

# OBITUARIES

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Sunday, December 23, 2018

## William Taylor Dunaway, 82

William Taylor Dunaway, age 82, of Rice Street in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Sunday, December 23, 2018, at Saint Joseph Hospital following a short illness.

He was born August 19, 1936 in Estill County and was the son of the late Charlie and Martha Powell Dunaway. He worked for the CSX Railroad and attended the White Oak Church of God. He lived in Oldham County most of his life.

Mr. Dunaway is survived by two daughters: Regina Dunaway and Dema Schutte, both of Oldham

County; one son, Vance Dunaway, Oldham County; several brothers and sisters; six grandchildren: Logan Lonkard, Evan Lonkard, Duall Schutte, Payton Schutte, Aspynn Dunaway, and Ar-Lo Dunaway; and one great grandchild, Jace Wilson.

He was preceded in death by four siblings

Memorial services will be held at a later date.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Warren F. Toler Funeral Home of Irvine, Kentucky.

<TolerFuneralHome.com>

Tuesday, December 18, 2018

## Elbert Freeman, 72

Elbert J. "Bud" Freeman, age 72, of Rose Street in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Tuesday, December 18, 2018, at his home following a long illness.

He was born December 1, 1946 in Batesville, Indiana and was the son of the late Virgil "Doc" and Bertha Singleton Freeman. He was a retired employee of Verizon and attended the Irvine First Church of the Nazarene. He was a United States Army veteran of the Vietnam Era and a member of the American Legion.

Mr. Freeman is survived by his wife, Rhonda Gaye Wilson Freeman; one daughter, Stacie Holmes (B.J.); Dayton, Ohio; one son, Joseph Freeman, Madison County; one sister, Darleen Estes, Estill County; and

four grandchildren: Chance, Savannah, Colton and Addison Holmes.

He was preceded in death by four sisters: Carlie Baker, Corena Steinmetz, Pattie Freeman, and Betty Freeman; and one brother, Dewey Freeman.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, December 22, 1:00 p.m., at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was at the Rose-Freeman Cemetery. Friends called between 6 and 9 p.m., Friday, December 21st at the funeral home. Military Honors were provided by the American Legion Post 79.

Pallbearers were Tim Freeman, David Neal, John Davis, Tim Horn, Merle Junior Heinlein, and Jeffery Isaacs II.

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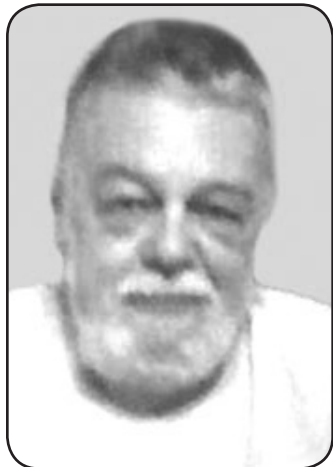
Saturday, December 15, 2018

## Rickie Allen Harper, 67

Rickie Allen Harper, age 67, of Flemingsburg, Kentucky, passed away Saturday, December 15, 2018 at his home after an extended illness.

He was born on August 31, 1951 in Carlisle, Kentucky, a son of Russell and Eva Howard Harper. Mr. Harper was a retired roofer. He enjoyed riding his Harley motorcycle and reading.

In addition to his parents, survivors include his wife, Faye Caudill Harper; one daughter, Dawn Marie Day (Paul) of Irvine; three step-children, David Blankenship of Goshen, Indiana; Michael Blankenship of Raleigh, North Carolina; and Jaime Timmons of Bristol, Indiana; one brother, Gary Harper of Irvine; two sisters, Linda Martin of Elkhart, Indiana; and Sue Geil of Irvine; four adopted brothers and sisters; three grandchildren, Cassidy Day, Dustin Day and Caitlyn Jewell; one great-grandson, Grayson Jewell; and several nieces and nephews.



**Rickie Harper**

Funeral services were conducted at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, December 19, 2018 in the chapel of the Michael R. Gray Funeral Home in Morehead with Brother Spike Skaggs officiating. Burial followed in the Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. Visitation was after 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, at the funeral home.

Pallbearers were Joe Wallace, Don Law, Travis French, David Blankenship, Michael Geil and Elwood Caudill, Jr.

<FuneralHomeHosting.com>

Monday, December 17, 2018

## Harold Henry, 88

Harold Henry, age 88 of Fairborn, Ohio, formerly of Miamisburg, Ohio, passed away Monday, December 17, 2018 at Soin Medical Center in Beavercreek.

