DEATHS REPORTED

Appel, Harry Burnell

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59, husband of Mary Ellen Nies Appel, of Pasco, WA. March 29, 2008. Hillcrest Bruce Lee Memorial Center, 509-547-3321

Beinhower, Gerald E.

79, husband of Nancie M. Beinhower, Manheim. April 2, 2008. Heilig Funeral Home, 653-4371.

Brinser, Larry E.

70, of 132 West Washington St., Elizabethtown. April 1, 2008. Matinchek & Daughter Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 944-7015

DeCarlo, Leonard J. 94, of St. Anne's Retirement Community. April 2, 2008. Charles F. Snyder Funeral Home, 393-9661

Duffy, Rebecca Ellen 56, wife of Terry L. Duffy, of Lancaster. March 31, 2008. Kearney A. Snyder Funeral Home, 394-4097

Givler, Henry Earl

79, husband of Barbara Reese Givler. April 2, 2008. Charles F. Snyder Jr. Funeral Home & Chapel, 560-5100

Goldman, Robert B.

74, husband of Jane Alden-Goldman, of Millersville. April 1, 2008. Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, 872-2266

Guthrie, John F. *

85, of Lancaster. April 2, 2008. Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, 872-2266

Hartman, William S., Sr.* 99, of Menominee, MI. April 1, 2008. The Labs Funeral Home, Inc., 1-610-273-3914.

Hirst, Mildred E.

87, of Danville. April 1, 2008. Boyer Funeral Home Ltd., 367-1380

Joseph, Richard K. 85, husband of Helen (Stauf-

fer) Joseph, of Columbia. April 2, 2008. Irwin Funeral Home & Cremation Service, 225-1677

Lehman, David P. 73, husband of Elizabeth Saus Lehman, of 43 Parthmen Road, McClure. April 1, 2008. Brady Funeral Home, 570-275-2421

Megahan, John E. 71, husband of Esther Dorothy Mae "Dolly" Weaver Royer

Dorothy Mae "Dolly" Weaver Royer, 81, of East Pe-

tersburg, died peacefully surrounded by her family went home to be with her Lord on Tuesday, April 1, 2008 at the Es-

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sa Flory Hospice Center, Lancaster after an eleven year battle with Alzheimer's. Born in East Petersburg, she was the daughter of the late S. Clyde and Emma Weaver Weaver. She was the wife of Hiram M. Royer and they observed their 62nd wedding anniversary in February of this year and was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother. Dolly was a very active member of Hempfield Church of The Brethren, East Petersburg. She was an excellent seamstress. Her interests included crafts and Swedish weaving. Her life's focus was her family. Her grandchildren delighted in making gingerbread houses, painting ceramics and playing at the beach with her. Dolly volunteered as a "gray lady" at the former Lancaster Osteopathic Hospital for twenty-five years. She had a "servant's heart"; not only did she serve her family with wonderful meals and constant encouragement, but she shared her love and faith with neighbors, friends and those in need around her.

Surviving in addition to her husband are three daughters, Shirley, wife of Dr. Dean C. Rust; Ellen, wife of Harold J. Eager Jr.; Donna, wife of Douglas W. Lunger, all of Lancaster; eight grandchildren, ten great grandchildren, two sisters, Anna Mary, wife of Paul Neff of Lancaster; Sara Kathryn Gingrich of Lexington, Kentucky and an uncle Dr. E. Mark Weaver of Lancaster. A brother Clyde E. Weaver preceded her in death.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral service at the Hempfield Church of The Brethren. corner of Stevens Street and Metzler Road, East Petersburg, PA on Friday, April 4, 2008 at

Henry Earl Givler Went to be with his Savior - April 2, 2008

Born May 17, 1928, Henry was raised in Eden Township, and graduated

from Quarryville High School in 1946. After graduation from high school, Henry spent years in the United States Naval Submarine Service as a radio operator.

Henry graduated The from Pennsylvania State Univer-

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sity with a B.S. in Agriculture Education in 1952. He did graduate work in supervision and ad-

ministration at the University of Syracuse and the University of Illinois at Urbana.

Henry established the Vocational Agriculture Department at Red Lion H. S., York County, in 1952, teaching there three years. He established the Vocational Agriculture Department at Pequea Valley H.S., Lancaster County, in 1955, teaching vocational agriculture until 1967.

In 1967, he was appointed Vocational Consultant by the PA Department of Education serving all vocational programs in Lancaster County, and serving the nine southeastern PA counties in agriculture, disadvantaged, and handicapped programs. His main job was training PA FFA officers in parliamentary procedure, public speaking and other aspects of representing FFA on the state level.

Henry served on the PA State FFA Advisory Council, as chairman of the Advisory Council to the PA Young Farmers Association, and treasurer of the South Eastern PA FFA Dairy Show. In November, 1983, Henry was awarded the

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OBITUARIES Degree of Honorary American

Farmer, the highest degree conferred by the national FFA, at the 56th National FFA Convention

Henry enjoyed serving in his church, First Church of God in Lancaster. Henry served six vears as Deacon, four years as an Elder and Trustee. In addition he taught a Sunday School Class for nearly twenty years, and was a leader with Christian Endeavor.

