

## Frank John 'Harkie' Harkenrider

**Hermiston**  
December 25, 1926 - July 24, 2017

Frank John "Harkie" Harkenrider, of Hermiston, was born on December 25, 1926, in Hermiston, Oregon, to parents George and Thelma Keel Harkenrider. He died on July 24, 2017, in Hermiston, Oregon, at the age of 90 years.



Harkenrider

Harkie attended all 12 years of school in Hermiston, graduating from Hermiston Union High School in 1945. He attended Oregon State University in Corvallis until he was called into military service. Upon his honorable discharge, he attended Eastern Oregon College in La Grande. Three years later he transferred to the University of Oregon in Eugene.

He lacked one credit to earn his degree before his dad told him, "No more Joe College, time to go to work." In 1950, he went into business with his father. He took ownership and worked as a Union Oil consignee for 30 years until he sold out in 1980. He continued to work in the petroleum business until he retired in 1998.

On November 10, 1954, Frank married Beverly Bellus at the United Methodist Church in Hermiston. Frank served on the Hermiston City Council from 1959 until 2012. Following his father's footsteps of civic service, he ran for mayor and had a 10-year run, becoming the first ever father and son to be mayor of Hermiston.

Between work and city business, he never missed a Hermiston High School sporting event, traveling all over the state to see a game — even making it in his later years to see Hermiston for the first time become state football champions. He was known to many as Hermiston's Number

One Fan!  
As a member of the Desert Shrine Club he was proud to have helped over 300 children be admitted to the Shriner's Hospital. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, Elks Lodge, Eagles Lodge, Chamber of Commerce, Umatilla Historical Society, CRC Board, Hermiston Boosters Club, Echo Booster's Club and Hermiston Babe Ruth Baseball Program, serving as commissioner for several years. He attended both the Methodist and Christian churches, but his "calling" was community service "to put Hermiston on the map." This was when Hermiston was added to the milepost in Pioneer Square in Portland.

He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Beverly; daughters Lorene Aasrud and Paul, Lenette Selle and Ed, and Marla Cardenas and Manuel; five granddaughters, "The Fabulous Five": Kendra and Jason Quintero, Lindsay Christie, Sara Selle, Kelly and Ryan Robinson, and Kacie and Sam Upperman; and three great-grandchildren: Bryson Selle, Avalon Quintero and Brayton Christie.

A celebration of life service will be held on Saturday, September 9, 2017, at 11:15 a.m. at the Hermiston High School commons, Hermiston, Oregon. A private burial will be held at the Hermiston Cemetery, Hermiston, Oregon.

Those who wish may make contributions in his honor to the Harkenrider Senior Center.

Please sign the online condolence book at [burnsmortuaryhermiston.com](http://burnsmortuaryhermiston.com)

Burns Mortuary of Hermiston, Oregon, is in care of arrangements.

## Alice M. Tatone

**The Dalles**  
August 2, 1922 - August 29, 2017

Alice M. Tatone, 95, former longtime Boardman resident, died Tuesday, August 29, 2017, in The Dalles. A graveside service with military honors will be held on Saturday, September 9, 2017, at 1 p.m. at the Riverview Cemetery in Boardman, with a reception to follow at the Boardman Senior Center.



Tatone

She was born in Boardman on August 2, 1922, the daughter of Charles and Mary Louise Dillabough Wicklander. Mary Louise passed away when Alice was 3½ years old. In 1931 the family moved to La Grande where Alice attended school. After high school she went to Oregon State College and then to Kinman Business University.

Alice left college and joined the United States Navy right after Pearl Harbor. She was the first WAVE in Oregon sworn in on the radio station KOIN.

In 1944 she married Joseph "Joe" Tatone and they moved to Arlington where Joe was raised. Joe worked with his family on the farm and Alice had a Merle Norman studio. The couple later moved to Portland where Alice attended Reed College and Joe took classes at Portland State University and worked on the river dredges.

In 1952 they moved to Boardman, Oregon, with their 2-year-old daughter Linda Jo and their 2-month-old son Joseph Jr. "Jody." They converted the Cottage Inn into a home and opened a restaurant and lounge called the Hitchin' Post. They ran the Hitchin' Post and Joe did some farming and cattle ranching. In 1968 with the

displacement of the town of Boardman from the John Day Dam they built Dodge City Inn (restaurant-lounge-and-motel). Joe passed away in 1999. The family continued to own and operate Dodge City Inn business until 2012. Alice was a member of the Tillicum Club and was president of the OFWC Junior Women's Club of Oregon. She also served as the president of the 4th District of the Oregon Federation of Women's Club. During the '60s Alice was the leader of several 4-H clubs. In 1967 she became a counselor for Western Business University. Her position took her around the state speaking to high school students about business education. In 1965 she received an insurance license and sold insurance and later she also received a real estate license and sold real estate.

