

**Deceased Name: Edna M. Camp**

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• Section: Obituaries

Edna M. "Eddie" Camp 1925 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Edna M. "Eddie" Camp of Lincoln passed away on June 29, 2016 at Castle Manor in Lincoln. Eddie was born January 2, 1925 in Elkhart, Illinois the daughter of Roy and Bessie Miller Broehl. She married Clyde W. Camp on April 26, 1948 in Hannibal, MO. He preceded her in death on October 13, 2012. She is survived by one son Terry (Andee) Camp of Jacksonville, FL., one daughter Cathy I. (Mike Parquette) Spanton of Las Vegas, NV., two grandchildren Brittney Peterson and Jarrod "JD" Welsh and five great-grandchildren. Eddie is also survived by two brothers, Gordon King and Earl Ruebenking, as well as one sister, Doris Hopper. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, three brothers, and one sister. She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Lincoln Elks Lodge, Lincoln Emblem Club #433, and the American Legion Auxiliary Post #263. Eddie enjoyed golfing and organizing golfing events and derbies. She enjoyed knitting her whole life and spent a majority of her later years at Serendipity Stitches spending a lot of time with her group of friends. Services for Eddie will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday July 6, 2016 at The First United Methodist Church in Lincoln with Rev. Michael Paulson officiating. A visitation will be held one hour prior to the services from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Burial will take place at Camp Butler National Cemetery in Springfield on Wednesday July 6, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. Memorials may be made to Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln is entrusted with services.

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## Deceased Name: Hinley Ann Freese

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Hinley Ann Freese 2016 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Hinley Ann Freese, infant daughter of Shane and Abbey (Ridgeway) Freese, passed away Saturday, June 25, 2016 at Barnes Jewish Hospital, St. Louis, MO. Visitation will be from 5-7 PM Tuesday, July 5, 2016 at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home. Private graveside services will be held Wednesday, July 6, 2016. Surviving are her parents Shane and Abbey Freese of Lincoln; brother Hunter James Freese, also of Lincoln; maternal grandparents Ron and Hazel Ridgeway of Broadwell; paternal grandparents John and Donda Freese of Lincoln; maternal great grandfather Charlie Ridgeway of Broadwell; paternal great grandparents Esther Freese and Janet Sutton both of Lincoln; aunts and uncles; Amanda (Brad) Bishop of Broadwell, Angie (Ben) Estes of Lincoln, and Shawna (Pedro) Carillo of Lincoln, and cousins Ryan Steffens, Payton Bishop, Anthony Estes, Zowie, Rylee, Lillian, and Landon Carillo. She was preceded in death by her maternal great grandparents James and Vola Shaw and Ruth Ridgeway, and paternal great grandparents Bud Sutton and Robert Freese. Memorial donations may be made to the family and will be accepted at the funeral home.

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**Deceased Name: Mary C. Riccolo**

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Mary C. Riccolo 1930 - 2016 DWIGHT, IL - Mary C. "Catherine" Riccolo, 85, of Dwight, passed away Wednesday, June 29, 2016, at 2:10 p.m. at Heritage Manor in Dwight. Her service will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, July 9, 2016, with a visitation from 9 a.m. until time of service, at St. Patrick's Church in Dwight with Father Ted Hochstatter and Father Chris Haake officiating. Burial will follow at Olivet Cemetery in Dwight. Catherine was born Oct. 2, 1930, in Odell, Ill., to Andrew and Mary (Duay) Bellis. She married Pete J. Riccolo on April 15, 1950. He passed away Oct. 11, 1988. She is survived by her children: John (Diane) Riccolo of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Terry (Beth) Riccolo of Dwight, Bonnie (Jim) Frawley of Lincoln, Tom (Sheila) Riccolo of Morris, Dan (Laura) Riccolo of Bloomington, Doug (Dr. Lora) Riccolo of Wheaton, and Brian (Shelly) Riccolo of Mesa, Ariz.; brothers: Richard (Darlene) Bellis of Grays Lake, Larry Bellis of Clawson, Mich., Mike (Sue) Bellis of Kankakee, and John (Vicky) Bellis of Racine, Wis.; sisters: Delores (Millard) Maxson of Chatsworth, Peggy Agamy of Channahon, Barb (Jim) Pettit of Quincy, Rosemary (Minnie) Brown of St. Peters, Mo., Judy (Norm) Lewis of Dwight, and Debbie Shepherd of Aurora; grandchildren: Jason Frawley, Michael Frawley, Elizabeth Askew, Jennifer De Bower, Erin Riccolo, Megan Riccolo, Taylor Riccolo, Remington Riccolo, Raegen Riccolo, Hunter Riccolo, Alexa Riccolo, Leah Riccolo, Zoe Riccolo, Mia Riccolo, Caroline Riccolo, and Peter Riccolo; and great-grandchildren: Jacey, Jack, Cole, Reese, Cadin, Lucas, Jacob, and Teddy. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Pete; brother, Gene Bellis; sister, Teresa Pinkston; and two great-grandsons. Catherine attended St. Paul Grade and High School. She was owner/operator of Riccolo Monuments in Dwight for many years with her husband, Pete, and continued after his death. Catherine was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Dwight. She taught CCD classes for many years and was involved with the Cub Scouts. Memorials may be made to: Hospice of Kankakee Valley, or St. Paul Grade School. Duffy-Baier-Snedecor Funeral Home in Pontiac is in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be made to the family at [duffyfuneralhome.com](http://duffyfuneralhome.com) or visit us on Facebook.

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**Deceased Name: Dennis R. Brown**

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Dennis R. Brown 1952 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Dennis R. Brown, 64, of Lincoln, passed away Wednesday, June 29, 2016, at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m., Friday, July 8, 2016, at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home in Lincoln. Memorial services will follow at 1 p.m. on Friday, also at the funeral home with Karen Witts officiating. Burial will be at a later date at Brown Cemetery in Blue Mound Township, Ill. Dennis was born April 3, 1952, in Decatur, Ill., the son of Ralph and Velma Brown. He married Marsha May on Sept. 24, 1988. Dennis retired from Lincoln Developmental Center in 2002. He was a member of the Humane Society of Logan County, The Oasis Senior Center where he previously served as President, was a volunteer at Memorial Physician Services, enjoyed crocheting and knitting, and was a member of the Tuesday group at Serendipity Stitches. He was a blue ribbon winner at the Logan County Fair for his crochet work. He loved music and was particularly fond of the music of Tammy Wynette. Dennis was a kind soul and a friend to many. He will be sadly missed and lovingly remembered. Surviving are his wife Marsha Brown of Lincoln; sister-in-law, Sandra May of Sterling, Mass.; brother-in-law, Samuel May; niece, Stephanie Serra of Sterling, Mass.; nephew, Josh (Justin) Clark of Decatur; niece, Heather Clark of Decatur; great-nieces and great-nephew: Lilianna Clark, Avacyn Clark, and Jordan Clark, all of Decatur; aunt, Pat Hunt of Lincoln; cousin, Harold (Shannon) Hays of Mechanicsburg; and his beloved cat, Whiskers. He was preceded in death by his parents and his siblings: Peggy Clark, Martha Brown, and Gary Brown. Memorial donations will be accepted at the funeral home and may be made to: The Humane Society of Loan County, or The Oasis Senior Center.

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**Deceased Name: Donald Gohl**

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Donald Gohl 1939 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Donald Gohl of Lincoln passed away on June 12, 2016, at home. Donald was born May 2, 1939, in Monroe, Wash., the son of Albert Jacob and Alvina Ott Gohl. He married Betty Cole who subsequently died in a car accident. He then married Elizabeth Berenz Gohl on Sept. 16, 1984, in Victorville Calif.; she survives. Also surviving Donald are his children: David (Karen) Gohl of Dallas, Ore., Rick Gohl of Dallas, Ore., Dennis Gohl of Seattle, Wash., Barry Gohl of Seattle Wash., Katrina Yilek of Spartanburg, S.C., Melissa (Chris) Schaffenacker of New Carlisle, Ind., and Samantha Gohl of Lincoln; two brothers, Jerry (Mary) Gohl of Casda Grande, Ariz., and Clinton (Nancy) Gohl of Auburn, Wash.; one sister, Shirley (Gary) Mace of Soldatna, Alaska; 14 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by two daughters, Lori Ann Gohl, and Cindy Gohl; one grandson, Trevor Rogers; one brother, Jack Gohl; and his parents. Donald was a truck driver for ABF. He was a member of Academy of Model Aeronautics, and Sangamon Valley RC Flyers. A Celebration of Life will be held on Sunday July 10, 2016, at American Legion #263 in Lincoln, Ill., at 2 p.m. with pastor Greg Wooten officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Donald's name to: American Legion Post # 263, or Church of the Nazarene in Lincoln.

