siuslaw High School.

#### **LINDA "JOY" MURPHEY** JUNE 8, 1937 - DEC. 21, 2016

Joy married Leo Murphey June 4, 1955 in Ada Grange, Ore., and they lived in Florence and Reedsport.

She had worked as a bookkeeper, Avon representative and a homemaker. She enjoyed volunteering, crafts and reading.

Joy was a Campfire and Cub Scout leader; longtime treasurer of the Brave's Booster Club; charter member and officer of Friends of the Reedsport Library; and a friend to anyone in need.

Joy is survived by her husband, Leo Murphey of Reedsport; son, Laine and Darcy Murphey of Eugene; daughter, Luci Murphey of Reedsport; grandson, Sean Murphey of Eugene and Bronx, N.Y.; sisters-in-law, Jean Harris and Helen Bartow of Reedsport; and numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents, brothers, Jerry and Terry Worthylake; sister Carol (Worthylake) Myers; and many beloved brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law.

Memorial contributions may be made to OHSU Foundation, MS/45, P.O. Box 4000, Portland, OR 97208.

#### **REESE GUTHRIE** Nov. 2, 1970 – JAN. 16, 2017

A celebration of life gathering for Reese Robert Guthrie, 46, of Coos Bay will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 21 at the Oregon Institute of Marine Biology dining hall, 63466 Boat Basin Road in Charleston.

Reese was born Nov. 2, 1970, in Maywood, Calif., to Reece and Edna Depew and adopted by Raymond and Alice Guthrie at a young age. He passed away Jan. 16, 2017, in Coos Bay.

Reese joined the United States Marine Corps in 1990 and was active until 1994. He married his wife, Kimberly in 1998. Reese loved baking, cooking, hunting and fishing, but most of all, he loved to spend time with his family. He also was an avid sports fan, especially football. Go Ducks! He was loved and will be deeply missed by all those who knew him.

Reese is survived by his wife, Kimberly Rae Guthrie of Coos Bay; son, Tyler Guthrie of Kingman, Ariz.; daughters, Savannah Guthrie and Courtney Guthrie of Coos Bay: mother and father-in-law, Debbie and Alan Seabright of Coos Bay; sister and brother-in-law, Tenna and Orion White of Oregon City; brothers, Brody and wife, Bobbie Guthrie, Bart and wife, Mary Guthrie. Byron Guthrie: sisters. Iretta Moore of Arizona, Laura and husband, Thomas Larry of Utah; as well as numerous cousins, nieces and nephews.

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

#### **SHEILA PITTULLO** MAY 11, 1952 – JAN. 5, 2017

At her request, there will be no services for Sheila Rae Pittullo, 64, of Myrtle Point.

Sheila was born May 11, 1952 in Myrtle Point to Alan and Eleanor (Barklow) Pittullo. She died Jan. 5, 2017, at her home in Myrtle Point.

Sheila grew up in Myrtle Point and graduated from Myrtle Point High School. She was an avid gardener and lover of all animals and was a member of the Catching Creek Friendly neighbors for 40 years.

Sheila is survived by her son, John Wayne Vermillion; daughter, Susan Alicia Rogers-Jennings; grandson, John Wayne "JW" Vermillion and mother, Eleanor Barklow all of Myrtle Point; and nephews, Rex "Sunny" Pittullo of Kelso, Wash., Wallace Pittullo of North Bend, Kevin Pittullo of Myrtle Point and Newton Pittulo of Coos Bay.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to South Coast Hospice, 1620 Thompson Road, Coos Bay, OR 97420.

Arrangements are under the direction of Amling/Schroeder Funeral Service – Myrtle Point Chapel, 541-572-2524.

# EMMA LOU BRYANT-WELLS 1937 - 2016

Emma Lou Bryant-Wells was born Oct. 7, 1937, in Gainesville, Ga. At an early age her family moved to Orlando, Fla., where Emma Lou completed her grade school and high school education. In 1956 she chose La Sierra University in Riverside, Calif., for her college education graduating in 1960. She then entered Loma Linda University School of Medicine, graduating with an MD degree in 1964.

In 1966 she married medical school classmate, Wilfred Wells, MD and their lives together were spent in Bishop, Calif., and Bandon.

She leaves behind her husband, Wilfred Wells of Bandon; daughters, Julie Hansen and Chana Albracht both of Morton, Wash.; daughter, Linda Kolodka of Topeka, Kan.; and four grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 7, at the Coquille Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Arrangements are under the direction of Amling/Schroeder Funeral Service, Bandon.

## **PETER ARMSTRONG** MARCH 25, 1950 - JAN. 18, 2017

Peter Armstrong died peacefully Jan. 18, 2017 at his home in Salem, Ore., at the age of 66 after a short illness. He was born March 25, 1950 in North Bend, Ore., the son of William Armstrong and Frances (Armstrong) Cavanagh. He leaves behind his wife of 44 years, Carol Ann Armstrong and his brother, Neil Cavanagh.

Peter graduated from North Bend High School in 1968. He received a bachelor's degree in music from the University of Oregon in 1972 and earned a teaching certificate in mathematics from Western Oregon University in 1990.

Peter had a lifelong love of classical music and mathematics. He also was noteworthy in his south Salem community for his daily walks, rain or shine. There will be a private memorial gathering, but contributions in Peter's memory would be welcomed at Salem Friends of Felines, 980 Commercial St. SE, Salem, OR 97302.

