

IN MEMORIAM

Llewellyn Stanley Kazebee 1925-2016

Llewellyn "Lew" Stanley Kazebee, 90, of Cottage Grove passed away June 5, 2016.

He was born Nov. 28, 1925 in Cleveland, Ohio to Melvin and Elizabeth (Thomas) Kazebee.



He graduated with a B.S. degree from Yale University in 1948. Lew served in the U.S. Navy, Seaman First Class, during WWII and in the U.S. Army, Corporal, in Korea.

On May 28, 1955 in Euclid, Ohio, he and Ruth Millner were married.

Lew worked as a mechanical engineer for U.S. Steel as a senior engineer from 1955 to

1965, for Hughes Aircraft Corp. as an antenna systems department head from 1965-73 and for Consulting Engineering as a department manager from 1973 to retirement in 1988.

He enjoyed hiking, canoeing and travel.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth Kazebee, of Cottage Grove, a daughter, Lisa Kazebee Russo and her husband, Kent Russo, of Cottage Grove, a sister, Ethel Van Schoyck of Jackson, Mich., and two grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son, Mark Alan Kazebee.

No service is planned. Arrangements under the care of Smith-Lund-Mills Funeral Chapel, Cottage Grove.

Memorial notice

Viola Lue "Vi" Franklin, 92, of Roseburg passed away June 7. A visitation will be at noon on Saturday, June 25, at the Smith-Lund-Mills Funeral Chapel in

Cottage Grove. A Funeral will be at 1 p.m. Saturday, June 25 at Smith-Lund-Mills Funeral Chapel. Arrangements by Smith-Lund-Mills Funeral Chapel in Cottage Grove.

David L. Belcher 1931-2016

David L. Belcher, 85, of Reedsport, Ore. died on June 10, 2016 of Parkinson's disease.

He was born in Medford, Ore. on Feb. 13, 1931 to Harlen and Lillian (Sutton) Belcher.

He graduated from Cottage Grove High School and served in the U.S. Navy.

He married Aileen Kae Shaw.

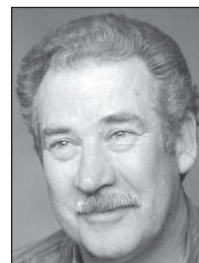
David was a pilot, and loved

to fly. He enjoyed fishing and hunting. He fished all the time. He was a member of the Elks Lodge in Eugene.

He is survived by daughter, Brenda (Ken) Carlson of Rancho Santa Fe, Calif.; daughter, Michele Belcher of Eugene; daughter, Annette (Everett) Worley of Eugene; brother, Clifford (Loretta) Belcher of Winchester Bay, Ore.; brother, Clayton (Vera) Belcher of Cottage Grove; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Aileen Kae Belcher, who died in 2009.

A graveside service will be held at 1 p.m. on Friday, June 17 at Glendale Memorial Cemetery in Glendale, Ore. Memorial contributions may be made to SHMC Hospice in Eugene. Smith-Lund-Mills Funeral Chapel is in charge of arrangements.



Death Notice

Jensen Michael Dean Howland of Cottage Grove passed away June 2, 2016. Arrangements under the care of Smith-Lund-Mills Funeral Chapel.

BIRTHS

June 1, 2016

To Jessica and Dustin Bean of Cottage Grove, a daughter.

June 6, 2016

To Kyle and April Brown of Creswell, twins (a boy and a girl.)



The healing power of the Holy Spirit

It's wonderful to know that, as believers in Christ, we can live in close fellowship with God. Jesus said in John 16:7 (AMP), "I tell you the truth, it is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper (Comforter, Advocate, Intercessor - Counselor, Strengtheners, Standby) will not come to you; but if I go, I will send Him (the Holy Spirit) to you [to be in close fellowship with you]."

When Jesus walked the earth, He could be in one place at a time and He could be with the disciples. But the Holy Spirit can be everywhere, all the time, and He lives IN those who have accepted Christ as their Savior. Being with Jesus is good, but having the Holy Spirit in us is even better. We don't have to go looking for God because He's as close as close can get!

See, when we receive Christ and we're born again, it literally means that God - through the power of the Holy Spirit - comes to live inside us. He makes us new on the inside, and as He works in us, the fruit of what He's doing is seen in the way we live and does some good for the people in the world around us. (See 2 Corinthians 5:17, 21; John 14:17, 26; Acts 1:8; Galatians 5:22-23.)

Who He is to you

John 16:7 tells us who the Holy Spirit is: Helper, Comforter, Advocate, Intercessor, Counselor, Strengtheners and Standby. John 14:26 (AMP) says "He will teach you all things." The Holy Spirit is THE Teacher and He guides us into all truth.

Think of this in the standpoint of recovering from things in the past that have hurt you. Many people come to God because their life is messed up and they don't know what to do to fix it. They've tried everything they know to do and nothing is working. So finally, in their desperation, they ask for His help.

Thankfully, God wants to help us and heal us - spirit, soul and body. He wants to bring restoration to us so we won't live in a state of recovery forever. He wants us to be whole in Christ so we can help someone else. We need the Holy Spirit to lead us to truth one step at a time, and we need His strength to confront things that are hard to face so we can get victory over them.

In my journey with Christ, He's brought so much healing and restoration to my soul - my mind, will and emotions. My father sexually abused me throughout my childhood. When I left home at 18, I thought, "That's over! I'm putting that problem behind me." But I took the problem with me because the wounds of the abuse were

still in my soul.

The pain of my past affected my thinking, how I operated emotionally, all of my relationships, and even my will. I was rebellious and stubborn and promised myself no one would ever hurt me or push me around again.