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**Deceased Name: James Edward Saulsberry**

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James Edward Saulsberry, Sr. 1929 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - James Edward Saulsberry, Sr., 86, of Lincoln, passed away Thursday, June 30, 2016, at his home, surrounded by his family. James was born Dec. 2, 1929, in Dunham, Ky., to Joseph and Mary B. (Blanton) Saulsberry. He loved the Chicago Cubs and was hoping to see them finally win the World Series this year. James was fondly known by his children as "Sparky". He is survived by three children: James Saulsberry, Jr. of Mt. Pulaski, Michael (Jill) Saulsberry of Woodbridge, Conn., and Pamela (Santos) Zayas of Mt. Pulaski; four grandchildren: Stasha (Steven) Brown, James (Brittany) Saulsberry, Alejandro Zayas and Leah Saulsberry; one brother, Frank (Dottie) Saulsberry of Knoxville, Tenn.; and one sister, Glenda Obzut of Taylorville. He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother and three sisters. Honoring James Saulsberry's wishes, cremation services will be provided by Graceland/Fairlawn Crematory. The family will provide a memorial graveside service at a later date. Memorials may be directed to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105. The family of James Saulsberry, Sr. is being served by Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home, 2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur, IL. View the online obituary and send condolences to the family at [www.gracelandfairlawn.com](http://www.gracelandfairlawn.com).

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**Deceased Name: Ella Marie Hall**

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Ella Marie Hall 1931 - 2016 GREENVIEW, IL - Ella Marie Hall, 85, of Greenview, passed away June 22, 2016, at Memorial Medical Center. Cremation rites have been accorded by Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home. A Celebration of Life service will be held Saturday, July 9, 2016, at 11 a.m. at Sweetwater Christian Church with a fellowship luncheon to follow. Private family burial will be held prior to the service at Irish Grove Cemetery in Middletown. Ella was born June 8, 1931, in Menard County, Ill., the daughter of William and Leona (Jurgens) Pritchard. She married Wilbur J. Hall in 1947. He preceded her in death in 1980. Mrs. Hall was a member of Sweetwater Christian Church. She was a homemaker and loved to cook, bake, and feed people. She also enjoyed coloring and jigsaw puzzles. She was an avid St. Louis Cardinals baseball fan. Surviving are her children: Larry (Gayle) Hall of Beason, Paul Richard Hall of Middletown, Jennifer (Robert) Baka of Pawnee, Danny (Paula) Hall of Beason, and Le Ann Hall of Greenview; nine grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; brother, Jim Pritchard of Decatur; and sister, Mary Ann Matthews also of Decatur. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, and aunt, Mary Jurgens. Memorial donations may be made to Sweetwater Christian Church.

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## Deceased Name: Harriet Jane Obitts

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Harriet Jane Obitts 1922 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Harriet Jane Obitts, 93, of Lincoln, passed away at 10:56 a.m., July 5, 2016, at Advocate BroMenn Medical Center in Normal, Ill. Harriet was born Sept. 18, 1922, in Beason, Ill., the daughter of Homer B. and Retta Bumcrots Trowbridge. She married James L. Parker in May of 1941 in Kansas City, Mo. He preceded her in death on Sept. 27, 1980. She then married Lee Obitts on Nov. 15, 1984, in Canton, Ill. He preceded her in death in 1991. Harriet is survived by four sons: James R. (Rosemary) Parker of Leroy, Ronald E. (Linda) Parker, William D. (Gloria) Parker, and Charles L. Parker; two daughters, Janice E. Parker and Virginia Ann (Dennis) Davis, all of Lincoln; one brother, James B. Trowbridge of Beason; 10 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by both husbands; one daughter, Sandra; and one brother, Rex. Harriet was a salesclerk at S.S. Kresge's, Sears, and JCPenney's, all in Lincoln. She retired from JCPenney's. Harriet was a member of The Congregational Church of Christ in Canton, Ill. She enjoyed traveling. Graveside services will be held at noon, Saturday, July 9, 2016, at Zion Cemetery in Lincoln. Burial will follow. There will be no visitation. Memorials may be given in Harriet's name to: American Cancer Society, or Beason Methodist Church.

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**Deceased Name: Ronald Ray Scott**

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Ronald Ray Scott 1941 - 2016 QUITMAN, AR - Ronald Ray Scott of Quitman, Ark., passed away at 10:00 p.m. on July 1, 2016, at Saint Vincent Hospital in Little Rock, Ark. Ronald was born April 1, 1941, in Manito, Ill., the son of Lloyd E. and Rose Myers Scott. Ronald married Jean Naylor on Aug. 16, 2005, in Hopewell, AR. She survives. Also surviving are his children, Raymond Scott of Lincoln and Rosemary Langley of Springfield, and stepchildren, Franklin Naylor of Mt. Pulaski, Melody (David) Reed of Illiopolis, Beverly Parker of Hopewell Ark., Tracy Hutchinson of Heber Springs Ark., and Penny (Steve) Patten of Vienna, Ill.; five grandchildren, 13 step-grandchildren, 25 step-great-grandchildren; and five step-great-great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and one son, Douglas Scott. Ronald retired from the State of Illinois. He was a member of Lincoln Moose Lodge and Eagle Lodge #2708. Graveside services for Ronald will be held at 10 a.m., Saturday, July 9, 2016, officiated by Mark Weber at New Hope Cemetery in Easton, Ill. A visitation will be held from 4-7 p.m., Friday July 8, 2016, at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln. Memorial donations may be made in Ronald's name to: The Wounded Warrior Project.

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**Deceased Name: Ruth Marie Stanley**

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Ruth Marie Stanley 1948 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Ruth Marie Stanley, 68, of Lincoln, passed away July 3, 2016 at her residence. Cremation rites were accorded. A memorial gathering will be held Sunday, July 10, 2016 from 1PM - 3 PM at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home. Burial will be at a later date. Ruth was born April 10, 1948 in Taylorville, IL., the daughter of Herschel and Virtie (Kidd) Adams. She married Carl L. Stanley in 1966. He preceded her in death in 2002. She was a long time caregiver for the developmentally disabled. She enjoyed puzzles and sudoku. Surviving are her children: Carl Lee Stanley Jr. of Lincoln, Karen (Christopher) Buxton of Decatur, Sharon Stanley of Galesburg, Richard Stanley of Galesburg, Tina Stanley of Lincoln, and Thomas Stanley of Lincoln; 14 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren; siblings Robert Adams of LA., Donnie Adams of Mt. Auburn, Becky Nation of Stonington, Lois Adams of Mt. Auburn, Susan Tumiati of Stonington, Nancy Barringer of Stonington, and Steve Adams of Niantic. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, daughter Bonny Robson, granddaughter Angel Stanley, sisters Evalee Westenhaver, Juanita McGeehee, and Judy Westenhaver, and brother George Adams. Memorial donations may be made to the family or to Shriner's Hospital for Children.

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**Deceased Name: Glenda F. Barnes-Herod**

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Glenda F. Barnes-Herod 1947 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Glenda F. Barnes-Herod, 68, passed away at 7:08 p.m., Friday, July 8, 2016, at her son's residence in Decatur, Ill. Glenda was born Aug. 18, 1947, in Clarendon, Ark., to Robert and Pearl Cummings Weatherly. She married Jimmie L. Barnes on Jan. 22, 1966. He preceded her in death on Jan. 25, 2004. She later married David Herod on Nov. 28, 2012 in Las Vegas, Nev. He survives. Also surviving are three sons: Scott (Tracy) Barnes of Lincoln, Ill., Bradley Michael (Lisa) Barnes of Decatur, Ill., and Chad (Mary) Barnes of Lincoln, Ill.; three sisters: Ann (Jeff) Singleton of Lincoln, Ill., LaVerne (Terry) Landers of Long, S.C., and Kay (George) Littrell of Lincoln, Ill.; five grandchildren: Jace Barnes, Kendall Barnes, Jordan Barnes, Haylie Barnes, and Jimmy Barnes; one great-grandson, Parker Alan Keele; one stepson, David Herod Jr.; and her best friend, Linda Littrell. She was preceded in death by her parents; one sister, JoAnne Merritt; and two grandchildren, William Bradley and Joseph Michael. Glenda loved her God, her family, and had pride of country. There was nothing she enjoyed more than traveling with her husband, Dave, and spending time with her grandkids. Jace, Kendall, Jordan, Haylie, and Jimmy were the joy of her life. Her last days were spent sharing her faith with family, friends, and strangers. Graveside services for Glenda will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, July 15, 2016, at Camp Butler National Cemetery with Greg Wooten officiating. A memorial gathering will be held from 5-7 p.m., Thursday, July 14, 2016, at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln. Memorials may be made to either: First Church of the Nazarene in Lincoln, or American Cancer Society.