# **JAMES REIDLINGER** AUG. 6, 1936 – JAN. 18, 2017

James "Jim" Riedlinger, 80, of Coquille was born Aug. 6, 1936 in Ronan, Mont. He died Jan. 18, 2017 in Coquille surrounded by his family.

Jim was a veteran and served in the U.S. Army. He worked as the store manager for McKay's Market in Coquille and retired after 36 years. He was well known for his friendly service to the people of Coquille.

Jim is survived by his two daughters, Nancy DeSoto and husband, Richard, and Julie Carlson and husband, Chase; grandchildren, Lani (DeSoto) Sherrill and husband, Garrett, John DeSoto and James and Jeff Carlson; greatgranddaughter, Serena Sherrill; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife Barbara in 2013.

Jim will be dearly missed by all who knew him.

#### **VIVIAN BROOKHART** AUG. 23, 1933 - JAN. 2, 2017

Graveside services will be held for Vivian C. (Van Schoiack) Brookhart at 1 p.m. Jan. 21 at Scottsburg Pioneer Cemetery. A gathering for family and friends will be held immediately following the service at the Scottsburg Community Center.

Vivian was born Aug. 23, 1933, in Eugene, Ore., to Josephine (Andruss) Van Schoiack and Clifford Van Schoiack. Her mother married Vernon "Bud" Hausmann when Vivian was a young child and he raised her and her sister Mary as his own children. Vivian passed away at home among her family Jan. 2, 2017.

Vivian graduated Reedsport Union High School in 1951 and in September was wed to her lifelong love, Kenneth Brookhart. They recently celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary with family in Prineville. Over the years, she made a home for her family wherever Ken's military service or construction career took them. She especially loved her home in Prineville, where she could watch and name the animals out her window and enjoy the four seasons. Vivian was an avid reader, loved crossword puzzles and cross stitch. Many family members have been warmed by her crocheted afghans.

Vivian is survived by her husband, Kenneth; son, Steve Brookhart and Karen; son, Craig Brookhart; daughter, Marla Slaughter and husband, Jerry; nieces, Joy Spriggs and Kay Reed; and numerous cousins. She was blessed with five grandchildren, Steven and wife, Alicia Warming, Brett and wife, Tracy Warming, Casey and husband, David Knox, Kevin Brookhart and Erin Brookhart. Vivian was doubly blessed with six great-grandchildren, Hunter, Brisco, Ashlyn, Silas, Margot and Abraham.

## WILLIAM EVEREST Nov. 29, 1938 – JAN. 12, 2017

William Charles "Bill" Everest passed away in Coos Bay, at Bay Area Hospital Jan. 12, 2017 at 7:30 p.m. with family at his side. His death was due to a stroke and stroke related complications.

Bill was 78 at the time of his death. He was born in Bandon Nov. 29, 1938, to Joseph I. and Frances R. Everest. He lived with his family until 1999 when he was able to live independently in a small apartment.

He attended Mrs. Roeker's Alameda Private School in Portland until 1956. In 1956 he attended Boy's Farm Home School in Cave Junction where he learned to read and write.

In 1976 Bill worked in Coos Bay at Goodwill, where he learned to run the baler for baling cardboard. In 1979 he moved to Portland with his mother where he worked Portland Habilitation.

In recent years he has been employed by Star of Hope, operating their paper shredder. Bill was a very good employee and continually worked at being a safe and careful worker. Recently Star of Hope discontinued the paper shredding business due to restrictions put on them by the state of Oregon and Bill was then out of a job. He was heart broken when this happened, but remained living at one of Star of Hope's group homes, which is a living facility for the handicapped.

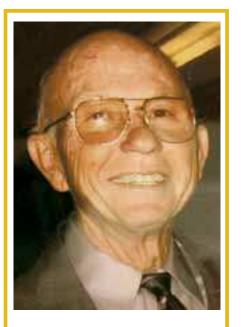
Bill loved music. He attended the Bay Area Community Band concerts and other musical events in the area. He participated in Special Olympics and enjoyed his weekly bowling.

Everyone who met Bill loved him and he will be missed immensely. Donations in memory of Bill can be made to Star of Hope, 657 Newmark Ave., Coos Bay, OR 97420 for their love and care of Bill and others in the community. God Bless them for their tireless efforts in making the life of the handicapped so much better.

Bill is survived by his brother and sister-in-law, Dick and Barbara of Langlois and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joe and Frances Everest; three sisters, Ruth, Jean and Fran; and brother, James.

A graveside service will be held 1 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 24, at the Denmark Cemetery in Langlois and a memorial service will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 28, at the North Bend Senior Center, 1470 Airport Lane in North Bend.



HAROLD MINER JAN. 1, 1933 - JAN. 20, 2017

Harold was born Jan. 1, 1933 to Artie Mae and Wilbur Harold in a farmhouse just outside of Rosston, Okla. He married his high school sweetheart, Ruby Ann Wheeler, in 1951. They had three children, Timothy (born and died the same day), Rocky Miner (wife Barbara) and Brooke Stranberg (husband Paul). He has five grandchildren, Cristin, Amber, Tim, Justin and Ashley; and seven greatgrandchildren, Kaylie, Carson, Austyn, Paislee, Gianna, Cam and Revenna.

Harold was a teacher and a coach who was loved and respected by his students and athletes. He loved hunting, fishing and spending much of his time outdoors.

He was a kind man who was a good role model for family and friends. He is now celebrating in Heaven with his wife of 51 years, family and friends. We are pretty sure he is already planning his first hunting and fishing trip.



