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DEATHS REPORTED

Arbenz, Roseanna E. Wesch
80, wife of Lewis M. Arbenz, of Lancaster. March 22, 2008. Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, 872-2266

Bell, Larry L.
49, of 225 S. 4th St., Columbia. March 16, 2008. Clyde W. Kraft Funeral Home, Inc., 684-2370.

Bowman, Iola Dorene (Wittrig)
84, of Ephrata Manor, Ephrata Township. March 21, 2008. Stradling Funeral Homes, 733-2472

Davis, Isabel G.
84, wife of Robert B. Davis, Lancaster. March 23, 2008. Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, 872-2266.

Ford, Joan L.
71, of Ephrata. March 23, 2008. Stradling Funeral Homes, 733-2472

Foulke, Mary Jane
91, of St. Anne's Retirement Community, Columbia. March 24, 2008. Charles F. Snyder, Jr. Funeral Home and Chapel, 560-5100.

Gall, Eva Easterbrook Demmy
91, of Ephrata Manor, Ephrata. March 22, 2008. Buch Funeral Home, 665-4341.

Gehman, Titus M.
93, of 1586 Bowmansville Rd., Mohnton. March 23, 2008. Eckenroth Home for Funerals, 445-5122

Geist, Anna M.
93, of Susquehanna Valley Rehabilitation & Nursing Center. March 23, 2008. Clyde W. Kraft Funeral Home, Inc. 684-2370.

Gunzenhauser, Jack R. Sr.
78, of Stevens. March 21, 2008. Stradling Funeral Homes, 733-2472

Heffelfinger, Verna Y.
85, of Richland. March 23, 2008. Grose Funeral Home, 866-4233.

Herr, William M.
84, husband of Barbara Gilbert Herr, of Quarryville. March 22, 2008. Dewald Funeral & Cremation Services, 786-3530

Hollinger, Winifred Doris
89, of Lancaster. March 23, 2008. Gundel Funeral Home, Inc. 393-1776

Kyle, W. Roger Sr.
71, husband of Mildred F. Horn Kyle, of 87 Ridgewood Manor, Manheim. March 24, 2008. Sheetz Funeral Home, Inc. 653-5441

Lane, Niles C., Sr.
66, husband of Ila M. Elder Lanc, of 309 Lebanon Rd., Manheim. March 22, 2008. Buch Funeral Home, 665-4341.

Leaman, Verna E.
79, wife of Chester Groff Leaman, of 3955 Singers Glen Road, Harrisonburg, VA. March 13, 2008.

Macomber, Alice R.
96, of 433 South Kinzer Ave., New Holland. March 23, 2008. Groff-High Funeral Home, 354-0444

Martelli, Elizabeth Ruth
24, of Reading. March 22, 2008. Sanders Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Inc., 610-372-1624.

Mirocke, Veronica R.
Wife of Gregory J. Mirocke, of 643 Oxford Drive, Lancaster. March 23, 2008. Charles F. Snyder Jr. Funeral Home and Chapel, 560-5100

Patriarca, Frank J.
84, husband of Maria (Schwaderer) Patriarca, of Heidelberg, Germany. March 8, 2008. Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, 872-2266

Peirce, Harry G.
89, husband of Elinor W. (Weaver) Peirce, of Valley View Terrace, Apt. A224, Belleville. March 22, 2008. Baggus Funeral Home, 935-2533

Reynolds, Anita L.
59, wife of Carl Reynolds, of San Francisco, CA. February 20, 2008. Dewald Funeral & Cremation Services, 786-3530

Rittenhouse, Betty M.
100, of Kennett Square. March 8, 2008.

Weaver, Ethel W.
95, of Luther Acres, Lititz. March 23, 2008. Fred F. Groff, Inc., 397-8255.

Weibley, Maynard A.
77, of 400 Mill St., Trinity House Apartments, Columbia. March 19, 2008. Clyde W. Kraft Funeral Home, Inc. 684-2370

Wilson, Evelyn J.
75, of Lancaster. March 23, 2008. Buch Funeral Home, 665-4341

Joan L. Ford

Joan L. Ford, 71, of Ephrata, entered into rest at the Essa Flo-ry Hospice Center, Lancaster on Sunday, March 23, 2008.



She was born in Reinholds, a daughter of the late Oscar C. and

Mary (Blantz) Sweigart.

She is the widow of Robert Lee Ford who died in February 1999.

She was a member of Shepherd's Chapel, Arkansas. Joan's main concern, focus, and joy in life was her family that she loved with all her heart and soul. "For what is it to die, but to stand naked in the wind and to melt into the sun? And what is it to cease breathing, but to free the breath from its restless tides, that it may rise and expand and seek God unencumbered?"

A homemaker, she had also worked as a knitter for Lanco Knitwear of Ephrata for several years.

Surviving are 3 sons, Garry L. Ford of Ephrata, Gene R. Ford of Lancaster, and Glen R. husband of Lisa Reed Ford of Leola; 3 daughters, Gale companion of Bill Fassnacht, Gwen N. companion of Michael Roth and Gina L. companion of Dean Bollinger, all of Ephrata; 9 grandchildren; 2 great-grandchildren; 2 brothers, Lavern husband of Janice Sweigart of Adamstown, and Wilbur husband of Joanne Sweigart of Akron.

Friends may call from 6 to 8 PM Wednesday, March 26, 2008, at the Stradling Funeral Home, 201 Church Ave., Ephrata. Funeral services will be held at 8 PM Wednesday. Private interment will be held at the convenience of the family.

The family requests memorial contributions in Joan's memory be sent to The Ephrata Cancer Center, 460 N. Reading Road, Ephrata, PA 17522 or to Hospice of Lancaster County, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. Arrangements by Stradling Funeral Homes, Akron/Ephrata. For additional information or to send a condolence to the family visit

W. Roger Kyle, Sr.

W. Roger Kyle, Sr., 71, of 87 Ridgewood Manor, Manheim, passed away Monday, March 24, 2008 at the Rheems Nursing Center. He was married to Mildred F. Horn Kyle for 22 years.



Roger worked for the former Fuller Co., Manheim for 30 years, retiring in 1991. He was a member of the former Rohrerstown Church of God, Lancaster, which is now the Real Life Church of God, East Petersburg, and a 1956 graduate of Donegal High School. Roger was a renowned storyteller, enjoyed tinkering, and loved his motorcycles. Most of all, Roger enjoyed the simple pleasures of life, savoring his time spent with his family.

Born in Van, West Virginia, he was the son of the late Charles H. and Macie C. Cook Kyle.

In addition to his wife, Millic, he will be missed by his children, Pastor Tracey married to Greg Utermahlen, Dover, Teresa Goss, Dover, Tanja married to Trevor Stynes, Maytown, and Wayne R. Kyle, Jr., Mount Joy; a stepdaughter, Sharron Jenkins, Elizabethtown; nine grandchildren and twin great grandchildren; four brothers, Joe married to Wanda Kyle, Lebanon, Doug married to Barbara Kyle, Jim married to Kristine Kyle, both of Millersville, and Fred Kyle, Lancaster. A great granddaughter, Madison Dellacamera; three sisters, Wanda Barone, Peggy Stauffer, and Judy Myers; and two brothers, Charles and Frank Kyle, preceded him in death.