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## Deceased Name: Jacqueline Sullivan

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Jacqueline "Jackie" Sullivan 1931 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Jacqueline "Jackie" Sullivan, 84, of Lincoln, passed away Saturday morning, July 9, 2016, at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield. Funeral services for Jackie will be held at 11 a. m. on Tuesday, July 12, 2016, at Peasley Funeral Home in Lincoln with the Rev. Michael Paulson officiating. Visitation will be held from 9:30 a.m. until time of service on Tuesday. Burial will be at Richmond Grove Cemetery in rural New Holland. Jacqueline Frakes was born Sept. 18, 1931, in Middletown, the daughter of Ancle and Ella Gladys Boyer Frakes. She is survived by her daughter, Jamie (Rick) Holmes of New Holland; two grandchildren, Heather (Richard Rieves) Holmes of Phoenix, Ariz., and Corey (Dana) Holmes of Lincoln; six great-grandchildren: Lily, Paisley, Charlie, Averie, Ava, and Braxton; and one sister, Dolores Ludlum of Atlanta. She was preceded in death by her parents and two brothers, Don Frakes and William Frakes. Jackie graduated from the Middletown High School. She retired from the State of Illinois Department of Children and Family Services in Springfield. She later worked at the Middletown State Bank for seven years. She attended Lincoln United Methodist Church. She was a member of American Legion Auxiliary , Knapp Chestnut Becker Historical Society in Middletown, Oasis Senior Citizens Center, Sunday Card Club Group, Quilting Guild, American Sewing Guild, United Methodist Women's in New Holland. and a volunteer for the Relay for Life. Jackie was an avid bowler at Logan Lanes and attended several National Bowling events. She also enjoyed playing Bunco, Bingo and Canasta. She also enjoyed attending her grandchildren's and great-grandchildren's sporting events. Memorials may be made to: The Knapp Chestnut Becker Historical Society in Middletown, Oasis Senior Citizens Center, or the charity of the donor's choice.

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**Deceased Name: James Tibbs**

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James "Bob" Tibbs, Jr. 1956 - 2016 WILLIAMSVILLE , IL - James "Bob" Tibbs, Jr., age 59, of Williamsville, lost his courageous 18-month battle with brain cancer at 4:00 p.m., Thursday, July 7, 2016, at Memorial Medical Center while surrounded by his loving family. He was born Sept. 29, 1956, in Lincoln, Ill., to James "Bob" Tibbs, Sr. and JoAnn (Carter) Tibbs. Bob married Kathy Richardson on Sept. 10, 1977, in Springfield, Ill., and she survives. The "Apple of Bob's eye" was their daughter, Tiffany. Mourning his passing are: daughter, Tiffany (Brent) Tibbs Bordenkircher; parents, James "Bob" Tibbs, Sr. and JoAnn (Carter) Tibbs; sister, Debbie Strong; grandchildren, Brock and Brynn Bordenkircher; sister-in-law, Marsha Lemasters; niece, Lori (JD) McTaggart; nephew, Tim (Marcy) Lemasters; niece, Meagan (Brandon) Maurer; four great-nieces, and one great-nephew. Bob was Director of Maintenance for the Williamsville School District. He was known as "Bus Driver Bob" when he drove the bus as a substitute. He has previously worked at Carter's Nursery in Williamsville. His interests were gardening, NHRA racing, feeding birds and fishing. The grandchildren have been taught the joy of watching the birds and fishing by their beloved Papa. Visitation was held Sunday, July 10, from 4-7 p.m. at the Williamsville Jr. High School gymnasium. Services will be Monday, July 11, at 10:30 a.m. at Williamsville Methodist Church with the Rev. Piscatelli officiating. There will be a short visitation from 10:00-10:30 a.m. prior to the service. Burial will be at Walnut Hill Cemetery near Williamsville. Memorials can be made to: Williamsville Fire Department/EMS, or National Brain Tumor Society. Mott & Henning Funeral Home is taking care of the Tibbs family. Online condolences can be shared at [www.mottandhenning.com](http://www.mottandhenning.com).

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## Deceased Name: Emory Clark Gaffney

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Emory Clark Gaffney 1920 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Emory Clark Gaffney, 95, passed away at 12:55 p.m. on July 5, 2016, at St. Clara's Manor of Lincoln, Ill. Mr. Gaffney was born Oct. 5, 1920, in Lincoln, Ill., the son of Dr. Emory Clizbe and Ruth Katherine Ryan Gaffney. He married Dorothy "Dort" Harrison on April 15, 1944, in Fort Myers, Fla. They celebrated their 72nd wedding anniversary this past April. She survives him. Emory is also survived by his large extended family including a sister-in-law, Mrs. Dorothy Buckstegge (Jack) Harrison. His family includes his nieces and nephews, nieces-in-law and nephews-in-law: Nancy Mathews, Gerald (Susan) Dehner, Valerie (Gary Crawford) Dehner, and nephew-in-law, Tom Tiffany; Geoff (Pam) Harrison; Kathy (Bill) Daunais, Beth (Dave) Eckert, and niece-in-law, Bobbi Abbott; Maureen (Bernard "Hop") Looney, Tim Harrison, Terry (Cari) Harrison, Kathleen (Peter) Kollinger; Jack "Jay" (Debra) Harrison, Jan Saylor, Joe (Teresa) Harrison; Pam (Michael McArdle) Bubeck, Chris Harrison and Sean (Jennifer) Harrison, as well as many great-nieces and great-nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; one sister, Edith Claire Dehner; niece, Betty Tiffany; nephews, J. Michael "Mike" Abbott and Andrew Auld; sisters-in-law: Katherine Abbott, Eleanor Harrison and Ruth Harrison; and brothers-in-law: Jim Abbott, Ben Harrison, Jack Harrison, and Phil Harrison. Emory graduated from Lincoln High School, earned his undergraduate degree from Baylor University in Texas and then completed his master's degree in accounting from the University of Illinois. He earned his Certified Public Accountant (CPA) license and opened an accounting firm in downtown Lincoln at the Griesheim Building where he practiced for 30 years. Emory was a veteran of three branches of military service—U.S. Navy, U.S. Army Air Force, and U.S. Air Force. He served in both WWII, where he was a B-29 navigator, and also the Korean War. In 1934 (over 82 years ago), he became a member of the First Presbyterian Church, where he served as a Trustee, Elder and church Treasurer for several years. He was also a member of the Elks Lodge 914 for 71 years. Emory's interests in tennis became a big part of his life in grade school. At Lincoln High School Emory and his doubles partner finished in 3rd place at the IHSA tennis tournaments in 1936 and 1937. During WWII while stationed in Panama, he had the distinction of being their National Tennis Champion. Locally known as an outstanding tennis player, Emory had the honor of winning the City of Lincoln's Tennis Tournament at least one time for seven consecutive decades, beginning with his first victory in 1937 and his last in 1991. He continued to play tennis competitively until he was 76 years old. Emory and Dort also shared a love for traveling. They visited all 50 states, including driving the Alaskan Highway, where they even stopped along the way to post a "Lincoln 3,076 miles" directional sign. They also made trips abroad to Australia, New Zealand, Thailand, Japan, China (walked the Great Wall), Africa, Ireland, Scotland and England. A Memorial Service for Mr. Gaffney will be 11 a.m., Friday, July 15, 2016, at First Presbyterian Church of Lincoln with the Rev. Adam Quine officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service also at the church at 10 a.m. Burial at New Union Cemetery will follow the service where full military rites will be accorded by the Lincoln American Legion Post #263. Memorials may be made in Emory's name to: First Presbyterian Church of Lincoln. Services are entrusted to Fricke-Calvert-Schrader in Lincoln, Ill.

