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# In Loving Memory

#### Athren Wilson

A funeral for Athren Wilson will be held on Friday, Aug. 5 at 11:30 a.m. at Genesis Community Fellowship, 5425 N.E. 27th Ave.

He was born on Feb. 4, 1949 in Portland to Ather K. Wilson and Jimmie L. Wilson. He met Lori (Williams) Wilson in 1978 and the two were joined in marriage in 1982.

Athren attended Woodlawn El-

ementary, Benson and Jackson High School. He was the superintendant of Sunday school for many years at the Church of the Living God. He also served on the church usher board.

He loved to sing. He was part of the Christianaires Gospel group with his brothers and cousins. He also sang in the Staple Brothers Group as well as his church choir.

Athren was employed for Unimart Furniture Company and Miller Paint where he worked for



many years. He traveled all over the country helping to revive stores in trouble.

He was preceded in death by his father Ather and sister, Sarah Cole. He leaves to mourn his mother Jimmie; brothers, Roy G. Maxie, Billy R. Maxie, Ather K. Munson and Danny C. Wilson; sister, Charlotte Y. Martin; brother in laws, David Martin Sr., and Ibrahim Cole; sister in laws, Billie J. Maxie, Lisa Maxie and Esther Munson as well as a host of uncles,

aunts, nephews, nieces, cousins and many wonderful friends.

Athren passed away to rest in the arms of our God on July 28, 2011 at the young age of 52. He was a wonderful person that will truly be missed by his many friends and family members.

Arrangements entrusted to Terry Family Funeral Home. Sign Athren's online guestbook at terryfamilyfuneralhome.com.

### Summer in the City

Area residents are invited to celebrate the diversity of the city under the shade trees of the Irvington District during a Summer in the City celebration at Augustana Lutheran Church, 2710 N.E. 14th Ave. at Knott Street.

The Sunday, Aug. 7 event will take place from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. and feature ethnic music bands, including Haitian, Native American and more, and end with a Jazz Gospel Worship Service with Ron Steen, Marilyn Keller, Kevin Dietz and George Mitchell.

There also will be face painting, children's activities, a book sale, plus a Kielbasa hotdog barbeque at this free event.



### Forever Loved Patricia Ann Chatfield

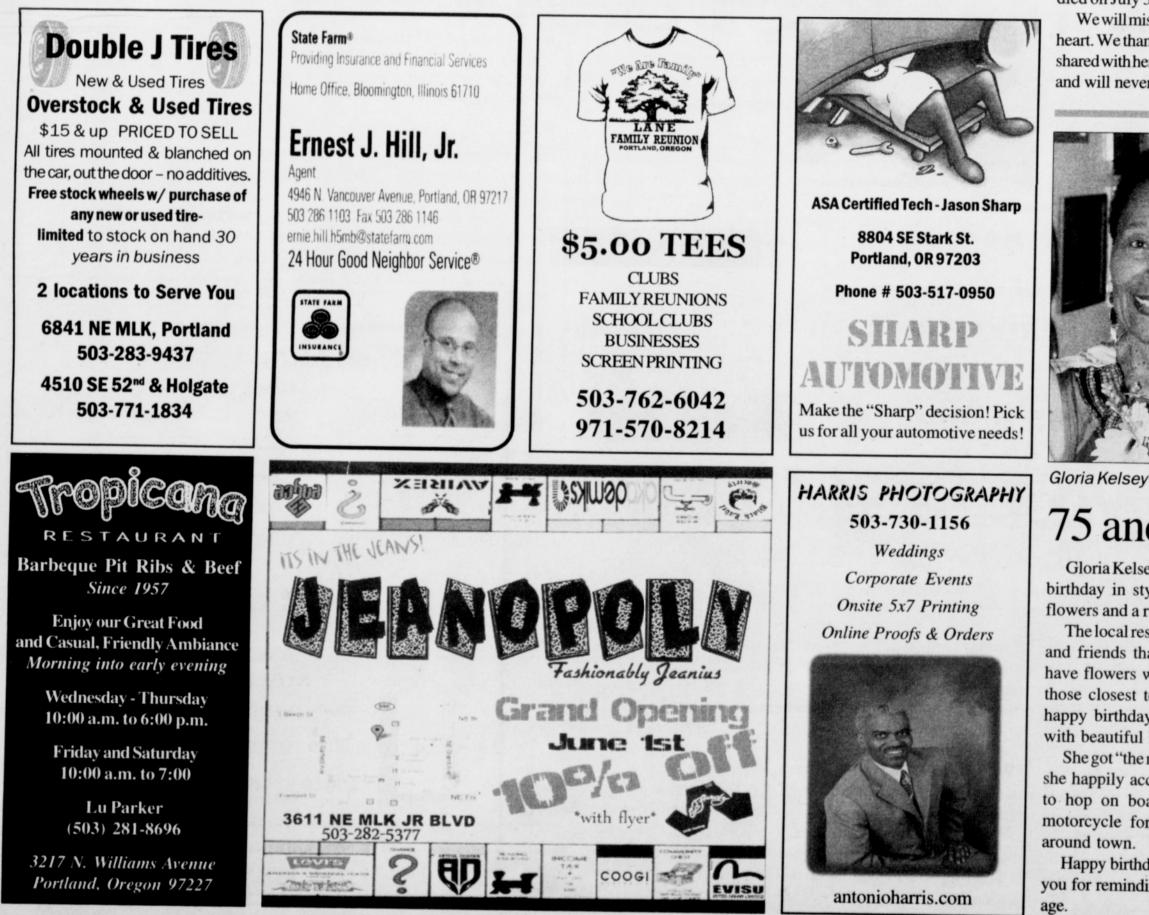
Funeral services for Patricia Ann Chatfield, our beloved wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, aunt and friend, will be held Thursday, Aug. 4 at 9:30 a.m. at Love Temple Church of God in Christ, 8660 N. Willamette Blvd.

She was born on Oct. 13, 1947 and died on July 30, 2011.

We will miss her smile and her kind heart. We thank God for the times we shared with her; she was forever loved and will never be forgotten.



## BUSINESSGuide



75 and Alive! Gloria Kelsey celebrated her 75th birthday in style on July 23 with flowers and a ride of her life.

The local resident told her family and friends that she would rather have flowers while she's alive, so those closest to her wished her a happy birthday by showering her with beautiful bouquets.

She got "the ride of her life" when she happily accepted an invitation to hop on board her neighbor's motorcycle for a birthday cruise around town.

Happy birthday Gloria and thank you for reminding us; youth has no age.