A memorial service celebrating Roger's life will be held at the Sheetz Funeral Home, 16 E. Main St., Mount Joy on Saturday, March 29, 2008 at 1:30 p.m. with Pastor Randy Jenkins officiating. There will be no visitation prior to the service; however, Roger's family will greet relatives and friends at a time of fellowship immediately following the service in the social hall of the Mount Joy Church of God, (please use the main entrance to the rear of the

Eva Easterbrook "Dutch" Demmy Gall

Eva Easterbrook "Dutch" Demmy Gall, 91, formerly of 193 Fruitville Pike, Manheim died peacefully Saturday, March 22, 2008 at Ephrata Manor. Born in Shippensburg she was the daughter of the late William H. and Emma E. McIntyre Easterbrook. A life-long educator, Eva taught in the Manheim Central School District at Stiegel Elementary from 1952 until her retirement in 1979. Previously she taught at Doe Run Elementary from 1948 to 1952. Prior to arrival in Manheim, she taught in three rural schools in Cumberland County. She was the wife of the late Joseph A. Gall who died in 1998; her first husband was the late Clayton R. "Pete" Demmy who died in 1973. Dutch was a member of Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Manheim. A 1952 graduate from Shippensburg State Teachers College. She was a member of the PA Retired Teachers Association, the National Education Association, PA State Education Association, Manheim Central Education Association. Other memberships included the Order of the Amaranth Supreme Council Lancaster Court number 70 and the Ephrata Manor Council, Lititz Senior Center, Stiegel Roses Senior Citizens Group Manheim, Mount Joy Leisure Club, Manheim Historical Association, Manheim V.F.W. Auxiliary, and the Heintzelman Art Association. She also volunteered in her early years at the Nearly-Nu shop, Manheim. Surviving are many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by two sisters and six brothers.



Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral service from the Buch Funeral Home, 21 Market Square, Manheim, PA on Thursday, March 27, 2008 at 11:00 AM

Ann Wilhelmina Humphreville

Ann Wilhelmina Humphreville, daughter of James and A l a c e Humphreville, died at her home in San Diego, CA, on December 24, 2007, surrounded by her family and her beloved dogs, after a valiant battle with cancer.

Born in Lancaster on September 28, 1959, the eldest of three children, Ann attended McCaskey High School and earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in English and drama in 1980 from Franklin and Marshall College. Following college, she worked in New York City and Reading, PA, for the Kidder Peabody Co. as a stockbroker. She later returned to Lancaster to work as an investment officer for the Hamilton Bank, which has now become Wachovia.

In 1994 Ann moved to San Diego, CA to become a portfolio manager for the Brandes Investment Partners. While there, she studied and passed three years of examinations to become a Chartered Financial Analyst and was most recently a vice president specializing in European pharmaceuticals. She was a highly valued member of that firm, known for her expertise, gracious relationships with others, and her extensive knowledge.

Ann had a lifelong interest in history, and she pursued both maternal and paternal family genealogy in England and the US. She developed an extensive knowledge of American and English portraiture and furniture, which she pursued while traveling, and attended several Humphreville family reunions in England and Canada. A certified PADI scuba diver, Ann's other interests included tennis, wine tasting, and her dogs, which were acquired through rescue organizations. She was known as a devoted caretaker of her pets by canine organizations in San Diego.

Ann is survived by her parents and a brother, Charles L.

Herr, William M.
84, husband of Barbara Gilbert Herr, of Quarryville. March 22, 2008. Dewald Funeral & Cremation Services, 786-3530

Hollinger, Winifred Doris
89, of Lancaster. March 23, 2008. Gundel Funeral Home, Inc. 393-1776

Humphreville, Ann W.
48, of San Diego, California. December 24, 2007.

Johnson, Ronald E.
54, husband of Betty Jane (Huyett), of Stevens. March 24, 2008. Good Funeral Home & Cremation Centre 336-4909

95, of Luther Acres, Lititz. March 23, 2008. Fred F. Groff, Inc., 397-8255.

Weibley, Maynard A.
77, of 400 Mill St., Trinity House Apartments, Columbia. March 19, 2008. Clyde W. Kraft Funeral Home, Inc. 684-2370

Wilson, Evelyn J.
75, of Lancaster. March 24, 2008. Fred F. Groff, Inc., 397-8255.

Wisc, Edwin C., Jr.
73, husband of Harriet (Renninger) Wisc, of Stevens. March 23, 2008. Good Funeral Home & Cremation Centre, 336-4909

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SERVICES TODAY

Gillespie, Anne B.
Chapel of St. John's Herr Estate, 200 Luther Lane, Columbia, Tuesday, 2 PM. Kraft-Workman Funeral Homes, Inc.

Herrold, B. Marguerite
Young Funeral Home, 317 East Orange Street, Lancaster, Tues., 2:00 PM.

Kendig, James W.
Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, 85 Brandt Boulevard, Landisville, Tuesday, 2 PM. Clyde W. Kraft Funeral Home, Inc.

Mackley, Eugene H.
Charles F. Snyder Funeral Home and Chapel, 3110 Lititz Pike, Lititz, Tuesday, 7 PM.

Mihan, Emily E.
Bachman Funeral Home, 7 South Decatur Street, Strasburg, Tuesday, 4 PM.

Miles, Nancy L.
Kearney A. Snyder Funeral Home, 141 E. Orange St., Tuesday, 11 AM.

Nissley, Jeanne B.
New Life Assembly of God, 1991 Old Philadelphia Pike, Tuesday, 10 AM. Richard A. Sheetz Funeral Home.

Roesch, Helen R. (Owens)
St. Benedict's Roman Catholic Church, 2020 Chestnut Hill Rd., Mohnton, Tuesday 10 AM. Edward J. Kuhn Funeral Home, Inc.

Saracena, Mary A.
St. Demetrius Catholic Church, Gallitzin, Tues., 11:00 AM. Gibbons Funeral Home

Snyder, Norman S.
South Hinkletown Mennonite Church, Tuesday, 9:30 AM. Groff-High Funeral Home.

Sollenberger, Robert Woy
Annville Church of the Brethren, 495 E. Maple Street, Annville, Tuesday, 3 PM. Kreamer Funeral Home.

Stradling, George T., Jr.
Grace EC Church, N. 7th and Fulton Streets, Akron, Tuesday, 10AM. Stradling Funeral Homes.

Yost, Clarence N. III
St. Joseph Catholic Church, 440 St. Joseph Street, Lancaster, Tues., 10:00 AM. Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home

The family requests memorial contributions in Joan's memory be sent to The Ephrata Cancer Center, 460 N. Reading Road, Ephrata, PA 17522 or to Hospice of Lancaster County, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. Arrangements by Stradling Funeral Homes, Akron/Ephrata. For additional information or to send a condolence to the family, visit www.stradlingfuneralhome.com

Ethel W. Weaver

Ethel W. Weaver, 95, of Luther Acres, Lititz, PA, formerly of Mayfair Drive, died on Sunday, March 23, 2008 at the Manor of Luther Acres.



Born in Lancaster, PA, she is the widow of LeRoy Miller Weaver who died June 23, 1996, and the daughter of the late Warren and Ruth Eby Witmer.

A graduate of Lancaster Girls High School, Ethel worked at Hamilton Watch Company for 32 years. She worked on precision fuses for military responsibilities, followed by the production of wrist watches.

She is a member of Grace Community Church, Willow Street, PA and was a past member of the Hempfield Women's Club. Ethel was a volunteer for the Hempfield Meals on Wheels program and she enjoyed cooking and reading.

