

OBITUARIES

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Tuesday, June 15, 2021

Peggy Lou Chaney, 71

After a courageous 13-year battle with cancer, Peggy Lou Chaney, age 71, of Alumbaugh, Kentucky, has claimed her victory in eternity, Tuesday, June 15, 2021.

She was born April 6, 1950 in Estill County and was the daughter of the late Robert Leo Burns and the late Madolin Hall Burns. Peggy was best known for her love of nature and animals, especially dogs, and kept busy feeding the hummingbirds in the summer and feeding the birds in the winter. She loved fishing and gardening and living out in the country. She was of the Pentecostal Holiness faith, a former Sunday school teacher, and loved attending church as her health allowed.

Peggy is survived by John Chaney, her husband of 48 years; one son, Jonathan Darin Chaney of Alumbaugh; one beloved house pet, Tiny; two special nieces, Dreama and Tassie; one very special little girl, Alayna; two sisters: Flona Linderhof of Madison County and Shelia Sparks of Estill County; one uncle, James "Jimmy" Burns of



Peggy Chaney

Tennessee; one aunt, Donna Burns Williams of Tennessee; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one brother, Robert C "Bobby" Burns; and one sister, Betty Burns.

A graveside service was held at 1:00 p.m., Friday, June 18, 2021 at Hoover Cemetery in Alumbaugh, Kentucky.

In lieu of flowers or plants, Peggy requested small wind chimes and small solar lights.

Grayson Funeral Home Irvine was in charge of services. <GraysonFuneral.net>

Thursday, June 17, 2021

James W. Dixon, 79

James William Dixon, 79, passed away on Thursday, June 17, 2021, at Fountain Circle Care and Rehabilitation in Winchester, Kentucky. He was a former Pepsi delivery driver in Estill and Clark Counties.

He was born in Lexington, Kentucky, on April 12, 1942, to the late Andrew and Ellis Witson Dixon. Mr. Dixon was a truck driver for many years for Pepsi and also for Coca-Cola. He was a veteran of the United States Army.

Survivors include two daughters, Ramona Klingenberg (John) and Sherry Dixon; three sisters, Kathy Jones, Alice New, and Anna Faye Dixon; and several grandchildren, extended family members and friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three children, Pamela Hammond, James W. Dixon, Jr., and Timothy Dwayne Dixon.

Services will be held at a later date. <ScobeeFuneralHome.com>

Wednesday, June 16, 2021

Marie Murphy Dixon, 94

Marie Murphy Dixon, age 94, of Red Lick Road in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Wednesday, June 16, 2021, at her home following a short illness.

She was born September 24, 1926, in Estill County, the daughter of the late Hubert and Myrtle Bishop Murphy. She worked for Carhartt for 50 years before she retired. She was a member of the Rice Station Christian Church and had lived in Estill County all her life.

Mrs. Dixon was preceded in death by her husband, Franklin Dixon.

She is survived by two daughters: Pamela Dixon Whitesides (Richard), Madison County; and Sheila Dixon, Estill County; a son, Jerry Dixon (Sheri), Estill County; two sisters: Laura Stone, Madison County; and Patricia Edmonson, Estill County; two brothers: Scotty Murphy and Kenneth Murphy, both of Estill County; nine grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, and two great, great grandchildren.

In addition to her husband and parents, she is also



Marie Dixon

preceded in death by three sisters: Earsle Kerby, Jewel Dean Mansfield, and Mary Noremeyer; and two brothers: Earl Murphy and Cecil Justin Murphy.

Funeral services were conducted at 12:00 Noon on Saturday, June 19, 2021, at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Joe Hall with burial following in the West Irvine Cemetery. Visitation was held between 6 and 9 p.m. on Friday, June 18th at the funeral home.

Pallbearers were Dwight Marcum, John Maloch, Brandon Scott Long, Jeremy F. K. Dixon, Clinton Dixon, and Dyllon Scott Long. <TolerFuneralHome.com>

Thursday, June 17, 2021

Robert Michael Greene, 66

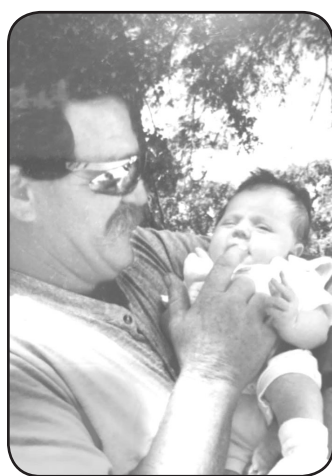
Robert Micheal Greene, age 66, husband of Bonnie Greene of Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Thursday, June 17, 2021 at his residence, surrounded by his loving family.