A memorial service for Ida Kathryn (Pernula) Wadsworth, 97, of Coos Bay will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 4, at the Coos Bay Chapel, 685 Anderson Ave., in Coos Bay with Connie Prince officiating. Private cremation rites were held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

#### **IDA WADSWORTH** APRIL 15, 1919 – JAN. 17, 2017

Ida was born April 15, 1919 in Battleground, Wash., to Jesse Emmet Glazier and Eda (Allen) Glazier. She passed away Jan. 17, 2017 in Coos Bay.

Ida was the fifth child born in a family of 11 children. She had six brothers and four sisters. As a child, she lived and attended school at Brix Logging camp in Holbrook, Ore., along with her siblings. At the age of 9, the family moved to Oregon City and then to Cascade Locks.

Ida married Wilfred Pernula July 22, 1939 in Raymond, Wash., and they were married for 26 years before Wilfred's passing in 1965.

After Wilfred's passing, she married Ernie Wadsworth Sr. and they lived in the Charleston area for several years and then Ernie's commercial fishing occupation took them to Port Mansfield, Texas. In Port Mansfield, Ida had a small business of her own, by packaging and selling frozen shrimp from their home to the locals and tourists. Eventually, Ida moved back to Oregon where she resided with her oldest daughter, Ruthie, in Portland for a few years and then eventually moved back to Charleston and resided with her brother, Lenny, and his wife until 2006.

In April 2006, Ida moved to Ocean Ridge Assisted Living in Coos Bay and was one of Ocean Ridge's first residents.

Special thanks and appreciation to Ocean Ridge Assisted Living's staff for giving Mom 10 wonderful, fun- filled, caring years.

She was loved and will be missed by all those who knew her.

Ida is survived by her children, Ruthie Newcomer and husband, Gene of Gresham, Ore., Janet Hone of North Bend, and Judy Abel of Coos Bay; eight grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; 12 great-great-grandchildren; sister, Nina Jolliff of Spokane Valley, Wash.; and numerous nieces and nephews.

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



A funeral service will be held for Christine Gail Ramirez, 49, of Coos Bay, at 1:30 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 29 at College Park Church, 2548 Newmark St., in North Bend with Pastor Lee officiating. Christine's oldest son, Jose Munoz, is organizing the service.

Christine was born Dec. 17, 1967, in North Bend to Jimmie and Diana Applegate. She passed away Jan. 17,

## **CHRISTINE RAMIREZ** DEC. 17, 1967 - JAN. 17, 2017

2017, in Florence.

She went to school at North Bend High School and later earned her CNA and CMA certificates and licenses. Christine took a lot of pride in her employment and that showed her work ethics. She was a dedicated employee who was always willing to pick up extra shifts when she was needed. Christine worked at Walmart for a few years then moved to caring for an elderly man in private care. She then worked for several vears at Bay Crest Memory Care then for South Coast Horizons until she became ill. Christine showed a lot of compassion and love for her clients. Christine spent most of her time, when she wasn't working, with her kids and her husband.

She enjoyed quiet evening drives, music, a good book, horror movies, camping and spending time on social media. She had a loving heart for animals. Christine was well admired by her peers for her personality, generosity and her sense of humor. She also like to play her luck with scratch off lottery tickets and enjoyed a fun game of bingo. Christine was loved and respected by all.

Christine is survived by her husband, David Ramirez of Coos Bay; her five children, Jose Munoz and wife, Ashlie Munoz, Richard Ramirez and his significant other Bailey Vaugn, Jimmy Ramirez, Johnny Ramirez and Haley Ramirez; granddaughter, Scarlett Ramirez; mother, Diana Applegate; sisters, Cheryl Barton and husband, Lance Barton, and Deborah May and husband, Wesley May; several nieces and nephews; and great-nieces and great-nephews. Christine also valued two lifelong friends, Annette Pierce-Cuiriz and Kathleen "Minty" Enright.

Christine is preceded in death by her father, Jimmie Don Applegate.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Coos County Animal Shelter, 92960 Southport Lane, Coos Bay, OR 97420.



Joan Marie Metcalf, 79, of North Bend, formerly of Pahoa, Hawaii, passed away at home Jan. 22, 2017 after a long struggle with cancer. A private celebration of life will be held for family members at a later date. Private cremation rites were held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay. Joan was born Nov. 7, 1937 in Winchester Bay, Ore., to Charles Emmett Garrett and

#### **JOAN METCALF** Nov. 7, 1937 – Jan. 22, 2017

Marion (Wasson) Garrett. She was a his wife, Maria, of North Bend; daughter,

Coquille Indian Tribal member, active in tribal affairs and serving on the Coquille Indian Tribal Council. Joan previously worked for the Hawaii Department of Education and the Life Care Center of Hilo. She and her late husband, Duane Metcalf, were the founders of Pahoa Auto Parts, which administered a local scholarship fund to area graduates. Joan was an active parishioner at the Holy Redeemer Catholic Church in North Bend, and a former lecture at Pahoa Sacred Heart Church in Pahoa, Hawaii. Joan was also an active volunteer, first in Hawaii as a friend of the library in Pahoa, and her church, then as a volunteer with the Charleston Oregon Visitors Center, the Bay Area Hospital in North Bend, and numerous other local non-profits and charitable organizations.

Joan is survived by brother, Leonard Garrett of North Bend; son, Myke Metcalf and his wife. Maria of Pahoa, Hawaii: son. Brady Metcalf and his wife, Anamaria, of Pahoa, Hawaii; son, Patrick Metcalf and Megan Graves and her husband, Tad, of Bakersfield, Calif.; granddaughters, Tessa and Sierra; grandsons, Garrett and Evan; and numerous nieces, nephews, and other tribal members.