He was born May 23, 1930 in Irvine, Kentucky to the late Andrew Jackson and Ida Henry.

In addition to his parents he is preceded in death by his wife of 61 years, Bonnie J. Henry; and siblings, Mabel Campbell, Rosa Faye Wilson and Millard Henry; and many other loved ones.

Harold is survived by his children, Donna Hubert (Rick), Nicky Henry and Jackie Barker (Gary); a granddaughter, Kelli Barker; and his sister, Alice Rogers; as well as numerous family and friends.

Harold attended school in Kentucky and worked with his father at a sawmill, learning the trade of carpentry from a young age. He worked in the coal industry for a time before relocating to Ohio and beginning a career in carpentry. Harold was fortunate to have owned and operated his own company for a time, P&M Construction, and later retired from Kendall Construction. He was always a devoted family man and provider, having built two homes for them over the years. Harold continued to work for many local businesses in the Dayton area as a jack-of-all trades. He was a life-long member



**Harold Henry**

of the First Church of God and served in various roles including Sunday school leader, choir leader, assistant pastor and board member. Harold will always be remembered for his sense of humor, his commitment to his family, especially Nicky, his kindness, honesty and love of life.

The family received guests from 5:00-7:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 19, at Newcomer Funeral Home, Kettering, Ohio. Visitation was hosted from 12:00 Noon - 2:00 p.m., Thursday, December 20, at Lewis-Abner Home for Funerals in Irvine, Kentucky, with a service following immediately at 2:00 p.m. Dunaway Cemetery in Irvine served as Harold's final resting place.

Written condolences and memories may be shared with the family by visiting Harold's online memorial at NewcomerDayton.com.

<LewisFH.com>

Monday, December 17, 2018

## Mary Ellen Laytart, 67

Mary Ellen Williams Laytart, age 67, of Hazard, Kentucky, passed away on Monday, December 17, 2018 at the Norton Community Hospital in Norton, Virginia. Mary was a field representative for the Kentucky Revenue Cabinet. She is the mother of Estill Engineers boys basketball coach Jon B. Bentley of Irvine.

Mrs. Laytart was born August 24, 1951 in Perry County, the daughter of the late Boyd Williams and the late Goldie Plowman Williams.

She is also preceded in death by two sisters: Carolyn Smith and Versie Begley.

Mrs. Laytart is survived by her husband, Howard Laytart; two sons: Jody Bentley (Sheryl) of Big Stone Gap, Virginia; and Jon Bentley of Irvine; two stepdaughters: Pamela Kaye Purcell and Sherry Renee Johnson; two sisters: Nadine Adams and Lois Martin; six brothers: Roy, Lawrence, Clifford, Carlos, Clifton and Isaac "IB" Williams; two grandchildren: Alex & Nick Bentley; five step-grandchildren: Courtney, Laura, Johnathon,



**Mary Ellen Laytart**

Riley and Reese; five step-great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Visitation was held 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, December 20th at Maggard's Mountain View Chapel, 352 Roy Campbell Drive in Hazard, followed by the funeral service at 1:00 p.m. with Glenn Noe officiating. Burial was at the Williams Family Cemetery at Acup.

In lieu of flowers, family request donations to be made to the St. Jude Children's Research.

<MaggardFuneralHome.com>

Saturday, November 17, 2018

## Joel Scott Noland, 68

Joel Scott Noland, age 68, of Lexington, Kentucky, formerly of Irvine, passed away Saturday, November 17, 2018 in Ajijic, Mexico, after a short illness.

Joel was born September 25, 1950, in Madison County, the son of Sara Scott Minor Noland, age 98 and the late Cecil Noland.

He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Joy Lee Chambers Noland; daughters: Julie Noland and Catherine Noland-Stambush (Dan); grandchildren: Cara, Colin and Clare Stambush; and William (Fox) Quinn; his sisters: Susan Dick, Nancy Bidwell, and Amy Hughes (Eddie); and his nieces and nephews: Susan Beth Cocolas, Keith Wilson, Jay Wil-

son, Matthew Bidwell and Luke Hughes.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, December 29, 2018 at Irvine United Methodist Church, 243 Main Street, Irvine, at 2 p.m. Friends may call after 1 p.m., and a celebration of life reception will be held after the service at the church.

Honorary pallbearers are Gordon Edward Wilson, Tobo Bryant, Joel Jennings, Sean Russell, Gearld Hutchins, Scott Minor, Neale Russell and Bryan Quinn.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Estill County Community Food Bank or Irvine United Methodist Church.

