

Congratulations...

Jacob Stevens and MaCayla Fennell



Jacob Stevens and MaCayla Fennell both of Vernonia, were united in marriage on August 27, 2016 in Vernonia.

The parents of the bride are Brian and Brandi Fennell of Vernonia and Ewan and Teresa McLean of Clatskanie.

The parents of the groom are Rocky and Jeanne Hill of Vernonia, Justin Stevens of Tualatin, and Michelle Stevens of Tualatin.

Summer Ruhlin served as the Maid of Honor and Caleb Stevens was the best man. The couple's son, Walker Stevens and the bride's cousin, Michael Leonetti, were ring bearers. Vanessa Johnson, the bride's cousin, was the flower girl. The bride's uncle, Joe Hammons Suppes, was the officiate.

The groom is employed at KG Fab and Machining. in Hillsboro. The bride is employed by Cedar Ridge Conference and retreat Center.

The couple spent their honeymoon at Disneyland and will make their home in the Vernonia community.



In Memory of...

Helen Ramsey Shetler

Helen Ramsey Shetler died August 26, 2016 in Longview, Washington at the age of 92. She was born on November 19, 1923 at the family farm near Wellman, Iowa, to Ira and Mabel Freel Huber. She was a graduate of Wellman High School and continued her education at Kahler School of Nursing in Rochester, Minnesota. She married Charles E. (Chuck) Ramsey in

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1944 in Ft. Benton, Montana. After a short wartime stay in Oregon City, they moved back to Montana and lived in Woods Bay, Ft. Benton and Libby before moving to the Mist-Birkenfeld area of Oregon in 1962. Chuck died in 1997 and after some years of loneliness, in 2004 she married Eldon Shetler in Mist, Oregon. They lived in Birkenfeld and Pine Hollow, Oregon until they moved to the Clatskanie area in 2012.

Helen is survived by her husband Eldon Shetler; children Paul (Julie) Ramsey, Vicki (Steve) Hanson, Ann (Nicholas) Berg; her adopted children Pam and Lu Valera; 12 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren, and her children-in-love, the Shetler children and their families.

Helen's life was centered on obedience to her Lord which she demonstrated in her love and service to her family, her church, and her community.

A memorial service will be held at 1:00 pm September 17, 2016, at the Birkenfeld Community Church in Birkenfeld, Oregon. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: Samaritan's Purse, Camp Morrow or the Christian charity of your choice.



Tiffany E. McNeill



Tiffany E. McNeill, 24, a former resident of the Vernonia community, late of Clatskanie, Oregon, died Saturday, August 20, 2016 at her home.

A Celebration of Life Service was held on Saturday, August 27, 2016 at 2:00 pm at the church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Rainier.

Tiffany Elizabeth McNeill was born on March 17, 1992 at Travis AFB in Fairfield, CA, the daughter of Damon and Cheryl McNeill, formerly of Vernonia. She moved to Vernonia at 3 years old and spent most of her life as a part of the community. She loved

everyone and showed that love freely and generously.

Three years ago she gave birth to a beautiful baby girl, who immediately became her whole world. She has been a great little mother and loved all animals no matter what they were. She loved to write, take pictures, and spend time with family and friends.

Survivors include her daughter Mercedes Benzel of Clatskanie; brothers Damon McNeill of Portland, and Brenden McNeill of Clatskanie; parents Damon and Cheryl McNeill of Clatskanie; and many others.

The family suggests that remembrances may be sent to the family home in Clatskanie, PO Box 1396, Clatskanie OR 97016, and will be used to start an educational savings account for her daughter.



Fred Allen Larson



Fred Allen Larson, 89, passed away peacefully on Saturday, August 27, 2016 in Kingman, AZ. Fred was born on December 27, 1926, in Birkenfeld, OR to Ethel and Frances Larson. Fred was the beloved husband of his one and only love of 70 years, Patricia (Garlock) Larson of Mist, OR and devoted father to Terry, Dave, Randy, Debbie, Don and Dennis.

In Fred's school days he was very athletic and well liked. In a letter written by a classmate he was described as a "neat" guy. Fred took the Vernonia Loggers to the State Basketball Championships as an all-star guard his senior year. The most memorable moment in his athletic career was when he ran for a 103 yard touchdown to beat Rainier. This was the longest run in Oregon high school football and to this day "Freddy" still may hold the record.

Fred was a logger by profession. He worked at the family business, The Larson Mill, in his early years, and worked for numerous logging companies throughout his career. He retired in 1981 due to a logging accident.

Fred loved spending time with family and friends. He loved fishing, hunting, attending an Oregon State Beaver football game, betting on some dogs and horses, and playing cards. Above anything else, he was a family man. He loved watching all the sports the boys participated in as well as watching his daughters cheerleading.

Preceding him in heaven are his brothers Gene and Buddy; his daughter Debbie Phillips; and daughter-in-law Shirley.

Fred is survived by his wife Patricia; son Terry, son Dave (Ruth), son Randy (Opal), son Don (Coleen), son Dennis (Teresa); and his sister Lorene; and sister-in-law Ilen; 11 grandchildren Jana (Kellie) Medges, Joe (Anne)

Medges, Tanya (Jon) Wehage, Steven (Nicole) Larson, Kristi (Jerry) Cole, Kelly (Greg) Smith, Kara (Danny) Nielsen, Randall (Wendy) Larson, Jr., Lisa (Dennis) Lemons, Rob (Ashley) Larson, Bryenne Larson, and Skye Larson; 21 great grandchildren Ryan, Dylan, Colton, Logan, Stephen, Clayton, Cassandra, Gideon, Lynnae, McCoy, Teryn, Jack, Brooke, Breanna, Tylre, Trent, Treye, Braden, Naelyn, Andy, and William; one great-great grandchild Teddy; and many cousins, nieces, and nephews.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, October 1, 2016, at Mist Elementary School in the gym at 1:00 pm. Mist Elementary School, 69163 Hwy 47, Mist, OR. 97016. Friends and family are all invited.



Selwyn Oliver Graves

1929 – 2016



Selwyn Graves of Crow, OR, was born August 15, 1929 in Vernonia, to Oliver Graves and Mamie Ratcliffe Graves. He passed away September 2, 2016 due to a farm accident.

He graduated from Vernonia High School class of 1947. His parents started Pebble Creek Dairy and he delivered milk to homes and the Camp 8 logging camp. They also built and operated the Mill Market & Locker. He went to work for Oregon-American in 1953 and worked until the last load of logs came into the mill in Vernonia. He was transferred by International Paper Company in Vaughn, OR as head electrician.

Selwyn married Mildred Thacker on August 2, 1953 in Seattle, WA. He was an electrician for 38 years.

Selwyn is survived by his son Randall Graves (Jeanette) of Forest Grove, son Dana Graves (Paula) of Stites, ID, daughter Vicki (Aaron Doughty) of Noti, OR; daughter Kristi (Dennis Moss) of Anatone, WA, daughter Kelli (Paul Krueger) of Lewiston, ID; sister Marilyn Frank (Jack); 12 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren. Two sisters, Florieda Hammond and Gwendolyn Mortimer; daughter Lori; granddaughter April; and great-grandson Caleb, died previously.

A Celebration Of Life will be held at Crow Nazarene Church, Crow Road on Friday, September 16 at 11:00 am. Afterward everyone is invited to a potluck at Crow Grange.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Crow Nazarene Church or to your favorite charity.

Arrangements entrusted to Musgrove Family Mortuary. Please access the obituary and you are invited to sign the guestbook at musgroves.com





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