

Obituary

LARRY E. HOLSEY

Larry Edward Holsey, 54, Pahump, Nevada, died December 14, 2002. Services will be held December 20 at Haakinson-Groulx Mortuary Chapel with Rev. Ron Jacobson, officiating. Vault interment will be at Murray Hill Cemetery in Clatskanie.

Mr. Holsey was born December 6, 1948, in Tillamook, to Warren and Frances Bell Hansen Holsey. He grew up in Vernonia and graduated from Vernonia High School in 1967. He served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War. In 1997, he married Karen Kay Kervo.

He worked as a lineman for Valley Electric Utility and was a member of I.B.E.W. Local #125 in Portland.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Bruce and Erick of Clatskanie; one sister, Joan Moore of Aloha; five brothers, Don and Carl of Vernonia, Dennis of Brush Prairie, Jack of Hillsboro, Lawrence "Spud" of Tualatin; one grandchild; nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to Clatskanie Volunteer Firefighters Association, P.O. Box 807, Clatskanie, OR 97016.

Haakinson-Groulx Mortuary of Clatskanie is in charge of arrangements.

LOIS M. SHETLER

Lois M. Shetler, 72, Wamic, died December 1, 2002. A funeral service was held December 7 at Madras Conservative Baptist Church. Interment was at Antelope Cemetery.

Mrs. Shetler was born March 16, 1930, in Iowa City, Iowa, to Jacob and Mary Buckwalter Roth. They moved to Upland, California, in 1931 and to Harrisburg in 1942. She wrote the words for her high school graduating class song, "Meet for the Master's Use," which is now published in the book *Songs That Live*.

In 1950, she married Eldon Shetler. He was hall manager and she worked in the kitchen at Western Mennonite School near Salem. In 1951, they moved to Yale, Washington, where they started Pleasant Valley Community Church. They also spent 22 years pastoring in Birkenfeld, a year in Winston, eight years in Gateway, Colorado, and

four years in Ashwood. In 1995, they moved to Antelope, then to Wamic in 2001.

Survivors include four sons, Forest of Birkenfeld, Earl of Holland, Mich., Chip of Wamic, Jasper of Birkenfeld; six daughters, Janet Ewing of Holland, Mich., Robin Shetler of Baker City, Blossom Teele of Birkenfeld, Melody Shetler of Gateway, Colo., Starla Henninger of Lancaster, Pa., Jewell Seacrest of Grand Junction, Colo.; 32 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to World Missionary Press, Inc., P O Box 120, New Paris, IN 46553-0120.

Bel-Air Colonial Funeral Home in Madras was in charge of arrangements.

JOHNNY A. RABON

Johnny Alfred Rabon, 38, Hillsboro, died November 26, 2002. Services were private.

Mr. Rabon was born August 8, 1964, in Portland, to George and Mardell Olson Rabon. He grew up in Banks and graduated from Banks High School.

In 1994, he moved to Hillsboro. He worked at Tualatin Valley Workshop and was a member of the Catholic Church.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Survivors include two brothers, David of Hillsboro and Danny of Banks; a sister, Janice L. Harris of Banks; nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to Tualatin Valley Workshop, 6615 SE Alexander Street, Hillsboro, OR 97123, or to Muscular Dystrophy Association, 4800 SW Macadam Avenue, No. 112, Portland, OR 97201.

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

GLEN E. MILLER

Glen Elman Miller, 93, Yuma, Arizona, died October 27, 2002.

Mr. Miller was born April 19, 1909, in Cornelius. He was parts manager at Doherty Ford in Forest Grove. He retired in 1971. After retirement, he and his wife moved to Rockaway and then

to Yuma, Arizona.

He was a member of Holbrook Masonic Lodge.

Mr. Miller was preceded in death by his wife, Esther I. Snider Miller.

Survivors include a sister, Dorothy Haldors of Milwaukie; nieces; and grandnieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to Masonic & Eastern Star Home Endowment Fund, Forest Grove.