Joan was preceded in death by her parents; and her husband, Duane R. Metcalf in 2002.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorial donations be made in Ioan's name to the Coquille Indian Tribe Ni'Yau Fund, supporting education. This may be sent to Ni'Yau Fund c/o Coquille Indian Tribe Education Services, 495 Miluk Drive, Coos Bay, OR 97420.

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





A memorial service for Dan O. Taylor Jr., 52, of Coos Bay will be held at 11 a.m., Wednesday, Jan. 25 at Powers Church of God, 410 Cedar St., in Powers. Private cremation rites will be held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

Dan O. Taylor, Jr. was born May 29, 1964 in Los Angeles, Calif. He

# **DAN O. TAYLOR** MAY 29, 1964 - JAN. 21, 2017

Coos Bay.

Dan was born with severe cerebral palsy. He spent his life fighting to live as independently as possible. His Motto was "NEVER GIVE UP!"

His commitment and ambition were great. During his short lifetime, he achieved degrees in business and computer science from the College of the Sequoias and Fresno State in California.

He used his advanced computer skills to work in computer repair, directing the hands of others to perform tests and repair hardware. "DanO" was continually applying ingenuity and skill to find solutions to his own myriad of daily challenges.

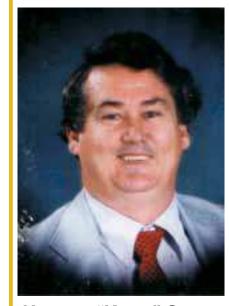
Dan was, and will continue to be, an inspiration to all who have known him. He fought hard for his many achievements, leaving a profound

passed away Jan. 21, 2017 in impression with his persistence and perseverance.

With his father's eyes and his mother's smile, and his well-practiced hard stare, he spoke directly from his heart and changed the lives of all who knew and loved him.

Dan is survived by his mother, Ruth Salant of Scottsdale, Ariz.; sisters, Robin Salant of Memphis, Tenn., Camille Kanofsky of Charlotte, N.C., Amy Nelson of Redmond, Ore., and Shawna Taylor of Coos Bay; brother, Jason Taylor of Redmond; special aunt, Janice Vigue of Coos Bay; aunt, Shirley Stallard of Powers; uncle, Rick Taylor of Powers; paternal grandmother, Leona Taylor of Powers; and his long term assistant, Vicky Hanna of Coos Bav.

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



HAROLD "KEITH" SMITH DEC. 15. 1941 - JAN. 16. 2017

A celebration of life service for Harold "Keith" Smith, 75, of Coos Bay will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 28 at the First Baptist Church, 1140 S. 10th in Coos Bay with Pastor Don Berney of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship officiating. Light refreshments will follow the service. Private cremation rites were held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

Harold "Keith" was born Dec. 15, 1941 in Coquille, to George and Mercedes Smith. He passed away Monday, Jan. 16, 2017 in Coos Bay.

Keith graduated from Marshfield High School in June 1960 and joined the United States Navy. After spending four years in the Navy, Keith came back and graduated from Simpson Bible School of San Francisco, where he received a teaching degree. He taught at North Bay School for 28 years, prior to his retirement. He was very active with student sports. He also enjoyed fishing and hunting.

Keith is survived by his brother, Richard and wife, Judy Smith of Eugene; sister, Mercy and husband, Leon Kuhre of Myrtle Creek; and numerous nieces and nephews and their families.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, Edward C. Smith.

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**NEDRA CARPENTER** AUG. 31, 1930 – JAN. 23, 2017

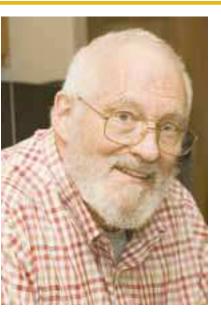
A celebration of life service for Nedra Ione Carpenter, 86, of Coos Bay will be announced and held at a later date. Private cremation rites will be held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

Nedra was born Aug. 31, 1930 in Seattle, Wash., to Lloyd and Elna Lumbert. She passed away Jan. 23, 2017 in Coos Bay with her family by her side.

Nedra is survived by her children, Lloyd and Vickie Craig of Bellingham, Wash., Scott Craig of Coos Bay, Marilu and Sam Sturges of Coos Bay, Nedra Winkler of Myrtle Creek, Rosemarie Craig and Nicholas Kinsman of Myrtle Creek; grandchildren, Cheryl Davis of Winston, Luke and Tera Shirley of Winston, George and Shayne Adams of Winston. Rodney and Kerie Davis Jr. of Coos Bay, Gregory Rookstool of Myrtle Creek, Sydni Witte of Beaverton, Clinton and Haley Duncan of Myrtle Creek, Jasmine Dalton of Ashland, Zachariah Rookstool of Vernal, Utah, Natasha Dalton of Myrtle Creek; and 13 greatgrandchildren.

She was preceded in death by Ira Lee Craig.

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



Michael was born Dec. 13, 1935, in Portland, Ore., to Raymond M. McKeown and Charlotte E. (Van Cleve) McKeown. He passed away from natural causes Jan. 26, 2017.

