

OBITUARIES

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Wednesday, July 20, 2016

Jeffrey S. Barnes, 44

Jeffrey S. Barnes, age 44, of Winston Road in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Wednesday, July 20, 2016, at his home, following a long illness.

He was born July 12, 1972, in Estill County, a son of the late Carlie John "Junior" Barnes Jr. and Mary Alice Puckett Barnes. He had lived in Estill County all of his life.

Mr. Barnes is survived by a brother, Michael Barnes (Lesia); a sister: Cheryl Chaney (Paul); four nieces: Kristen Clark (Robbie), Carla Kissick, Laura Davis (Jeremiah) and Whitney Barnes; three nephews: Michael Barnes (Samantha), Ryan Chaney and Corey Barnes; several aunts, an uncle, and many cousins, great nieces and great nephews.

He was preceded in death by a nephew: Daniel Rose; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at 1 p.m. at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Terry Barnes with burial following in the Turpin Cemetery. Friends called after 11 a.m., Saturday, until service time, at the funeral home.

Pallbearers were Michael Barnes, Corey Barnes, Mike Barnes, Paul Chaney, Robbie Clark and Ryan Chaney. The family would like to thank Kristen, Robbie, and Carla for all the time they spent with Jeffrey and all they did for him. He loved them so. We love and will always miss him very much.

<TolerFuneralHome.com>

Monday, July 18, 2016

Millie Verne Caldwell, 85

Millie Verne Caldwell, wife of the late Willis Charles Caldwell and daughter of the late Lloyd and Catherine Allen Smyth Caldwell, was born on September 30, 1930 and departed this life on July 18, 2016 at the age of 85 years, 9 months, and 18 days. She was a loving mother, grandmother, great grandmother, and homemaker.

Mrs. Caldwell is survived by four children: Shirley Skidmore (Millard) of Stanton, Brenda Sparks (Ricky) of Irvine, Carl Butch (good friend Michelle) and Sharon Hogan (Dewayne), both of Beattyville, Kentucky; two brothers: Lloyd Smyth Jr. (Janice) of Stanton, and

Tommy Smyth (Cathy) of Dayton, Ohio; seven grandchildren, three great grandchildren, and a host of other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; a sister, Mildred Sparks; five brothers, William, Wallace, Paul, Allen, and Harvey Smyth.

Funeral services were conducted at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, July 22nd at Newnam Funeral Home Chapel, 108 Center Street in Beattyville by Rev. Marvin Hobbs. Burial was at the Smyth Cemetery, Smyth Cemetery Road in Beattyville. Visitation was Thursday, July 21st, 6-9 p.m. at the funeral home.

<NewnamFuneralHome.com>

Monday, July 18, 2016

Mary Carmen Cress, 77

Mary Carmen Conlee Cress, age 77, passed away on Monday, July 18, 2016 at the Irvine Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Irvine, Kentucky, following a long illness.

Born in Winchester, Kentucky, January 7, 1939, she was the daughter of late Gertrude Derickson Conlee and the late Bernard Martin Conlee. Mary Carmen was the former School Food Service Director for the Powell County Board of Education. She was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, former member of the Powell County Woman's Club, member of the Kentucky Retired Teachers Association and member of the Shiloh United Methodist Church.

In addition to her parents, Mary Carmen was preceded in death by her husband, Donald Cress; one brother, Bernard Lynwood Conlee; and one sister, Desta Louise Price.

She is survived by her two sons: Rupert "Artie" White of Richmond and Stan White of Frankfort; one sister, Diana Brandenburg of Irvine; three stepchildren: Doug Cress, Katie Cress and Quinn Atherton; five grandchildren: Lindsey White, Leslie White, Lauren White, Kelsey Carr-White, and Kaden Carr-White; two great grandchildren: Doc Silas Robinson and Lillian



Mary Carmen Cress

Piper Nichols; and six step grandchildren.

Funeral services officiated by Rev. Jonathan Tullios and Ceberth Gilbert were held on Saturday, July 23rd at 11:00 a.m. at Shiloh United Methodist Church, 2652 Campton Road, Stanton. Visitation was held on Friday, July 22nd at Hearne Funeral Home, Inc., 125 West College Avenue, Stanton, from 5:00 until 9:00 p.m.