One of his most rewarding experiences was in 1967, when he traveled to Haiti helping to develop and construct a Vocational School at his church's mission in Borel, Haiti. Henry enjoyed watching

and encouraging his children and grandchildren participate in various sports, music and theatre activities.

Henry is survived by his wife, of 56 years, Barbara Reese Givler, and five children, Sharon Givler, Lancaster; Pamela Shellenberger married to Richard Shellenberger, Manheim; Philip Givler married to Donna Sylvain, Leola; Brant Givler married to Georgia Anthony, Columbia; and Douglas Givler, Willow Street. In addition there are five grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Siblings are Clay Eugene Givler, York; V. Lyndell Weitkamp, Lancaster; and D. Lorraine Feldman, Huntington Beach, CA.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to First Church of God for the Navajo Missions fund or Region Bible Church (N.H.) fund, 344 W. Chestnut St., Lancaster, PA 17603.

Friends are invited to attend a viewing on Sunday, April 6, 2008 at The Charles F. Snyder Jr. Funeral Home & Chapel 3110 Lititz Pike, Lititz from 3-6 p.m. A Funeral Service will be held at the First Church of God, 344 W. Chestnut St., Lancaster 17603 Monday, April 7, 2008 at 10 a.m. with Rev. Donald Price officiating. Interment will follow at Conestoga Memorial Park.

To send an online condolence or for more information please visit

www.snyderfuneralhome.com

Harriet Ada Smith

Robert B. Goldman

Retired Tech Sgt (TSGT), Robert B. "Bob" Goldman, 74,

first in the Korean

Conflict as a tail

gunner, spending

time in Japan for 9

years, France, and England for

9 years, including many other

out of the way locales, for a total

of 23 1/2 years. He retired in

England, but continued to live

in the country, working the day-

time in the Research Dept. of

British Steel in Corby,

Northamptonshire while study-

ing on academic scholarships

with the University of Mary-

land and Trov State University

European Divisions in the

evenings. Upon graduation with

his Master's Degree in Business

Management, Robert returned

to the U.S.A. where the family

resided for 9 years in Texas be-

his wife, Dr. Jane Alden-Gold-

man, a Journalism Professor at

Millersville University and the

couple celebrated 32 years of

love, companionship, friend-

the military and especially the

Air Force was extremely close

to his heart and never a day

passed that the military life did

not come up for discussion. His

former vets and current serv-

ice personnel were among the

people TSGT Goldman ad-

in the Millersville area, working

with his wife chaperoning stu-

dents from the English and

Journalism Clubs on a wide va-

riety of activities in which they

participated. Bob's practical

hands could be seen in the

props and structures of the

Robert Burns and Medieval

Knight Celebrations staged by

at the Andrew T. Scheid Funer-

al Home, 320 Blue Rock Road,

Route 999, Millersville, PA, 717-

Funeral Services will be held

TSGT was also well-known

A life member of the VFW,

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the students.

It was in England that he met

fore moving to Pennsylvania.



Helen Willig Olsen

Helen Willig Olsen, of 451 Fort Ross Ave., Lititz, died 'Iues-



in

day, April 1st, of complications from a ruptured aorta. Mrs. Olsen, 84, had lived in Lititz with her family for over 40 years.

A native of Philadelphia, she was an aide in a law firm in that city for many years. During her earlier years in Lititz, Mrs. Olsen was a curator at the Mueller House, Lititz. She also worked behind the counter of a small store that was operated for frequent fliers at the Lancaster Airport.

A member of St. Luke's United Church of Christ, Lititz, she was active in parish work. She was married to Kenneth L. Olsen. Surviving in addition to her husband are 2 sons, David S. (Debra A.) Olsen, Manheim, Douglas K. Olsen, Lititz; a granddaughter, Jennifer Lynn Olsen, Lancaster; a sister, Beatrice Willig Gilpin, Berwyn, PA; and a half-sister, Dorthea Willig Weisser, New York.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Helen's Life Celebration Memorial Service from St. Luke's UCC, 222 N. Broad St., Lititz on Saturday, April 5th, at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. Lyn Reith officiating. Private interment at the convenience of the family. The family will receive friends following the service at the church. Spacht Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Larry E. Brinser

Larry E. Brinser, 70, of 132 W. Washington St., Elizabethtown, formerly



entered into rest on Tuesday, April 1, 2008 at his home. He was the son of the late and

Beatrice McFarland Brinser.

He was a retired tool & die inspector at the former AMP Corporation, a Navy veteran of

of Middletown, Aaron



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Lehman, David P.

73, husband of Elizabeth Saus Lehman, of 43 Parthmen Road, McClure. April 1, 2008. Brady Funeral Home, 570-275-2421

Megahan, John E.