She is survived by a daughter, Sylvia, wife of Andrew Amway, Lancaster, PA; three grandchildren, Mark Amway; Kim, wife of Michael Carron; and Christopher Hardinger, husband of Dr. Johanne Lamarche; a step grandson, Judson R. McCune; seven great grandchildren and a son-in-law, Dr. Judson McCune. A daughter, Dr. Louise Hardinger and a brother, Clair Witmer preceded her in death.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend Ethel's Life Celebration Funeral Service from the Funeral Home of Fred F. Groff, Inc., 234 West Orange Street, Lancaster, PA on Friday, March 28, 2008 at 11:30 AM with The Rev. Wilmer R. Martin officiating. Interment at Laurel Hill Memorial Gardens. Friends may call at Groff's on Friday from 10:30 AM until time of service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent to Grace Community Church, 214 Peach Bottom Road, Willow Street, PA 17584. Fred F. Groff, Inc.

www.lifecelebration.com

Friday, March 29, 2008 at 1:30 p.m. with Pastor Randy Jenkins officiating. There will be no visitation prior to the service; however, Roger's family will greet relatives and friends at a time of fellowship immediately following the service in the social hall of the Mount Joy Church of God, (please use the main entrance to the rear of the church), 34 E. Main St., Mount Joy. Interment will be private. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Roger's name may be made to Hospice of Lancaster County, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. Online condolences to www.sheetzfuneralhome.com

Mary Jane Foulke

Mary "Jane" Foulke died Monday, March 24, 2008, at the age of 91 at St.



Anne's Retirement Community, Columbia, PA. She previously lived at 1722 Windy Hill Road. She was born in Lancaster, a daughter of the late Adam M. and Jennie M. Dillich

She was a graduate of Sacred Heart Academy, Lancaster Catholic High School and a member of St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church.

Jane was the wife of the late Edward D. Foulke, Sr., who died in 2004 after 63 years of marriage. She was the operator and owner of a beauty shop in Lancaster in the 1930's and 1940's.

She is survived by a son, Edward D. Jr. married to Beth A. Foulke of Lancaster; a daughter, Patricia Renner of Akron; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a sister Janet M. Murray.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions can be made to St. Anne's Retirement Community, 3952 Columbia Ave., Columbia PA 17512 or Hospice of Lancaster County, 685 Good Dr., Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Thursday, March 27, 2008 at 11 a.m. at St. Anne's Retirement Community Chapel, 3952 Columbia Ave., Columbia 17512. A viewing will be held from 10:30 until time of service. Interment will take place at St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery.

Arrangements by Charles F. Snyder Funeral Home.

To send an online condolence or for more information please visit www.snyderfuneralhome.com

Nearly-Nu shop, Manheim. Surviving are many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by two sisters and six brothers.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral service from the Buch Funeral Home, 21 Market Square, Manheim, PA on Thursday, March 27, 2008 at 11:00 AM with Pastor James W. Roth officiating. Interment in Manheim Fairview Cemetery, Penn Township. There will be a public viewing at the Buch Funeral Home on Thursday morning from 10:00 AM until the time of the service. Please omit flowers. Those desiring may send contributions in Eva's memory to Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church Memorial Fund, 2 South Hazel Street, Manheim, PA 17545 or Asera Care Hospice, 315 Primrose Lane, Suite 101, Mountville, PA 17554. The Buch Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. For further information or to send the family a message of condolence you may visit our website www.buchfuneral.com

Ronald E. Johnson

Ronald Johnson, 54, Stevens, died unexpectedly March 24, 2008, in the ER of Ephrata Hospital.

Born in Ephrata, a son of Elwood and Mildred (Lutz) Johnson, he was married to Betty Jane (Huyett) Johnson for 34 years.

Employed by Boose Aluminum Foundry, Reamstown, Ron enjoyed golfing and was a loving husband, father and grandfather. He was a member of Gouglersville and PenWyn Fire Companies. He was a 1971 graduate of Cocalico H.S.

Also surviving: daughters, Kimberly A. (Kevin) Wallace, Sinking Spring; and Jennifer L. Johnson, fiancé of Eric Edwards, both of Denver; grandchildren, Connor, Christopher, Hayley and Madison; brother, Reginald Johnson, Wernersville; and sisters, Gladys Johnson, Denver; Dolores (Donald) Stoltz, Bowmansville; and Shirley Johnson, Sinking Spring.

FUNERAL: Friday, March 28, 10 AM, Good Funeral Home, Reamstown. BURIAL: Center Union Cemetery, East Earl Twp. VIEWING: Thursday 7-9 PM. Rather than flowers, contributions to John Paul II Center for Special Learning, 1092 Welsh Road, Mohnton, PA 19540. www.goodfuneral.com

England and Canada. A certified PADI scuba diver, Ann's other interests included tennis, wine tasting, and her dogs, which were acquired through rescue organizations. She was known as a devoted caretaker of her pets by canine organizations in San Diego.

Ann is survived by her parents and a brother, Charles L. Humphreville and his wife, Susan, and three stepchildren of Saratoga, CA. She was preceded in death by a brother, Richard, in 1981. Other family members include her aunt, Ruth Humphreville of Willow Valley; cousins David Humphreville of Lancaster; Michael Humphreville of Centerville, Ohio; Carol Bambeay of Cincinnati, Ohio; and Thomas Humphreville of Vista, CA. Also maternal aunt Joan Holloway of Advance, NC, and cousins, Mark Holloway of Clemmons, NC; and Paul Holloway of Rochester, NY; and aunt Wilhelmina Gilligan of Austin, TX, and cousin James Gilligan of Dallas, TX.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to a memorial service at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Lancaster, 538 West Chestnut Street, at 4 p.m. on Saturday, April 5, 2008.

Verna Y. Heffelfinger

Verna Y. Heffelfinger, 85, of Richland, PA died Sunday, March 23, 2008 at the E.C.C. Retirement Village - Albright Campus, Myerstown, PA.

She was the wife of Homer W. Heffelfinger to whom she was married 66 years on June 21.

Born in Heidelberg Twp., PA on July 14, 1922, she was the daughter of the late Adam H. and Katie N. (Binkley) Yoder.

She was a member of Zion Evangelical Congregational Church, Myerstown, PA.

In addition to her husband she is survived by a daughter Linda, wife of Barry Swigart of Reading, PA; 3 grandchildren, 5 great grandchildren, sister Mabel Becker of Myerstown and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a brother John Yoder.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, March 27, 2008 at 2 p.m. at the Heidelberg Church of the Brethren, Rte. 2, Myerstown, PA. There will be no viewing or visitation. Interment in adjoining church cemetery. PLEASE OMIT FLOWERS. Memorial contributions may be made to Zion E.C.C., 25 S. College Street, Myerstown, PA 17067. Grose Funeral Home, Myerstown is in charge of arrangements. www.grosefuneralhome.com

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OBITUARIES

Rt. Rev. Ronald H. Haines

The Rt. Rev. Ronald H. Haines, 73, The Seventh Bishop, retired, of The Episcopal Diocese of Washington, DC, who served as a bold agent of change throughout the Church as well as the steward of strong fiscal development and policy, died on March 21, 2008 at his home in Lancaster.

Bishop Haines was a tireless advocate for the ordination of women priests and defender of gender equality in the church. He worked to make the church and its leadership welcoming to people of all sexual orientations. Regarding racism as one of the greatest sins of modern America, he confronted it with passion. He maintained, nevertheless, that spiritual discernment could be achieved through the struggles and controversies surrounding contemporary issues. He listened as a pastor to those who disagreed with him, believing that people of good will and shared faith may differ but remain in communion with each other.

