

OBITUARIES

Donna Jean Beasley Anderson

Aug. 13, 1935 — June 23, 2017



Donna Jean Beasley Anderson was born Aug. 13, 1935, to Marguerite and George Beasley in Hermiston. She passed away on June 23, 2017. In June 1944, Donna's family moved to Silverton. She graduated from Silverton High School in 1953. During high school and a year after, Donna worked at the Palace Theater and was a waitress for Neff's Café.

On June 27, 1954, Donna married Paul Alton Anderson of Silverton. They spent all but two years of their married life in Silverton. She was a stay at home mom while her children, Kathy and Ed, were growing up. Donna enjoyed bowling and attending her children's activities. After they were grown, she worked in the 88-cent store in Silverton and for the legislature in Salem.

Donna is preceded in death by her daughters, Kathy and Sandra; mother; father; step-father, Frank Dillow; brother Howard; and sister Joyce. She is survived by her

husband, Paul Alton Anderson of Silverton, son Ed (Colleen) Anderson of Lawton, Oklahoma; niece Elizabeth Satterfield of Jacksonville, Florida; brothers Walter Beasley of Marysville, California, Jerry Beasley of Jacksonville Beach, Florida, and Frank Dillow of McLean, Virginia; sister Marjorie Kemper of Silverton; three grandchildren and three great-grandsons.

She will be greatly missed by her family. Donations in Donna's name may go to the Alzheimer's Foundation.

Services were held Thursday, June 29, 2017, at Unger Funeral Chapel in Silverton.

James Carmen Van Damme

Jan. 19, 1937 — June 23, 2017



James "Jim" Carmen Van Damme, 80, passed away in Salem the evening of June 23, 2017.

Jim was born in Portland on Jan. 19, 1937. After graduating high school, he fell in love with Darla Jolene Fritz, and in 1960, Jim and Darla were married in Bonners Ferry, Idaho. Jim served in the Army

in Fort Ord, California. After his discharge, he and Darla had a son, Jeff, and a daughter, Lisa. In 1993, they settled in the Silverton area.

Jim's passion was cars. He loved going to car shows, buying and restoring cars, and talking about cars. Just this past year, he finished restoring a 1951 Chevy truck. Jim also enjoyed gardening. He grew a variety of vegetables and berries on his property in Silverton and loved to entertain his family and friends there.

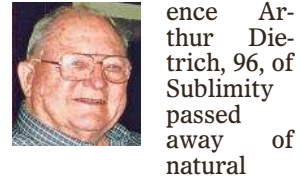
He will be greatly missed by his friends and family, including his children Jeff Van Damme of Aptos, California, and Lisa Van Damme of Silverton; his grandchildren Matthew, Angela, Nicholas, and Michael Van Damme; and his great-granddaughter, Mariah Jolene Fee.

A memorial service for Jim will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, July 8, 2017, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Silverton.

Assisting the family is Unger Funeral Chapel, Silverton.

Clarence Arthur Dietrich

Sept. 10, 1920 — June 10, 2017



Clarence Arthur Dietrich, 96, of Sublimity passed away of natural

causes on June 10, 2017. He was born on Sept. 10, 1920, in Dundee, Illinois, to August and Kate Schiferer Dietrich.

As a young man, he became a member of the Apostolic Christian Church, serving the Lord faithfully the remainder of his life, including 25 years ministering God's word.

On June 1, 1947, he married Mildred Liebig of Elgin, Illinois. To this union were born four children: James (Joan), August (Dorothy), Kathryn (Richard) Strahm and Carol (Greg) Wackerle.

Clarence lived many years in South Elgin, Illinois, where he was a general contractor, building and remodeling homes and small commercial buildings.

Clarence served in the Army during World War II, receiving his training at Camp Adair. His liking of the Pacific Northwest was instrumental in his decision to move the family to Silverton in 1970. There he continued building and remodeling on a smaller scale. Mildred died in 1986, after which he married Betty "Bess" Knobloch on Oct. 29, 1989.

Clarence is preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, Mildred; son August; daughter Kathryn; and sisters Elsie Metzger, Florence Feucht and Ruth Metzger. He is survived by his wife, Betty; son James; daughter Carol; 14 grandchildren and 54 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held June 14, directed by Unger Funeral Chapel of Silverton, with Apostolic Christian Faith clergy officiating. Interment was at Bethany Pioneer Cemetery in Silverton.

Terri Rae Goodwin

Jan. 17, 1960 — June 23, 2017



Terri Rae Goodwin, 57, passed away June 23, 2017, in her home.