71, husband of Esther (Booth) Megahan, of Lancaster. April 2, 2008. Gundel Funeral Home, Inc. 393-1776

Olsen, Helen Willig

84, wife of Kenneth L. Olsen of 451 Fort Ross Ave., Lititz. April 1, 2008. Spacht Funeral Home. 626-2317

Rover, Dorothy Mae Weaver 81, wife of Hiram M. Royer, of East Petersburg. April 1, 2008. Buch Funeral Home, 665-4341.

Shirk, John S.

91, husband of Katharine Knipe May, of Manheim Township. April 1, 2008. Fred F. Groff, Inc. 397-8255

Smith, Elizabeth J. Hubbs 93, of the Mennonite Home. April 1, 2008. Charles F. Snyder Funeral Home, 393-9661

Smith, Harriet Ada 97, of Maytown. April 1, 2008. Smedley Funeral Home, 426-3614

Stoner, Rose M.

77, wife of William H. Stoner, Sr., of Wrightsville. April 1, 2008. Etzweiler Funeral Home, Inc. and Cremation Service, 252-1313

Yacina, Pauline

90, of Jersey City, NJ. March 29, 2008. Roseboro Funeral Home, 336-6531

* No Obituary appears

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and an uncle Dr. E. Mark Weaver of Lancaster. A brother Clyde E. Weaver preceded her in death.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral service at the Hempfield Church of The Brethren, corner of Stevens Street and Metzler Road, East Petersburg, PA on Friday, April 4, 2008 at 11:00 AM with Pastor John Layman officiating. Interment in Hempfield Church of The Brethren Cemetery. There will be a public viewing at the church on Friday morning from 10:00 AM until the time of the service. Please omit flowers. Those desiring may send contributions in Dolly's memory to Hempfield Church of The Brethren, P. O. Box 246, East Petersburg, PA 17520 or Hospice of Lancaster County, P. O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. The Buch Funeral Home Manheim, PA in charge of arrangements. For further information or to send the family a message of condolence, you may visit our website at www.buchfuneral.com

OTHER OBITUARIES ON PAGE B4

State FFA Advisory Council, as chairman of the Advisory Council to the PA Young Farmers Association, and treasurer of the South Eastern PA FFA Dairy Show. In November, 1983, Henry was awarded the

Pauline Yacina

Pauline Yacina, 90, of Jersey City, NJ, entered into rest on Saturday, March 29, 2008 at Christ Hospital, Jersey City. She was the daughter of the late Michael and Helen Yacina. Pauline had been a Pharmacist Asst. at St. Francis Hospital, Jersey City, where she worked for many years. She was a member of St. Michael's Church, Jersey City, where she was a longtime Communicant and was very active in the Church's club and activities.

She is the devoted aunt of Charles Treier, Thomas and Robert Keip and many grand nieces and nephews. Pauline was predeceased by sisters Mary Keip, Helen Treier, Anne Yacina and Susan Motto.

Mass of Christian Burial in St. Michael's Church on Friday at 10:00 AM. Final Commendation and Farewell in St. Joseph New Catholic Cemetery, Lan-caster, Saturday at 10:00 AM. www.roseborofuneralhome.co m

SERVICES TODAY

Brown, Lanae A.

Charles F. Snyder Funeral Home, 414 East King Street, Lancaster, Thurs., 2:00 PM.

Courtney, Catherine L. Kearney A. Snyder Funeral Home, 141 East Orange St., Lancaster, Thurs., 2:00 PM.

Dommel, Marian L. Trinity Lutheran Church, 31 South Duke St., Lancaster, Thurs., 4:00 PM. Fred F. Groff, Inc.

Henry, Mary Ann Bachman Funeral Home, 7 South Decatur St., Strasburg, Thurs., 3:00 PM.

Holland, Lawrence W. Charles F. Snyder Jr. Funeral Home and Chapel, 3110 Lititz Pike, Lititz, Thurs., 7:00 PM.

Kauffman, Aaron W.

Millwood Mennonite Church, 441 Amish Rd., Gap, Thursday, 11 AM. Shivery Funeral Home.

Klingseisen, David A. Sr. Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, 320 Blue Rock Road, Route 999, Millersville, Thurs., 10:00 AM.

Landis, Rosalie K. St. Philip the Apostles Catholic Church, 2111 Millersville Pk., Lancaster, Thursday, 11:00AM. Charles F. Snyder Funeral Home.

Marandola, Elsie M. St. Luke's Lutheran Church, 1305 State Road, Croydon, PA, Thursday, 11 AM. Furman Home for Funerals.

Rabold, Gene L. Gravenor Home for Funerals, 100 W. Main St., Ephrata. Thurs., 10:00am.

Rouse, Judith K. First Presbyterian Church of Strasburg, 101 South Decatur Street, Strasburg, Thurs., 10:00 AM. Reynolds **Funeral Home**

Sanchez, Jacinto Fred F. Groff Inc., 234 W. Orange St., Thursday, 11 AM.