He was raised in Coos Bay and graduated from Marshfield High School in 1954. He then went to Dartmouth College and obtained a **MICHAEL MCKEOWN** DEC. 13, 1935 – JAN. 26, 2017

bachelor's degree in zoology in 1958. He began his education in medicine at Dartmouth, but changed schools and graduated just three years later from Harvard Medical School in 1961. From there Michael entered the U.S. Navy where he spent most of his four years abroad and was discharged as a lieutenant commander. Upon returning to the states he entered residency at Chicago's Lying-In Hospital where he settled on a career in obstetrics and gynecology. He became a fellow of the following organizations: College of Obstetrics and Gynecology, 1969; American College of Surgeons, 1969: Royal Society of Health, 1970. In the early 1970's Michael returned to his hometown of Coos Bay where he ran a successful practice until his retirement in 1997. He last estimated his number of births in the late 1980's at around 4,000. He moved in 2001 to Portland where he assisted in surgeries at St. Vincent's Hospital until his full retirement in 2005. In his spare time he enjoyed spending time with family, writing poetry, photography and traveling the United States in his RV.

He is survived by his son, Sean and daughter-in-law, Tonya McKeown; son, Matthew and daughter-in-law, Kim McKeown; daughter, Kristina and son-in-law, Justin Leffler; grandchildren, Kyle, Kevin, Elizabeth, Nicole, Korey, Spencer, August, Autumn, and Layne; and several nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to the Waterfall Clinic, 1890 Waite St., North Bend, OR 97459.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 4, at Shoreline Community Church.



A family and friends memorial service will be held for Satish Chand Pal (Andy Devi), 67, of Coos Bay at 10 a.m. Monday, Jan. 30, at Coos Bay Chapel, 685 Anderson Ave. with Chaplain Chris von Lobedan officiating. Cremation rites will follow at Ocean View Memory Gardens Crematory, 1525 Ocean Blvd., in Coos Bay.

#### **SATISH PAL** MARCH 21, 1949 - JAN. 26, 2017

Satish was born March 21, 1949 in Tamavua-Suva, Fiji Islands, the eldest son of Ram Pal Devi and Suruj Kuar. He passed away peacefully with his family by his side Jan. 26, 2017 in Coos Bay.

Satish attended school in the Fiji Islands and migrated to the United States in the early 1970's. He joined the Oregon Army National Guard and served proudly and honorably in the Company A 1249th Engineer Battalion. Satish earned an honorable discharge in 1978 and joined the regular active duty Army as a combat infantryman. In 1979 he earned the Soldier of the Year award while serving in Korea. This award was personally pinned on him by President Carter.

Satish met his wife, Hwa Sun while on active duty and had two beautiful children who joined his first daughter, Ashweenie Pal. Sattendra Pal is his only son and Evelyn Pal is his youngest daughter. Satish's hobbies were hunting, fishing, riding motorcycles and working on cars. He enjoyed walking around Empire Lakes because he paved most of the trails with his D-8 while in the guard.

Satish is survived by his former wife, Hwa Sun; son, Satendra Pal; daughters, Ashweenie and Evelyn Pal; sisters, Rosie Prasad and Sarla Devi; mother, Suruj Kuar Devi; brother and sister-in-law, Harish and Pinky Devi; friend, Dorothy Harris; and grandchildren, Joey, James and Ashikie Devi.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Rajkuar; and father, Ram Pal Devi.

Satish "Andy" was a happy person who will be missed dearly.

Arrangements are under the direction of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131. At his request, no service will be held in celebration of the life of Chris J. Flammang. A family gathering will be arranged later. Cremation rites have taken place under the direction of Nelson's Bay Area Mortuary.

Born January 31, 1929 in El Paso, Texas, he was the son of the late C. J. Flammang and Mona Flammang Siegel. He died in Coos Bay from cancer complications Jan. 19, 2017.

He graduated from Austin High School in El Paso. He was a non-combat veteran of World War II, and later served four years in the Marine Corps Reserve. He was commissioned lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserve in 1951. An amateur boxer, he won his battalion's championship at Quantico Marine Base in 1949.

He married LaDonna Faye MacNicol in Carson City, Nev., in 1968. A graduate of New Mexico Western, he received a master's degree from Fresno State, with additional study at Cal-Berkeley.

Chris served in law enforcement, and was a member of the first underwater recovery unit with the Fresno County Sheriff's Department. He was a detective sergeant assigned to the Juvenile Bureau when he left to join the faculty of the Police Science Program at Fresno City College where he became a tenured faculty member.

Later, he was the first police consultant for the Municipal Technical Advisory Service of The University of Tennessee, after which he became an associate professor with the Police Training Institute at the University of Illinois. Promoted to full professor in 1976, he was awarded the rank of emeritus professor by the Board of Trustees upon his retirement in 1987.

He had long been a police leader in the area of child abuse, beginning with his service on the Fresno County Battered Child Committee in 1961. As the law enforcement representative to a working seminar, he helped plan the development of the Kempe Center for the Diagnosis and Treatment of Child Abuse and Neglect in Denver, Colo. He authored texts for police work with under-protected children, police juvenile enforcement, and police crisis intervention. He was widely published in law enforcement literature.

#### **CHRIS FLAMMANG** JAN. 31, 1929 – JAN. 19, 2017

As an author of on-line course ware, he pioneered in the area of computerassisted instruction of law enforcement education.

Chris had served as a consultant to a number of police agencies and other entities. He lectured at universities in Nevada, Tennessee, Georgia, and Pennsylvania as well as providing instructional services for the International Association of Chiefs of Police at various venues throughout the country.

Chris assisted the tribal college, Sinte Gleska, on the Rosebud Lakota Reservation in South Dakota in developing their criminal justice program. He taught child abuse investigation workshops there and on the Cheyenne River Reservation. Following his retirement, he worked on two rural newspapers for Holmes Publications in Villa Grove, Ill. In 1988, he and Donna moved to Coos Bay, and after 11 years on the faculty of Southwestern Oregon Community College, he earned an additional retirement.