She was born to Roger and Shirley Goodwin in Corvallis, the eldest of three children. Terri graduated from Cascade High School in 1978. Terri was a kind and loving person, always willing to help her neighbors. She enjoyed watching The Young and the Restless, Judge Judy and Ellen on TV. Terri loved her family, friends and pets very much. Trevor, her 9-year-old chocolate lab, was her pride and joy, as was her black cat, Snoopy. Terri is preceded in

death by her mother, Shirley. She is survived by her dad, Roger Goodwin, and step-mom, Karen Goodwin, of Dallas; her life partner of 24 years, Gary Rizzotto, of Mt. Angel; son Shane (Jessica) Goodwin of Aumsville; sisters Laurie Goodwin of Grants Pass and Renee Goodwin of Salem; step-brothers Matt, Mitch and Mike Ficek of Salem/Albany; nieces Cassidy Goodwin of Grants Pass and Sydney Goodwin of Salem; grand-children Zach and Zoey of Aumsville; and her close friends, Angie and Scott.

A private family celebration of life will take place at a later date.

Assisting the family with services is Unger Funeral Chapel of Mt. Angel.

Dennis James Mitchell

July 12, 1962 - May 4, 2017



Dennis Mitchell, 54, passed away Thursday, May 4, 2017.

Dennis was born in Denver, Colorado, one of four children. Following high school, he served in the Air Force for 10 years. He then moved to Mt. Angel to be with family, where he was a reserve police officer in Mt. Angel and a corrections officer in Portland for years. After becoming medically retired, Dennis moved to Vancouver, Washington, for a time before returning to Mt. Angel in 2010 to be near his family. Dennis courageously battled cancer for the last many years. Most recently, he enjoyed helping his daughter and was involved in his granddaughter's school activities.

Dennis is survived by his mother, Delores West; daughter Dawn Alexander; granddaughter Taylor Alexander; and brothers Tom Mitchell, Ron Wheeler and Roger Mitchell. Graveside service will take place at 10 a.m. on

Friday, July 21, 2017, at Willamette National Cemetery.

Arrangements with Unger Funeral Chapel.

Raymond "Ray" Charles Schutte

Nov. 25, 1938 — June 27, 2017



Raymond Charles Schutte, 78, passed away June 27, 2017, in Salem. Ray was born in Chicago, Illinois, to Clayton and Irene (Hanson) Schutte on Nov. 25, 1938. He graduated from Azusa Pacific College in 1960 and served as the Executive Director of Youth For Christ in San Gabriel Valley, California. The same year, he was married to Linda Hawkins. They celebrated 57 years of marriage and had three children.

He relocated to Pleasant Hill in 1982 as a fundraiser with World Vision. Ray often traveled overseas to South and Central American and African countries in humanitarian efforts that improved the lives of others. Ray enjoyed gardening and the annual family camping trips.

Ray was loved and admired by his wife, Linda; three children; 14 grandchildren and two great-granddaughters.

A memorial service will take place at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 15, 2017, at Immanuel Lutheran Church. Private interment will take place at Miller Cemetery.

Arrangements by Unger Funeral Chapel.

Mary Louise Begert

Aug. 30, 1944 — June 15, 2017

Survived by brother and sister-in-law, four nieces and eight grandnieces and nephews.

Services will be held at 1 p.m., July 12 at Benedictine Sisters Convent Chapel.



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Legislature clarifies: Hands free will be the only legal way to drive in Oregon

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The Senate approved a no cellphone, no navigation, no social media while driving bill Thursday, but the vote was far from a slam dunk.

House Bill 2597 clarifies that anything a driver could think of doing with a cell phone while driving is illegal. If a police officer sees the white glow of the screen illuminating a driver's face, even if the officer didn't see the driver talking or fingering the keys, the officer has witnessed a violation.

Hands-free will be the only legal use of a cell phone as of the bill's Oct. 1 effective date. The bill was a recommendation of an Oregon Distracted Driving Task Force convened after the state's traffic fatalities reversed a decade long slide and began climbing

sharply in 2013.

In 2016, 495 people died on Oregon's roads, up 58 percent in three years, according to the Oregon Department of Transportation.

During the debate, some senators wanted to know if very narrow, specific communication scenarios would be prohibited by the law. Examples included communications between a wide load and a pilot car, or agricultural equipment going from field to field, or a ham radio operator passing along emergency information.

The answer: It depends, said Sen. Floyd Prozanski, D-Eugene, who introduced the bill to the chamber. If the communications equipment is mounted or bolted into place it's exempt from the law, he said.

Dennis Linthicum, R-Klamath Falls, made a

broad critique of the bill, noting that distracted driving has many causes.

"Whether I'm handling a cellphone or I'm chasing the M&M that I just dropped in my lap or the bag of Skittles that's on the floorboard under my feet, distracted driving is distracted driving," he said. "Distracted driving should be our target, not

the use of mobile electronic devices."

The Senate approved the bill on a 21-8 vote with one member absent. House approved the measure on a 46-13 in May. The bill returned to the House for concurrence with Senate amendments.

The bill sets the maximum fine for violation at \$2,000 up from \$500.

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