

OBITUARIES

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Monday, October 14, 2013 James Bryant, 59



James Roy "Jimmy" Bryant, 59, husband of Peggy Tipton Bryant, passed away Monday, October 14, 2013.

He was a son of the late Roy Thomas and Mary Rainey Bryant, born in Madison County on December 2, 1953, and had lived in Estill County his entire life. He worked as a local merchant in Bryant's Paint Store. He was a member of the Rice Station Christian Church. He was a member of the VFW and American Legion Post #79. Jimmy was a talented woodworker.

Survivors other than his wife of over 40 years, Peggy, include his brother: Tommy "Tobo" Bryant (Jane); his nieces: Elizabeth Bryant and Kara Williams (Jason);

his nephew: Jonathan Newton; his sister-in-law: Marcia Newton (David); and his special brother: James "Pork" Muncie.

Services were held at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, October 17, at the Lewis Funeral Home with Joe Lahrmer officiating. Burial followed in the Barnes Cemetery. Friends called anytime after 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 16 at the funeral home.

Pallbearers were Roger Kissick, Darrell Richardson, Darrell Elliott, Kim Woolery, Greg Woolery, Steve Woolery, Larry Auxier, Branson Elliott, Billy Tucker, James "Pork" Muncie, William Earl Bledsoe, and Kenneth Stocker.

<lewisfh.com>

Sunday, October 27, 2013

Geneva Tipton Barnes, 79

Geneva Tipton Barnes, age 79, of Estill Avenue in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Sunday, October 27, 2013, at the Marcum & Wallace Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

She was born August 27, 1934 in Estill County and was the daughter of the late Joe Camden and Mona Marcum Tipton. She worked as a dedicated hairdresser for 47 years and was a member of the Cow Creek Baptist Church.

Mrs. Barnes was preceded in death by her husband, Lincoln "Tim" Barnes.

She is survived by three daughters: Vada B. Combs, Irvine; Jackie Witt (Roger), Bybee; and Mona Powell (Randy), Irvine; two sisters: Dovie Lynch (Charlie) and Dorothy Potts, both of Beattyville; four grandchildren: Nicholas Witt, Brian Witt, both of Richmond; Ryan Powell (Chyanna) and

Heather Powell Patrick (Justin), both of Irvine; and several other great grandchildren and nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by seven brothers: Leonard Tipton, William Charles Tipton, Homer Camden Tipton, George Tipton, Hobert Tipton, Anderson Tipton and Rudy Joe Tipton.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 30th at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Richard Wilkerson. Burial will be at the Beatty Place Cemetery. Friends called between 6 and 9 p.m., Tuesday, October 29th at the funeral home.

Pallbearers will be Terry Tipton, Charlie Lynch, Ryan Powell, Justin Patrick, Logan Patrick and Randy Powell.

In lieu of flowers, donations are suggested to the Marcum & Wallace Foundation.

<tolerfuneralhome.com>

Sunday, October 27, 2013

Addie Mae Bicknell, 93

Addie Mae Richardson Bicknell, age 93, of Estill County, Kentucky, the widow of Leonard Bicknell, passed away Sunday, October 27, 2013 at the home of her daughter in Richmond.

Mrs. Bicknell was born in Estill County on April 24, 1920, the daughter of the late Leslie and Flossie Richardson. She was a homemaker and a dedicated member of the Beaver Pond Christian Church. She was a loving mother and grandmother.

Survivors include three daughters: Faye Day, Eva Ramsey and Joyce Webb (Anthony); six sons: Venice Bicknell (Grethel), Ernie Bicknell (Ilena), Kenneth Bicknell (Barbara), Carl Bicknell (Lorraine), Randol Bicknell (Penny) and Gary Bicknell (Rene); 17 grandchildren: Linda McClellan, Terry Day, Peggy Young, Robin Bicknell, Jennifer Bicknell, LeeAnn Clapp, Kenna Agee, Amy Bicknell, Gary Lynn Bicknell, Jessica Duerson, Rob Ramsey, Bridgette Settles, Gina Barnes, Phillip Kidwell, Belinda Kidwell, Shawnda Pollitt and Renee Nelson; 23 great grandchildren, three great, great grandchildren,

several nieces and nephews and a host of other relatives and friends. Also surviving is a special friend, Dixie Farthing.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by a son, Darrell Bicknell; and several brothers and sisters.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 30th at the Beaver Pond Christian Church, Red Lick Road, Estill County, with Bro. David Bingham, Bro. Glynndon Mays and Bro. Linville Dunaway officiating. Burial will follow in the Kindred Cemetery at Red Lick. Visitation was held 5-9 p.m., Tuesday, October 29th at the Combs, Parsons & Collins Funeral Home, 328 West Main Street, Richmond; and from 12:00 Noon until service time, Wednesday, at the church.

Pallbearers will be Terry Day, Rob Ramsey, Robin Bicknell, Gary Lynn Bicknell, Jeremiah Duerson and Phillip Kidwell.