Chris volunteered in a variety of activities. He served as a public member of the State Professional Responsibility Board of the Oregon State Bar, and as an area member of the Bar's Fee Arbitration Program.

He was twice appointed to the Governor's Commission on Senior Services. In 2005, Governor Kulongoski appointed him a delegate to the Fifth White House Conference on Aging held in Washington, D.C.

He had been a member of a number of advisory groups, including RSVP, Area Agency on Aging, and the Coos County Area Transit. He served on the Coos Bay School District's budget committee under four superintendents during a time of school closings. Appointed by the chief justice of the Oregon Supreme Court, he served a number of years as a member of the Citizens Review Board in Coos County. For nine seasons, he was a member of the Coos County Fair Rodeo Committee, as well as assisting with the Ride the Rainbow equine therapy program at GG Ranch. Chris spent a number of years as a volunteer with Free Flight in Bandon.

He was active with the SMART reading program for six years. In 2011,

Chris was elected vice president of the Coos County Friends of Public Health. In years past, he was a Webelos leader, and was a board member of the Camp Fire program in Fresno, Calif. While in Illinois, he and Donna were in-home hospice volunteers. Over the past 20 years, he was often seen riding his bicycle for transportation in both Coos Bay and North Bend, including most recently predawn rides for early coffee breaks.

He held membership in the California and International Juvenile Officers Associations, and the American Association of Criminal Justice Sciences. Chris was a life member of the Fraternal Order of Police, a staff associate of the International Association of Chiefs of Police, and was a member of Retiree Chapter 31 (Illinois) of AFSCME. He was a past member of the American Federation of Teachers and the American Association of University Professors. He belonged to American Legion Post 1171, Philo, Ill.

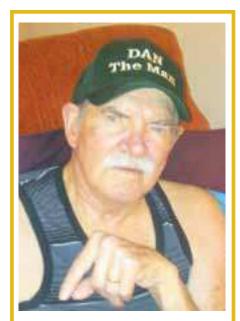
Chris had participated in the Cursillo movement shortly after it was introduced into the U.S. At the time of his death, he was an active member of St. John's Episcopal Church in Bandon.

Chris is survived by his cherished wife, LaDonna; five children, Suzan Flammang of Coos Bay, Mary Albanese and husband, Virgil of Santa Rosa, Calif., John Flammang and wife, Christine of Ukiah, Calif., Capt. Anne Flammang, USCG (retired) and husband, Scott DeShong of Hampton, Conn., and, Major Clare Walderman, USAF (retired) and husband, Lt. Col. Gary, USAF (retired) of Edmond, Wash.; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; and his only sibling, Tom Flammang of El Paso, Texas.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a son, Christie, who died of leukemia at age 9; and a grandson, Tony Tarquino who died at age 17 of acute asthma.

Memorials may be made to the charity of choice.

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



**DAN SCOVILLE** JUNE 14, 1937 - JAN. 18, 2017

Dan was born in Morehouse (Sikeston), Mo., June 14, 1937, to Edna and Eugene Scoville. He passed away Jan. 18, 2017, in Coos Bay from complications of Parkinson's disease.

Dan's family moved to La Junta, Colo., when he was a small child. He grew up there surrounded by a large family. Family reunions were an important part of his life.

He was an U.S. Army and Army National Guard veteran who proudly served his country. Upon being discharged from the Army he settled in Coos Bay. Dan loved to fish and hunt and so Coos Bay was where he wanted to make his permanent home.

Dan attended Southwestern Oregon Community College for two years, becoming a journeyman shipwright and worked for Hillstrom Shipbuilding for 20 years.

Under the Coos County 4-H program he was a 4-H club leader for Sumner Little Beefers and was known as "Uncle Dan" by its members. Dan also was a volunteer fireman with Sumner Rural Fire Department as well as serving on its board of directors.

He is survived by his wife, Carol; son, Mark; daughter-in-law, Sue; stepgrandsons, Tristan and Cameron McCluskey; sister, Peggy Bohannan; brother, George; and numerous nephews, nieces and cousins.

Dan was proceeded in death by his parents and sister, Glenda Berry.

Dan was a quiet gentle soul and will be missed by family and friends. No services will be held at his request.

Cremation rites have been held at Ocean View Memory Gardens Crematory, Coos Bay under the direction of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131.



**KELLY SMITH** OCT. 27, 1961 – JAN. 20, 2017

A celebration of life service for Kelly J. Smith, 55, of Coos Bay will be held at 3 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 28 at the Coos Bay Chapel, 685 Anderson with Pastor Don Berney of New Beginning Christian Fellowship officiating. Private cremation rites will be held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

Kelly was born Oct. 27, 1961, in Canyonville. She passed away tragically in an automobile accident Jan. 20, 2017, in Coos Bay.

Kelly graduated from Douglas High School in 1979. After high school, she attended Umpqua Community College, where she obtained her associate's degree in accounting technology in 1981. Her love of books and learning was never ending. Kelly moved from Oregon in 1996 to live in Florida and later found her home away from home in North Carolina. In her heart, Oregon was always home and in June 2015, she came back to Oregon bringing her doggie daughter and son, Nikki and Stormy with her.

Kelly was loved by all those who knew and will be deeply missed.

She is survived by her daughter, Katherine Todd of Marion, N.C.; grandsons, Keenan and Brayden Todd of Marion; sisters, Roxie Lloyd of Coos Bay, Charlene Lloyd Hovey of Sutherlin; and brother, Dennis Lloyd of Portland.