Haines served as the Diocesan Bishop of Washington from 1990 until retiring in 2000. The Diocese, noted for its diversity, comprises 94 congregations and the Washington National Cathedral, three Cathedral Schools with a total of over 1700 students and The College of Preachers.

Prior to becoming the Diocesan Bishop, Haines was elected Suffragan Bishop in 1986 and served in that role until the sudden death of then Bishop John Walker. Before coming to Washington, Bishop Haines served in the Diocese of Western North Carolina from 1968-1989, first as the Rector of St. Francis Episcopal Church in Rutherfordton, North Carolina and then as the Bishop's Deputy of that Diocese where he was responsible for congregational development, clergy deployment, program and budget.

He also was one of the

three years, he was the Priest-in-Charge of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Manheim. He also was active assisting the Bishop of this Diocese and the Bishop and Diocese of Delaware with Episcopal duties of confirmation and ordination. He was well known as a friend and mentor of many area lay and ordained leaders of the church. In his retirement, the Bishop also became an avid runner, participating in many local races and half-marathons as well as a biker who traveled throughout the roads of Lancaster County and the South of France.

Bishop Haines came to the ordained ministry by way of a ten-year career in engineering. He was a graduate of the University of Delaware School of Engineering and The Mercer School of Theology (NY). He holds the M.Div and STM degrees from The General Seminary in New York as well as honorary doctorate degrees both from General Seminary and The Virginia Episcopal Seminary where he also served as Trustee along with many other organizations.

Bishop Haines was a First Lieutenant in the United States Army Reserve.

In 1956, Haines married Mary T. Terrell, who has been in residential Alzheimer's care for several years. He leaves six children: two daughters, Jennifer Haines Tozier of Advance, NC., Alicia Haines Pearson of Tacoma, Washington; four sons, Ronald Gregory Haines, also of Tacoma, Washington; Thomas Jeffrey Haines, Kittery Point, Maine; Jonathan Andrew Haines, Portland, OR; Peter Joshua Haines of Rockville, MD., and longtime friend and medical care companion, Erica Brown Wood. Bishop Haines also leaves 16 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at St. James Episcopal Church in Lancaster on Thursday, March 27, 2008 at 1:00 PM, the Rt. Rev. Jane Dixon, retired Suffragan Bishop of Washington, celebrant and The Rt. Rev. Nathan Baxter, Bishop of Central Pennsylvania and the former Dean of the Washington Cathedral, preacher. The family will receive friends and visi-

Iola Dorene (Wittrig) Bowman

Iola Dorene (Wittrig) Bowman, 84, formerly of New Holland, entered into rest at Ephrata Manor, Ephrata Township, on Friday, March 21, 2008, where she had been a resident since



1997.

Born in Boynton Township, Illinois, she was a daughter of the late Amos G. and Lydia (Sutter) Wittrig. She was the wife of the late Silas S. Bowman, who preceded her in death in 1982.

A homemaker, she was a member of Faith Bible Fellowship Church, Lancaster. She graduated from Hopedale Community High School and Palmer School of Chiropractic in Davenport, Iowa.

Mrs. Bowman is survived by four daughters, Jean L. Bowman of Akron, Judy A. Morris of Leola, Jarie L., wife of Edward M. Smith of Lancaster, and Joyce E. Dunstan of Fogselsville, 8 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, and a brother, Loren Wittrig, of Hopedale, IL.

Besides her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers, Howard and Glenn Wittrig.

A viewing will be held from 6 to 8 PM on Tuesday, March 25th, at Stradling Funeral Home, 30 N. 9th Street, Akron, and also one hour prior to services on Wednesday at the Donecker Chapel. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM on Wednesday, March 26, at the Donecker Chapel at Ephrata Manor, 99 Bethany Road, Ephrata, with Rev. Robert Smock and Rev. David A. Thomann officiating. Interment will follow in the Weaverland Mennonite Cemetery, East Earl Township.

Memorial contributions in Iola's memory may be sent to the Alzheimer's Association, Greater PA Chapter, 3544 N. Progress Ave., Suite 205, Harrisburg, PA 17110-9638 or to the Ephrata Manor Caring Fund, 99 Bethany Road, Ephrata, PA 17522, or to AseraCare Hospice,

Wm. M. "Bill" Herr

Wm. M. "Bill" Herr, 84, of Quarryville, entered into rest on March 22, 2008. He was the adopted son of the late Emlin and Annabelle Miller Herr. Bill celebrated 60 years of marriage with his wife, Barbara Gilbert Herr. From 1957 until 1986 he and his wife owned



and operated Quarryville TV, which is currently owned by Bill's good friend, Harry Work. He was a veteran of the US Navy, serving during WWII on the USS Springfield as a Fire Controlman, 2nd class, receiving several medals. Bill was a Past Commander of the American Legion Post #603, a life member of the Quarryville Fire Co., Past Commodore of Flotilla #1401 Coast Guard Aux., Past Commander of Hances Point Yacht Club and member of the Croaking Bullfrogs.

Surviving besides his wife Barbara is a son, Bruce husband of Donna Herr of Alamogordo, NM, and daughters Cindy, wife of Larry Reed of Homestead, FL and Barbara Ann, wife of Jack Hoffert of New Orleans, LA. Also surviving are Bill's grandchildren, Karen R. Weaver, wife of Daniel, Bradenton, FL, Rebecca A. (Becky) Musselman, wife of Edwin of Millersville, PA, Arthur L. Miller, Jr. husband of Molly of Conestoga, PA and Tamara J. Meek, wife of Tom of Bradenton, FL, along with 7 great grandchildren and 1 great grandson.

Services will be held privately. The family asks that anyone wishing could make a contribution in Bill's memory to the Quarryville Fire Co., PO Box 143, Quarryville, PA 17566. Dewald Funeral & Cremation Services, 227 W. 4th St., Quarryville, PA is assisting the family.

Winifred Doris Hollinger
Landis Homes Resident

Titus M. Gehman

Titus M. Gehman, 93, of 1586 Bowmansville Rd., Mohnton, died Sunday, March 23, 2008 at Fairmount Homes. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Elmeda (Good) Gehman in 1988 and by his second wife, Anna Mae (Weber) Good in 2002.



Born in Brecknock Twp., he was the son of the late Garson and Emma (Musser) Gehman.

Titus was a retired farmer and had also tended farmer's markets in Reading. He worked as a volunteer at M. C. C. Material Resource Center since 1984 operating a loom.

He was a member of Bowmansville Mennonite Church where he formerly had served as a trustee.

Surviving are six children: Betty J. married to Melvin Wenger, New Holland; Carl L. married to Carol (Yoder) Gehman, Blue Ball; Walter E. Gehman, Leola; Sanford R. married to June (Shreiner) Gehman, Lancaster; Dolores A. married to Paul D. Zook, Manheim; and Fern E. Gehman, Bowmansville; 11 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and a brother, George married to Edna (Martin) Gehman, Bowmansville.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Clayton and William Gehman, and a sister, Sadie Gehman.

