#### **June Marie Smith**

July 19, 1927 - June 6, 2015 Graveside service for June Marie Smith, 87, of Sheridan is Wednesday (today) at 10 a.m. at Salt Creek Cemetery in Dallas.

Dallas Mortuary Tribute Center handled arrangements. To send an online condolence: www.dallastribute.com.

# **Opal Ladbury**

Opal Ladbury of Salem and former longtime Dallas resident died Friday.

No service will be held at her request.

Crown Memorial Center in Salem handled arrangements.

# Richard 'Dick' **James Malone**

Sept. 30, 1931 - June 9, 2015 Richard "Dick" James Malone, 83, of Dallas died June 9.

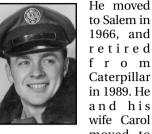
He was born in Minneapolis to Raymond and Ethel Cooper Malone.

They moved to Newport in 1935. He attended Newport Grade School until 1946, and then moved to Santa Ana, Calif., and graduated from Orange High School in 1950. Dick joined the Air Force in December of 1950, and served in Korea during the Korean War as a gunner on a B26 aircraft.

He was discharged in 1954, and moved to Anaheim, Calif.

Dick attended California Institute of Manufacturing Engineering. He worked in the aerospace industry as a design engineer and consultant until 1962.

He then moved back to Oregon and settled in Lake Oswego. Dick worked for Towmotor Corp., a division of Caterpillar Inc., in Dallas.



retired Caterpillar in 1989. He and his wife Carol moved to Dallas in

1993. He liked traveling, hunting,

fishing and woodworking. He also enjoyed sports and was an avid Notre Dame fan.

He did volunteer advocate work for 20 years for abused children in the Polk County Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA). Dick was a member of St. Philip Catholic Church in Dallas and the Knights of Columbus as well as the American

He was preceded in death by his brother, Bob, and

grandson, Nyland Espedal. Survivors include his wife, Carol Malone; daughters Cyndie Douglas of Lake Oswego, Janet Groff of Salem, Lori Espedal and Kathy Miyazono, both of Portland, and Patty Keller of Vancou-

Virginia Miller passed away Monday af-

ternoon, June 8th. Virginia, or Ginnie as

she was known to friends, was born in

Kansas City, Kansas, on April 6, 1920 to

Edward and Lillian Carter. She celebrated

her 95th birthday this Spring. After grad-

uating from Wyandotte High School in

Kansas City, Virginia attended a local com-

munity college. She began dating Robert L. Miller during her junior year in high

school. After a two year courtship, they

were married February 19, 1939. As new

lyweds, they lived in Kansas City, Kansas,

until Bob was transferred to Los Angeles,

California to work in the office of Fred

Harvey's at the then new Los Angeles train

Bob enlisted into the Army Air Corps and

began training to be a pilot. While stationed in the United

States, Virginia was able to move from base to base locations

in California, Texas, and Colorado to be close to him. When

her husband was shipped overseas to England, Virginia re-

turned to California and went to work for The Pacific Electric

Railway Station, 6th and Main, Los Angeles, California, in the

Conductor's Accounting Department. World War II forever

changed and shaped their lives as it did to so many Americans.

Friendships were made for life. Without question, Virginia

is one of the most patriotic people her children have ever

When Bob returned from overseas and was discharged from

active duty, he went to work for the Bank of America, and

Virginia returned to being a housewife and mother, something she enjoyed greatly her entire life. As their children were growing up, she kept very involved in their activities by vol-

unteering with the Cub Scouts, Girl Scouts, Parent Teacher

Association, and Little League. Bob's career took them to Los

Angeles, Redlands, Santa Ana, and La Jolla, California. After

retiring, they moved to Dallas, Oregon, in the Fall of 1974,

Virginia's faith in God was strong. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Dallas. She was creative, artistic,

an avid reader, lover and protector of all animals, gardener ex-

traordinaire, a great friend, and whether we call her Mom,

Mama, Gramma, or MaMom, she was the perfect mother and

grandmother. She taught each of us to be more loving and caring individuals. She was a blessing to one and all.

Virginia was predeceased by both parents, her husband Bob, son-in-law Dave Linn, and grandson Robbie Miller. She will be dearly missed by sons Gregg Miller (MaryAnn), Robert Miller, daughter Beverlee Linn, grandchildren Brent (Heidi), Todd (Kami), Jerad (Andrea), Emily (Dan), Lori (Isaac), and Rees (Tami), great grandchildren Cody, Shelby, Kaylee, Kelsey, Makena, and one on the way compliments of

relishing the country life.

Jerad and Andrea.

Following the attack on Pearl Harbor,

VIRGINIA C. MILLER

April 6, 1920 - June 8, 2015

ver, Wash.; sons, Dennis Malone of San Rafael, Calif., and Tim Malone of Portland; stepson, Russell Bieker of Eugene: 13 grandchildren: and three great-grandchil-

Funeral Mass is June 25 at 11 a.m. at St. Philip Catholic Church in Dallas. Recitation of the rosary will be at 10:30 a.m. prior to Mass.

Contributions are suggested to Shriners Children's Hospital or Oregon Right To Life in care of Dallas Mortuary Tribute Center, which handled arrangements.

To send an online condolence: www.dallastribute.

# **Robert Clifford** Patterson II

Nov. 8, 1948 – June 6, 2015 Robert "Bob" Clifford Patterson, 66, of Independence

died in Independence on June 6. He was born to Robert "Pat" Clifford Patterson Sr.