She was preceded in death by her mom and dad, Audley and Shirley Lloyd; and birth mother, Sandra Harding.

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

# **MARY ANN BRUGGENKAMP** OCT. 20, 1940 - JAN. 6, 2017

Mary Ann Bruggenkamp went home to be with the Lord Jan. 6, 2017 in Atascadero, Calif., at the age of 76. She was a lifelong devoted Christian.

Mary is survived by her loving husband of 55 years, Henry. They were married in Modesto, Calif., in 1961.

She is lovingly remembered by her daughter, Jan Bruggenkamp of Los Osos, Calif.; her sister, Dorothy Johnson of Texas; and many other family members. Mary was preceded in death by her daughter, Deborah Odell.

Mary enjoyed people, could make friends easily and had a zest for life. She loved crafts, cooking and her family.

Mary's family would like to thank the caring staff of Central Coast Hospice and Country Care Convalescent Hospital for their kindness and support.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 17 at the Atascadero Christian Home.

Condolences may be sent to the family or may be left online at: obits.dignitymemorial.com.

Arrangements under the direction of Kuehl-Nicolay Funeral Home, Paso Robles, Calif.



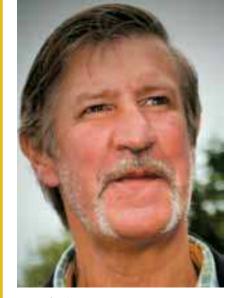
Edna M. (Marshall) Kemp passed away peacefully in Roseburg of natural causes just shy of her 94th birthday. She was born in Nowlin, S.D., and lived there until she moved to Oregon. She married Leland R. Marshall and they raised five children together in Coquille until he passed away in 1969.

# **EDNA KEMP** Feb. 12, 1923 – JAN. 15, 2017

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Lee; her second husband, Fred Kemp; and her daughter, Linda Brodie.

She is survived by her four children and their spouses, Marilee and Allen Morgan, Roger and Wendy Marshall, Cindy and Tom McNerthney, and Randy and Dianna Marshall; son-in-law, William Brodie; sister, Florence Osgood; brother, John Dalrymple; five grandchildren; one great-grandson; and many nieces and nephews.

A celebration of her life will be held at 2 p.m. Feb. 11, 2017 at the Pioneer United Methodist Church in Coquille. Contributions in Edna's honor may be made to the Pioneer United Methodist Church or Backback Buddies in care of the Coquille Eagles Auxiliary, P.O. Box 305, Coquille, OR 97423.



#### In loving memory.

Michael "Mike" Loring Richert, 57, passed away at his residence in Bandon Jan. 22, 2017.

He was born Feb. 11, 1959, in Myrtle Point, to Christian Loring Richert and Gwendolyn Faye Sutphin, who both preceded him in death. He was raised in Coos County and went to school in both Bandon and North Bend. After

# **MICHAEL RICHERT** FEB. 11, 1959 - JAN. 22, 2017

school Mike married and had two beautiful daughters, Libby Richert-Wilde and Stephanie Richert.

Mike enjoyed working with his hands. After graduating from NBHS in 1977 he directly went to work in local sawmills for four years. He then traveled north to the Eugene and Portland areas and worked as an automotive machinist rebuilding auto engines until 1994. Mike moved on to Iowa from 1994-1998 working with his hands and driving heavy equipment. In August 2000 Mike returned to Oregon to stay. He worked for Chrome World in Springfield for three years and then became a part of a bridge building team called Ross Bros. for nine years. He felt a huge accomplishment when his crew finished the "first of its kind" bridge in Rogue River. Mike came home in 2014 to Bandon where he worked for Waterman Automotive.

He enjoyed motorcycle riding and competing as a young adult, tinkering

on hot rod cars and old trucks, and he

especially enjoyed working on his land in Iowa and his sister's Bear Creek farm in Bandon.

He is survived by daughters and their spouses, Libby and Marty Wilde of Junction City, and Stephanie Richert of Washington: four grandchildren. Kylee and Jace Wilde of Junction City, Jordan Richert of Kansas and Jericho Richert of Roseburg; "Mother Jane" Richert-Moore of Mt. Vernon, Ore.; siblings including sisters and spouses. Lori Carnine of Grants Pass, Traci and Sheen Davis of Ketchikan Alaska, and Trina and Mark Johnston of Bandon; brother and spouse, John and Lahonda Bishop of Mesa, Ariz.; also many aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews who he loved dearly.

A future celebration of life will be planned.

2 Thess. 3:16 May the Lord of peace Himself give you His peace

# JEAN MCNAMAR

JULY 27, 1925 - JAN. 12, 2017

Jean McNamar passed away Jan. 12, 2017 in in Coos Bay, at Avamere Rehabilitation Center at the age of 91.

Jean was born July 27, 1925 in Hood River, to Rhuben Chester and Mary Elizabeth (Winans) Elder. She was raised on the east hills of the Hood River Valley (up the current Old Dalles Road). She was home schooled for a few years then attended Pine Grove School and Hood River High School. She left Hood River to attend Oregon State College graduating in 1948 with a Bachelor of Science in education. She then taught for a year at Taft; returned to teach in Corvallis before moving to Portland in the early 1950's then to Agate Beach and Newport in the mid-50's. Finally in 1964 she moved to North Bend, where she had resided since.

On July 27, 1947 at the Pine Grove Methodist Church she married Max LeRoy McNamar. Jean was a school teacher in Taft, Corvallis, Newport and North Bend. She enjoyed singing with church choirs and Sweet Adelines, gardening (always some clipping from the yard on the teacher's desk), and geology. She also loved to have adventures in travel both near and far.