In 1991 at the age of 69 she wanted to fulfill a promise she made to her father when she left college to join the Navy and she went back to college and graduated from Eastern Oregon University with a Bachelor of Science degree.

Alice was preceded in death by her husband of 55 years, Joe Tatone. Survivors include her daughter Linda Jo Smith and her husband Roger of Condon and her son Jody Tatone and his wife Cindy of Roseburg, six grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren that where the joy of her life.

Memorial contributions may be made to the South Gilliam Ambulance Service, P.O. Box 85, Condon, OR 97823. Sweeney Mortuary of Condon is in care of arrangements.

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## PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

### FRIDAY

4:14 a.m. - A woman was yelling at a baby at Blue Mountain Village Apartments, Southwest Goodwin Avenue, Pendleton.  
9:15 a.m. - A female was yelling and throwing chairs in New York Richie's on Southeast Emigrant Avenue, Pendleton. She was arrested by Pendleton Police.  
12:12 p.m. - Shots fired reported at Hoosier Road in Stanfield.  
3:02 p.m. - A woman reported that her grandchildren were walking home at East Pine Avenue and Southeast Seventh Street, when a woman in a white Camaro with a black stripe approached the children and made comments that one child needed to stop picking on his brother. The children were scared because they didn't know who this person was or why she knew they were brothers.  
9:28 p.m. - A missing man was reported at Baggett Lane, Hermiston.  
10:11 p.m. - Shots fired reported at Chenoweth Avenue and John Day Street in Umatilla.  
11:05 p.m. - A vehicle went into the ditch on Highway 11 in Adams.

### SATURDAY

11:52 a.m. - A second locomotive was reported on fire at South Thielsen and West Buckley streets, Echo.  
2:59 p.m. - Three boys were taking items off of vehicles at Pendleton Riverside Apartments, Northwest Carden Avenue, Pendleton.  
2:19 p.m. - An assault was reported at Vetter Lane and West Spearman Road, Hermiston.  
5:51 p.m. - A male reported a female hitting him at Harvest Foods on 6th Street in Umatilla.

### SUNDAY

2:15 a.m. - Shots fired were reported at McNary Beach, Beach Access Road, Umatilla.  
2:38 p.m. - Two men were shoving each other and appeared to be getting ready to fight at Southwest 20th Street. Pendleton police made an arrest.

### MONDAY

4:03 p.m. - A prowler was reported in the barn at Agnew Road, Hermiston.

### ARRESTS, CITATIONS

Monday  
•Umatilla Tribal Police arrested Thomas Soaring Eagle, 35, address not provided, for dangerous drugs and on a misdemeanor failure to appear warrant.  
•Milton-Freewater police arrested Adalberto Garcia Lara, 32, address not provided, for felony domestic violence charges of fourth-degree assault and strangulation, misdemeanor harassment, and for driving under the influence of intoxicants (alcohol).  
Tuesday  
•Pendleton police arrested J. Maston Wornell, 37, address not provided, for possession of methamphetamine, attempting to elude/flee police, resisting arrest and on four felony failure to appear warrants.

## DEATH NOTICES

### Doris T. Haney

**Hermiston**  
Nov. 16, 1925 - Aug. 31, 2017

Doris T. Haney, 91, of Hermiston died Thursday, Aug. 31, 2017, in Hermiston. She was born Nov. 16, 1925, in Birmingham, England. Arrangements are pending with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Sign the online condolence book at [burnsmortuaryhermiston.com](http://burnsmortuaryhermiston.com)

### Kimberly Ann 'Kim' Muldoon

**Hermiston**  
March 5, 1961 - Sept. 2, 2017

Kimberly Ann "Kim" Muldoon, 56, of Hermiston died Saturday, Sept. 2, 2017, in Hermiston. She was born March 5, 1961, in Jamestown, N.D. A celebration of life service will be held Friday, Sept. 8 at 1 p.m. at Burns Mortuary chapel in Hermiston. Burial will follow at the Hermiston Cemetery. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at [burnsmortuaryhermiston.com](http://burnsmortuaryhermiston.com)

### Joseph C. Watkins

**Pendleton**  
April 7, 1965 - Sept. 2, 2017

Joseph C. Watkins, 52, of Pendleton died Saturday, Sept. 2, 2017, in Pendleton. He was born April 7, 1965, in Portland. A memorial service will be held Monday, Sept. 11 at 2 p.m. at Pendleton Pioneer Chapel, Folsom-Bishop. Online condolences may be shared with the family at [www.pioneerchapel.com](http://www.pioneerchapel.com).

