

THE RECORD

OBITUARIES

KILMER—Dr. Frank Hale Kilmer, 93, of Florence, passed away April 12, 2018.

Frank was born on July 1, 1924, in Chicago, Ill., but grew up in Pasadena, Calif., ultimately attending Pasadena City College. Involved in an aero-tech program, he thought he had found his life's work. He helped design the P-61, Black Widow night fighter while working for Northrup, and continued a love affair with airplanes throughout the rest of his life.

At UC Berkeley, Frank took a geology course, which led him to a PhD, a 4-year stint in oil exploration and a lifetime in academia. He was still working on a mapping project in the Florence area when he left us; he loved his work.

Frank used his expertise to travel the world, teaching in eight foreign countries and traveling in more than 60. A humble man, he made friends wherever he went. Wherever he lived he was involved in the community, making city maps, being on planning commissions and city councils, writing letters to the editors, being involved with coastal commissions and leaving a better place than he found.

He spent four years as part of a United Nations Committee member aiding island nations in the Pacific to develop their natural resources and worked at Seoul National University,

Korea under the USAID program to underdeveloped nations.

Frank had a huge interest in the natural world; he loved sports (especially football); he was a jazz fan who knew his jazz, knew the musicians, songs and history; he knew all the battles of WWII, including the people, planes, ships and outcomes; and he loved to talk and tell stories to anyone who would listen.

Frank is survived by his wife, Shirley, of 47 years; three daughters: Kathy Hennesey, Kerry Kilmer and Holly Davis; numerous stepdaughters and stepsons, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, all of whom he loved dearly and they adore him in return.

Please join us in remembering Frank by joining us on May 12, at 11 a.m., at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints on Munsel Lake Road in Florence.

Come share stories or just listen; lunch will be served.

Burns's Riverside Chapel Florence Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements.

CHUNN—Roberta Louise (Bobbie) Chunn, 71, of Florence, passed away Jan. 18, 2018.

Bobbie was born Aug. 30, 1936, and was retired from Mercy Hospital in Merced, Calif., after 40 years of service before making a new home on the Oregon Coast in Florence.

Her major accomplishments were being a Registered Nurse Certified in Obstetrics; NAACOG member, European travels; exploring the United States; beautiful counted cross stitch creations; her love of animals; and being the mother of five children.

Roberta had a passion for her nursing career and it has been figured that she helped to bring in over 20,000 babies in the Merced County area, where she was highly regarded by the medical community.

Roberta donated her remains to medical science through the local university.

Roberta is survived by her sister, Joyce, and husband, Ted Meza of Los Banos, Calif.; brothers-in-law Donald Chunn of Rockingham, N.C., and Richard Peters of Modesto, Calif.; daughter, Kim Marie Gonzalez, and her husband David, of Reno, Nev.; sons Dennis and wife Becky Chunn of Eugene, Ore., David and wife Una Chunn of Placerville, Calif., Robert Chunn of Oceanside, Calif., and Edward and wife Angelina Chunn of Springfield, Ore.; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Earle and Judy Durkee; sisters Barbara Bradley, Deanna Bennett; brother-in-law David Bennett; and sisters-in-law Sandra Peters and Jean Chunn.

A memorial service and mass to commemorate Bobbie's life will be held Saturday, May 19, at 11 a.m., at Saint Mary, Our Lady of the Dunes Catholic Church, 85060 South Highway

101 in Florence.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to

a local no-kill animal shelter or the ASPCA.



Dr. Frank Kilmer



Roberta Chunn



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POLICE LOG

Florence Police

Apr. 24

Theft was reported in the 2900 block of Oak Street.

Fight was reported in the 1800 block of Oak Street.

Accident, without injury, was reported in the 5900 block of East Glenada Road.

Driving while suspended was reported at 16th Street and Highway 101.

Apr. 25

Trespass was reported in the 3000 block of Highway 101.

Theft of services was reported in the 500 block of Laurel Street.

Accident, with unknown injury, was reported at Munsel Lake Road and Highway 101.

Accident, with unknown injury, was reported at 44th Street and Highway 101.

Apr. 26

Theft of services was reported in the 900 block of Highway 101.

Harassment was reported in the 85000 block of Pine Street.

DUII was reported at Eighth Street and Highway 101.

Apr. 27

Arrest, with warrant, was reported at 10th and Tamarack Streets.

Driving while suspended was reported at 12th and Spruce Streets.

Trespass was reported in the 4000 block of Heceta Beach Road.

Arrest, with warrant, was reported in the 900 block of Greenwood Street.

DUII was reported in the 5000 block of Highway 126.

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Fire was reported at Nelson Mountain Road and Highway 36.

Apr. 28

Driving while suspended was reported at 23rd and Oak Streets.

Theft was reported in the 100 block of Nopal Street.

Driving while suspended was reported at 28th and Oak Streets.

Harassment was reported in the 1500 block of Highway 101.



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