Jean is survived by her children, Max L. McNamar Jr. and his wife, RoseMarie of Vancouver, Was., Ruth A. Kindy of Kirkland, Wash., and Daniel R. McNamar of Corvallis; granddaughters, Patricia J. Kindy, Laura G. McNamar, and Katherine R. Kindy; and sister, Kathleen E. Nichols of Hood River.

Jean is sadly preceded in death by her parents, Rhuben C. and Mary E. (Winans) Elder; her husband, Max L. McNamar in 1990; brother, Stanley W. Elder and his family; son-in-law, David R. Kindy; and daughter-in-law, Terria McNamar.

North Bend services will be held at North Bend Presbyterian Church at 1 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 24 and Hood River services will be held at 1 p.m., Wednesday, Feb. 8 at Anderson Tribute Center.

Memorial donations can be made to North Bend Community Scholarship Fund – P.O. Box 1006, North Bend, OR 97459 or Rhuben C. Elder Museum Fund, Gorge Community Foundation, P.O. Box 1711, Hood River, OR 97031 (541) 354-2009.

Arrangements are under the direction of Anderson's Tribute Center, 541-386-1000.

Visit www.AndersonsTributeCenter.com



A chapel memorial service for Zella "Maurene" Berry, 83, of Coos Bay will be held at 2 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 17 at the Coos Bay Chapel, 685 Anderson Ave., in Coos Bay with pastor Don Berney of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship officiat-

#### ZELLA MAURENE BERRY APRIL 11, 1933 – JAN. 7, 2017

ing. Private cremation rites were held at Ocean View Memory Gardens in Coos Bay.

Maurene was born April 11, 1933, in Poplar Bluff, Mo., to Elbert Otis Estes and Nancy Ann Bailey. She passed away Jan. 7, 2017, at her residence in Coos Bay.

Maurene married her husband of 65 years, David Berry in Reno, Nev., in 1951. Together they had resided in Coos Bay since that same year. They had three children, David, Rebecca and Stanley. Maurene ran the La Berry Kennels for many years. She was a homemaker and an amazing cook. She loved to read, crochet, camp and most of all spend time with her family.

She is survived by her husband, David Berry of Coos Bay; son, David Berry of Coos Bay; daughter, Rebecca Berry of Hahira, Ga.; granddaughter, Carrie Creamer of Hahira; grandson, Corey Mermin of Hahira; granddaughters, Laura Densmore of Portland, and Jen Berry of Coos Bay; and greatgrandsons, Samuel and Sterling Densmore of Portland.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her son, Stanley.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions be made under Maurene's name to St. Jude's Cancer Center, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

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



A private family service for Marguerite Morris, 85, will be held at a later date at Catching Creek Cemetery in Myrtle Point. Marguerite passed away Jan. 1, 2017 in Coos Bay. Marguerite was born July 19, 1931 in Myrtle Point, to Lester Lewis Lakey and Clarabelle Culbertson

# MARGUERITE MORRIS

JULY 19, 1931 - JAN. 1, 2017

Lakey. She had a happy childhood growing up in Myrtle Point.

The summer she graduated from high school in 1949, she married her sweetheart Dale Eugene Morris and they had 62 years together. Marguerite and Dale had three daughters.

Marguerite was a wonderful mother and homemaker. Her only brother Dean was a welcome addition to her family when he came to live with them until his marriage. Marguerite worked as a checker at the North Bend McKay's Market for more than 20 years until her retirement at age 62. She loved the outdoors and working in her yard. She loved her family and was known for her delicious dinners for the family every Sunday, a tradition the family will continue in her honor.

Marguerite was preceded in death by her parents, Lester Lewis Lakey and Clarabelle Lakey Cole; her brother, Dean Lakey; her husband, Dale Morris; and her son-in-law, Charles Knowlton.

Marguerite is survived by her three daughters, Gail and husband, Richard Schroeder, Debra and husband, William Gumm, and Kristie Knowlton; grandson, Robert Dale Wyatt and wife, Leah; three greatgrandchildren, Brett Dale Wyatt, Kayla Marie Wyatt, and Justin D'Acquisto; one great-great-grandchild, Jaxson D'Acquisto; and stepgrandchildren, Danny Schroeder, Benjamin Gumm, David Gumm and family, Jeffrey Knowlton and family, Gregory Knowlton and wife, Megan, and Bradley Knowlton.

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Vicki Jane McClintock, 58, died Jan. 26, 2017. Vicki was born in Omaha, Neb., to Judith Krall and the late Louis Gatchell. She moved to Coos Bay at age 11 and graduated from Marshfield High School in 1977. Vicki lived in San Francisco, Calif., and Portland, Ore.,

# **VICKI MCCLINTOCK** 1958 - 2017

before returning to and settling in Coos Bay. In Coos Bay, Vicki served the real estate community for more than 20 years.

Vicki enjoyed visiting and spending time with her children and had an affinity for animals – most notably her English bulldog Gigi.

She was a loving mother and daughter and is survived by her three children, Judith, Bobby, and Jesse; her sister and brother, Gail and Louis Gatchell; and mother, Judith Krall.

A celebration of Vicki's life will take place at 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 28 at the Red Lion Hotel, 1313 N. Bayshore Drive in Coos Bay. Cremation rites will be held at Ocean View Memory Gardens Crematory, Coos Bay under the direction of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131. Serving the Bay Area for over 45 years.

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