His funeral will be held on Thursday, March 27, 2008 at 10 AM at the Bowmansville Mennonite Church, 129 Pleasant Valley Rd., East Earl with Pastor Larry Weber, Pastor Roy Martin and Chaplain Paul Gehman officiating. Interment will follow in the adjoining church cemetery. Viewings will be held at the church on Wednesday from 6 to 8 PM and Thursday from 9 to 10 AM. Kindly omit flowers. If desired, memorials may be sent to Mennonite Central Committee, P. O. Box 500, Akron, PA 17501. The Eckenroth Home for Funerals, Terre Hill is in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be sent from our website.

Jack R. Gunzenhauser, Sr.

Jack R. Gunzenhauser, 78, of Stevens, entered into rest at the Denning Nursing Home on Friday, March 21, 2008. He was born in Millersville a son of the late Robert F. and Gladys (Henderson) Gunzenhauser.



He was the companion and friend of Jean Lagaza who was his caregiver for the past years.

Jack was a member of the Cocalico Post #3376 V.F.W. Ephrata. He enjoyed traveling, hunting, fishing, golfing, a motorcycling as hobbies. He had been a coach for the Henfield Twp. midget football league in earlier years.

He served in the United States Marine Corps during the Korean Conflict.

Jack had been employed as an electrician for Armstrong World Industries for 42 years prior to his retirement in 1992.

Surviving, in addition to his companion Jean and her daughter Kimberly Lagaza of Denver and son Gary Lagaza of Ephrata, are 3 sons, Jack R. Gunzenhauser, Jr., Stephen M. Gunzenhauser, and Jeffrey D. Gunzenhauser; several grandchildren; 2 brothers, Robert G. Gunzenhauser, Oregon, and Raymon Gunzenhauser of Akron; and sister, Roberta Schuler of New Holland.

He was preceded in death by his parents and 2 brothers, Le and Donald Gunzenhauser.

A viewing will be held from 6 to 8 PM on Thursday, March 27, 2008, at Stradling Funeral Home, 201 Church Ave., Ephrata, with funeral services being held at 8 PM. Pastor Timothy Craven will be officiating. Interment Services will be held at 10:00 A.M. Friday, March 28, at the Memory Gardens Memorial Cemetery, East Cocalico Township.

The family requests to kindly omit flowers. Arrangements by Stradling Funeral Home, Akron/Ephrata. For additional information or to send a condolence to the family, visit www.stradlingfuneralhome.com

...ed in the Diocese of Western North Carolina from 1968-1989, first as the Rector of St. Francis Episcopal Church in Rutherfordton, North Carolina and then as the Bishop's Deputy of that Diocese where he was responsible for congregational development, clergy deployment, program and budget.

He also was one of the founders of the Virginia and Carolina's Small Church Conference. For over 30 years, he was active in small church ministries, fostering overseas partnerships especially in Central America and Africa.

Upon his retirement, Haines moved to Lancaster County where he became involved in serving the Episcopal Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, first as interim leader of St. John's Episcopal Church, then as Priest-in-Charge of St. James Episcopal Church, both in the City of Lancaster. For the past

A memorial service will be held at St. James Episcopal Church in Lancaster on Thursday, March 27, 2008 at 1:00 PM, the Rt. Rev. Jane Dixon, retired Suffragan Bishop of Washington, celebrant and The Rt. Rev. Nathan Baxter, Bishop of Central Pennsylvania and the former Dean of the Washington Cathedral, Preacher. The family will receive friends and visitors in the Chapel of St. James from 11:30 AM until time of service. Fred F. Groff, Inc., Funeral Home, Lancaster, is in charge of arrangements.

Memorial Contributions may be made to St. Francis Episcopal Church, 408 North Main Street, Rutherfordton, NC 28139.

A memorial service and interment also will be held at The Washington National Cathedral, Washington, DC, at a date to be announced.

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Anna M. Geist

Anna M. Geist, 93, formerly of 322 Ave. I, Columbia, PA died on Sunday at the Susquehanna Valley Rehabilitation & Nursing Center. She was the wife of the late Lester D. Geist who preceded her in death in 1983. Born in Williamstown, PA she was the daughter of the late Michael and Mary Branyak Buzzendore. She retired in 1978 as a seamstress for the Kahn-Lucas Manufacturing Co. in Columbia where she was employed for 25 years. Anna was a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church in Columbia.

Surviving are 2 Brothers: George, husband of Betty Buzzendore of Columbia and Joseph Buzzendore of West Palm Beach, Florida and 1 Sister Theresa, wife of James Knighton of Columbia. She was predeceased by Brothers: John and Jacob Buzzendore and Sisters: Betty Stoutzenberger and Mary Zaferis.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday, March 28, 2008 at 1:00PM from St. Peter's Catholic Church, 2nd & Cherry Streets, Columbia, PA with the Rev. Fr. Peter I. Hahn as Celebrant. Final Commendation and Farewell will be in Mt. Bethel Cemetery. Friends may call at St. Peter's Catholic Church on Friday from 12:00PM (Noon) to 1:00PM. The family requests that flowers be omitted. Memorial contributions in Anna's memory to Our Lady of the Angels School, 404 Cherry St., Columbia, PA 17512 would be deeply appreciated. Arrangements by the Clyde W. Kraft Funeral Home, Inc., Columbia/Landisville.

Frank J. Patriarca

Born on July 2, 1923, in Philadelphia and deceased on March 8, 2008 in Heidelberg, Germany. Survived by his beloved wife of 51 years, Maria (nee Schwaderer). Devoted father of Doris Patriarca and Eric Patriarca with wife Jodi. Loving grandfather to Jared.

Relatives and friends are invited to a Funeral Mass at St. Francis of Assisi Church on Wednesday, April 9, 2008 at 12 Noon. Interment at SS Peter and Paul Cemetery, Springfield. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

Arrangements entrusted to the Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, Millersville, 717-872-2266.

www.scheidfuneralhome.com

Harry E. Cline Time Change

Harry E. Cline, 77, of Ephrata, entered into rest Friday, March 21, 2008 at the Ephrata Community Hospital.

Funeral services Wednesday, March 26, 2008 at 10:00 A.M. at the Stradling Funeral Home, 201 N. Church Ave., Ephrata. Viewing Tuesday from 6-8 P.M. at the funeral home. Interment with military honors will follow in Mohler's Brethren Cemetery.

For additional information or to send a condolence to the family, visit www.stradlingfuneralhome.com

Memorial service will be held at St. James Episcopal Church in Lancaster on Thursday, March 27, 2008 at 1:00 PM, the Rt. Rev. Jane Dixon, retired Suffragan Bishop of Washington, celebrant and The Rt. Rev. Nathan Baxter, Bishop of Central Pennsylvania and the former Dean of the Washington Cathedral, Preacher. The family will receive friends and visitors in the Chapel of St. James from 11:30 AM until time of service. Fred F. Groff, Inc., Funeral Home, Lancaster, is in charge of arrangements.

Memorial contributions in Iola's memory may be sent to the Alzheimer's Association, Greater PA Chapter, 3544 N. Progress Ave., Suite 205, Harrisburg, PA 17110-9638 or to the Ephrata Manor Caring Fund, 99 Bethany Road, Ephrata, PA 17522, or to AseraCare Hospice, 315 Primrose Lane, Suite 101, Mountville, PA 17554. Arrangements by Stradling Funeral Homes, Akron/Ephrata. For additional information or to send a condolence to the family, visit www.stradlingfuneralhome.com

Roseanna E. (Wesch) Arbenz

Roseanna E. (Wesch) Arbenz, 80, a homemaker, of Lancaster, died Saturday, March 22, 2008 at Moravian Manor, Lititz.