Honorary pallbearers will be her granddaughters and her nephew, Harold Richardson Jr.

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Empowering Women Conference

An "Empowering Women" Conference will be held at Body of Christ Ministries, Thursday, October 31, 2013, thru Saturday, November 2nd. Services start at 7 p.m., and on Saturday, the 2nd, there is also an 11:00 a.m. service. Services include Sister Vonda Bishop, Sue Woodruff and Reva Casey, along with praise and worship with Sister April Nye and Just One.

Saturday, October 26, 2013

Ronald Dale Coffey, 58

Ronald Dale Coffey, age 58, of Summit Drive in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Saturday, October 26, 2013, at the Marcum & Wallace Memorial Hospital as the result of an accident.

He was born July 16, 1955 in Estill County and was the son of Laura Estes Coffey and the late James Coffey. He was a retired mechanic and a member of the Lower Red Lick Holiness Church. He had lived in Estill County most of his life.

He is survived by his wife: Wadette Alexander Coffey; his mother: Laura Estes Coffey, Estill County; two daughters: Pam Coffey and Becky Coffey, both of Estill County; two sons: Scott Coffey (Melissa) and Jason Coffey (April) both of Estill County; two sisters: Carolyn Rogers (Randall), Estill County; and Betty Willis (Tommy) Berea; and seven brothers: Harold Coffey

(Becky), Berea; Wade Coffey (Gail), Madison County; Bruce Coffey (Mary), Estill County; Denny Coffey (Sue), Waco; Wayne Coffey (Carolyn) Winchester; Leon Coffey, Estill County; and Ernie Coffey (Debbie) Garrard County; three grandchildren: Brandon, Suezann and Steven Coffey; three step-grandchildren: Cameron, Chandler and Brooklyn Townsend; and his dog, Snowball.

He was preceded in death by one son, Steven Anthony Coffey.

Funeral services were conducted at 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, October 29 at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Eugene Webb and Bro. Bruce Alcorn. Burial was at the Red Lick Cemetery. Friends called between 6 and 9 p.m., Monday, October 28 at the funeral home.

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Friday, October 25, 2013

Belva Dean Townsend, 56

Belva Dean Townsend, age 56, of Rice Station Road in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Friday, October 25, 2013 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond, after a long illness.

He was born May 12, 1957, in Scottsburg, Indiana, the son of the late Rudell and Betty Mae Combs Townsend. He was a former employee of Uncle Charlie's Meats and had lived in Estill County for the past 32 years.

Mr. Townsend is survived by four brothers: Tim Townsend, Jerry Townsend, both of Irvine; Gary

Townsend, Richmond; and Scott Townsend, Berea; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Johnny Wayne Townsend.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:00 p.m., Monday, October 28 at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home by Bro. Jerry Hatton. Burial followed in the Combs Cemetery in Lee County.

Pallbearers were John McCloskey, Johnny McCloskey, Wesley Smith, Gary Townsend, Matthew Reece, and Rick Raider.

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Billy Graham's Prayer For Our Nation

"Heavenly Father, we come before you today to ask Your forgiveness and to seek Your direction and guidance. We know Your Word says 'Woe to those who call evil good,' but that is exactly what we have done. We have lost our spiritual equilibrium and reversed our values. We confess that.

We have ridiculed the absolute truth of Your Word and called it Pluralism.

We have worshipped other gods and called it multiculturalism.

We have endorsed perversion and called it alternative lifestyle.

We have exploited the poor and called it the lottery.

We have rewarded laziness and called it welfare.

We have killed our unborn and called it choice.

We have shot abortionists and called it justifiable.

We have neglected to discipline our children and called it building self-esteem.

We have abused power and called it politics.

We have coveted our neighbor's possessions and called it ambition.

We have polluted the air with profanity and pornography and called it freedom of expression.

We have ridiculed the time-honored values of our forefathers and called it enlightenment.

Search us, Oh, God, and know our hearts today; cleanse us from every sin and set us free. Guide and bless these men and women who have been sent to direct us to the center of Your will, to open ask it in the name of Your Son, the living Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen"

Commentator Paul Harvey aired this prayer on "The Rest of the Story" on the radio and received a larger response to this program than any other he has ever aired.

Origins: The "Prayer for Our Nation" piece reproduced above has in recent years come to be attributed to venerable evangelist the Rev. Billy Graham, and before that it was circulated as "Paul Harvey's Prayer" (or "Paul Harvey's On Air Prayer"). However, it was neither written nor first presented by either of those men.

This prayer burst into the public consciousness back in January of 1996, when the Rev. Joe Wright, senior pastor of the 2,500-member Central Christian Church in Wichita, was invited to deliver the opening prayer at a session of the Kansas House of Representatives. On that occasion he offered the following "Prayer of Repentance" (which was not entirely of his own crafting but rather was a version of a prayer written in 1995 by Bob Russell, who had offered it at the Kentucky Governor's Prayer Breakfast in Frankfort):

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Tuesday, October 22, 2013

Ronald D. Turner, 66



Ronald David Turner, age 66, of the Panola Community in Kentucky, passed away Tuesday, October 22, 2013 at his home.