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## Deceased Name: Judith Ann Sutton

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Judith Ann Sutton 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Judith Ann Sutton, 73, of Lincoln, passed away July 9, 2016, at 5:03 PM at her residence. Visitation will be from 5-6:30 PM, Wednesday, July 13, 2016, at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home. Cremation rites will follow. There will be no funeral service or burial at this time. Surviving are her children: daughter Jessica Sutton of Lincoln, son, Mark Melton of TX, daughter Robin (Donnie) Cullon of IN, stepdaughters Joanie (Art) Hopwood of OK, Donnelle Chambers of Lincoln, and Jade Rich of TN, close friends Linda Cumby of Lincoln and Jim Murphy of Centralia, IL, grandchildren: Amber Sutton, Brett Tibbs, Damian Tibbs, Tyler Sutton, Tyler Kelly, and Kristina Upchurch, and great-grandchildren: Nicolas, Andrew, Paige, Brianna, and Kyleigh. Also surviving are her brothers, Richard "Cook" Crawford and Richard "Cork" Crawford both of Lincoln. She was preceded in death by her parents. Memorial donations may be made to Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home to help with funeral expenses.

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**Deceased Name: Constance M. McCullough**

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Constance "Connie" M. McCullough 1924 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Constance "Connie" M. McCullough, 92, passed away at 5:59 a.m. on Sunday July 10, 2016, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital in Lincoln. Connie was born Jan. 7, 1924, in Decatur, Ill., daughter of Charles and Nellye Lindsey Tate. She married Bernard Dale "Bing" McCullough on Jan. 4, 1944, in Fort Sill, Okla. He preceded her in death on Jan. 19, 1994. Surviving Connie are her daughters: Carole (Bob) Meyer of Washington, Ill., Kathryn "Kaggie" Aue of Lincoln, Ill., and Cynthia "Cindy" Singleton of Lincoln, Ill.; seven grandchildren: Mark Meyer, Marcy (Russ) Arnold, Staci (George) Lacefield, Scott "Booey" (Jenny) Singleton, Ryan (Charissa) Aue, Justin Aue, and Amy (Troy) Brown; and six great-grandchildren: Morgan and Garrett Lacefield, Ella Singleton, Brayton and Braylee Brown, and Tate Aue. She was preceded in death by her parents; three brothers: Brown, Raymond, and Frank; two sisters, Carmye Kohler and Charlotte Heinzel; and one granddaughter, Robyn Aue. Connie was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church. She loved her family and friends and spending time with them. She was an avid Cub fan. Services for Connie will be at 11 a.m., Friday, July 15, 2016, at Holy Family Catholic Church in Lincoln, with Father Geoffrey Horton officiating. Visitation will be two hours prior to the service from 9-11 a.m. Burial at Holy Cross Cemetery will follow the service. Memorials may be made in Connie's name to: Carrol Catholic School or donor's choice. The family would like to thank Dr. Melissa Cox for all she has done for Connie and her family. Services are entrusted to Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln, Ill.

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**Deceased Name: Harlan Olson**

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Harlan "Dale" Olson 1945 - 2016 TREMONT, IL - Harlan "Dale" Olson, 70, of Tremont, formerly of Emden, passed away at 3:16 p.m., Saturday, July 9, 2016, at his home. Dale was born Dec. 3, 1945, in Pekin, to Harlan and Mary (Whittaker) Olson. He married Carol Fein on May 30, 1970, in Emden. He is survived by his wife, Carol; two sons, Tracy (Stacy) Olson of Hartsburg, and Justin (Andrea) Olson of Springfield; daughter, Dana Riess of Chicago; one brother, Larry (Beth) Olson of Lincoln; one sister, Marla Lewis of Lincoln; nine grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. Dale was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Kevin. Dale was a maintenance mechanic technician for Caterpillar retiring in 2001 after 38 years of service. After retiring he was an instructor for Illinois Central College. He was an avid reader and loved to travel with his family. He treasured spending time with his grandchildren and enjoyed their sporting activities. Visitation will be Wednesday, July 13, 2016, from 4-7 p.m. at Henderson Funeral Home & Crematory, 2131 Velde Dr., Pekin. Private burial will be held at Bethel Cemetery in Emden. Memorials may be directed to: ALS Peoria Champaign or Tremont District Library. To leave Dale's family an online condolence, please visit [www.hendersonfuneralcare.com](http://www.hendersonfuneralcare.com).

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## Deceased Name: Terry R. Thompson

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Terry R. Thompson 1946 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Terry R. Thompson, 69, of Lincoln, died at home on Sunday , July 10, 2016, after a short but courageous fight with cancer. His companion of 23 years, Janielle Bunner, was by his side. Cremation rites have been accorded. A memorial gathering was held on Thursday, July 14, 2016, from 9:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. at Jefferson Street Christian Church. A memorial service followed at 10:30 a.m. with Pastor Michael Mallick officiating. Burial will be at a later date. Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home has been entrusted with his care. Terry was born Nov. 3, 1946, in Lincoln, Ill., the son of Raymond and Alberta (Nance) Thompson. He was a graduate of Lincoln Community High School and Lincoln College. He served in the U.S. Army from 1966-1968. He was a member of the American Legion Post 263 and Jefferson Street Christian Church. Terry worked at Lehn and Fink, construction at Clinton Power Plant, Elkhart Mine, and Lincoln Elementary School District 27. After retirement from District 27, he went to Lincoln College to work Grounds Maintenance and then moved over to the new Lincoln Center Building until his second retirement in January of this year. He made many friends throughout his life and would entertain them quite often in his favorite spot, "his garage". Taking care of and roaming around the yard were Terry's favorite things to do. He thought of it as his ranch. Terry will be greatly missed by all those who knew and loved him. Surviving are his two daughters, Lisa Thompson of Seattle, Wash., and Sara (Rod Purdue) Thompson of Clinton, Ill.; granddaughter, Brittney (Zach Brisard) Purdue of Clinton; grandson, Aiden Purdue of Clinton, great-grandson, Grayson Brisard; great-granddaughter, Hadlyn Brisard of Clinton; sister, Debbie Morrow of Lincoln; and the extended family of his companion, Janielle Bunner: Todd (Gina) Bunner, Scott Bunner, and their children and grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and grandparents, Orville and Emily Nance. Memorial donations may be made to: Jefferson Street Christian Church, or Memorial Home Hospice.

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## Deceased Name: Doug Clampet

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Doug "Maytag" Clampet 1950 - 2016 CHESTNUT, IL - Doug "Maytag" Clampet, 65, of Chestnut, Ill., passed away at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, July 11, 2016, at his home. Doug was born Aug. 16, 1950, in Pinckneyville, Ill., the son of Richard and A. Genevieve (Presswood) Clampet Sr. He married Julie McCurry on Dec. 4, 1992, in Mt. Pulaski, Ill. She survives. Doug is also survived by his sons, Levi Clampet of Chestnut, and Scott Clampet of Mt. Pulaski; his stepdaughters: April (James) Breedwell of New Holland, Dawn Mason of Lincoln, and Tanya (Frank Spinner) Mason of Chestnut; his sisters, Brenda (Willie) Rentmeister of Mt. Pulaski, and Nancy (Scott Driskell) Knopp of Pinckneyville; his brother, Thomas (Judy) Clampet of Southern Ill.; and his grandchildren: Dustin, Alexis, Damian, Caleb, and Bradley. Doug proudly served in the U.S. Army. Doug was a truck driver for ATA of Illinois for many years. He was a member of The Mt. Pulaski American Legion Post #447 and the Chestnut Men's Club. A memorial service will be held for Doug at 1 p.m. on Saturday, July 16, 2016, at his home where military rites will be accorded at 2 p.m. Memorial donations may be made in Doug's name to his family. Services have been entrusted to Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Mt. Pulaski.