She was married to Lewis M. Arbenz for 61 years last June 22.

Born in Lancaster, she was the daughter of the late John J. and Margaret R. (Fisher) Wesch. She was a member of St. John Neumann Catholic Church, Lancaster.

Surviving in addition to her husband is one son, Michael B. married to Brenda (Martzell) Arbenz, of Lititz and one sister, Catherine M. McMinn, of Manheim. She was preceded in death by five siblings, Joseph, Mary, John and Richard Wesch and Clara Henry.

Mass of Christian Burial from St. John Neumann Catholic Church, 601 E. Delp Road, Lancaster, PA on Thursday, March 27, 2008 at 10 AM with the Rev. Paul Oye as the Celebrant. Interment will be in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Lancaster, PA Friends may view at St. John Neumann Catholic Church on Thursday between 9 and 10 AM. Kindly omit flowers. Memorial Remembrances can be made in Roseanna's memory to Hospice of Lancaster County. Arrangements Entrusted to the Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, 320 Blue Rock Road, Millersville, PA 17551, 717-872-2266. For online condolences, directions or other information, you are welcome to visit our website at: www.scheidfuneralhome.com

143, Quarryville, PA 17566. Dewald Funeral & Cremation Services, 227 W. 4th St., Quarryville, PA is assisting the family.

Winifred Doris Hollinger Landis Homes Resident

Winifred Doris Hollinger, of Lancaster, passed away Sunday, March 23, 2008, at Landis Homes at the age of 89. Born December 22, 1918, in Preston, Kansas, she was the daughter of the late Louis L. and Effie M. (Block) Freymiller. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Ralph M. Hollinger, Sr., who died in 2002.

Mrs. Hollinger graduated from Preston High School and the St. Elizabeth Hospital School of Nursing in Hutchinson, Kansas. After a period of nursing at Passavant Memorial Hospital in Chicago, Winifred entered the United States Army Nurse Corps in 1943. She was stationed at Winter General Army Hospital in Topeka, Kansas, where she met her husband while treating him as one of her patients. Winifred was then transferred from Winter General Army Hospital to the 91st General Hospital, serving in England and Belgium until the European Armistice. Upon completion of her service to our country during World War II, she returned to Lancaster and married Ralph, devoting her time to being a loving mother and homemaker for her husband and children.

Mrs. Hollinger was a member of Calvary Church in Lancaster. Additionally, she was a volunteer at Landis Homes.

Winifred is survived by two daughters: Elaine N., wife of Rev. Philip J. Kneier of Halifax, PA, and Joy Ann, wife of J. Edward Buckwalter of Lititz, PA; six grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. In addition to her husband, Mrs. Hollinger was preceded in death by three brothers and a son, Ralph M. Hollinger, Jr., who died in 1982.

Funeral services will be private and at the discretion of the family. Private interment will follow the service at Riverview Burial Park. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Calvary Church Mission Fund, 1051 Landis Valley Road, Lancaster, PA 17601. Arrangements by the Gundel Funeral Home, Inc. For additional information or to send a condolence, please call 393-1776 or visit www.gundelfuneralhome.com

held at the church on Wednesday from 6 to 8 PM and Thursday from 9 to 10 AM. Kindly omit flowers. If desired, memorials may be sent to Mennonite Central Committee, P. O. Box 500, Akron, PA 17501. The Eckenroth Home for Funerals, Terre Hill is in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be sent from our website:

www.groffeckenroth.com

Veronica R. Mirocke

Veronica R. Mirocke, of 643 Oxford Drive, Lancaster, PA died Easter Sunday morning at Hospice of Lancaster County.

Born in Mahanoy City, Pennsylvania and a resident of Lancaster for over 50 years, she was a daughter of the late Andrew and Veronica Janosko Hasara.

She was a graduate of Mahanoy City High School and a former member of Assumption BVM Church in Mahanoy City, as well as a member of the First Catholic Slovak Ladies Association. She was also a member of St. Anne's Catholic Church in Lancaster for the last 50 years.

Survivors include two sisters, Anna Lukach and Bernadine Ginther, both of Mahanoy City, as well as her husband of 55 years, Gregory J. Mirocke, and son, Joseph G. Mirocke, of Philadelphia. She was a beloved aunt to many nieces and nephews who also survive. A committed Mother and wife, she had a passion for great cooking, and enjoyed watching basketball. Her favorite sports team of all time was the 1977 Lancaster Catholic High School boys basketball team.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at St. Anne's Catholic Church, 929 N. Duke St., Lancaster, PA. A viewing will be held prior to the mass from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. at St. Anne's. Interment will be in the Assumption BVM Cemetery in Mahanoy Township. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions in Veronica's memory to Hospice of Lancaster County, 685 Good Drive, Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. Arrangements by the Charles F. Snyder Funeral Home and Chapel, Lititz, PA 560-5100. For additional information or to send an online condolence, please visit www.snyderfuneralhome.com

Interment Services will be held at 10:00 A.M. Friday, March 28, at the Memory Gardens Memorial Cemetery, East Cocalico Twp.

The family requests to kindly omit flowers. Arrangement by Stradling Funeral Home, Akron/Ephrata. For additional information or to send a condolence to the family, visit www.stradlingfuneralhome.com

Alice R. Macomber

Alice R. Macomber, 96, of 433 S. Kinzer Ave., New Holland, formerly of 329 E. Jackson St., New Holland, died Sunday, March 23, 2008 at Garden Spot Village, New Holland.

Born in Darlington, MD, she was the daughter of the late John W. and Alice (Ely) Grubb. Her husbands Herbert T. Radow died in 1955, and John Donald Macomber died in 1985.

Alice graduated from Belair High School in 1929 and later from Eaton and Burnett Business College. She worked as school secretary, payroll clerk and bookkeeper for Eastern Lancaster County Schools, New Holland, retiring in 1982, after 26 years.

She was an active member of the New Holland United Methodist Church where she taught Sunday school and was member of the Gleaners class. She served on official board and was a communion steward. She also volunteered with Meals on Wheels for 10 years, Liberty Fire Co. Ladies Auxiliary, and during WWII she volunteered with the Red Cross rolling bandages and knitting for soldiers. She also enjoyed knitting caps and mittens.

Surviving is a son, Rodney I. Radow of Norristown; and grandson and a granddaughter.

Preceding her in death is half brother, Lawrence Grubb and three half sisters: Annabelle Grubb, Nancy Larson, and Hannah Weiant.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, March 28, at 10 a.m. at the New Holland United Methodist Church, 120 W. Mail St., New Holland, PA 17557 with the Reverend Susan Slike officiating. Interment will be in the Little Britain Cemetery. Viewing will be at the Church on Friday from 9-10 a.m. Memorials may be made to the New Holland United Methodist Church, (address above). To send the family condolences, visit us at

www.groffeckenroth.com
Arrangements by Groff-High Funeral Home, New Holland.

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Evelyn "Evie" J. Wilson

Evelyn "Evie" J. Wilson, age 75, of Lancaster, PA, passed away on Monday at Conestoga View Nursing Home.



Born in Coatesville, PA, she was the daughter of the late Fred Garvin and

Edith Elizabeth Tomlinson McVey.

Evie was employed in the bakery of Weis Market for fifteen years. She previously worked as an assembler for the former Hamilton Watch Company.

She was a member of the Ross Street United Methodist Church and the American Legion Auxiliary Lancaster Post.

