

# The quilt that just kept coming back is now home for good

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was done, it became the 2009 Senior Center Quilt Raffle quilt.

While the quilt was being finished, Grimsrud made the comment, "Wouldn't it be ironic if the quilt came back to me one

more time?" She eventually decided she was destined to win the quilt and began purchasing raffle tickets for it.

On Wednesday, November 18, after over \$1,100 worth of raffle tickets were sold for the

quilt, the drawing was held. Fran Hendrix was in charge of the raffle and had the honor of calling the lucky winner – yes, it was Ruth Grimsrud.

This time, Grimsrud says, "The quilt is home to stay. It is

not going anywhere again." She went on to say she was honored to once again own the quilt and is grateful to the "Quilt Ladies" – Faith Reynolds, Louise Hamnett, Fran Hendrix and Susan Goodhope – for the

many hours they spent quilting it and the beautiful needlework they did to finish the quilt.

## Obituary

### ARLIE LEWIS CARSTENS, SR.

Arlie Lewis Carstens, Sr., 95, Silverdale, Washington, died November 5, 2009. A service was held November 14 at the Union Pioneer Cemetery in Banks.

Mr. Carstens was born April 20, 1914, in Banks, to Clell and Alta Carstens. He graduated from Banks High School before attending Pacific University. He served in the U.S. Navy.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Margaret Byers Carsten; and by his second wife, Mable Butterfield.

Survivors include two sons, Arlie and Burke; two daughters, Alberta Rosencrans and Chris Halloworth; 11 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to Hospice in Silverdale, Wash.

### PAUL JAMES DOBYNS

Paul James Dobyms, 73, Forest Grove, died October 29, 2009. Graveside services were held at the Gales Creek Cemetery.

Mr. Dobyms was born December 30, 1935, in Denlow, Missouri, to Arnold and Ardith (Williams) Dobyms. When he was four, the family moved to Vernonia, and then to Forest Grove when he was a teenager. He graduated from Forest Grove High School in 1954.

In 1954, he married Nancy Heisler. He worked as a logger until the early 1960's when he began working as a carpenter.

He was preceded in death by a son, Thomas.

Survivors include two daughters, Paula Rood of Hillsboro, and Juli Peters of Forest Grove; his mother of Forest Grove; three siblings, Ann Stocking and Patsy King, both of Hillsboro, and Kay Strain of Forest Grove; and five grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to the Oregon Humane Society of to the American Cancer Society.

Duyck and VanDeHey Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

### DEBRA KAY HEADRICK

Debra Kay Headrick, 55, Banks, died November 10, 2009. A memorial service was held November 15 at Banks High School gymnasium. Private committal was at Fir Lawn Memorial Park in Hillsboro.

Mrs. Headrick was born December 14, 1953, in Portland, to Byron and Donna Hodge. She graduated from Beaverton High School, then attended University of Oregon and Eastern Oregon University.

In 1978, she married Bob Headrick. They made their home in Banks. She was a teacher's aide at Banks High School for 21 years.

Survivors include her husband; son, Erick Headrick; daughter, Emily Kent; mother; and brother, Dan Hodge.

Remembrances are suggested to a scholarship fund in her name at Banks High School

Donelson-Fir Lawn Memorial

Center of Hillsboro was in charge of arrangements.

### NANCY JOAN HOUSTON

Nancy Joan Houston, 62, Longview, Washington, died October 30, 2009. A service was held November 6 at Landmark Pentecostal Church in Longview, Wash.

Mrs. Houston was born February 27, 1947, in Banks, to Alfred and Erma (Vandehey) Meeuwsen. She graduated from Seattle University in 1969.

In 1993, she married Jim Houston. She was a bookkeeper for 36 years for Washington Tree Service.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Willis Meeuwsen.

Survivors include her husband; stepsons, Doug Houston and Michael C. Houston; four brothers, Ellis Meeuwsen, Kenneth Meeuwsen, Allen Meeuwsen, and Anthony Meeuwsen; two sisters, Linda Roshak and Norma Henry; five grandsons; nieces and nephews.

Steele Chapel at Longview Memorial Park in Longview, Wash. was in charge of arrangements.

### DARWIN JOSEPH MOHORICH

Darwin Joseph "Joe" Mohorich, 85, Forest Grove, died November 1, 2009. A graveside service was held November 11 at Forest View Cemetery.

Mr. Mohorich was born August 24, 1924, in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, to Joseph and Mary (Madol) Mohorich. The family moved to Forest Grove when he was six years old. He graduated from Forest Grove High School in 1942. He served in the U.S. Army during World War I and in Korea.