## UPCOMING SERVICES

### WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 6

No services scheduled

### THURSDAY, SEPT. 7

**BAKER, DALE** — Graveside service at 11 a.m. at the Lexington Cemetery.

## OBITUARY POLICY

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## Curtis Milton Stanton Jr.

**Pendleton**  
August 2, 1947 - September 3, 2017

Curtis Milton Stanton Jr. was born in Klamath Falls, Oregon, on August 2, 1947, and passed away at 4:46 a.m. September 3, 2017, at St. Mary's Hospital in Walla Walla, Washington. A visitation will be held at Burns Mortuary of Pendleton from 10-2 on Tuesday, September 12, 2017. Funeral service to be held on Saturday, September 16, 2017, at 2:00 p.m. at Beatty Valley Gospel Mission (Beatty Church), 42726 Walnut St., in Beatty, Oregon. Lunch to follow.



Stanton

Curt was a strong family man, he kept all his family close to his heart — always remembered everyone's birthdays. He was loved by so many. In his early days, he was a logger and choke setter working in the southern Oregon woods and Happy Camp, California, area. He worked for a time in Chiloquin with the Forest Service and Archie Area digging for artifacts. He lived with his mom in Portland for five years until she passed,

then lived with his sister Lee before moving to Pendleton where he resided for 18 years.

Curt is survived by his sisters Ilene Lee Stanton Oleary, Christine Stanton, Rosie Duran, Jackie Davies and Elizabeth Maldonado; brother Byron Stanton; nieces Trina Crader, Christi Jasso, Karlee Wright, Raquel, Gina, Cianna and Brandy; and nephews Stephen Jasso, Eclipse and Shyam, Jordan Crader, Ryder Princehouse, Morgan Princehouse, Michael Lunetta, Brandon Anthony, Nick, Eric, Ramon, Nestor Esqueda and James Esqueda.

Special thank you to Grady and Patricia Barnes, who graciously cared for Curt over the last 11 years.

As Mickey Mouse would say: "I'm Badder than Bad!"

Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements. Please sign the online condolence book at [www.burnsmortuary.com](http://www.burnsmortuary.com).

## Shirley Flink

**Kennewick, Wash.**  
May 11, 1928 - September 2, 2017

Shirley Flink was born May 11, 1928, in Longview, Washington, to Mr. and Mrs. Gary M. Cobb. They moved to Portland, Oregon, when she was 13 months old and she grew up there.

Shirley attended Woodstock Grade School and graduated from Franklin High School in June 1945. She worked a year at Western Union.

On May 25, 1946, Shirley married Joseph John Flink at Our Lady of Sorrows Church in Portland. They lived in the Columbia River Gorge for eight years where their three children were born.

In 1954, Joe was transferred to McNary Dam in Umatilla, Oregon. Their children grew up in Hermiston, Oregon. Shirley and Joe were divorced in 1978.

Shirley was hired by Battelle, Pacific Northwest Laboratory until her retire-

ment. On July 1, 2006, Shirley moved to The Royal Columbian Assisted Living in Kennewick, Washington, then moved to Ruan's Garden in Kennewick.

Shirley was preceded in death by her daughter, Jaclyn Jean Sievers, her parents, a brother and a sister.

She is survived by her son Ron Flink and his wife Jane, and daughter Carla Windham and her husband, Chad. She is also survived by her son-in-law Bart Sievers and his wife, Susan. She has five grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Graveside services will be held Monday, September 11, 2017, at 10:00 a.m., at Desert Lawn Memorial Park, 1401 S. Union St., Kennewick.

The family invites you to sign their online tribute wall at [ww.muellersfuneral-homes.com](http://ww.muellersfuneral-homes.com)

## James C. 'J.C.' Halladay

**Meacham**  
May 15, 1945 - August 31, 2017

James C. Halladay passed away August 31, 2017. He was born in La Grande in 1945 to John Halladay Sr. and Louise Clark, brother of Eugene Osborn and John Halladay Jr.

He graduated from Hermiston High School in 1963 and worked for Union Pacific Railroad until he retired in 1998.

J.C. loved the mountains, the outdoors, riding four-wheelers and being with his friends.

He is the loving father of three children: Betty Winkler, Rodney Halladay and Darin Halladay. He has seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

We all love you, and you will be greatly missed.



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