Born in London, Kentucky, he was the son of the late Robert Greene Sr. and Pansy Greene. He was a former construction worker.

In addition to his father he is preceded in death by one brother, Russ Greene.

He is survived by his wife, Bonnie Greene; his mother, Pansy Greene; one daughter, Lisa Greene; three sons, Seth Courtney (Brittany Ottmer), Robert Greene (Suzanne Ritzmen), and Greg Courtney; one grandchild, Taylor Courtney; four brothers, Steve Greene, Kenneth Greene, Doug Greene, and David Greene; and two sisters, Nancy McCravey and Debbie King.

Graveside services offici-



Robert Greene

ated by Bro. Steve Greene will be held at 11:00 a.m., Monday, June 28, 2021 with burial in West Irvine Cemetery with Seth Courtney, Robert Greene, Doug Greene, Greg Courtney, Timothy Greene, and Joseph Greene serving as active pallbearers.

Arrangements entrusted to Lewis-Abner Funeral Home.

<LewisFH.com>

Saturday, June 12, 2021

Richard Charles Kirby, 72

Richard Charles Kirby, age 72, of Dug Hill Road in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Saturday, June 12, 2021, at the Harrison Pavilion in Cincinnati, Ohio, following a long illness.

He was born October 24, 1948, in Estill County, the son of the late Stacy and Mamie Walton Kirby. He had lived in Estill County all his life and attended the Holiness Church. He retired from Carhartt. He was a Past Master of the O.D. Henderson #437 F&AM Masonic Lodge where he was also a 50-year Member.

Mr. Kirby is survived by his wife, Elsie Estes Kirby; a daughter, Charlotte Kirby, Laurel County; two sons: Charles S. Kirby (Mary), Madison County; and Anthony W. Kirby (Hope), Estill County; four grandchildren: Kaytlynn F. Kirby,

Kendall R. Kirby, Elizabeth A. Raglin, and Hannah M. Raglin; a son-in-law, Darin Raglin, Woodford County; several nieces and nephews; and Skitty Cat.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Teresa G. Raglin; two sisters: Mattie Sloan and Letha Kirby; and four brothers: Homer, Owen, J.W. "Brud", and Carlin Kirby.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, June 18, 2021, 1:00 p.m., at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Jerry Rose with burial following in the West Irvine Cemetery. Visitation was held on Thursday between 6 and 9 p.m.

Pallbearers were Kevin Adkins, Paul Wiseman, Tommy Kirby, Freddy Townsend, Bobby Wayne Willis, and Larry Phoenix.

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Memorial Service Saturday, June 26, 2021

Friday, February 12, 2021

Anita Faye Jones, 92

A memorial service will be held Saturday, June 26, 11:00 a.m. at the River Drive Christian Church for Anita Faye Jones, age 92, a resident of the Irvine Nursing & Rehabilitation Center who passed away Friday, February 12, 2021, at her home following a long illness.

She was born August 2, 1928 in Madison County and was the daughter of the late Ernest and Ethel Bryant Crowe. She was a homemaker and drove the Book Mobile for 25 years until her retirement. She was a member of the River Drive Christian Church and had lived in Estill County most of her life.

Mrs. Jones was preceded in death by her husband, Harry Columbus Jones.

She is survived by one daughter, Marion Carpenter, Winchester; four sons: Timothy Karl Jones (Patricia), Richmond; Gary Jones (Sandy), Texas; Scott Jones (Joann), Irvine; and Tom Jones (Susie), Florida; a daughter-in-law, Alexia Jones, Elizabethtown; one brother, Leo Crowe, Alabama; 12 grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

Mrs. Jones was preceded in death by her son, Terry Jones; and four siblings, Pansy Gross, Sybil Jones, Bazel Crowe and Elmo Crowe.

Saturday, June 19, 2021

Larry Eugene Henry, 78

Larry Eugene Henry, age 78, of 4th Street in Ravenna, Kentucky, passed away Saturday, June 19, 2021, at the Bluegrass Hospice Care Center in Lexington following a long illness.

He was born October 2, 1942 in Estill County and was the son of the late Johnny and Geneva Turner Henry. He was a member of the United States Army 101st Airborne Division and served two tours in Germany and two tours in Vietnam. He retired from the Bluegrass

Army Depot. He was a member of the American Legion, a former member of the Fitchburg Masonic Lodge and was an avid fisherman. He was of the Baptist faith and had lived in Estill County most of his life.