B o b spent his childhood in Independence

IN MEMORY OF PAT

When grief is subdued and tears have slowed

And sadness is not such a heavy load

Our memory of her was ever so dear

and our importance to her was always so clear

She loved everyone and was loved by all

And ready to help anyone that may fall

She loved many sports and liked to compete

And to play against her, you may see defeat

Her schooling was normal but her knowledge was great

She taught her children to love and not hate

She could paper and paint the ceiling and wall

Her talent was endless. She could do it all.

We are having for her a Celebration of Life

She is now in God's hands, with no more strife.

Come for a few minutes or visit awhile

Time's not important, it's the thought and a smile.

Pat Tilgner passed away quietly on Jan. 4th of this year

and asked for no service. She said "If you want to, wait 'til

later and have a party for me." So with this thought we are

having a celebration of life and party for Pat. The 20th of

June is Pat's birthday, so her celebration of life will be "Pat's

Party" from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday June 20th at her home

of 52 years, 675 SW Church St. in Dallas

There will be food and drink.

and attended Independence Elementary School, Henry Hill Middle School and graduated from Central High School in 1966. Bob married the love of his life, Geraldine "Jeri" Lynn, in 1968.

He was a dedicated and hard worker at everything he decided to do. He worked at Marion County Public Works Road Maintenance Department as a community service crew leader until 2013, when he retired. He was well respected by his crew and work peers.

In his spare time, he worked on his family's property recycling scrap metal and was also a certified welder.

Bob had a soft spot in his heart for most animals, especially his dogs. He enjoyed most all things to do with the outdoors and enjoyed the Oregon coast.

He was an avid hunter, fisherman and gun enthusiast. He was a lifetime member of the NHRA, the North American Hunting Club and a pioneer license holder from the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife.

Bob loved to listen to a diverse selection of music and, in general, just good ol' classic country. He had a love for Irish bagpipes.

He was an avid reader and kept up on the latest trends with guns. He also enjoyed watching a variety of shows.

Bob was a dedicated patriot and loved our great country. He had very strong love for our Troops and regularly exercised his right to freedom of speech. He was a fair man that wasn't afraid to speak up for what he felt was right.

Survivors include his best friend and loving wife of 46 years, Geraldine (Jeri) Lynn; son, Robert Clifford Patterson III (Shannon) of Southlake, Texas; daughter, Shannon Lee Ricketts (Dave); sister, Patty Reyes of Wapato, Wash; and two grandchil-

Celebration to honor Bob's life will be held in July, tentatively July 11, time and place to be announced. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you spend extra time with your own family. This would be the perfect way to honor him.

Farnstrom Mortuary in Independence handled arrangements. To send an online condolence: www.FarnstromMortuary.

#### Elizabeth A. Weiss

April 2, 1933 - May 29, 2015 Elizabeth Ann Weiss, 82, of Monmouth died May 29 in Monmouth.

She was born in Gary, Ind., to parents Andrew J. Kormos and Ida A. Juhasz.

She loved music from an early age, especially the piano. Elizabeth's early musical training came from Catholic nuns.

By age 12, she was playing the organ for Mass at the Cathedral of the Holy Angels in Garv.

Elizabeth was also fond of singing, equating it with happiness.

As her musical training progressed, and much to her delight, Elizabeth's mother was able to purchase her a piano. She never looked

She graduated from Horace Mann High School in Gary. She graduated from Mount Mary College in Milwaukee, Wis., and continued to study at Indiana University, receiving a master's degree from the School of Music.

In 1959, Elizabeth married her sweetheart, Donald J. Weiss, at the Cathedral of the Holy Angels.



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Don moved to Monmouth, where they made their family home for 48 years.

First and foremost, she shared her love of music with her many piano students. For a number of years she was the musical director and played the organ for St. Patrick Catholic Church in Independence and Christ's Church in Monmouth.

Elizabeth also enjoyed accompanying the Monmouth Elementary School choir over the years.

Elizabeth had a lifelong intellectual curiosity; she was eager to learn; and she was an avid reader. She was proud of her Hungarian heritage and enjoyed studying its culture.

She enjoyed traveling, and was fortunate enough to visit Canada, Europe and Africa. She enjoyed bargain hunting and garage sales and spending time with friends in the Monmouth Social Hour Book Club.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Donald.

Survivors include her daughter Kristin; sons, Karl, Kurt and Erik; and six grandchildren.

Celebration of Elizabeth's life will be June 28 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at Monmouth Elementary School. A reception will follow at 493 Sacre Lane, Monmouth.

### **Ione Lennie McDougal**

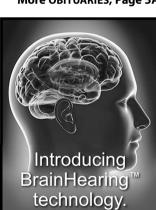
May 13, 1919 - June 15, 2015 Ione Lennie McDougal, 96, of Salem died Monday in

She was born in Sheridan,

Graveside service is Thursday at 11 a.m. at Restlawn Memory Gardens. Memorial service follows at 1 p.m. at the Seventh-day Adventist Church on Summer Street in Salem.

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las Cemetery, followed by a reception at the Dallas Mortuary Tribute Center. Visitation was Monday, June 15th. In lieu of flowers, contributions, in care of the mortuary, to the Trinity Lutheran Church Endowment Fund or an ani-

mal charity of your choice would be welcomed and very much appreciated.

A graveside service was held Tuesday, June 16th at the Dal-

A special thank you to Dallas Retirement Village-Health Care staff for taking such good care of Virginia the past two plus years. She loved each of you and enjoyed being there. Your respectful caring and compassion is so appreciated. To leave a message or memory for the family please go to www.dallastribute.com.



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