She loved to garden, read, do jig saw puzzles, travel, ceramics, walk, and do needle work. Evie loved dogs and birds.

She is survived by a daughter, Jody, wife of James Joseph Chieffo, Sadsburyville, a son, Parke Wilson, Jr., Lancaster; four grandchildren a sister, Betty Smith, Lancaster and a brother, Richard Garvin, wife of Elizabeth McVey, York. She was preceded in death by a son, Jay Scott Wilson.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Evie's Life Celebration service from the Chapel of Conestoga View, 900 E. King, Lancaster, PA, on Saturday at 10:30 AM with Rev. Yvonne Rulli-Butler officiating. Interment will take place in Little Britain Presbyterian Cemetery. Friends may call on Saturday at the Chapel from 9:30 AM until time of service. Fred F. Groff, Inc.

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Maynard A. Weibley

Maynard A. Weibley, 77, of 400 Mill St., Trinity House Apartments, Columbia, PA died on March 19, 2008 at the Susquehanna Valley Rehabilitation & Nursing Center. Born in Blain, PA, he was the son of the late Clarence and Madeline Burkey Weibley. He was employed in production at the former Maytown Shoe Co. He was

Niles C. Lane, Sr.

Niles C. Lane, Sr., 66, of 309 Lebanon Rd., Manheim died on March 22, 2008 at Pleasant View Retirement Community, Manheim. Born in Huntingdon County, he was the son of the late Corbet and Mary Lane. He was the husband of Ila M. Elder Lane. Niles retired as a truck driver for Oehme Contract Carriers, Lititz and Yellow Freight, Lancaster. He attended the former Manheim Church of God.

Surviving in addition to his wife are four children, Lisa, Jennifer, Eric, and Niles, Jr.; three step children, Kim and Sherman McMullen and Michele Varner; 14 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; 4 brothers, Neal, Dana, Dale, Wade Lane and a sister, Mindy Bassett. He was preceded in death by a stepson, Todd McMullen.

Funeral Services will be held at Real Life Church of God, 6030 Lemon St., East Petersburg, PA on Thursday, March 27, 2008 at 11:00 AM. Interment in Manheim Fairview Cemetery.

There will be a public viewing at Buch Funeral Home, 21 Market Sq., Manheim on Wednesday from 6:30 PM-8:00 PM and again at the church on Thursday from 10:00 AM until the time of service. Please omit flowers. Contributions in Niles' memory to Hospice of Lancaster County, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. The Buch Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

www.buchfuneral.com

Verna E. Leaman

Verna Elizabeth Breneman Leaman, 79, of 3955 Singers Glen Road, Harrisonburg, VA died Thursday, March 13, 2008.

Mrs. Leaman was born Sept. 24, 1928, in Lancaster and was a daughter of the late Clyde and Mary Ann Oberholtzer Breneman.

She owned and operated Kingsway Bed and Breakfast and was a member of First Assembly of God in Harrisonburg

Isabel G. Davis

Isabel G. Davis, 84, of Lancaster, entered into rest on Sunday, March 23, 2008 at St. Anne's Retirement Community.



Born July 26, 1923, in Port Royal, PA, she was the daughter of the late Charles V. and Ruth P. (Weaver) Kilmer. She was married to Robert B. Davis with whom she celebrated 60 years of marriage on May 17, 2007.

Isabel was a Charter Member of Holy Spirit Lutheran Church in Lancaster, PA where she spent many years in the alter guild, the LCW, and teaching Sunday school. In her earlier years, Mrs. Davis worked as a secretary in the State Capitol in Harrisburg. She then spent her time at home lovingly raising her five children.

She enjoyed working in her flower gardens and spending time with her family.

She is survived by her husband, Robert, of Lancaster; two sons, Robert B. Davis, Jr., husband of Ruth, Glenn K. Davis, husband of Michelle, both of Lancaster; three daughters, Gayle C., wife of Vincent M. Baker, of Millersville, Nancy G., wife of Gene Rutledge, of Mount Joy, Diane R., wife of Scott Summers, of Lancaster; 13 grandchildren; and a sister, Miriam, wife of William Flaherty, of Mountville.

Funeral Services will be held at 10 AM on Saturday, March 29, 2008 at Holy Spirit Lutheran Church, 3131 Columbia Avenue, Lancaster, PA with Rev. Julia A. Hart officiating. Interment will be in the Millersville Mennonite Cemetery, Millersville, PA. Friends and family may view at the church on Saturday between 9 and 10 AM. Please omit flowers. Memorial Remembrances can be made in Isabel's memory to Holy Spirit Lutheran Church. Arrangements entrusted to the Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, 320 Blue Rock Road, Millersville, PA, (717)-872-2266. For on-line condolences, directions or other information, you are welcome to visit

Larry L. Bell

Larry L. Bell, 49, of 225 S. 4th St., Columbia, PA, died suddenly on March 16, 2008 at Lancaster General Hospital.



Born in Lancaster, PA he was the son of the late Robert J., Sr. and Betty Blantz Bell. He was currently employed as a painter for Commercial Prep & Paint Co. Larry was a member of the Red Rose Memorial Post #2435 VFW in Columbia, the Cocalico Valley Post #3370 VFW and the Amvets Post #136 in Ephrata.

He is survived by a Companion: Ann Redcay of Columbia, a Son: Walter E. Redcay, Jr. of Ephrata and 2 Daughters: Melissa Redcay of Columbia and Lindy Long of Lancaster. Also surviving are 2 Brothers: Robert J., Jr. husband of Lori Bell of Landisville, Roy A. husband of Christine Bell of Ephrata and 2 Sisters: Joan wife of David Nieman of Mountville and Gina wife of Mark Stoops of Lancaster.

A Memorial Service will be held from the Clyde W. Kraft Funeral Home, Inc. 519 Walnut St. Columbia, PA on Saturday, March 29, 2008 at 10:00AM. Interment will follow in Laurel Hill Memorial Gardens. There will be no public viewing.

Anita L. Reynolds

May 5, 1948-Feb. 20, 2008

Anita L. Reynolds, adored wife of Quarryville native Carl "Ren" Reynolds, passed away peacefully at their home in San Francisco, finally losing her fearless battle with a rare and aggressive lymphoma.

Born in Oakland, California to Helen and Roldan Vigil, she attended St. John's Schools, Arroyo High School ('66), and Chabot College.

Anita retired as a manager from the Shaklee Corporation after 29 years of remarkable service to customers throughout the United States.

She loved painting, gardening, cooking and traveling with

Elizabeth Ruth Martelli

Elizabeth Ruth Martelli, 24, beloved daughter of Nick and Ruth (Miller) and sister of Mark, died in an automobile accident March 22nd. She was born in Reading.

She was a graduate of Reading High School, Class of 2001. Attended Kutztown University and was on the Dean's List there.

Elizabeth was an accomplished actress, performing in many productions at Reading Community Players. Her last roles included "Shannon" in Blonde Bombshell written and directed by Sue Sneering, and "Emily" in The Ages of Man written and directed by Pat Perfect.

Elizabeth was also a talented writer. While in high school, she was part of Voices published by the Reading Eagle Co. Throughout her life she continued to write poetry and prose.

She also created art in the medium of collage. Much of her art was given to family and friends. She also donated her art to various organizations in their fund raising efforts.