Memorial services will be held at a later date. The Warren F. Toler Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. In lieu of flowers, donations are suggested to the Estill County Toys for Tots. Full obituary next week. <TolerFuneralHome.com>

Saturday, June 19, 2021

Faye Meek, 91

Faye Meek, age 91, of Main Street in Ravenna, Kentucky, passed away Saturday, June 19, 2021, at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond, following a long illness.

She was born June 6, 1930 in Estill County and was the daughter of the late Leonard and Anna McIntosh Spicer. She was retired from Carhartt, Inc. and was a member of the Ravenna Church of God. She had lived in Estill County all her life.

Mrs. Meek was preceded in death by her husband, Cecil Clay Meek; and is survived by two daughters: Debby Tillery, Estill County; and Karen Cochran (James), Madison County; two sons: Randall Meek (Jill), Fayette County; and Scotty Meek (Kaye), Estill County; six grandchildren: Selena Neal (Anthony), Chris Miller, Jade Hale (Adam), Tyler Meek (Cagney), Brooklyn Moreland (Algin) and McKinley Meek (Kordel); and seven great grandchildren: Stevi



Faye Meek

Neal, Halee Neal, Lily Kate Hall, Josiah Meek, Jordyn Meek, Addyson Moreland and Reed Moreland.

She was preceded in death by five sisters, Bertha Spicer, Flossie "Dot" Newton, Gladys Isaacs, Oneida Combs, and Opal Longo; and six brothers, Buell, Dwight, Earl, Cecil, Leonard Jr. and Leslie Spicer.

Visitation was held Monday, June 21, 2021, between 6 and 9 p.m. at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home followed by cremation.

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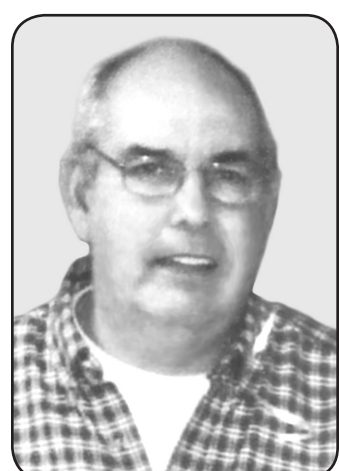
Charlie Reed, 71

Charlie Reed, age 71, husband of Marie Reed of Stanton, Kentucky, passed away Tuesday, June 15, 2021 at the Clark Regional Medical Center in Winchester.

He was born November 22, 1949 in Bowen, Kentucky, to James and Edna Reed. He was a veteran of the United States Army, a factory laborer and a member of the Calvary Baptist Church.

Mr. Reed is survived by his wife, Marie Reed of Stanton; three sons: Brad Reed (Kim), Jason Reed (Missy), both of Mt. Sterling, and Barry Reed (Amy) of Salt Lick; ten grandchildren, four great grandchildren; two brothers: Jay Townsend of Georgia and Buck Morton of Irvine; and three sisters: Rosemary Page of Winchester, Helena White of Indiana and Fay Jones of Indiana.

He was preceded in death by his parents, James and Edna Reed; three brothers: JR Townsend, Bob Townsend,



Charlie Reed

George Townsend and a sister, Thelma Hiers.

Funeral services were held at 1:00 p.m., Saturday, June 19, 2021 at the Grayson Funeral Home Chapel, 201 7th Avenue in Clay City with Bro. David Campbell and Bro. Johnny Hurt officiating. Friends visited Saturday from 11:00 a.m. 'till time of the service at 1:00 p.m. Burial followed in the Lovely Cemetery in Jeffersonville.

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Monday, June 14, 2021

Lillian Crowe Sparks, 93

Lillian Crowe Sparks, age 93, of Allen Douglas Drive in Richmond, Kentucky, passed away Monday, June 14, 2021, at her home following a short illness.

She was born April 28, 1928, in Powell County, and was the daughter of the late Sam and Sally Belcher Crowe. She was a homemaker and had lived in Estill County most of her life.

Mrs. Sparks was preceded in death by her husband, Donald Sparks.

She is survived by two daughters: Janice Sparks, Madison County; and Pamela Young (Stephen), Clark County; two sons: Roger Sparks, Madison County; and Bradley Sparks (Shonda), Estill County; six grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, five great, great grandchildren; and several

nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a daughter, Gina Young; a grandson, Daniel Willis; and several brothers and sisters.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, June 17, 2021, 1:00 p.m., at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel with burial following in the Estes Cemetery. Visitation was held from 12:00 Noon until service time at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday.

Pallbearers were Bradley Sparks, Roger Sparks, Stevie Young, Sam Crowe, James Gordon Crowe, and David Martin Savage.

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