

Obituaries

Anna Mae Richards

A Celebration of Life for Anna Mae Richards, who died at age 86 on Feb. 27, 2007, will be held Saturday, May 19 at 2 p.m. at her residence.

Robert 'Lee' Lewis

Robert "Lee" Lewis, 91, of Cave Junction, died Saturday, May 5, 2007 at a rest home in Grants Pass.

Private interment was held at Laurel Cemetery in Cave Junction. Illinois Valley Funeral Directors was in charge of arrangements.

Remembrances may be made to Laurel Cemetery Association, P.O. Box 944, Cave Junction, OR 97523 or Lovejoy Hospice, 939 S.E. Eighth St., Grants Pass OR 97526.

Mr. Lewis was born Nov. 26, 1915 in San Saba, Texas to Martin and Mary Lewis. In 1936 he moved from Arizona to Cave Junction to work on Oregon Caves and build trails in the valley area with the Civilian Conservation Corps.

On Dec. 19, 1937 in Grants Pass he married Marbel "Martelle" Maurer. For 45 years he worked in mills including Salvage Lum-

ber Co., Moore's Mill, and Krause's Mill.

He belonged to Masonic Belt Lodge 18 in Kerby for more than 50 years. His hobbies were gardening, building tables and birdhouses, and hunting and fishing.

Besides his wife of nearly 70 years, Martelle Lewis, of Cave Junction; he is survived by a son, Doug Lewis, of Medford; a sister, Louise Harris, of Clovis, N.M.; a brother, John Lewis, of Knox City, Texas; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and one great-grand-grandson.

He was preceded in death by a son, Martin Lee Lewis, in 1982.

Fred B. Farnham

Fred Bernard Farnham, 73, of Cave Junction, died Saturday, May 5, 2007 at Three Rivers Community Hospital in Grants Pass.

A family service will be held. Southern Oregon Cremation Services is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Farnham was born on Feb. 21, 1934 in Hollister, Calif. to Walter and Jeanette Farnham. On Oct. 20, 1979, in Carson City, Nev., he married Jeannette Moore. He

worked as a Nissan auto mechanic for 50 years in California. In 1985 he moved from San Jose, Calif. to Cave Junction, where he owned and operated Fred's Automotive for 10 years.

His hobbies included hunting, fishing, gardening, and hanging out with friends. He enjoyed outdoor activities and his dogs.

Besides his wife, Jeannette Farnham, of Cave Junction; he is survived by two sons, Christopher Farnham, of Selma, and Fred Farnham Jr., of Kamiah, Idaho; and four grandchildren.

Scott A. Tracy

Scott Alan Tracy, 38 of Cave Junction died Sunday, April 29, 2007 at a nursing home in Grants Pass.

No service is planned at this time. Funeral arrangements are by Stephens Family Chapel in Grants Pass.

Mr. Tracy was born on Nov. 7, 1969 in Downey, Calif. to Kenneth and Mary Tracy.

He is survived by his sister, Susan Michelle Tracy, of Billings, Mont. He was preceded in death by his parents, Kenneth & Mary Tracy.

Church Reports

St. Patrick of the Forest Catholic Church

The Ascension of the Lord will be celebrated Thursday, May 17, and the reading will be from Luke 24:46-53.

Jesus said to His disciples: "Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and

rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in His name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses."

The church will host a free Spring Concert on Sunday, May 20 at 2 p.m. Jean

Robertson is director. Father Harry Holwell, a classical pianist, will play such pieces as *Finlandia*, *Pathetique Sonata*, and *Barbiere Overture*, as well as other compositions. *St. Patrick's Harmonizers* also will perform. Refreshments will be served in Elliott Hall after the concert.



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As you grew up, many of your closest friends moved to other towns and even different states. Perhaps at no other time as much as when a death occurs do you miss the support of those who knew you best. We want you to know we are one friend who is here in the neighborhood.

Cremation	\$460.00
Burial	\$830.00

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Airborne fund aims to back school arts, music

With more school districts struggling to keep programs in arts and music alive, the nation's leading herbal product announced that it will provide some much-needed relief to school districts throughout the country.

Teachers in Three Rivers School District are eligible to

apply for the Airborne Teacher Trust Fund, a non-profit charitable corporation. It will help fund art and music programs in elementary and middle schools that are in jeopardy of being lost due to budgetary limitations.

The Airborne Teacher Trust Fund is beginning with

an investment of \$250,000. Grants ranging from \$200 to \$10,000 will be awarded teachers to implement programs during the 2007-2008 school year.

