

Valley Obituaries

Cecil E. Wright
Arrangements are pending at Illinois Valley Funeral Home for Cecil Eugene Wright, 52, of Kerby, who died Friday, Feb. 11, 2005 at his home.

Dorothy E. Hersey
A memorial service for Selma resident Dorothy Elizabeth Hersey, 97, who died at home Monday, Feb. 7, 2005, was held Tuesday, Feb. 15 at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Cave Junction Ward.
Mrs. Hersey was born on Oct. 19, 1907 in Auburn, Maine. On May 12, 1934 in Augusta, Maine she married Stanley C. Hersey. She lived in Maine for 60 years and in Barefoot Bay, Fla. for 33 years before relocating to Selma 18 months ago.
In Barefoot Bay she volunteered as a “Yellow Bird” at Sebastian River Hospital for 28 years after her retirement.
In recalling her life, the family said that, “She never met a stranger.” Her hobbies included sewing, reading and caring for others.
She is survived by a daughter, Susan Cofoed, of Selma; a son, Ralph Hersey, of Barefoot Bay; three grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.
Arrangements were handled by Southern Oregon Cremation Services Inc.

Church News

Seventh-day Adventist
“Guest Day” will be observed Saturday, March 5 with a free lunch and a talk by a former car dealer.
The gathering will begin at 9:30 a.m. at the church in Cave Junction, 265 S. Old Stage Road.
The featured speaker will be Henry Martin, also known as “Auto Martin,” former owner of the Mercedes Benz dealership in Grants Pass.
St. Patrick of the Forest Catholic Church
The second week of Lent will begin with a reading from Matthew, when Jesus was transfigured.
A voice said, “This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to Him.”
Good Shepherd Lutheran
Just as Jesus set his eyes on his destiny in Jerusalem, we should be focused on following his teachings as our goal.
Activities this week include worship at 9 a.m. Sunday; Sunday school at 10:15.

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Meals are served in the CJ County Bldg.
FRIDAY, FEB. 18
*Beef mushroom steak, whipped potatoes w/ gravy, green peas & pearl onions, oatmeal bread, bread pudding
MONDAY, FEB. 21
*Closed for President's Day
WEDNESDAY, FEB. 23
*Macaroni & cheese, escalloped tomatoes, iceberg Romaine salad, sunflower seed bread, butterscotch bar

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‘Brownie’ Brown
O’Brien resident Elmer Carl “Brownie” Brown, 77, died Sunday, Feb. 6, 2005 at Three Rivers Community Hospital in Grants Pass.
Visitation was held Thursday, Feb. 10 at Illinois Valley Funeral Home Chapel. A graveside service was held Friday, Feb. 11 at Laurel Cemetery, also in Cave Junction.
Mr. Brown was born on Nov. 9, 1927 in Prophets-town, Ill. He graduated from high school in Toulon, Ill. in 1945, the same year that he joined the U.S. Navy, in which he was trained in engineering and refrigeration.
During his Navy service he cruised around the world three times. He was honorably discharged in 1948.
On May 1, 1948 he married the former Lois L. Olson, who survives, and they settled in Toulon. In 1956, with their two sons, they moved to California, where Mr. Brown went to work in construction.
He became a foreman and superintendent of free-way construction, and built several freeways in Northern and Southern California.
Their third child, a daughter, was born in 1957. In 1980 the couple relocated to Oregon, where he built his home himself at the base of the Siskiyou Mountains.
Besides his wife, Lois Brown, of O’Brien, he is survived by their three children, Denny, Tony and Joni;

a sister, Maxine Talbert, of Galesburg, Ill.; a brother, Gene Brown, of Dixon, Ill.; and five grandchildren.
Hull & Hull Funeral Directors handled arrangements.
Julius Szabo
No service is planned for former Illinois Valley resident Julius Szabo, 85, of Grants Pass, who died at home Thursday, Feb. 10, 2005.
Mr. Szabo was born on Oct. 10, 1919 in Hungary. He moved to Oregon in 1974 from California. He lived in Illinois Valley for many years, until moving to Grants Pass in 1996.
Surviving are his wife, Virginia Szabo, of Grants pass; four stepdaughters; 16 step-grandchildren; and 15 step-great-grandchildren.
Arrangements were handled by Southern Oregon Cremation Services.
Florence L. Matz
A family service will be held for former Cave Junction resident Florence Louise Matz, 90, of Grants Pass, who died Thursday, Feb. 10, 2005 in a Grants Pass care center.
Mrs. Matz was born on Jan. 15, 1915 in Cleveland, Ohio. She moved to Cave Junction from Gardena, Calif. more than 20 years ago, and lived for the past several years in Grants Pass.
She enjoyed volunteer-