Zurfluh, John D. Jr.

Grandview United Methodist Church, Lancaster, Thurs., 11:00 AM. Auer Memorial Home and Cremation Services, Inc.

officiating. Interment will follow at Conestoga Memorial Park. To send an online condo-

lence or for more information please visit

www.snyderfuneralhome.com

Harriet Ada Smith

Harriet Ada Smith, 97, of Maytown, entered into rest on Tuesday, April 1, 2008 at the Masonic

Village. Born in Lucknow, PA, she was the

daughter of the late Milton J. and Emily Bell Moore Cassatt. She lived in Harrisburg for many years, until she married William R. Smith of Maytown, who preceded her in death in 1985. They had lived on W. Elizabeth Street in Maytown; however, for the last year of her life, she lived at Longwood Manor Assisted Living Home in Maytown

Harriet worked in a shoe factory, dress factory and then in the Maytown Elementary School cafeteria. She was a member of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Maytown, was a Past-Matron, Donegal Chapter, #422, Order of the Eastern Star, and was also pastpresident of American Legion Post, #809 Ladies Auxiliary, Maytown. She enjoyed sewing, knitting, crocheting and crewel.

Harriet is survived by a daughter, Shirley L. Smith (Calvin) of Warner-Robbins, GA; four grandchildren, Dennis Hollandsmith (Trudy), of Mt. Joy, PA, Dr. Darryl C. Smith (Tina) of Convers, GA, Duane R. Smith of Atlanta, GA and David G. Smith of Covington, GA; one great-grandson and two great-great granddaughters; two nephews and two nieces; several great-nieces and great-nephews. She was preceded in death by a sister and two brothers.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Harriet's Life Celebration Service to be held from the Smedley Funeral Home, 29 N. Gay St., Marietta, PA on Saturday at 11 a.m., with the Rev. Bill Martin officiating. Interment will be in Maytown Union Cemetery. There will be no public viewing.

Order of Eastern Star services will be held at Smedley's on Saturday at 10:30 a.m.

If desired, a memorial contribution in Harriet's memory may be made to St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Queen St., PO Box 96, Maytown, PA 17550.

www.lifecelebration.com

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Funeral Services will be held at the Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, 320 Blue Rock Road, Route 999, Millersville, PA, 717-872-2266 on Tuesday, April 8, 2008 at 1 PM with Bishop David L. Kenley officiating. Interment will be in the Millersville Mennonite Cemetery, Millersville, PA with military rites accorded by the Red Rose Veterans Honor Guard. Friends may visit with the family at Scheid's between 12 Noon and 1 PM on Tuesday. For on-line condolences, directions or other information, you are welcome to visit our website at:

www.scheidfuneralhome.com

David P. Lehman

David P. Lehman, 73, of 43 Parthmen Road, McClure, PA, died on April 1, 2008 at Evangelical Hospital in Lewisburg. He was born on July 10, 1934 in Manheim, PA, a son of the late Samuel and Amelia (Pierce) Lehman.

David was a farmer. He was a member of the Danville Mennonite Church. Surviving is his beloved wife of 47 years, the former Elizabeth Saus; four sons, David L. Lehman of Bethel, Dale Lehman of Milton, Darvl Lehman of McClure and Dennis Lehman of Danville; a daughter, Donna and her husband Edward Ker of Wisconsin; 19 grandchildren; one brother, Samuel Lehman of Manheim; six sisters, Esther and her husband Isaac Ginder, Grace Fry, Mary and her husband Henry Nolt, all of Lititz, Martha and her husband Marty Martin of New Holland, Verna and her husband Robert Hill and Lorraine and her husband Samuel, all of Manheim.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Paul Lehman.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM on Monday, April 7, at the Danville Mennonite Church. Burial will follow at the church cemetery. Friends may visit with the family at the church on Sunday, April 6, from 2:00 PM until 4:00 PM and 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the Brady Funeral Home. Send online condolences to:

BradyFuneralHome.com

son of the late Aaron and Beatrice McFarland Brinser.

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He was a retired tool & die inspector at the former AMP Corporation, a Navy veteran of the Korean War, a former member of the Evangelical United Methodist Church, Middletown, a member of the American Legion Post 329 and the Moose Lodge, both of Elizabethtown; Etters VFW, and a life member of the Middletown Anglers and Hunters Association .

Larry was the widower of his loving wife, Shirley Brehm Brinser.

He is survived by a son, Michael A. Brinser of Elizabethtown; three daughters, Kristine B. Brinser and Diann R. wife of Barry J. Cover of Elizabethtown, Michelle M. wife of Scott C. Steiner of Manheim and seven grandchildren.

A tribute to his life will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday at the Matinchek & Daughter Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Middletown with the Rev. Logan H. Swanger officiating.

Burial with full military honors will be at the Middletown Cemetery.

Viewing will be from 10:00-11:00 AM Saturday at the funeral home.