Application information is available via the Airborne Teacher Trust Fund Website at www.airbornetrust.com.

FEMA lists four Oregon finalists

Four mitigation activities in Oregon have been chosen as finalists in the Federal Emergency Management Agency Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program.

In Oregon, those chosen are: Clackamas County Deep Creek Bridge Seismic Upgrade, \$338,771; development of City Mitigation Plans for Region 1 and 3, \$250,000; city of Salem, Fire Station Seismic Retrofits, \$1,037,250; and Deschutes & Crook Counties Wildfire Fuels Reduction, \$1,010,190.

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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 p.m.

BRIDGEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH
P.O. Box 645
5181 Holland Loop
Non-Denominational
Pastor Frank Salerno
Children's Church-10:30 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship
10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study
7 p.m.
Wednesday Youth Group
7 p.m.
Youth Group Leaders
Lance & Judy Baker
Women's Prayer Thursday
9:30 a.m.
Men's Prayer Meeting
1st & 3rd Saturday - 8 a.m.
Corner Dick George/
Holland Loop

BAHA'I FAITH
Phone 592-5234

ST. MATTHIAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
25904 N. Redwood Hwy.
Sunday Services:
1st three Sundays 11 a.m.
Fourth Sunday 5 p.m.
592-2006

FOUNTAIN OF LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD
451 S. Junction Ave.
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

ST. PATRICK OF THE FOREST CATHOLIC CHURCH
407 W. River St., CJ
592-3658
Father Harry Holwell
Parochial Vicar
Masses - Sunday
Daylight Saving - 9 a.m.
Standard Time - 10 a.m.
Daily Mass Tues. - Fri. 9 a.m.
First Saturday - 10 a.m.
Holy Days - 10 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday - 10:30 to 11:15 a.m.

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
113 S. Caves Ave., CJ
Evangelical &
Non-Denominational
Sunday School 9:15-10:15 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service - 6 p.m.
Jr. Church, Infant & Toddler
Nursery Provided
Youth Awana - K to 6th grade
Wednesday - 6:15 to 8 p.m.
Pastor Dave Gordon
Community Christian Academy
Preschool to 12th grade

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
265 S. Old Stage Rd.
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

IMMANUEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
200 Watkins Ph. 592-3876
Pastor Charles Chase
Sunday School - 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship - 9:15 a.m.
Child-care for small children
Web Page:
<http://UMCImmanuel.org>

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
East River Street
& Lewis Court
Pastor Don Torala
Sunday Worship - 9 a.m.
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Tuesday Youth group - 6 p.m.
Church Phone: 592-2290



FIRST LOVE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP
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God's Kingdom
139 Caves Ave. Front door
592-4775
Worship Schedule
Sunday Adult Bible Study
10 a.m.
Sunday Worship
10:45 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Sunday School & Nursery
10:45 a.m.
Wed. Service 7 p.m.
Thurs. "First Love Kitchen"
Free Hot Meal 11:30 a.m.
Sat. "Free Bread" 11 a.m.
Phone for
Bible College Classes
Pastors:
Bob & Virginia Kurko

ILLINOIS VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH
2110 Caves Hwy.
Stanley W. Smith, Pastor
Sunday Worship - 2:30 p.m.
Bible Study - Thursday 6 p.m.
A Southern Baptist Ministry
Phone: 592-3029

VALLEY EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
498 Laurel Road
P.O. Box 1248
Pastor Rudie B. Neumann
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service - 11 a.m.
Ladies Bible Study
Mon. 10:30 a.m.
Adult Bible Studies
Thursday 6 p.m.
evfree@frontiernet.net
592-6160

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
207 Junction Ave., CJ
Priesthood, Relief Soc.
9 a.m.
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Sacrament Meet - 10:50 a.m.
Bishop Charles Rigby
1st Counselor Dennis Swift
2nd Counselor Walt Farmer

ILLINOIS VALLEY PRAISE CENTER
28569 Redwood Hwy.
Cave Junction
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting - 6 p.m.
Thursday evening - 7 p.m.
Home Bible Study/Youth Group
Non-Denominational
Bible Teaching Church
Pastor Doug Wilson
592-4872

TAKILMA BIBLE CHURCH
10300 Takilma Road
Pastor Dan Robinson
Bible Study/Prayer Time
9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship
11 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study
7 p.m.

ILLINOIS VALLEY PENTECOSTALS
Bible Study & Fellowship
987 1/2 Caves Hwy.
2 p.m. Sunday
7:30 p.m. Thursday
592-4716
Individual Bible Studies
available
Pastor Wendell Owens