ing at her church in California, and at Oregon Caves National Monument near Cave Junction. She especially enjoyed listening to music.
She is survived by two children; a sister, Helen Bannon, of Cave Junction; two grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.
Southern Oregon Cremation Services handled arrangements.
Billie Ray Ridgley
Visitation was held Sunday, Feb. 13 at Hull & Hull Funeral Directors Chapel in Grants Pass for Cave Junction resident Billy Ray Ridgley, 50, who died
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Places of Worship

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SELMA 18285 Redwood Hwy. P.O. Box 279, Selma, OR 97538 - 597-4169 Pastor Monty Pope Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Sunday evening: 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m. ***	FOUNTAIN OF LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD 451 S. Junction Avenue 592-3956 Pastor Mark McLean Sunday School - 10 a.m. Morning Worship - 11 a.m. Evening Worship - 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. Adult Bible Study ***	SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH 265 S. Old Stage Road Sabbath School - 9:30 a.m. Sat. Church Service 11 a.m. Sat. Prayer & Praise 7 p.m. Tues. Pastor Vern Hyland Church 592-3218 Everyone Welcome Madrone Adventist School 592-3330 Sr. Teacher: Mrs. Amy Whitchurch 592-6604 ***	CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS 207 Junction Avenue, CJ Priesthood, Relief Soc. 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Sacrament Meet - 10:50 a.m. Bishop Gary Dobie 1st Counselor Chuck Rigby 2nd Counselor Var Rigby ***	BEIT EMMANUEL A Messianic Congregation P.O. Box 1949, CJ 97523 Sabbath Services Hebrew classes, worship in dance classes and celebrations of the Lord's Feasts - 592-3843 ***
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GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH East River Street & Lewis Court Sunday Worship - 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Church Phone: 592-2290 ***	COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH 113 S. Caves Avenue, CJ Evangelical & Non-Denominational Sunday School 9:15-10:15 a.m. Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m. Jr. Church, Infant & Toddler Nursery Provided Youth Awana - Wednesday 6:30 to 8 p.m. Crossquest - Thursday 3:30 to 5 p.m. Dr. Don Blackburn, Pastor Community Christian Academy ***	VALLEY EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH 498 Laurel Road Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. Bible Study, Youth Group Thursday - 7 p.m. - Adult Bible Study 592-6160	TAKILMA BIBLE CHURCH 10300 Takilma Road Pastor Dan Robinson Bible Study/Prayer Time 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Thursday Bible Study 7 p.m. ***	ILLINOIS VALLEY PENTECOSTALS Meeting 2 p.m. Sundays American Legion Hall 2110 Caves Hwy. 'Road through the RV Park' Contact 592-4716 for Bible Study in your home or the pastor's - P.O. Box 2180 Cave Junction, OR 97523 Pastor Wendell Owens 592-4716 ***
BAHA'I FAITH Phone 592-5234 ***	ILLINOIS VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH 2110 Caves Hwy. Stanley W. Smith, Pastor Sunday Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Bible Study - Thursday - 6 p.m. Youth Meeting - Thursday - 6 p.m. A Southern Baptist Ministry Phone: 592-3029 Cell: 659-8934		LIVING WORD FELLOWSHIP "Walking as Jesus Walked" Full Gospel Non-Denominational Sunday School - 10 a.m. Sunday Worship - 11 a.m. Sunday Evening - 7 p.m. Thursday Bible Study Prayer 7 p.m. 139 S. Caves Ave. Suite G (Next to Junction Avenue) Pastor Kathy Rice Home phone: 596-2421 Healing Rooms Open: Tuesday 7-8 p.m. or by appointment	Attend the church of your choice