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**Deceased Name: Lucille A. Lee**

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Lucille A. Lee 1925 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Lucille A. Lee, 90, of Lincoln, went to be with her Lord on July 16, 2016, at Vonderlieth Living Center in Mt. Pulaski, Ill. Lucille was born in rural Greenview, Ill., on Aug. 5, 1925, the daughter of Herman Henry and Elizabeth Schaub Brinkmeyer. She married Everett Petro on June 19, 1946. He preceded her in death on Sept. 28, 1979. She married Robert E. Lee on Oct. 2, 1980. He preceded her in death on Oct. 27, 2001. She was also preceded in death by two brothers, Raymond and Elmer, and six sisters: Anna Brinkmeyer, Kathryn Prince, Louise Whiteman, Florence Dixon, Lorene Tackman, and Dorothy Wark. She leaves to cherish her memories: four daughters, Nancy Lahr (Jim, deceased) of Lincoln, Ill., Michelle Welt (Byron) of Springfield, Ill., Rose Moore (Val) of Emden, Ill., and Debra McKay (Glenn) of Lincoln, Ill.; one son, Gary Petro of Lincoln, Ill.; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild. There are four stepsons and four stepdaughters. She cherished her cat, Katie, who survives. She enjoyed trips to Branson, Mo., and listening to country western music. She was a fan of the Chicago Cubs. The family would like to thank Castle Manor and Vonderlieth Living Center for their care of Lucille. She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church in Lincoln, Ill. Services for Lucille will be held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, July 20, 2016, at Zion Lutheran Church in Lincoln. A visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday, July 19, 2016, at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln. Burial will follow the services at Zion Cemetery in Lincoln, Ill. Memorial donations may be made in Lucille's name to: Zion Lutheran Church.

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**Deceased Name: Ann L. Blevins**

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Ann L. Blevins 1922 - 2016 MASON CITY, IL - Ann L. Blevins, 94, loving mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, died Thursday, July 14, 2016, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital and was welcomed home by her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Ann was the daughter of Louis and Amanda Fullriede and was born in Strasburg, Ill., on April 11, 1922. She was the third of four sisters, including Vera Steffens, Ruby Rohlf, and Edna Hullinger, all of whom preceded Ann in death. Ann was married in 1944 to Arnold Berg and had three children, Nancy (Donald) Mann, Gary (Barbara) Berg, and Ronald (Kathy) Berg. Arnold died in 1964. Ann married James A. Blevins in 1973, at which time James (Virginia) Blevins and Judy (Robert) Griffin also became part of her family. Jim preceded Ann in death in 1992. Ann delighted in her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. Her grandchildren include: David Mann, Keri Edwards, Lisa Wolford, Sheree Zuniga, Sheri Roderick, Aaron Palazzolo, Nicole Berg, Natalie McClanahan, James Blevins, Beth Ann Blevins, Mike Griffin, and Mark Griffin. She also has 22 great-grandchildren. Ann was preceded in death by her son-in-law, Donald Mann, and her granddaughter, Amanda Nunn. Ann was an active member of Christ Lutheran Church in Mason City, Ill. She was a school cook in the Mason City school for almost 20 years. This combined her love of cooking and children. Her pies were greatly enjoyed by family and friends for many years. Ann kept busy with crafting, crocheting, reading, and made many beautiful quilts. Visitation will be held Friday July 22, 2016, from 5-7 p.m. at Hurley Funeral Home in Mason City. The funeral service will be Saturday July 23, 2016, at 11 a.m. at Christ Lutheran Church in Mason City. Burial will follow at Mason City Cemetery. Memorials may be made to: Christ Lutheran Church, or Mason City American Legion Post #496. Hurley Funeral Home in Mason City is in charge of arrangements.

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**Deceased Name: Virginia M. Sniff (Marshall)**

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Virginia M. (Marshall) Sniff 1923 - 2016 CHESTNUT, IL - Virginia M. Sniff, 92, formerly of Lincoln, passed away July 1, 2016, at St. Frances Hospital in Litchfield, Ill. Virginia, daughter of Arless and Gladys Marshall, was born Nov. 13, 1923, in Chestnut, Ill., where she spent the majority of her life. She was married to Chet Stanley who died in 1944. She later was married to Donald D. Sniff. Two sons, D. David and Bruce G. Sniff, were born of that marriage. Both survive. She operated a beauty shop in her home in Chestnut for nearly 50 years and was a member of Chestnut United Methodist Church. Surviving also are Bruce's wife, Carol; David's partner, Marlene; two grandchildren, and four great-grandsons. Her mother, Gladys Obery, stepfather, Leonard J. Obery, stepbrother, Leonard Obery, Jr., and sister, June M. Hein, preceded her in death. A Celebration of Life will be held for family and friends in the near future. Memorials may be made to: Chestnut United Methodist Church.

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**Deceased Name: Carol Joy Gissler**

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Carol Joy Gissler 1938 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Carol Joy Gissler, 78, of Lincoln, passed away July 13, 2016, at Memorial Medical Center, in Springfield, with her family by her side. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m., Friday, July 22, 2016, at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home in Lincoln. Funeral services will be Saturday, July 23, 2016 at 11 a.m. also at the funeral home with Pastor Tracy Thomas officiating. Burial will follow at New Union Cemetery in Lincoln. Carol was born May 6, 1938, in Elkhart, Ill., the daughter of Edward and Helen (Rhoads) Hunter. She married David P. Gissler on Sept. 7, 1956, in Elkhart, Ill. She was a member of Lincoln Christian Church. Carol was a bookkeeper at Burwell Oil for several years and also was previously employed as a cashier at Green Oil Company. She was a member of the United States Bowling Congress and was an avid bowler for 52 years. She enjoyed trips to the boat and trips to the park to watch deer. Surviving are her husband, David P. Gissler of Lincoln; daughter, Pat (Clint) Sheley of Lincoln; son, David Karl (Kathy) Gissler of Decatur; son, Tim Gissler of Lincoln; sisters: Ila (Dale) Lowman of California, Bonnie M. Herrin of Lincoln, and Wilma (Bill) Morris of Glen Ellyn; sister-in-law, Alberta Hunter of Lincoln; grandchildren: Candace (Jeff) Company, Ryan (Katie) Sheley, Laura Gissler, Rick Gissler, Faith Keck, Jared Gissler, Marisa Gissler, and Haylie Gissler; and great-grandchildren: Noah Company, Alyssa Company, Morgan Sheley, Brooklyn Sheley, Elijah Grotjan, Isaiah Grotjan, and Gabriella Keck. She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers: Dean Hunter, Bill Hunter, Alva Hunter, and Cliff Hunter; and sisters: Mary Carter, Wanda Johnson, and Erlene Hunter. Memorial donations will be accepted at the funeral home and may be made to: Lincoln Christian Church.

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**Deceased Name: Marian Ruth Wilson Reinhart**

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Marian Ruth Wilson Reinhart 1930 - 2016 BEASON, IL - Marian Ruth Wilson Reinhart of Beason passed away at 4:10 a.m., July 19, 2016, at her residence. Marian was born Aug. 23, 1930, in Sioux City, Iowa, the daughter of Francis Evans and Marjorie Helen Maddox Wilson. She married Wendell E. Reinhart on Nov. 15, 1953, at Beason Methodist Church in Beason, Ill. He preceded her in death on July 25, 2013. Marian is survived by her children: Greg Reinhart, and Judy Eddy, both of Beason, Scott (Susan) Reinhart of Atlanta, and Janet (Jim) Davis of Maryville, Mo.; 10 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, and two brothers: William and Robert Wilson. Marian was a registered nurse in Lincoln for Dr. Blaum and Dr. Boyd. She later was an RN in Iowa and Texas before retiring to Lincoln and retiring from Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital Intensive Care Unit after eight years. She was a member of Atlanta Christian Church. She was the valedictorian at Beason High School in 1948; from 1948-1950 she was in pre-nursing and lived at the 4-H House; member of ORCHSAS modern dance group; she was in the first class at University of Illinois to receive a Bachelor of Science in Nursing and she was an Honorary member of Chi Omega Pi at the University of Illinois. She loved music and sang in the church choir. Her love for the Lord led her to play the piano for the church. Services for Marian will be at 10 a.m., Friday, July 22, 2016, at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln with Maurice Stribling officiating. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m., Thursday, July 21 at the funeral home. Burial will follow the services at Harmony Cemetery in Beason. Memorials may be made to: The Beason Rescue Squad, American Legion Post # 1189 Auxiliary, or Atlanta Christian Church.