Mr. Turner was born in Madison County on November 10, 1946, to the late Ewey Turner and Evelyn Mae Moore Ruff. He had worked for Robinson Tool & Dye and the Bluegrass Army Depot. He was a United States Navy veteran having served during the Vietnam War on the USS Kitty Hawk. He loved his dogs, Jake and Jack. Mr. Turner was of the Pentecostal Faith.

He is survived by his son:

Michael Turner (Allison) of Clinton, South Carolina; his brother: Randy Turner (Letrisia) of Irvine, several grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Turner was preceded in death by his brothers: Stevie Turner, Ralph Turner and Danny Turner; and his sister, Judy Turner.

The family has chosen to have a private service. Burial will follow in the Cedar Cliff Family Cemetery.

Combs, Parsons & Collins Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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Wednesday, October 23, 2013

Robert Lee Turpin, 65



Robert Lee Turpin, age 65, of Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Wednesday, October 23, 2013.

He was born in Estill County on March 31, 1947. He was a former mechanic and a United States Army veteran.

He is survived by three sons: Robert Lee Turpin Jr. of Colorado, Christopher Turpin of Louisville, and Joshua Turpin of Richmond;

one daughter: Rebecca Richardson of Irvine; eight grandchildren; three brothers: Jimmy, Elmo Wayne

and Jackie Turpin, all of Irvine; two sisters: Virginia Stambaugh of Germany and Carolyn Dawes of Irvine.

Mr. Turpin was preceded in death by his parents, Elmo and Zelma Riddell Turpin.

Graveside services were held at 11:00 a.m., Monday, October 28 at the Donnie G Randall Memorial Cemetery in Stanton with military rites.

Grayson Funeral Home of Clay City is in charge of services.

<graysonfuneral.net>

Monday, October 28, 2013

Leighton Winkle, 91



Leighton Winkle, 91, of South Irvine, the husband of Dora Roberts Winkle, passed away Monday morning, October 28, 2013, at the Marcum & Wallace Hospital in Irvine.

He was born on January 12, 1922 in Estill County, at Leighton, Kentucky, being the son of the late Oscar and Edna Crawford Winkle. He was a retired farmer and automobile dealer, having owned Winkle Auto Sales for over 30 years, and was co-owner of the Mount Sterling Auto Auction. He was a member of the South Irvine Christian Church, a former volunteer fireman and was a former member of the Estill County Fair Board. In 2011 he was inducted into the Estill County Agriculture Hall of Fame. He was a United States Army veteran of World War II, having served with the 164th Infantry American Division in the South Pacific. He was a member of the 164th Infantry Association and the American Legion Post 79. As a young man he loved to hunt and fish and being outdoors. Leighton loved his God, his family and friends and his country.

Survivors include his wife Dora Roberts Winkle; one son, Winfred Leighton Winkle (Diana Richardson) of Irvine; one daughter, Deborah Dean Winkle of Lexington; three grandchildren: Winfred Leighton Winkle II, and James Glenn Winkle (Michelle Brady) of Irvine, and C. J. Cain of Lexington; two special great grandchildren: Abby Lynn Winkle and Emma Kate Winkle; two sisters: Mary Helen Garrett (Jimmy) of Louisville; and Edith Anderson of Hamilton, Ohio; one sister-in-law, Ruth Winkle of Irvine; as well as



Leighton Winkle

several nieces and nephews and a host of other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, James Clinton Winkle, two brothers: Carlo Winkle, and Clay Winkle; three sisters: Geneva Hoover, Lura Fowler, and Mayfra Evans.

Funeral Services will be held at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, October 31st at the Lewis Funeral Home, 224 Main Street, Irvine, with Bro. Butch Arvin and Bro. Glynndon Mays officiating. Burial will follow in the Roberts Cemetery at South Irvine with Military Honors. Visitation will be from 5-9 p.m., Wednesday evening, October 30th at the Lewis Funeral Home in Irvine.

Pallbearers will be Winfred Leighton Winkle II, James Glenn Winkle, C. J. Cain, Wayne Roberts, Milton Garrett and Roy Dixon Jr. Honorary Pallbearers will be Dr. Richard Stone, Dr. David Winkle, Joe States, Darrell Muncy, Charlie Park, Donald Hall, Shine Samples, Larry Henry, Clayton Roberts, Paul Roberts, Donald Roberts and Lloyd Roberts.

The Combs, Parsons & Collins Funeral Home of Richmond is in charge of the arrangements.

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...You will be brought low; from the earth you will speak, and from the dust where you are prostrate your words will come. Your voice will also be like that of a spirit from the ground, and your speech will whisper from the dust.

— ISAIAH 29:4