Interment was in Stanton Cemetery with Thomas Lynn Conlee, David Garrett, Brian Duke, Caden Carr-White, Nicholas Garrett, and Martin Brandenburg serving as active pallbearers.

The honorary pallbearers were Nelson White, Ralph Wayne Derickson, Powell County High School Class of 1957, Arlis Martin, Paul "Pooge" White, and H.T. and Wilda Derickson.

<HearneFuneralHome.com>

Sunday, July 24, 2016

Merle R. Harrison, 68



Merle Randle Harrison, 68, of Richmond, passed away Sunday, July 24, 2016 at his home.

He was born in Estill County, Kentucky, on February 12, 1948. He was a United States Army veteran and former employee of B & H Toolworks.

Mr. Harrison was preceded in death by his father, William Jennings Harrison; his mother, Martha Jean Hackworth Smith; and a sister, Brenda Louise Harrison.

Survivors include his wife, Gracie Ann Hayes Harrison; two brothers: William Jennings Harrison Jr. and Sammy J. Hammons (Pat); three sisters: Sue Triplette, Judy Roy (Bill) and Effie Burrus (Ron-

nie); and several nieces and nephews including, Lonnie Kevin Gipson, Melissa Gipson, Barbara Jean Bowlin and Katrina Baker.

Funeral Services will be conducted at 11 a.m., Wednesday, July 27th at the Combs, Parsons & Collins Funeral Home, 328 West Main Street, Richmond, with Sammy Hammons officiating. Burial will follow in the Turpin Cemetery at Winston, Kentucky. Visitation will be after 10 a.m., Wednesday, at the funeral home.

Pallbearers will be Ronnie Baker, Lonnie Kevin Gipson, Terry Hackworth, Millard Middleton and Ronald Burrus.

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Thursday, June 23, 2016

Wm. Harold Leach, 93



William Harold Leach, age 93, of Junction City, Kentucky, passed away Thursday, June 23, 2016 at home. He is survived by his wife of 72 years, Iva Brown Leach, and is the grandfather of Judge William "Bo" Leach of Irvine.

Born August 8, 1922, in Yosemite, Kentucky, he was the son of the late William Noah and Anna Bell Wells Leach. He was the former Mayor of Junction City, a retired heavy equipment operator for the state department of highways and owned and operated Leach's Grocery & Tire Store and was of the Baptist Faith. He was past master of Waco Lodge #338 and the Harvey McGuire Lodge # 209 F&AM. He served our country in the United States Army and was a WWII Veteran. He was preceded in death by his sister, Ester Bogie.

A funeral service was



William H. Leach

held at 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 28th at W.L. Pruitt Funeral Home in Moreland by Bro. James "Monty" Lynn with burial at Hustonville Cemetery. Visitation was from 5:00-8:00 p.m., Monday with a Masonic Service at 7:00 p.m. by Rocky Ford Lodge # 765 F&AM. Military rites were by Caswell Saufley Post 18 of the American Legion.

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Thursday, July 14, 2016

Barbara Jean Minix, 58

Barbara Jean Minix, age 58, passed away on Thursday, July 14, 2016 at her home.

Barbara was born on November 15, 1957 and was the daughter of Ruey and Suedell Carol Allen Minix. She was a hairdresser at Great Clips in Richmond.

Survivors include one daughter, Candina Isaacs (Donnie) of Waco; one son, Nicholas Colley (Kristin) of Lima, Ohio; four grandchildren: Tanner Minix, Hayley

Sparks, Kiser Colley, and Alana Colley; one great-granddaughter, Aleigha Baker; one brother, Michael Minix; and one nephew, Zachary Minix.

A graveside memorial service officiated by Bro. Bob Casey was held at 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, July 24, 2016 at the Bark Road Cemetery.

Oldham, Roberts & Powell Funeral Home is serving the family.

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Thursday, July 21, 2016

Effie Georgia Peters, 75

Effie Georgia Peters, age 75, of Pryse Lane in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Thursday, July 21, 2016, at Baptist Health Lexington following a short illness.

She was born September 15, 1940 in Estill County and was the daughter of the late George and Elizabeth Ross Miller. She was a retired CMS employee and a member of the Mt. Carmel Christian Church. She had lived in Estill County all of her life.

Mrs. Peters is survived by her husband, Henry Clay Peters; one son, Timothy Lynn Peters (Kimberly Ann), Estill County; one sister, Mary Joyce Warner, Estill County; two brothers: Chester Miller, Lee County; and Gerald Eugene Miller, Madison County; and two grandchildren: Hannah Elizabeth Peters and Timothy Logan Peters.