In 1960, he married Daisy Marie (Sartin) McMillian. They made their home in Forest Grove. He worked as a facility engineer for Banks Public School District for years, until retiring at age 65.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Travis J. of Forest Grove; a stepson, Wayne "Mac" McMillian of Mulino; two stepdaughters, Phyllis Booth, and Pam Standley of Forest Grove; a brother, Rudy of Forest Grove; 11 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #5233 in Forest Grove or to the American Legion Washington Post #2, or to the Disabled American Veterans Portland Chapter #1.

Fuiten, Rose & Hoyt Funeral

Home of Forest Grove was in charge of arrangements.

### MELVIN LESTER MOWE

Melvin Lester Mowe, 100, Svenson, died November 19, 2009. A graveside service was held November 30 at Greenwood Cemetery in Astoria.

Mr. Mowe was born September 30, 1909, in Astoria, to Lester and Esther Mowe. The family moved to Vernonia in 1922. He graduated from Vernonia High School when he was 16 years of age.

In the 1930s, he married Bertha Hill. In 1977, he married Ellen Lurrs. In 1933, the family moved to Svenson. He worked as a tugboat fireman, and in his father's sawmill, Upper Nehalem Sawmill, for a time. He worked as a logger for 40 years, retiring when he was 63.

He was preceded in death by both of his wives.

Survivors include two daughters, Joan Swenson of Svenson and Carol Barnum of Portland; a sister, Mildred Leslie of Beaverton; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Remembrances are suggested to the Oregon Heart Association.

Caldwell's Luce-Layton Mortuary of Astoria was in charge of arrangements.

### RACHEL ANN SCHLEHUBER

Rachel Ann Schlehuder, 74, Forest Grove, died December 1, 2009. Private services are pending. A full obituary will be printed when available.

### CRAIG ALAN SMITH

Craig Alan Smith, 48, Banks, died November 27, 2009. A celebration of life will be held December 5, 2-4pm, at the Forest Grove Elks Lodge. A full obituary will be printed when available.

### CHARLES RAYMOND THIESSEN

Charles Raymond Thiessen, 73, Hillsboro, died November 23, 2009. A celebration of life service was held November 28 at Fuiten, Rose & Hoyt Funeral Home with Chaplain Warren Beals officiating. Interment took place at Willamette National Cemetery in Portland.

Mr. Thiessen was born March 10, 1936, in Custer County, Oklahoma, to Peter L. and Agnes L. (Watt) Thiessen. He was raised in Oklahoma. He moved to Dilley in 1954. He served in the U.S. Army in Korea.

In 1964, he married Hope Kent. They later divorced. He married Connie Wilkerson in 1974. He worked in the trucking industry, finishing his career running Columbia Inland Trucking until he retired in 1996.

He was preceded in death by a stepson, Terry Wilkerson; and a sister, Georgeina Renison.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Charles "Randy" of Banks; a daughter, Kim Van Dyke of Hillsboro; his brother, Darrell of Beaverton; a stepsister, Jan Schott of Fossil; a stepbrother, Richard Shular of Portland; 11 grandchildren; two great-grandsons; nieces and nephews.

Remembrances are suggested to Hospice and Palliative Care of Washington County, or to the American Cancer Society.

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

### EDWARD R. TICE

Edward R. Tice, 60, Gearhart, died November 15, 2009. A celebration of life service was held November 21, at Seaside Christian Church in Warrenton.

Mr. Tice was born July 6, 1949, in Jackson, Michigan, to Leo J. and Patricia A. (Barker) Tice. He graduated from high school in Corvallis and attended Michigan Technological University before graduating from Oregon State University with a Bachelor's degree in education, a Master of Education degree, and a Doctorate of Education degree.

In 1969, he married Mardean A. Moss. He taught school in Jewell, served as principal at Jewell High School, as vice principal of Vernonia High School and vice principal at Central Linn High School in Halsey. In 1997, he taught at Seaside High School and at Broadway Middle School in Seaside.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a grandson; and his brother, Stephen.

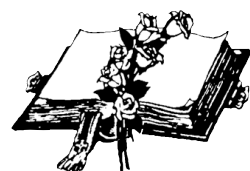
Survivors include his wife; two sons, Paul of Surf Pines, and Jason of Seattle, Washington; a daughter, Tracie Tice of Portland; a sister, Elaine Uhlman of Moses Lake, Wash.; and three grandsons.

Remembrances are suggested to Doernbecher Children's Hospital Foundation or a charity of choice.

Caldwell's Funeral & Cremation Arrangement Center in Seaside was in charge of arrangements.

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