

OBITUARIES

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Wednesday, December 16, 2020

Mayme Lou Kirby Dawes, 75

Mayme Lou Kirby Dawes, age 75, of Rice Station Road in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Wednesday, December 16, 2020, at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond, following a long illness.

She was born April 27, 1945 in Estill County and was the daughter of the late Millard and Maggie Johnson Kirby. She was a homemaker and attended the Valley View Baptist Church.

Mrs. Dawes was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Dawes; and is survived by two daughters: Paula Dawes Snowden (Shannon), Louisville;

and Diane Dawes Harris (Ricky), Irvine; one sister, Christine Kirby, Irvine; one granddaughter, Olivia Lavryn Snowden; and one step-grandson, Andrew Snowden.

She was preceded in death by three sisters, Nannie Jean Melton, Pauline Melton and Cleo Kirby.

Visitation for the public was held Friday, December 18, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home. Private funeral services were held by Bro. Willie Gordon with burial at the Sunset Memorial Gardens.

<TolerFuneralHome.com>

Thursday, December 17, 2020

Gracie Estes, 93

Gracie Estes, age 93, of Estes Road in Beattyville, Kentucky, passed away Thursday, December 17, 2020, at the Lee County Constant Care Center following a long illness.

She was born March 24, 1927 in Estill County and was the daughter of the late Willie and Eva Lamb Sceners. She was a homemaker and former Carhartt, Inc. employee and was a member of the Church of God.

Mrs. Estes was preceded in death by her husband of 62 years, Odell Estes; and her son, Bobby Ray Estes.

She is survived by her grandchildren, great grandchildren and great, great grandchildren: Karen Brandenburg (Jr.), Sharon Pelfrey, Stephanie Durbin (Greg), Vickie Ross (Jerry), Crystal Estes Dodson and children Jace and Anya; Rebecca Estes Meadows and son Lijah;

John Moore (Mikie) and children Serena and Payton; Randall Brandenburg (Samantha) and children Hunter, Hallie, Harper, Callie and Ethan; and Andrea Miller (Mikie) and children Jaycie and Emilyynn; a sister: Opal Riddell; a host of nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Estes was preceded in death by five sisters, Emily Stone, Mamie Gordon, Bertha Riddell, Naomi Walling, and Gladys Still; and four brothers, Chester, Floyd, Wesley and Clyde Sceners.

Visitation for the public was held Saturday, December 19, 2020 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home. Private funeral services were conducted by Rev. Hargus Gordon and Rev. Nikki Horn with burial at the Beatty Place Cemetery.

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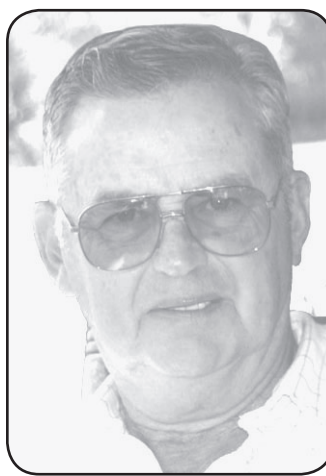
Garrett Fike, 82

Garrett Fike, age 82, husband of Wilma Fike, of Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Wednesday, December 16, 2020 at his residence.

Born October 24, 1938 in Estill County, Kentucky, he was the son of the late Hargis and Dowthula Fike and a member of the Rice Station Christian Church.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by five brothers, Elmer Fike, Glyndon Fike, Delbert Fike, Graydon Fike, and Gayle Fike; and five sisters, Thetus Flynn, Beatrice Fike, Mayfra Binegar, Rachel Kelley, and Opal Fike.

Garrett is survived by his wife, Wilma Fike of Irvine; one son, Garrett Steven Fike; one daughter, Felicia Campbell (Tony) of Irvine; one brother, Marcum Fike of Indianapolis; grandchildren, Brandon Campbell (Mary Lynn), Toni-Garrett Hall (Chris), Steven Campbell (Beth), Cory Cox, and Cody Cox, all of Irvine; Clay Fike, Carlie Fike, Caitlin Fike, all of Winchester; and seven great grandchildren, Garrett Hall, Hannah Hall, Grace Hall, Landon Campbell, Katie Campbell, Levi Garrett



Garrett Fike

Campbell, and Anna Beth Campbell.