She was preceded in death by one grandchild, Dalton Timothy Peters; six sisters: Virginia Whisman, Laura Durbin, Cora Hager, Mertle Myers, Pauline Newman and Olpha Hall; and three brothers: Floyd, Paul and Raymond Dole Miller.



Georgia Peters

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, July 24th at 2:00 p.m. at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Mark Pearson. Burial was at the West Irvine Cemetery. Friends called between 6 and 9 p.m., Saturday, July 23rd at the funeral home.

Pallbearers were Dennis Miller, Mike Miller, Greg Kirby, Eugene Miller, Billy Miller and Doug Miller.

The honorary pallbearers were Tim Peters, Logan Peters, Harry Crowe, Vernon Muncie, Chester Miller and Gerald Eugene Miller.

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Friday, July 8, 2016

James R. Townsend, 78

James R. Townsend, age 78, passed away at his home, Friday, July 8, 2016, after a long illness.

He was a native of Frankfort, Kentucky, born May 5, 1938, a son of the late Cassius and Linda Pitts Townsend. He was a retired mason, who enjoyed hunting, fishing, and gardening.

Mr. Townsend was preceded in death by a grandson, Michael Townsend; and his brothers: Allen Crowe, and George Townsend.

Survivors include his companion of 57 years, Mary F. Townsend; his sons: Cassius Townsend III, James E. Townsend (Bobbie), John Townsend (Amy), Joe Townsend, and Richard Neal; his daughters: Connie Estes (Jacob), Dorothy Walling (Henry Knight), and Jessica Townsend; his brothers: Paul Townsend, Cassius Townsend II (Nevie), and Creed Joe Townsend (Alice); his sisters: Sandra Hardy, Rethia Gooch, Mary

Kirby (Edward Smith), Rhonda Gabbard, Bernice Willis, and Wanda Willis (Farrell); his grandchildren: Victoria & Logan Townsend, Melissa Townsend, Latasha Alexander, Leighann Alexander, Clayton Mays, Chris Hoover, Josh Walling, Marlena Richardson, Gloria Bingham, Lester Lee Richardson, Carly Townsend, Corey Townsend, and Ethan Townsend; and several great grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Services were held Monday, July 11th at 11:00 am, Lewis Funeral Home with Jason Riddell officiating. Burial followed in the Oakdale Cemetery. Friends called after 10:00 am until service time on Monday at the funeral home.

Pallbearers were Joe, Cassius III, James, & Logan Townsend; Clayton Mays, and Chris Hoover.

Honorary pallbearer was Josh Walling.

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seeds of Hope



"God has spoken once." Then it seems as if he thought for a moment and then corrected himself. No, he said, "Twice I have heard this: That power belongs to God!" God spoke a second time directly to him. That is the value of waiting in silence before God. When we are patient, we allow God to do His work in our lives and give us His directions!

David was surrounded by false gods and idols. But there was a dramatic difference between his God and the gods of those who did not worship the living God. David's God, the one, true living God, addressed David and His chosen people in words, visions, dreams,

angelic visitations and finally in and through His incarnate Son, Jesus.

The fact that God speaks directly to us is a basic difference between Himself and idols. David made a simple, straightforward, significant statement: "...You, O God are strong...You, O God are loving." David drew a clear distinction between his God and other gods. His God was involved in the lives of His people in guiding and guarding them, in protecting and providing for them.

We could never enjoy or understand, recognize or appreciate the love of God if He did not demonstrate His power, strength and might. We see His strength and faithfulness in the many victories He gave David over his foes. And we can understand the depth of His love and mercy when He forgave David for his sins.

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BIBLE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the Book of 1 Thessalonians in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. To keep Adam and Eve away after the Fall, what did God place around the Tree of Life? Smoking pits, Deep moat,

Cherubim with flaming swords, Walking vipers

3. From 2 Samuel 12, what personality did God name Jedidiah? David, Amos, Solomon, Joab

4. What type water did Jesus offer the Samaritan woman at the well? Fresh, Cool, Living, Clean

5. From John 10, to what type of animals are Christians compared? Camels, Sheep, Lions, Serpents

6. Which was a type of food? Yoke, Manna, Prodigal, Mina

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