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**Deceased Name: William J. Fisher**

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William J. Fisher 1928 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - William J. Fisher of Champaign, formerly of Lincoln, passed away July 17, 2016, at Heartland Health Care Center in Champaign, Ill. William was born May 18, 1928, in Hartsburg, Ill., the son of Joseph and Maude Bailey Fisher. He is survived by son, Joseph (Jan) Fisher of Champaign; his daughter, Kim (Mike) Jones of Valencia, Calif.; his four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, his son, Jon Fisher; his sister, Helen Sheldon; and his brother, Joseph Fisher. William proudly served his country during WWII and The Korean War as a United States Marine. He retired from Ronnoco Coffee as territorial manager. A graveside service for William will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, July 21, 2016, with the Rev. Michael Paulson Officiating at Hartsburg Union Cemetery in Hartsburg. Full military rites will be accorded by the Lincoln American Legion Post #263. Services have been entrusted to Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln.

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## Deceased Name: H. Doug Jackson

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H. Doug Jackson 1957 - 2016 MT. STERLING, IL - H. Doug Jackson, 59, of Mt. Sterling, formerly of Mt. Pulaski, passed away at his home at 10:28 p.m. on July 17, 2016. He was born March 8, 1957, in Kansas City, Mo., son of Roy and Norma Lee Spillman Jackson. He is survived by his parents; one sister, Joni (Dave) Bauer of Mt. Pulaski. He was preceded in death by his nephew, Doug Letterle. Doug was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church. Cremation rites for Doug will be accorded. A graveside service will be held at 9 a.m., Tuesday, July 26, 2016, at Mt. Pulaski Cemetery. Memorials may be made in Hal's name to: Mt. Pulaski EMS or Chestnut EMS. Services are entrusted to Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Mt. Pulaski.

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**Deceased Name: Richard Joseph Pokorski**

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Richard "Dick" Joseph Pokorski 1928 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Richard "Dick" Joseph Pokorski a.k.a. "Mr. Bodacious", 88, of Lincoln left this life on July 21, 2016, at 3:30 a.m. at Timber Creek Village Assisted Living. Mr. Pokorski was his class president and worked for Harwick's Furniture while in High School, then for Frank Hinman Construction as a master carpenter for 20 years and then retired from the State of Illinois as a Stationary Engineer with 26 years of service. Throughout his life he enjoyed, golfing, fishing and most importantly being with family. He was born June 28, 1928, in Lincoln to Frank and Pearl (Kible) Pokorski. He married the love of his life, Donna Jean Webster on January 27, 1953, in Lincoln. She survives. Other survivors are two sons, Jeff (and Linell) Pokorski, David Pokorski, and a daughter Carol Johnson; four grandchildren, Bret Pokorski (Natalie Notto, girlfriend), Kristin Pokorski (Aaron Shmikler, fiancé), Joel Johnson and Jordan (and Shannon McCrocklin) Johnson. He is also survived by many nephews and nieces. He was the last member of his family. He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Joseph "Joe" Pokorski and Frank "Bud" Pokorski; three sisters, Mary "Sis" Miller, Agnes "Aggie" Lohrenz and Virginia "Tootie" Rohlf. He deeply loved and trusted in God to guide him through his life. One of his favorite sayings was "Watch your step and Trust in the Lord". Cremation rites will be accorded. A private graveside service will be held at a later date at Saint Mary's Cemetery, Lincoln, Illinois The family wants to express a special thanks to Timber Creek Assisted Living staff, his private caretakers and Memorial Hospice staff. Memorials may be made to Timber Creek Village Assisted Living or Memorial Home Hospice. Services are entrusted to Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln, IL.

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**Deceased Name: Steven Lee Billings**

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Steven Lee "Steve" Billings 1950 - 2016 EMDEN, IL - Steven Lee "Steve" Billings, 65, of Emden, passed away Thursday, July 14, 2016 at The Christian Village. Cremation rites have been accorded. Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home has been entrusted with his care. Memorial services will be held Monday, July 25, 2016 at St. Peters Lutheran Church, Emden. A time of visitation will be one hour prior (from 10 AM until 11AM) also at the church. Steve was born August 31, 1950 in Lincoln, IL., the son of Everett and Ruby Mae (Marten) Billings. He married Rita Marie Stout on October 5, 1985 in Atlanta, IL. He was employed at Fink Chevrolet from 1968-1991, at Dixie Truck Stop in Mclean from 1991-1996 and at St Peters Lutheran Church in Emden from 1996-2012. He enjoyed fishing, shooting, old western movies, and wii bowling. Surviving are his wife Rita Billings of Emden, daughters Lori (Matthew) Mason of Hartsburg and Michelle (Richard) Traviolia of Macomb; grandchildren Lucas Mason, Mitchell Mason, Otto Traviolia, and Oskar Traviolia; brother Stuart Billings of Atlanta and sister Stephanie Billings of Atlanta. Memorial donations may be made to the family in care of Rita Billings.

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**Deceased Name: Kathryn I. Grimm**

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Kathryn I Grimm 1922 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Kathryn I Grimm, 94, of Lincoln, passed away July 21, 2016 at The Christian Village. Visitation will be from 11 AM until 1PM Monday, July 25, 2016 at Holland Barry & Bennett funeral Home. Funeral services will follow at 1PM also at the funeral home with Ryan Edgecombe officiating. Burial will follow in Zion Cemetery, Lincoln. Kathryn was born January 18, 1922 in Danvers, IL., the daughter of Jefferson Springer Sr. and Margaret (Huffman). She married Ralph I Grimm December 6, 1941. He preceded her in death February 4, 2005. Mrs. Grimm was a homemaker. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Lincoln. She was an avid Illini fan. She enjoyed baking, reading magazines, playing cards, and family get togethers. She was a loyal participant in the Publisher's Clearing House Sweepstakes and just knew she was going to win every year. Surviving are her sons Marvin Grimm of Oveida, FL., and Jerry (Sue) Grimm of Springfield, IL.; 5 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren , and sister Helen Schmidgall of Morton also survives. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, 5 brothers, and 1 sister. Memorial donations may be made to The Christian Village Activity Fund or to First United Methodist Church, Lincoln.

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## Deceased Name: Vickie Steffens

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Vickie Steffens 1952 - 2016 LAKELAND, FL - Vickie Steffens, 64, of Lakeland, Florida, formerly of Lincoln, IL, passed away July 13, 2016 at Lakeland Regional Hospital in Lakeland, FL. She was born July 2, 1952 to Charles and Betty (Sisler) LaMaster. She married Donald Steffens October 1976 in Lincoln, IL. Surviving are her husband, Donald; two sons, Charles (Lisa) Steffens and Darrell Steffens; and granddaughter Molly Steffens all of Lakeland, FL. Also surviving brother Donald (Mary) LaMaster of North Port, FL; two sisters, Rose Poe of North Pekin, IL and Connie Vest of East Peoria, IL; best friends Larry and Bonnie Payne of Lakeland, FL. Vickie worked at the Bottle Factory in Lincoln, IL. before moving to Lakeland, FL. She loved playing Bingo, Pogo and visiting with friends on Facebook. Cremation has been accorded.

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## Deceased Name: Kathryn M. Grimm

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Kathryn M. Grimm 1922 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Kathryn M. Grimm, 94, of Lincoln, passed away July 21, 2016, at The Christian Village. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m., Monday, July 25, 2016, at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home. Funeral services will follow at 1 p.m., also at the funeral home with Ryan Edgcombe officiating. Burial will follow at Zion Cemetery in Lincoln. Kathryn was born Jan. 18, 1922, in Danvers, Ill., the daughter of Jefferson Springer Sr. and Margaret (Huffman). She married Ralph I. Grimm on Dec. 6, 1941. He preceded her in death on Feb. 4, 2005. Mrs. Grimm was a homemaker. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Lincoln. She was an avid Illini fan. She enjoyed baking, reading magazines, playing cards, and family get togethers. She was a loyal participant in the Publisher's Clearing House Sweepstakes and just knew she was going to win every year. Surviving are her sons, Marvin Grimm of Oveida, Fla., and Jerry (Sue) Grimm of Springfield, Ill.; five grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and sister, Helen Schmidgall of Morton. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; five brothers; and one sister. Memorial donations may be made to: The Christian Village Activity Fund, or First United Methodist Church in Lincoln.