Funeral services officiated by Bro. Joe Hall and Bro. Kirt Scott were held on Saturday, December 19, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. at the Rice Station Christian Church in Irvine. Public visitation began at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, at the church until time of service. Burial was in the Macedonia Cemetery with Brandon Campbell, Steven Campbell, Clay Fike, Chris Hall, Landon Campbell, Garrett Hall and Levi Campbell serving as active pallbearers.

Arrangements by Lewis-Abner Funeral Home.

<LewisFH.com>

Thursday, December 17, 2020

Katherine Kaylor, 98

Katherine Turpin Kaylor, age 98, of Bybee, Kentucky, passed away on Thursday, December 17, 2020, at the Terrace Nursing Facility in Berea.

She was born in Estill County, on March 29, 1922 to the late Henry and Nora Hatton Turpin. She was a former cafeteria employee of the Waco School and also enjoyed working in her garden and spending time with her family. Mrs. Kaylor was of the Nazarene faith.

Survivors include her daughters, Cornelia Rice (Waldo), and Judy Walters (Billy); three brothers, Eugene Turpin (Charlotte), James Turpin (Betty), and Forest Turpin; five grandchildren; six great grandchildren, and five great, great grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Kaylor; three brothers, Henry, Charles and Johnny



Katherine Kaylor

Turpin; and two sisters, Christine Gentry and Eva Schoenrock.

Private graveside services were conducted at the Turpin Cemetery, Winston Loop Road, Irvine, with Bro. Kenneth Bishop and Bro. Sherl Thomas officiating.

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

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Monday, December 14, 2020

Robert McGuffey Jr., 51

Robert Rose "Sugar Bear" McGuffey Jr., age 51, of Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Monday, December 14, 2020 at Baptist Health-Lexington.

A Nicholas County native born March 23, 1969, he was a 1987 graduate of Nicholas County High School, worked for many years as a sales manager for Blue Ribbon Rental, Rent-a-Center & Aaron's and was a member of the Wesley Chapel C.M.E. Church. Sugar Bear enjoyed both playing and watching sports, especially the Kansas City Chiefs. He was always working, having several "projects" going at once. He dearly loved his children and grandchildren. Bear had a smile that could light up a room.

Surviving are his mother, Ellen McGuffey of Carlisle; three children: Alyssa, Ashley and Andrew McGuffey, all of Louisville; four grandchildren: Jamiarah, Jessie Rose and Jami Lynn McGuffey and Ashtyn Johnson; a brother, Brandon McGuffey of Lexington; a sister, Jennifer Bussell of Michigan; an aunt, Anna Beckham of Louisville; an uncle, Asbury McGuffey Jr. of Lexington; three close cousins: Mark Beckham, Angela Moore and Michael Potts; a special friend, Dar-



Robert McGuffey

lene; two longtime friends, Derwin Howard and Tip Fryman; and a large extended family.

Preceding him in death are his father, Robert Rose "Bob" McGuffey Sr.; a son, Andre Hilton Norris McGuffey; a brother, Nathaniel Hilton McGuffey; and his aunt, Roberta McKee.

Services were at 1:00 p.m., Friday, December 18, 2020 at Mathers-Gaunce Funeral Home, 105 Locust Street, Carlisle, Kentucky, by Rev. Randy Taylor. Burial followed in the Carlisle Cemetery. Visitation was from 12:00 Noon Friday until the time of service.

Memorial contributions to Mathers-Gaunce Funeral Home toward expenses are greatly appreciated by the family.

<Mathers-GaunceFuneralHome.com>

Sunday, December 13, 2020

James "Fudd" Morris, 60

James Elmer "Fudd" Morris, age 60, of Irvine, Kentucky passed away Sunday, December 13, 2020. He was the husband of Sharon Morris of Irvine, Kentucky.