20 E Mark In Loving Memory of Stacy Ann Landis July 16, 1984 - April 03, 2003

knew that morning that God was goto ing call your name. In life we loved you dearly, in death



we do the same. It broke our hearts to lose you, you did

not go alone; for a part of us went with you, the day God called you home. You left us peaceful memories, your love is still our guide; and though we cannot see you, you are always at our side. Our family chain is broken, and nothing seems the same; but as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again.

We love & miss vou. Mom, Bobbie Sue & Jessie Stor Sc

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Rebecca "Becky" **Ellen Duffy**

Rebecca "Becky" Ellen Duffy, 56, of Lancaster, died on



March 31, 2008 at Lancashire Hall. She was married 19 this years month to Terry L. Duffy, Born in Lancaster,

Monday

she was the daughter of Lois May Smith Jones of Lancaster, and the late Robert E. Jones.

Mrs. Duffy was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Lancaster. She was a graduate of Conestoga Valley School District. Becky had attended Leadership Lancaster and enjoyed crafts and jewelry.

Surviving besides her husband and mother is a daughter Megan E. Jones of Lancaster; two sons, Matthew A. Black of Harrisburg and James L. Duffy of Lancaster; two granddaughters, Lindsay A. Black and Kayla M. Black; two stepsons, Terry L. Duffy, Jr. of Las Vegas and Daniel L. Duffy of Scranton; a stepdaughter, Faith Bankus of Reading; a sister, Deborah J. wife of Michael D. McNeal of Four Oaks, NC; and a niece, Emily M. McNeal of Four Oaks, NC. She was preceded in death by a son, F. Michael Black.

A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, April 5, 2008 at 2:00 P.M. at the Kearney A. Snyder Funeral Home, 141 E. Orange St., Lancaster, PA with the Rev. Dr. Donald W. Hackett officiating. Friends may call at the funeral home on Saturday from 1:00 P.M. until the time of the service. Interment will be private and held at the convenience of the family in the Mellinger Mennonite Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Mrs. Duffy's memory may be made to Hospice of Lancaster County, 685 Good Drive, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. For other information or to send an online condolence to the family, visit our website at www.kearneyasnyderfuneralhome.com

Gerald E. "Jerry" Beinhower

Gerald E. "Jerry" Beinhow-

Leonard J. DeCarlo

Leonard Joseph DeCarlo, 94, beloved father, grandfather and

great grandfather, died at St Anne's Retirement Community on Wednesday, April 2, 2008. Born in Port Chester, NY, he was the son of the late

-Vincenzo DeCarlo and Maria Giovanna Telesca DeCarlo. A former resi-

dent of Enfield Drive in Lancaster, Leonard was married for 67 years to the late Antoinette M. Vaccaro DeCarlo, who died in April 2005.

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Leonard began his career in the Production Control Department of the former Schick Electric, Inc. in Stamford, CT. He moved to PA with his family when Schick Electric relocated to Lancaster in April, 1955. Leonard retired from Schick after 42 years of service. He was affectionately known as "Lenny" by coworkers and friends.

Leonard was an active member of Our Lady of the Rosary Church in Port Chester and St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church in Lancaster. Both in Port Chester and Lancaster, Leonard worked with church finance committees in support of their building and improvement plans. Leonard was a member of the choir of Our Lady of the Rosary Church in Port Chester, Sacred Heart Church, and St. Anthony of Padua Church in Lancaster. He was a member of the Holy Name Society, the Miraculous Medal Association and the Italian-American Club. He was a family man who enjoyed being surrounded by his wife, children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. He was an avid reader and crossword puzzle enthusiast.

Leonard will be lovingly remembered by his children: Joanne wife of Wesley Snyder of Millersburg, PA and Carol wife of Gary Kennedy of Strasburg; his 12 grandchildren, 33 great grandchildren, 5 great great grandchildren and his two brothers: Daniel of Marlton, NJ and Salvatore of Port Chester, NY. He was preceded in death

Mildred E. Hirst

Mildred E. Hirst, 87, of Danville, PA, formerly of Mount Joy and Elizabethtown, died April 1, 2008. She was and for the loving wife the of Robert Hirst who died in 1982. She was born in

Mount Joy Twp., the daughter of Jonas S. and Eva Bernhard Parrett. A graduate of the Elizabethtown High School, Mildred worked at Continental Press as a secretary for 20 years, retiring in 1987. She was a member of the Elizabethtown Church of the Brethren and Farm Women #8. Her family was the love of her life.

Surviving are four children, Linda H. (Dr. Robert) Leigh, Queenstown, MD; Robin L. (Thomas) Kessler, Danville, PA; Robert C. (Judith) Hirst, and Jonathan (Lori) Hirst, both of Elizabethtown; 10 grandchildren; 6 great grandchildren; two brothers, Samuel (Louise) Parrett, Elizabethtown, and Bernard (Dolores) Parrett, Harrisburg; a sister, Ruth Lebo, York; a sister-in-law, Pearl Koser Parrett, Elizabethtown. She was preceded in death by her brother, Dr. J. Ralph Parrett.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her Life Celebration on Saturday at 11 A.M. at the Boyer Funeral Home, Ltd., 144 E. High Street, Elizabethtown, PA 17022. Interment in the Milton Grove Cemetery. Friends may call from 10 A.M. until 11 A.M. at the funeral home. Please omit flowers. If desired, memorial contributions may be made in Mildred's memory to Maria Joseph Manor, 875 Montour Blvd., Danville, PA 17821. In the memo portion of your check, please note that it is in memory of Mildred Hirst.