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## Deceased Name: Allen Lewis Follis

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Allen Lewis Follis 1955 - 2016 MT. PULASKI, IL - Allen Lewis Follis, 61, passed away at his home on July 20, 2016 at 10:22 A.M. Allen was born on July 19, 1955 in Mt. Pulaski, IL; son of William L. and Delores A. Seidel Follis. Surviving Allen are his parents, and four sisters: Carolyn Sue Follis of Kenney, Shirley (Jack) Knutson of Mesa, CO, Mary (Gary) Sherrer of Denver, CO, and Julie (Danny) Lobb of Kenney, IL. Allen was farmer and a small engine repairman and enjoyed racing 4 wheelers. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church of Mt. Pulaski. Services for Allen will be 10:00 A.M. Tuesday, July 26, 2016 at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Mt. Pulaski with Rev. Glen Vanderkloot officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service also at funeral home. Burial at Steenbergen Cemetery will follow the service. Memorials may be made in Allen's name to St. John's Lutheran Church.

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**Deceased Name: Hubert Dale Stoll**

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CHESTNUT, IL - Hubert Dale Stoll, 90, a resident of Timber Creek Village in Lincoln, Ill., was welcomed to his heavenly home by his Savior at 2:36 p.m. on July 20, 2016. Hubert was born May 16, 1926, in Chestnut, Ill., son of Otto Matthew and Lillie Anna Dittus Stoll. He married N. Jean Hatcher on June 26, 1949, in Springfield, Ill. She preceded him in death on Sept. 21, 2006. Surviving him are his children: Dennis Stoll of Chestnut, Cheryl (Jim) Poffenbarger of Mt. Pulaski, Klista (Raymond) Hegele of Springfield, Brenda (Allyn) Colantino of Springfield, Kenton (Marcia) Stoll of Chestnut, Kerwyn (Karen) Stoll of Mattoon, Deanna (Larry) Pratt of Cropsey, and Rodney Stoll of Savoy. Also surviving is a sister, Aurelia Stoll of Mt. Pulaski; 26 grandchildren; and 24 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, two infant grandchildren, and three infant great-grandchildren. Hubert was a grain and registered Holstein dairy farmer at Hubacres in Chestnut. He was a lifetime member of the Holstein Association USA, a member of Zion Lutheran Church of Chestnut, and the Lutheran Laymen's League. Hubert volunteered with Laborers for Christ, was a WWII veteran, serving in the U.S. Army during the occupation of Japan, and was a member of the Chestnut/Beason American Legion Post #848. During the past ten years, Hubert thoroughly enjoyed emailing daily devotions to family and friends. Services for Hubert will be 10 a.m., Monday, July 25, 2016, at Zion Lutheran Church in Chestnut, Ill., with the Rev. David Dunlop officiating. Visitation will be from 2-5 p.m., Sunday, July 24, 2016, at Zion Lutheran Church in Mt. Pulaski, Ill. Burial at Laenna Cemetery will follow the service. Memorials may be made in Hubert's name to: Zion Lutheran Church of Chestnut, The Lutheran Hour, or Mt. Pulaski Zion Lutheran School. Services are entrusted to Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Mt. Pulaski, Ill.

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## Deceased Name: Rodney James Hildebrands

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Rodney "Rod" James Hildebrands 1958 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Rodney "Rod" James Hildebrands, 57, of Lincoln formerly of Hartsburg, died Friday, July 22, 2016, at his home. Rodney was born to Creston and Eva Duckworth Hildebrands on Oct. 6, 1958, in Lincoln, Ill. Rod was preceded in death by his father, Creston Hildebrands and his sister, Kay Wessbecher. He is survived by his mother, Eva Hildebrands and his sisters, Cathy Shepler of Lincoln, Linda (the late Robert) Ruder of Indianapolis, Ind., Kim Koehne of Lincoln, Connie (Bob) Hunter of Lincoln, Diane (the late Bob) Harris of Lincoln, and Lisa (Jim) West of Atlanta. He was also the loving uncle of many nieces and nephews who will greatly miss him. From an early age Rod had many health obstacles that detoured his life. However, he went beyond everyone's expectations and finished high school, participated in baseball and basketball in high school and had a talent of working on small engines. Rod loved supporting his sisters and nieces and nephews in their school sporting events. He enjoyed going to the movies and playing pool with family and friends. Rod was a loyal friend and an avid animal lover, especially his cats. He would do anything for his family. Visitation will be held Tuesday, July 26, from 5 - 7 p.m. at Hartsburg United Methodist Church in Hartsburg, Ill., with Pastor Tammy Werschey Kessinger officiating. Funeral services will be Wednesday at 10 a.m. at Hartsburg United Methodist Church. Burial to follow at Greenhill Cemetery in San Jose. Memorials can be made to the Humane Society of Logan County. Peasley Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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## Deceased Name: Richard Eugene Huston

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Richard Eugene Huston 1926 - 2016 SPRINGFIELD, IL - Richard Eugene Huston, 89, passed away at 8:43 p.m. on July 21, 2016, at St. John's Hospital in Springfield. Richard was born Oct. 31, 1926, in Sturgis, Mich., son of Samuel H. and Anne Bertille McGovern Huston. He married Jane Leininger in 1956 in Lincoln, Ill. She preceded him in death on Jan. 31, 2003. Surviving Richard are his many nieces and nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews, and cousins. He also is survived by his best friend, Brian "Teddi" Menichetti of Springfield, Ill. He was preceded in death by his parents; two sisters-in-law, Virginia Leininger and Mary Rose Kramp; and two brothers-in-law, Vincent and Raymond Warnisher. Richard was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church. He served in the U.S. Navy during WWII. He was a sports writer for the Lincoln Courier for many years, and also taught English at Springfield College in Illinois. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, July 29, 2016, at Holy Family Catholic Church in Lincoln with the Rev. Jeffrey Laible officiating. A rosary service will be held at 9:45 a.m., also at the church, prior to visitation. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service from 10-11 a.m. Burial at Holy Cross Cemetery will follow the service. Memorials may be made in Richard's name to: Holy Family Catholic Church. Services are entrusted to Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln, Ill.

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**Deceased Name: Todd Stephen Purdue**

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Todd Stephen Purdue 1965 - 2016 QUINCY, IL - Todd Stephen Purdue, 51, of Quincy, passed away July 21, 2016, at his residence. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m., Thursday, July 28, 2016, at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home in Lincoln. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Thursday, also at the funeral home with Father Laible officiating. Burial will follow at Holy Cross Cemetery. Todd was born March 18, 1965, in Lincoln, Ill., the son of Stephen and Diana (Donnan) Purdue. He attended Carroll Catholic School and graduated from Lincoln Community High School in 1983. Upon graduation Todd enlisted in the U.S. Air Force. He served from 1983-1987. He then served in the National Guard for 13 years. While in the service Todd obtained two electrical engineering degrees from Missouri Central College in Warrensburg, Mo. He was an Ordinance Disposal Specialist and a certified helicopter mechanic. He excelled in the military and received numerous certifications which allowed him to be in Officer Candidate School. Todd enjoyed being with his family, fishing, and helping others. Survivors include his parents, Stephen and Diana Purdue of Lincoln, Ill.; sister, Wendy (Jamie) Croegart of Heyworth, Ill.; brother, Rod (Sara) Purdue of Clinton, Ill.; brother, Tim Purdue of Springfield, Mo.; and several nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, Arnold and Dorothy Donnan; paternal grandparents Gerald and Betty Purdue; and his brother, Trent Purdue. Memorial donations may be made to the family in care of Stephen Purdue and will be accepted at the funeral home.