Born April 26, 1960 in Dayton, Ohio, he was the son of the late James and Mary Margaret Estes Morris and a member of the Friendship Baptist Church in Irvine, Kentucky. Fudd drove the semi for the Estill County Engineers marching band from 2010-2015. He loved his family and friends more than anything, and he enjoyed talking to everyone that he met.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by one sister, Jeanine "Sis" Tipton.

Fudd is survived by his

wife, Sharon Morris; one daughter, Mary Beth Morris (John McIntosh); two brothers, Beverly "Bo" Morris (Madeline) and Paul Morris (Lorrie); and one sister, Bobbie Bowman (Bob Duncan).

Funeral services officiated by Bro. Scott Rogers were held on Thursday, December 17, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. at Lewis-Abner Funeral Home. Public visitations began at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 16th at the funeral home until 9:00 p.m. Burial was in the Morris Family Cemetery with Bill Mullins, Shannon Edmonson, Mike Pruyear, Dale Skinner, Charles Skinner and Larry Sons serving as active pallbearers. Honorary pallbearer was Mike Tyree.

<LewisFH.com>

Monday, December 14, 2020

Geneva Richardson, 70

Geneva Morris Moore Richardson, age 70, of Bowling Green, Kentucky, passed away Monday, December 14, 2020, at the Signature Health Care Center in Bowling Green, following a long illness.

She was born August 29, 1950 in Estill County, a daughter of the late Dillard and Juanita King Morris. She was formerly a Dietary Assistant with the Marcum and Wallace Memorial Hospital. She had lived in Estill County most of her life and was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church.

Mrs. Richardson is sur-

vived by two daughters: LaVelle Tipton (Paul) and Mindy McCool (Charlie), both of Estill County; and five grandchildren: Christian Tipton, Elizabeth Tipton, Jackson McCool, Elijah McCool, and Liam McCool.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Brenda Barnes.

Visitation for the public was held Saturday, December 19, 2020 from 6-9 p.m. at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home. Private funeral services were conducted by Bro. Mark McLean with burial at the Hoover Cemetery.

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Sunday, December 13, 2020

Iza D. Robinson, 84

Iza D. Robinson, 84, passed away on Sunday, December 13, 2020 at Madison Health & Rehab. in Richmond, Kentucky.

Mr. Robinson was born on October 18, 1936 in Irvine, Kentucky, and was the son of Beechum Howard and Dessie Parker Robinson, both of whom preceded him in death. He was a retired truck driver. Mr. Robinson was a faithful member of Abundant Life Ministries and loved reading his Bible.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Mayfrey Ann Harrison Robinson; a son, Mitchell Robinson; and two sisters, Reatha Turner and

Ruby Gordon.

Survivors include two sons, Marvin Robinson (Becky) of Lebanon, Ohio; and Michael Robinson (Amea) of Irvine; and numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren.

A funeral service was held at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 17, 2020 at Oldham, Roberts & Powell Funeral Home in Richmond with Bro. Edwin Lainhart and Bro. Chad Lainhart officiating. Burial will be at Rose Hill Cemetery in Hamilton, Ohio. Visitation was from 11:00 a.m. until the time of service on Thursday at the funeral home.

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Wednesday, December 16, 2020

Mattie Mageleen Spicer, 53

Mattie Mageleen Spicer, age 53 of Pikeville, Kentucky, formerly of Irvine, passed away Wednesday, December 16, 2020 at the Pikeville Medical Center. She was a retired state employee and of the Freewill Baptist faith.

She was born in Pikeville, Kentucky on July 17, 1967, the daughter of the late Glenn and Marquita Cole Snodgrass.

Mattie is survived by three sisters, Kathleen Sneed of Shelbyana, Lahoma Ellis of Pikeville, and Harriet Collins (Travis) of Pompey, Kentucky. She is also survived by two nieces, Molly Meade and Crystal Lynn Weddington; a nephew, Joshua Paul Sneed; and two great nieces,



Mattie Spicer

Harley Paige Newsome and Lexus R. Robinson.

A Memorial Service In Honor of Mattie's Life will be held at a later date.

Arrangements by J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

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