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Rose M. Stoner

Rose M. Stoner, 77, of Wrightsville died on Tuesday, April 1, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. at the Susquehanna Valley Nursing and Rehab Center. She was the wife of William H. Stoner, Sr. of Wrightsville. Mr. and Mrs. Ston-

Harry Burnell Appel

Harry Burnell Appel, 59, passed away on March 29, 2008

at his home in Pasco, Washington. He was born on March 2, 1949 in Lancaster to Sadyox, Burnell Appel and Cevilla Stauffer and lived in Pasco

for eighteen years. He was married to Mary Ellen Nies on January 4, 1969. Harry retired as a truck driver in 2001 from Lynden Inc. He graduated from Conestoga Valley High School in 1967 and Lincoln Tech in Philadelphia in 1968. He loved to listen to talk radio and to travel when he worked. He liked movies and country music. He is survived by his wife, Mary Ellen; daughter, Mary Beth Appel of Milwaukie, OR; daughter, Melinda Maywell (wife of Joseph P. Maywell) of Ephrata; son, Gerald Appel of Pasco, WA; and daughter, Lori Margan (wife of Corey E. Margan) of Odenton, MD. He is also survived by his mother, Cevilla Appel of Gordonville; and sister, Patricia Phillips (wife of Danny Phillips) of Lititz; as well as five granddaughters, two nephews, and one niece. He is preceded in death by his father, Sadyox 'Bob" Appel; his brother, Gerald Appel; and a grandson, Adam.

A memorial service will be held in Pennsylvania at the convenience of the family. To sign the online guestbook, go to www.HillcrestBruceLee.com

Richard K. Joseph

Richard K. Joseph, 85, of Columbia, died peacefully at his home at 6:30 a.m. on Wednes-day, April 2, 2008. He was the loving husband of Helen (Stauffer) Joseph to whom he was married for more than 60 years.

A private service for Mr. Joseph will be held at the graveside in Prospect Hill Cemetery in York with the Rev. Dr. Richard E. Geib of St. John's

John S. Shirk

John S. Shirk, 91, of Manheim Township, who forged a second career

> as a

civic

leader while

managing two

family farms,

died Tuesday

at Lancaster

General Hos-

pital of renal

failure after a



month-long illness

Able to talk with equal ease about dairy farming and municipal government, he was keenly interested in the history and future of Manheim Township. Profiling him in a Lancaster Sunday News story in 1988, a reporter cited candor coupled with a willingness to tackle controversy and take strong views as his trademarks while serving on the township's Board of Commissioners.

Shirk, whose education began in a local one-room school, was a graduate of Mercersburg Academy and Princeton University and did graduate work at the University of Chicago.

During World War II, he served four years in the U.S. Navy as a flight instructor and transport pilot in both the Pacific and Atlantic theaters, achieving the rank of lieutenant senior grade.

After retiring in 1968 from sales and management at Daffin Mobile Products in Lancaster, Shirk took over management of the family farm where he lived in Manheim Township and an adjacent farm in Upper Leacock Township.

He also was elected to two terms on the Manheim Township Board of Commissioners, serving as president in 1988 and 1989. In addition, he was a member of the Lancaster Area Refuse Authority for 12 years, five of them as chairman. He also was a former member of the Lancaster Area Sewer Authority and the Lancaster County Planning Commission.

He was a member of the Manheim Township Republican Committee for 21 years.

John E. Megahan

John E. Megahan, 71, of Lancaster, died Wednesday, April 2, 2000

Shirk pursued his passion for history and genealogy as an active member and former officer of the Pennsylvania Society of Sons of the Revolution; a lifetime executive committee member of the Schurch Family Association of North America, and a member of the Lancaster County Historical Society and the Lancaster Mennonite Historical Society.

He was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Lancaster and the Alliance for Tolerance and Freedom. He also was a director emeritus of Grave Concern Inc.

Shirk, born in Manheim Township, was the son of John H. and Floy S. Shirk. His first wife, Mary Geneva Osborne, died in 1982.