In addition to her parents and brother she is survived by her Uncle Mark Miller, his wife Christine, with their children and grandchildren in England; her Aunt Diane Martelli and Uncle Michael and Aunt Karen Martelli in Hawaii, their children Julie, Michael, Nicholas, Jamie; Aunt and Uncle Camille and George Belolan, their children Andrew and Nicole; Aunt and Uncle Rose and Dan Delegrotti, their children Dan, Katie, Margi and Claire; and her cousins Betty and Dan Bierne, Gordon Simpson and Ian Simpson of Baltimore and Wallace Simpson of Seattle.

A Memorial Service to celebrate Elizabeth's life will be held on Sunday, March 30th at 1:00pm at the Jewish Community Center, 1700 City Line Avenue, Reading.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be sent to the Elizabeth Martelli Scholarship Fund c/o John Santoro, 1224 Sheridan Street, Reading, PA 19611.

The Sanders Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Inc., 1501 North 11th Street, Read-

Betty M. Rittenhouse

Elizabeth McGovern Rittenhouse, a resident of Kennett Square, passed away on Saturday, March 8, 2008 at the age of 100. She and her husband Earl, who preceded her in death, lived in Christiana for over 50 years. She was a long-time member of Latta Memorial Presbyterian Church in Christiana and upon moving to Kennett Square, became a member of the Episcopal Church of the Advent.

Elizabeth is survived by two children and their spouses, Dennis and Andrea Rittenhouse and Ellen and Lee Muenzen; four grandchildren, Elizabeth and Chandrajit Dhesi, David and Magdalena Rittenhouse, Matthew and Lesley Muenzen, and Christopher Muenzen; and one great grandchild, Helena Elizabeth Rittenhouse, two brothers Frank and John and one sister Louise who are deceased, and one niece Elizabeth and two nephews David and Frank.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, April 26, at 11:00 AM at Church of the Advent, 201 Crestline Drive, Kennett Square, PA. Interment private. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Octorara H.S. Activities Scholarship Fund, Elizabeth Rittenhouse Memorial, 226 Highland Road, Atglen, PA, 19310.

Harry G. Peirce

Harry G. Peirce, 89, of Valley View Terrace, Apartment A224, Belleville, died at 12:50 p.m. Saturday, March 22, 2008, at Lewistown Hospital.

Born July 1, 1918, in Philadelphia, he was the son of the late Meville G. Peirce and Jean Adele (Hutchinson) Peirce. His wife, Elinor W. (Weaver) Peirce, of Valley View Haven, whom he married Nov. 7, 1942, survives.

Also surviving are his children, Robert W. Peirce and wife, Beth K., of East Lyme, Conn., and Susan J. Peirce, of Reedsville, and three grandchildren.

He was the last of his immediate family. He was preceded in death by one brother and two

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He is survived by his Companion: Dorothy Weibley of Columbia and 3 Daughters.

Graveside Services will be held on Friday, March 28, 2008 at 10:30 AM from the Indiantown Gap National Cemetery. Arrangements by the Clyde W. Kraft Funeral Home, Inc. Columbia/Landisville

Glen Road, Harrisonburg, VA died Thursday, March 13, 2008.

Mrs. Leaman was born Sept. 24, 1928, in Lancaster and was a daughter of the late Clyde and Mary Ann Oberholtzer Breneman.

She owned and operated Kingsway Bed and Breakfast and was a member of First Assembly of God in Harrisonburg. On Nov. 19, 1949, she married Chester Groff Leaman, who survives.

She is also survived by a son, David Leaman of Roanoke, VA; three daughters, Linda Marie Pool of Fredericksburg, VA, Susan Elizabeth Oglesby of Ottawa, KS, and Angie Shifflett of Elkton, VA; two brothers, Mervin Breneman of Penney Farms, FL, and Paul Breneman of Lancaster; two sisters, Mary Jane Eby of Albany, OR, and Barbara Ann Hurd of Blaine, MN; 10 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in Harrisonburg on Thursday, March 20.

flowers. Memorial Remembrances can be made in Isabel's memory to Holy Spirit Lutheran Church. Arrangements Entrusted to the Andrew T. Scheid Funeral Home, 320 Blue Rock Road, Millersville, PA, (717)-872-2266. For on-line condolences, directions or other information, you are welcome to visit our website at: www.scheidfuneralhome.com

Offer your condolences and sign the guest book at

LancasterOnline.com.

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to Helen and Roldan Vigil, she attended St. John's Schools, Arroyo High School ('66), and Chabot College.

Anita retired as a manager from the Shaklee Corporation after 29 years of remarkable service to customers throughout the United States.

She loved painting, gardening, cooking, and traveling with her devoted husband.

She will be forever remembered for her vibrant spirit, her sparkling personality, her passion for politics, her love and devotion to friends and family, her hearty laugh, and her beautiful smile.

In addition to her husband and parents, she is survived by her son, Tim Byrd, of Idaho, along with three sisters and three brothers. She also leaves behind four wonderful grandsons.

She will be missed by her large and loving extended family of aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, in-laws, and dear friends far and wide.

Anita was dearly loved by mother-in-law, Norma Reynolds, and brother and sister-in-laws, Joel and Mary Ellen Reynolds, all of Quarryville

She was an extraordinary woman, taken much too soon.

A private memorial service was held. Contributions in Anita's name may be to the American Cancer Society, 314 Good Dr., Lancaster, PA, 17603.

ty Center, 1700 City Line Avenue, Reading.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be sent to the Elizabeth Martelli Scholarship Fund c/o John Santoro, 1224 Sheridan Street, Reading, PA 19611.

The Sanders Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Inc., 1501 North 11th Street, Reading, is in charge of the arrangements.

Edwin C. Wise, Jr.

Edwin C. Wise, Jr., 73, of Stevens, died March 23, 2008, in Ephrata Hospital.

Born in Brecknock Twp., a son of Lottie (Frederick) Wise, Stevens, and the late Edwin C. Wise, Sr., he enjoyed fishing, working on his cars and had been employed by Bradford Stone Quarry, Morgantown.

Also surviving is his wife, Harriet (Renninger) Wise, Ephrata; a son, Edwin C. Wise, III, Stevens; a daughter, Dena Marie (John) Hostetter, Ephrata; 8 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by a sister, Betty Jane Wise.

FUNERAL: Thursday, March 27, 2 PM, Good Funeral Home, Reamstown. BURIAL: Bergstrasse Cemetery, Ephrata. VIEWING: Thursday 1-2 PM www.goodfuneral.com

or Valley View Haven, whom he married Nov. 7, 1942, survives.

Also surviving are his children, Robert W. Peirce and wife, Beth K., of East Lyme, Conn., and Susan J. Peirce, of Reedsville, and three grandchildren.

He was the last of his immediate family. He was preceded in death by one brother and two sisters.

He retired in 1983 as the President of the Lancaster Brick Company, and he formerly served as the President of Posey Iron Works.

He served in the United States Air Force during World War II.

He was a member of Highland Presbyterian Church in Lancaster. He served as the president of the Lancaster Country Club, as well as a member of the Board of Directors of Meals on Wheels in Lancaster.

A memorial service will be private and at the convenience of the family. Interment will be held in Memorial Gardens at the Highland Presbyterian Church.

Memorial contributions may be made to: Valley View Haven, 4702 East Main St., Belleville, PA 17004 or to American Cancer Society, Mifflin/Juniata Unit, 324 South Logan Blvd., Burnham, PA 17009.

Arrangements are under the direction of Baggus Funeral Home, 3813 West Main Street, Belleville, PA 17004.

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