Sunday, December 23, 2018

## Billy Otho Riddell, 79



Billy Otho Riddell, age 79, of Ann Street in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Sunday, December 23, 2018 at Marcum and Wallace Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

He was born July 10, 1939 in Estill County to the late William Price Riddell and Victoria Horn Riddell. He retired from Finchville Farms and was a member of Rice Station Christian Church. He was a member of the National Guard for six years. He lived in Estill County most of his life.

Mr. Riddell is survived by one sister, Sylvia Joan Riddell, Estill County; one brother, Sidney J. "Jack"

Riddell, Estill County; a special friend, Brenda Hardy; and a host of friends and relatives.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Richard W. Riddell.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, December 28, 1:00 p.m., at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Ricky Powell. Friends may call after 11:00 a.m., Friday, at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or Shriners Hospitals for Children.

<TolerFuneralHome.com>

Wednesday, December 12, 2018

## Terrie Lynn Russell, 64

Terrie Lynn Osborne Russell, age 64, mother of Cameron Russell, passed away at her home on Wednesday, December 12, 2018.

She was a native of Estill County, born February 11, 1954, the daughter of the late Leonard and Velma Tipton Osborne.

Ms. Russell was preceded in death by her son, Kevin Osborne, and by her sister,

Linda Eden.

Survivors other than her son, Cameron, include her sisters: Shirley Carper, Patricia McIntosh, and Debbie O. Rose; and a grandson, Chase Osborne.

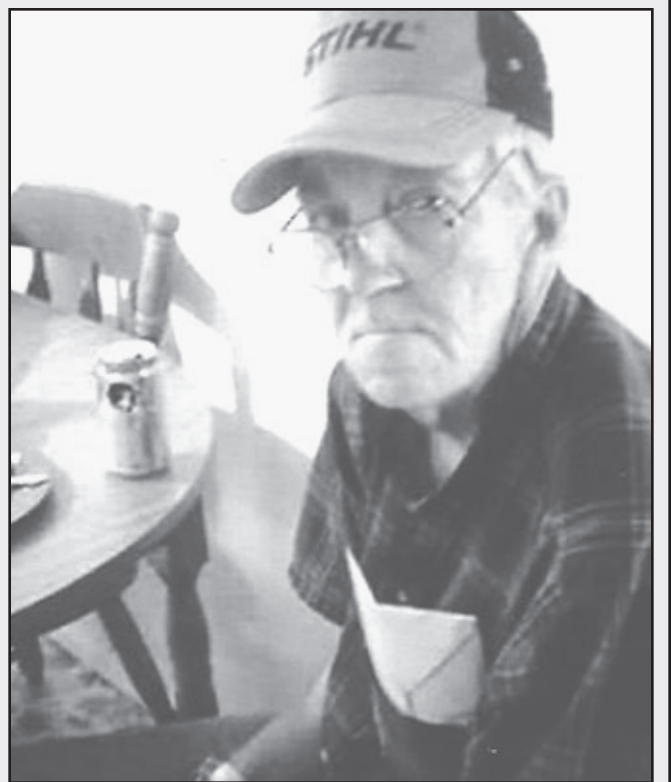
A memorial service will be held at a later time.

Lewis-Abner Home for Funerals is in charge of arrangements

<LewisFH.com>

## In Loving Memory of Daniel Tracy Johnson

Who passed away April 2, 2018



In loving memory of our Husband, Pa-Pa and Dad

This Christmas will be so sad,  
Your face we long to see.  
But in our hearts you will always be,  
Along with the special memories.

Our hearts were broken when you passed away;  
Oh, how we wish you could be here on this  
Christmas Day.

Our home will be lonely now that you're gone,  
But we know that you'll be happy around God's throne.

No one will ever know how  
It broke our hearts to see you go;  
But you're at rest now with Jesus in your  
Heavenly home.

Lord give us the strength to carry on.

Sadly missed by wife Linda;  
daughters, Tracie and April; four grandchildren;  
and son-in-laws, Daniel Shuler and Robert Bishop

THE ILLUSTRATED BIBLE

*To everything there is a season, a time for every purpose under heaven: a time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck what is planted; a time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to break down, and a time to build up; a time to weep, and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time to dance...*

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The Old Town Astronomical Clock in Prague, Czech Republic

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## Americanisms

"Tomorrow is the first blank page of a 365-page book. Write a good one."  
— Brad Paisley

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