He is survived by his wife of 24 years, Katharine Knipe May. Also surviving are four children, John O., Manheim Township; Dr. Arthur O., Malden, MA; Marolyn Davenport, Brooklyn, NY, and Mary Blakinger, Bryn Mawr, four step-children, George D. May, Lancaster; Kathy May, Kauai Hawaii; Caroline Hoffer, Millersville; Laura Davis, Lancaster, six grandchildren and eight step-grandchildren.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend John's Life Celebration service from First Presbyterian Church, 140 E. Orange St., Lancaster, PA, on Saturday at 1:00 PM with the Rev. Dr. Randolph T. Riggs officiating. Interment will be private at the convenience of the family. Friends may call at the church on Saturday from 11:30 AM until time of service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Pennsylvania Society of Sons of the Revolution (PSSR), 121 S. Broad Street, Suite 1910, Philadelphia, PA 19107; Manheim Township Education Foundation, P.O. Box 5134, Lancaster, PA 17606-5134; or Grave Concern Inc., c/o Fred Buch, 1107 W. Main St., Ephrata, PA 17522. Fred F. Groff, Inc. www.lifecelebration.com

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PA 17604-4125. For other information or to send an online condolence to the family, visit our website at www.kearneyasnyderfuneralhome.com

Gerald E. "Jerry" Beinhower

Gerald E. "Jerry" Beinhower, 79, of Manheim, died Wednesday, April 2, 2008, at Lancaster General Hospital after a lengthy illness. He was born in Etters, PA April 14, 1928, and was the husband of Nancie M. Beinhower of Manheim. Jerry retired in June of 1988 after 40 years of service as a Division Engineer from Conrail, and had previously worked for the Penn Central Railroad, and the Pennsylvania Railroad. He was a member of the Railroad Retirement Club of PA, life member of NRA, Elizabethtown Beagle Club, and the Mount Joy Sportsmen's Club, and was a WW II Navy veteran.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend a time of visitation and sharing with "Nan" at the Heilig Funeral Home, 21 W. Main St., Mount Joy, PA on Saturday, April 5, 2008, from 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Memorial services and interment will be private at the convenience of the family.

Please omit flowers. Contributions in Jerry's memory may be sent to Lancaster Area Kidney Association, P.O. Box 1446, Lancaster, PA 17604 or Hospice of Lancaster County, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. For further information or to send the family a message of condolence, you may visit our website at:

www.heiligfuneral.com

membered by his children: Joanne wife of Wesley Snyder of Millersburg, PA and Carol wife of Gary Kennedy of Strasburg; his 12 grandchildren, 33 great grandchildren, 5 great great grandchildren and his two brothers: Daniel of Marlton, NJ and Salvatore of Port Chester, NY. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Kathryn Buckwalter, a grandson, Karl Longenecker, three brothers: Anthony, Dominic, and William, and by two sisters: Kathryn DeCarlo and Carmella Lovallo.

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Leonard's family wishes to express their gratitude for the exceptional and compassionate care shown to their father and grandfather by the staff of St. Anne's Retirement Community. Friends will be received on

Friday from 7-9 PM at the Charles F. Snyder Funeral Home, 414 E. King St., Lancaster, PA and again on Saturday from 9-10 AM. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Saturday at 10:30 AM at St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church, 501 E. Orange St., Lancaster, PA, with the Rev. Daniel Mitzel as Celebrant, Interment in St. Joseph New Catholic Cemetery Mausoleum. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in Leonard's memory to St. Anne's Retirement Community, 3952 Columbia Ave., Lancaster, PA 17603 or to Hospice of Lancaster County, 685 Good Dr., Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. For directions, or to send an online condolence, please visit:

www.snyderfuneralhome.com

www.etzweiler.com

Rose M. Stoner

Rose M. Stoner, 77, of Wrightsville died on Tuesday, April 1, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. at the Susquehanna Valley Nursing and Rehab Center. She was the wife of William H. Stoner, Sr. of Wrightsville. Mr. and Mrs. Stoner observed their 59th wedding anniversary on November 21, 2007

Rose was born in Columbia on September 27, 1930, the daughter of the late Albert H. and Lillian L. (Lowe) Jones. She retired from the former Charles Chips Company. Mrs. Stoner was a member of Grace United Methodist Church of Wrightsville and the United Methodist Women.

In addition to her husband, Rose is survived by three daughters, Julia Ely of Wrightsville, Diane McCullough of Columbia, Marsha Bergan of Port Matilda; a son, William H. Stoner, Jr. of Quarryville; 8 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held Friday, April 4, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. at the Etzweiler Funeral Home, Inc. and Cremation Service, 700 Hellam Street, Wrightsville with her pastor, Rev. W. Keith Rockwell, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery. A viewing will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Memorial Fund of Grace United Methodist Church, 404 Hellam Street, Wrightsville, PA 17368.

home at 6:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 2, 2008. He was the loving husband of Helen (Stauffer) Joseph to whom he was married for more than 60 years.

A private service for Mr. Joseph will be held at the graveside in Prospect Hill Cemetery in York with the Rev. Dr. Richard E. Geib of St. John's Lutheran Church in Columbia officiating.

Richard was born on August 12, 1922 in Seven Valleys, a son of the late Marvin A. and Helen C. (Kessler) Joseph.

