

**Obituary**

**NANCY B. SADLER**

Nancy Byers Sadler, 82, Forest Grove, died November 2, 2001. A private graveside service was held November 5 in Riverview Cemetery in Portland, with the Rev. Brian Shimer of the Banks Community United Methodist Church, officiating.

Mrs. Sadler was born January 14, 1919, in Cleveland, Ohio, to Edgar S. and Birja Wilkins Byers. She grew up in Cleveland.

In 1941, she married Kenneth B. Sadler. They lived in Cleveland until 1963, when they moved to Lake Oswego. In 1998, she moved to Beaverton and in 1999 she moved to Forest Grove.

She worked as a sales representative and women's clothing model for Hallie Brothers in Cleveland.

Mrs. Sadler was a member of the Portland Symphony Auxiliary and the Lake Oswego Garden Club.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1998; and her sister.

Survivors include two daughters, Ellen N. Sadler of Banks, and Jennifer L. Sadler of Portland; three sons, Russell K. Sadler of Portland, and Kenneth B. Sadler, Jr. and Timothy E. Sadler, both of Hyannis, Mass.; one sister, Barbara McBryde of Montgomery, Ala.; three grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to The Nature Conservancy, 821 S.E. 14th Ave., Portland, OR 97214.

Fuiten, Rose & Hoyt Funeral Home in Forest Grove was in charge of arrangements.

**H. EDWARD "ED" BERG**

Herbert Edward "Ed" Berg, 81, Jewell, died October 28, 2001. A celebration of his life was held November 3 in Jewell.

Mr. Berg was born October 19, 1920, in Fossil, to Herbert and Edna Grover Berg. He graduated from Seaside High School and attended Oregon State University until entering the U.S. Army Air Corps. After World War II, he worked for Crown Zellerbach as a log scaler. From 1952 to 1962, he owned Pacific Hardware. He then worked as a sales manager for Ernie Garcia Ford.

In 1981, he married JoAnn Forrester. They built Faraway Farms, which they managed until 1994, when they retired to Jewell.

He was preceded in death by a stepson, Jerry Brown, in 1994.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Janis Olstedt of Jewell, and Cathy Coleman of Molalla; three stepsons, Jeff Brown of Warrenton, Steve Brown of Oregon City, and Scott Brown of Astoria; a stepdaughter, Sally Brown of Portland; 12 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to Seaside Kids.

**LETHA C. SHIRK**

Letha Cincinnati Shirk, 76, Forest Grove, died November 6, 2001. Funer-

al services were held November 9 at Fuiten, Rose and Hoyt Funeral Home, with Rev. Russell Hilsinger, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Forest Grove, officiating. Private family interment was in Forest View Cemetery.

Mrs. Shirk was born September 8, 1925, in Lexington, Okla., to Virgil Glenn and Mary Jane Burton Glenn Smith. She grew up in Shafter, Calif. She attended nursing school in Long Beach, Calif.

In 1949, she married Lorenzo B. Shirk, Jr. They lived in Gaston and Banks before moving to Forest Grove in 1952.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Larry J. of LaPine; a daughter, Carol A. Gray of LaPine; a foster son, Gary Losey of Gaston; a foster daughter, Carolyn Losey Christenson of San Diego, Calif.; nine grandchildren; six foster grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; three brothers, Dearl Glenn of Chula Vista, Calif., Earl Glenn of Bakerville, Calif., and Charlie Glenn of Porterville, Calif.; a sister, Cathryn Wilson of Forest Grove; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Oregon Chapter, 1650 NW Naito Parkway, Suite 190, Portland, OR 97209.

Fuiten, Rose and Hoyt Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**CONNIE DAVIS**

Connie R. Caldwell Davis, 53, Manning, died November 7, 2001. Funeral services were held November 10 at Bronleewe-Bass Funeral Home in Hillsboro. Entombment was in Valley Memorial Park Mausoleum in Hillsboro.

Mrs. Davis was born April 11, 1948, in Portland to Robert Gordon and Ina Margaret Moser Caldwell. She grew up in Tigard. She attended Oregon State University for a year and took classes at Portland Community College.

In 1983, she married Randy Davis. They sold flowers at the Hillsboro Farmer's Market every season since the market opened 11 years ago. She worked in the Medical Records Department at Providence St. Vincent Hospital. She retired in September.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Karma Lotina of Aloha; a step-daughter, Summer Davis of Salem; one grandchild; her mother, Ina M. Walker of Hillsboro; and a brother, Robert Gordon Caldwell, Jr. of Forest Grove.

Bronleewe-Bass Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

I would like to thank all the wonderful people of Vernonia who sent me such beautiful flowers and cards while I was in the hospital after my accident. I am happily home, once again, with my garden and animals. I am sure my recovery has been hastened by the kind thoughts and wishes from everyone. Again, thank all of you.

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**LOST**

**LOST:** Black metal, square grate, 5th-wheel tailgate off pickup. Possibly lost on Pebble Creek Mainline off Scappoose Vernonia Hwy the morning of 11/16. Call 503-429-6132 with any information.  
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