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**Deceased Name: Donald A. Banister**

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Donald A. Banister 1933 - 2016 SHERMAN, IL - Donald A. Banister, 82, of Sherman, formerly of rural Springfield, passed away Sunday, July 24, 2016, at his residence. Donald is survived by his wife, Frances; children: Patti (Mike) Barnett of Williamsville, Brenda (Jeff) Knollenberg of Grimes, Iowa, and Tom Banister of North Prince George, Va.; grandchildren: Jody Formea of Chatham, George (April) Muller of Richland, Wash., Rachel (Joe) Hemstock of Springfield, Corinne Barnett of Williamsville, Henry Knollenberg, Audrey Knollenberg, both of Grimes, Iowa, Ty (Shelby) Banister of Ft. Riley, Kan., Haylei (fiancé, Tristan Russell) Banister, Ft. Bragg, N.C., Austin Banister of Terre Haute, Ind., and Taylor Banister of Ft. Campbell, Ky.; siblings: Doris (Charles) Markwardt of Lincoln, Beverly (Pete) Boyer of Elkhart, and John (Diane) Banister of Springfield. He is also survived by six great-grandchildren, several nieces, nephews, brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Norman Banister and Dale Banister. He was born Dec. 27, 1933, near Greenview, Ill., the son of John and Lucy Mason Banister. He graduated from Middletown High School in 1952. He married Frances Rankin on July 16, 1960. He was a transport driver for FS Services (Growmark) for 34 years. Don did not know a stranger, and was happiest spending time with his family and many friends. He was a member of the Sherman Volunteer Fire Department and served as fire chief for seven years. He was a member of the Sherman United Methodist Church for many years and recently started attending the Williamsville Christian Church. He was a member of the NRA and the Illinois Sheriffs' Association. Don was a veteran of the Korean War and served in the U.S. Army from 1952-1954. He was a member of the American Legion Post 0672 in Middletown. Visitation will be held Wednesday, July 27 from 4-7 p.m. at Williamsville Christian Church in Williamsville. Funeral services will be Thursday, July 28 at 10:30 a.m. at Williamsville Christian Church. Ryan Edgecomb and David Beals will be officiating. Burial will be at Camp Butler National Cemetery in Springfield. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to: The Christian Village Auxiliary in Lincoln, Ill. Mott and Henning Funeral Home is assisting the Banister family. Online condolences can be shared at [www.mottandhenning.com](http://www.mottandhenning.com).

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## Deceased Name: Mary Hildebrandt

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Mary Hildebrandt 1930 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Mary Hildebrandt, 85, of Lincoln, passed away on July 26, 2016 at 8:53 p.m. in Lincoln. Mary was born Aug. 30, 1930, in New Holland "Coonsburg", IL, the daughter of Offie and Esther Ritchhart Rankin. She married Bernard Hildebrandt on Aug. 7, 1949, in Middletown, IL; he preceded her in death on March 8, 2009. She is survived by her daughter, Deborah Skelton; sons, Wayne Hildebrandt, and Barney "Butch" Hildebrandt and his wife, Bert; sisters, Esther Boward and Frances Banister; brother, Richard Rankin; grandchildren: Elizabeth Skelton, Christian (Amandah) Skelton, Adrienne Hildebrandt, Sarah (Rick) Puls, and Matthew (Tara) Comstock; and her thirteen great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, brothers, Offie "Jim", Kenny, Robert "Bob", John, Harold, and Elmer; and sisters, Margaret and Patricia. Mary was a longtime member of The First United Methodist Church in Lincoln. Services for Mary will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, August 1, 2016, at The First United Methodist Church in Lincoln. A visitation will be held from 2-5 p.m. on Sunday, July 31, 2016, at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home Lincoln and also one hour prior to the service at the church. Burial will take place after the service at Hartsburg Union Cemetery, Hartsburg, IL. Memorial donations may be made in Mary's name to Logan County Relay for Life or The First United Methodist Church.

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**Deceased Name: Nathan Scott Gunterman**

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Nathan Scott Gunterman 1994 - 2016 LINCOLN, IL - Nathan Scott Gunterman, 22, of Lincoln, passed away at 2:47 AM July 26, 2016. Visitation will be from 10 AM until 11 AM Monday, August 1, 2016 at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home. Funeral services will follow at 11 AM also at the funeral home with pastor Mark Thompson officiating. Burial will follow in Zion Cemetery, Lincoln. Nathan was born June 14, 1994 in Pekin, IL., the son of Larry and Nancy (Krusemark) Gunterman. He attended grade school in Delavan and was a 2013 graduate of Lincoln Community High School. He was confirmed into the Lutheran Faith at Zion Lutheran Church, Lincoln. Nathan enjoyed fishing and trapping. He also had a passion for playing street hockey and would travel to various places just to skate. He enjoyed family vacations to Long Lake, Minnesota. Nathan loved spending time with his nieces, nephews, and dogs outdoors playing in the neighborhood. Surviving are his parents Larry and Nancy Gunterman of Lincoln, maternal grandfather Calvin Krusemark of Mason City, siblings: Chad (Connie) Gunterman of Parksville, KY., Corey Gunterman of Delavan, Natalie Notto (Brett Pokorski) of Lincoln, Jeremy (Harle) Banister of Lincoln, Chelsea Gunterman (JT Ashley) of Lincoln, and Alexis Gunterman of Lincoln. He was affectionately called "Uncle Buddy" by Haley Gunterman, Holly Gunterman, Cole Goforth, Landon Notto, Airiana Hoyt, Nevaeh Banister, and Layne Banister. Also surviving are several aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. He is preceded in death by his paternal grandparents John Urban and Flora Mae Gunterman and his maternal grandmother Shirley June Spurling. Memorial donations may be made to the LCHS Bass Fishing Team and will be accepted at the funeral home.

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**Deceased Name: Richard A. Harbert**

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Richard A. Harbert 1946 - 2016 Richard A. Harbert, 69, of Decatur, IL passed away at 3:20 a.m., Tuesday, July 26, 2016, in his daughter's residence. A service to celebrate Rich's life will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, July 30, 2016, in Dawson & Wikoff Funeral Home, Mt. Zion. The family will receive friends for a time of visitation beginning at 10 a.m. until service time. Memorials may be made to the Mt. Zion Odd Fellows Lodge #300. Messages of condolence may be sent to the family at [www.dawson-wikoff.com](http://www.dawson-wikoff.com). Rich was born November 4, 1946, in Lincoln, IL the son of Richard C. and Norma (Koehler) Harbert. He married Cynthia A. Nicolay on July 31, 1971. She preceded him in death on November 29, 2011. Richard had served in the US Army. He retired from ADM as a computer programmer. Rich went on to own and operate Rich's Sport Cards in Mt. Zion. He was an avid St. Louis Cardinal and Illini fan. He was a member of the Mt. Zion Odd Fellows Lodge #300. He enjoyed attending film festivals and playing poker in area tournaments. Surviving are his daughter, Megan Mahan and her husband Tim of Tamaroa, IL; sister, Teena Feldman and her husband Greg of Lincoln, IL; and granddaughter, Alli Brown of Tamaroa, IL. Rich was preceded in death by his wife, parents, and sister, Jan.

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**Deceased Name: Vincent Allen Blose**

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• Section: Obituaries

Vincent Allen Blose 2002 - 2016 DAWSON, IL - Vincent Allen Blose, 13, of Dawson, passed away on Wednesday, July 27, 2016 at St. John's Hospital. Vincent was born on October 24, 2002 in Springfield the son of Arnold Blose and Corry Allen. Vincent loved to play video games, was an avid Chicago Blackhawks fan, and enjoyed watching movies and critiquing them. He was a member of Buffalo Christian Church. Vincent was known for his friendly personality, he never met a stranger and was always willing to help others. He would light up a room and always wanted to make people happy. He loved to dance, even when no one else was dancing. He is survived by his parents, Corry Rowden and Arnold Blose both of Dawson; four sisters, Samantha K. Allen of Springfield, Kendra L. Rowden of Mechanicsburg, Alisha Combs of Springfield and Stephanie Combs of Kissimmee, FL; one brother, Nicholas Combs of Houston, TX; grandparents, Dale and Violet Blose of Dawson; grandfather, Hubert Allen of Buffalo; one uncle, Kevin (Tina) Allen of Athens; one aunt, Elizabeth Blose of Dawson; one niece, Madison of Houston, TX; one nephew, Adam of Houston, TX; and several cousins Visitation will be from 3:00 p.m. until the time of the funeral service at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 2, 2016 at Fullenwider-Park Funeral Home in Mechanicsburg with Reverend Dave Gessaman officiating. Cremation will follow services. Memorial contributions may be made to Carol Jo Vecchie Women and Children's Center at St. John's Hospital or the Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America. Fullenwider-Park Funeral Home, 200 S. Church St., Mechanicsburg, IL 62545 is in charge of arrangements. Visit our online obituary at [www.parkfuneralhomesinc.com](http://www.parkfuneralhomesinc.com)

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