He retired as an instructor of instrumental music and band from the Upper Darby School District following 30 years of teaching. He was proud and honored to have played saxophone with the United States Navy Band during WWII. He also performed with the Ithaca College Band prior to graduating from there in 1949. Richard was a 1940 graduate of the William Penn High School in York.

He served his community as former president of the Upper Darby Rotary Club. In addition to his love for music, he enjoyed golf and his world travels.

Mr. Joseph will be sadly missed by his wife, Helen; his son, Richard K. Joseph, Jr., of Dundalk, MD; his daughter, Linda J. Stevens of Bluffton, SC; a grandson and two granddaughters.

Contributions may be made in memory of Mr. Joseph to Hospice of Lancaster County, 685 Good Drive, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604.

Memories may be shared at: www.irwinfuneralhome.com

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He was a member of the Manheim Township Republican Committee for 21 years.

John E. Megahan

John E. Megahan, 71, of Lancaster, died Wednesday, April 2,

2008, at Lancaster General Hospital. Born October 17, 1936 in Catherine Twp., Blair County, he was a son of the late Lester J. and Carrie

(Larkins) Megahan. He is survived by his wife of 36 years, Esther (Booth) Megahan of Lancaster.

Mr. Megahan was a member of Mount Zion United Methodist Church, Fairfield, He attended Everett Schools in Bedford County. He proudly served our country in the U.S. Army during World War II as a military policeman. He worked as a tool and die maker at Burnham & Calder Doors, and retired from Dorma Door Controls. John regularly attended Rawlinsville Camp Meeting. He enjoyed watching the Pittsburgh Steelers and was an avid bowler.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Megahan is survived by 1 son: Lester J. Megahan of Windber; 1 stepdaughter: Pamela Lewis of Lancaster; 1 stepson: Dwight Lewis of Lancaster; 2 step grandchildren: Daniel and Ashley Lynn, both of Lancaster; 3 sisters: Genevieve Struckman of Wyncote, Lois Sollenberger of Clearville, and Shirley Oaks of Columbia, MD; and 1 brother: Ronald Megahan of Levittown. Mr. Megahan was preceded in death by his stepson, Dennis W. Lewis, in December 2007.

Funeral services are scheduled for 3:00 p.m. Saturday, April 5, 2008 at the Gundel Funeral Home, 415 North Duke Street, Lancaster, with Rev. Cheryl Zegers officiating. Viewing will be one hour prior to the service. Burial will follow the service at Mount Zion United Methodist Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association, 3544 North Progress Ave., Suite 205, Harrisburg, PA 17110. Arrangements by the Gundel Funeral Home, Inc. For additional information or to send a condolence, please call 393-1776 or visit:

www.gundelfuneralhome.com

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> Elizabeth J. Hubbs Smith

Elizabeth J. Hubbs Smith, 93, formerly of Liberty Street, Lancaster, died

Tuesday night,

April 1, 2008 at

Mennonite

Home. Born in

Lancaster, she

was the daugh-

ter of the late

George and Mary Clerico Iannone. Elizabeth was the wife of the late Harry B. Smith, and she was preceded in death by her first husband, Paul A. Hubbs, who died in 1989.

Elizabeth was a homemaker and previously worked ten years as a waitress at Meadow Hills Dining House and as a clerk for four years at Penn Supreme. A member of St. Anne's Catholic Church, Elizabeth was a Eucharistic Minister at the church. She volunteered at the former St Joseph Hospi-

Elizabeth enjoyed her family and making quilts for them. She loved the beach and going crabbing.

Surviving is a son, Paul A. Jr. husband of Lynn Hubbs; three grandchildren; five great grandchildren; a stepdaughter, Elaine wife of Parke Eckman; four stepsons: Barry husband of Janet Smith, Kenneth husband of Kathleen Smith, Richard husband of Cathy Smith, Charles husband of Donna Smith; fifteen stepgrandchildren; twenty-eight step great grandchildren; two sisters, Julia Grossman, Teresa wife of Harvey R. Bilger; and a brother, Benjamin R. Iannone. She was preceded in death by two sisters: Mary Caterbone, Rosie Iannone; and four brothers: Gus, John, Gregory and Joe Tannone

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Anne's Catholic Church, North Duke and Liberty Streets, Lancaster on Saturday at 10:00 AM. Interment will be in St. Joseph New Catholic Cemetery, Bausman, PA. Friends may pay their respects to the family at the church from 9-10:00 AM on Saturday. Please omit flowers. Contributions may be made in Elizabeth's memory to St. Anne's Catholic Church. Arrangements are by the Charles F. Snyder Funeral Home. To send online condolences, please visit:

www.snyderfuneralhome.com

Lancaster County Board of Elections presents **A Public Open House Forum & Demonstration** of the current

Electronic Voting Machines & Scanners

When: Friday April 4th @ 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM Saturday April 5th @ 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Where: Lancaster County Public Safety Training Center 101 Champ Blvd., Salunga (Salunga Exit of Route 283) Prepare for the upcoming Presidential Primary Election by listening, learning, practicing voting, and asking questions.

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