WANDA M. THOMAS

Wanda Mae Thomas, 64, died December 4, 2002.

Ms. Thomas was born March 11, 1938, in Geary, Oklahoma, to Fred and Anna Evey. She was a warehouse worker at Shrock Cabinets.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a daughter, Vicki Cross; and a brother, Harold Evey.

Survivors include long-time companion, Edwin Sandy; six brothers, Gail Evey of Hillsboro, Dan Evey of Independence, Larry Evey of Tillamook, Widney Evey of Buxton, Edmond Evey of Manning, Lonnie Evey of Bonners Ferry, Idaho; two sisters, Charolette Ziegler of Vernonia, Grace Knowlton of Evanston, Wyoming; two grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Westside Cremation Service was in charge of arrangements.

CLEDA D. ENSIGN

Cleda Deloris Ensign, 80, Vernonia, died December 9, 2002. A memorial service was held December 12 at

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Violet Huntman wishes to thank everyone who expressed kind deeds and sympathy in our loss. Although we were unable to personally speak to each one of you, your thoughts and prayers did not go unnoticed.

Thank you so much for helping us get through this difficult time.

Rich and Sunny Huntman
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and family
Steve and Jamee Gorman
and family
Betty Thede and family

Fuiten, Rose & Hoyt Funeral Home in Vernonia, with Pastor Jim Louviere of the Celebration Fellowship in Hillsboro, officiating. Private interment was held.

Mrs. Ensign was born June 9, 1922, in Winfield, Kansas, to Charles and Pearl Sutton Bonewell. She moved, by covered wagon, to Colorado, where she grew up. In 1936, they moved to Sunnyside, Washington.

In 1970, she married Robert L. Ensign. They lived in Taylorsville, Mississippi. In 1972, they moved to the Oregon coast and, in 1993, to Vernonia.

Mrs. Ensign was a harvest worker and later earned a Licensed Practical Nurse certificate and worked as an LPN.

She was preceded in death by four brothers and sisters.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, William Gant of Sunnyside, Washington, Jerry Thomas of Mansfield, Washington; a daughter, Judie Rand of Vernonia; five stepchildren, Kerry Ensign of Olympia, Washington, Marcus Ensign of Germany, Marcel Klett of Battle Creek, Michigan, Kris Ensign of Othello, Washington, and Heidi Carter of Lacey, Washington; 24 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to Vernonia Cares, Inc., 627 Adams Avenue, P O Box 126, Vernonia.

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MAVIS PATTERSON

Mavis Patterson, 86, died December 8, 2002. A funeral was held December 13 in Finley's Sunset Hills Mortuary.

Mrs. Patterson was born March 2, 1916, in Improve, Miss. Her maiden name was Morris. In 1947, she moved to Vernonia and, in 1964, to Portland.

In 1939, she married Dewey F. Patterson. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include a son, Zachary; three daughters, Rosemary Nackers, Patty Jo Diamond and Evelyn C. Coler; two sisters, Vitrine Williams and Dorothy Patterson; 13 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to Portland First Baptist Church.

Finley's Sunset Hills Mortuary was in charge of arrangements.

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DUII patrols will be out in force during the holidays

Drunk drivers killed 119 people in Oregon last year, six of them in Washington County. Because the number of drunk drivers increases during the holidays, the Washington County Sheriff's Office has beefed up its DUII patrols for the holiday season and this year, for the first time, the Traf-

fic Team will assist patrol deputies during overnight and weekend saturation patrols. Extra patrols will continue through the end of December.

Increased DUII patrols have been effective in getting drunk drivers off the road.

Last year deputies arrested 64 drunk drivers in the month of

December. As of December 15th, this year, deputies have arrested 37 people driving while under the influence. Driving under the influence is a crime. The sanctions for a first-time offender are up to one year in prison and a fine of \$1000.

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