I was born again at this time but didn't know that I could have the power of the Holy Spirit working in my life. It was years later, after I started seriously studying the Word of God, that I realized the Holy Spirit could heal me.

It's so important to understand that we cannot do this on our own, but as we lean on the Holy Spirit for the strength to face our problems, we can overcome them.

Run to your source of healing, not from Him

If you have hurts from abuse, disappointments, an injustice or any other kind of mistreatment, you will have to face them with the help of the Holy Spirit to be healed of them. Because anything you run from has a certain amount of power over you, and until you face it, every time it raises its ugly head, you have to run some more. Thank God, you don't have to do it alone!

As I began my journey to wholeness in Christ, I had to face some painful things I had been avoiding and at times, running from. I had to face the fact that my parents didn't know how to love me...that I had been abused...that there was a lot of pain in my life because of it all...that my dysfunctional behavior was rooted in the mistreatment I had experienced and I couldn't blame it on the people in my life now. I had to take responsibility for my wrong attitudes, mind-sets and behavior, and lean on God for the wisdom and strength to change.

Recovery and restoration of our souls takes time. One step at a time the Holy Spirit guides us into truth that sets us free. I want to encourage you today to trust God's love for you and that He wants to help you and heal you. The truth is, you can't heal yourself, but you can be completely healed and whole in Christ, because all things are possible with God!

Joyce Meyer is a New York Times bestselling author and founder of Joyce Meyer Ministries, Inc. She has authored more than 100 books, including Battlefield of the Mind and Overload: How to Unplug, Unwind and Unleash Yourself from the Pressure of Stress (Hachette). She hosts the Enjoying Everyday Life radio and TV programs, which air on hundreds of stations worldwide. For more information, visit www.joycemeyer.org.

Festival seeks volunteers, parade entries

Bohemia Mining Days (July 14-17) is seeking volunteers for a wide variety of jobs. A minimum two-hour shift will be shared by two people. Most positions involve direct interaction with festival go-ers. Saturday parade entry down-

loadable forms are now on the website. Volunteer orientation is Wednesday, July 6 at 6 pm. More information is available at www.bohemiaminingdays.org or by calling Cindy at 541-942-5064.

Myers presents at Rotary



photo by Nadine Kelley

The Rotary Club of Cottage Grove enjoyed Alison Myers' recent presentation of her passion and experiences at a Uganda orphanage in Africa. Ruth Linoz presented her with a covered bridge token of appreciation that was handmade by Don Williams.

Dining Site seeks volunteers

The Yoncalla Dining Site, located at 400 Main St. in Yoncalla, is looking for volunteers on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Positions include kitchen help and meals on wheels drivers. People interested can contact: Victory Webber at (541) 440-3558.

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David Lloyd Maks Sr. 1924-2016

Dave Maks was born March 14, 1924 and passed away in Eugene, OR from heart failure, on June 6, 2016, at the age of 92. He was born in Sedro Woolley, Washington as one of three children born to Stephen and Frances Maks. Dave was raised between Portland, Oregon and Sedro Woolley, where he recalled fond memories of spending summers with his grandparents. Dave was a child prodigy accordionist at 9 years of age. He loved making music playing the accordion and the piano. He was attending Columbia Preparatory School, now the University of Portland, when WWII began. He joined the United States Navy and served as a Second Class Signalman in the Pacific Theater aboard the USS Arneb. His Navy career came to an end when he contracted tuberculosis and was taken home for treatment at Corona Naval Hospital. After surviving TB and malaria, he returned to Portland to attend business school and entered the Veterans Administration as a stenographer. Dave worked in various capacities throughout his 43 year career in the VA with positions in Portland, OR; Fresno, CA; Roseburg, OR; and American Lake, WA, from which he retired as Chief Medical Administrator. He took great pride in assisting veterans and their families from all walks of life. Through his retirement he continued to assist veterans in the Drain and Cottage Grove, OR area in seeking care through the VA.

Dave was an avid fisherman in his younger years, enjoying many hours on northwest rivers. He grew terrific gardens and taught his children how to teepee beans as his grandfather had taught him in childhood. He cooked huge pots of spaghetti sauce made from luscious home-grown tomatoes, pickled quarts of beets, and canned green beans. When not in the garden, he played baseball, golf, officiated basketball and participated in tournament bowling. While living at American Lake he loved his volunteer job as a Water Safety Sheriff. In retirement his favorite past time was welcoming friends, children and grandchildren for visits to the home he and Becky made on Territorial Highway.

Dave was preceded in death by his parents, brother Stephen, sister Marlene, three wives, Carma, Jacqueline and Rebecca and his son, Joseph. He is survived by children, Kathleen (Mike), Stephen (Claudia), Suzanne, David (Mercedes), Christin, Shannon (Honor). He is also survived by 12 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and 8 loving nieces and nephews.

His Catholic faith was strong and guided his life. He participated at Mass, first as an altar boy and eventually as lay clergy. It was rare for Dave to ever miss Mass, communion or the opportunity to help another in need. He was a proud member of St. John's Parish in Drain, then Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Cottage Grove, and most recently St. Paul's in Eugene.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Catholic Charities would be appreciated. Committal Service will be held at Willamette National Cemetery in Portland, OR on June 16th, 2016 at 12:30 pm.

Arrangement by Smith-Lund-Mills Funeral Chapel 123 S. 7th St., Cottage Grove, OR



MAXWELL LEE JACOB September 18, 1965 - April 29, 2016



A Celebration of Life to remember Maxwell Jacob will be held at the Drain Assembly of God on Friday, June 24th at 6:00pm. There will be an informal gathering in the fellowship hall to share memories and celebrate Max's life. In honor of Max, his favorite food, a taco bar will be served.

Please join us and bring your favorite memory of Max to share with his family.

