Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, Monday, January 1, 2007

1. AKINS, JONI MURDOCK, (Obituary No. 1.) 50, Ft McCoy - Mrs. Joni Murdock Akins, 50 passed away on December 29, 2006 in Ft. McCoy, FL. She was a career truck driver and she is a Methodist. She moved into the area in 1976 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. She is survived by her husband James Akins, her mother Ruth Murdock, a sister Karen Morton all of Ft. McCoy, FL., also two brothers Thomas Winkels of Boyton Beach, FL. and Terry Winkels of Finley, OH. She is predeceased by her father Frank Murdock. In lieu of flowers send donations to the American Cancer Society. Services will be at Lochloosa United Methodist Church in Hawthorne, FL., Jan. 2nd at 1PM. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala will be handling services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/30/2006 - 1/1/2007.

2. BILLIOT, MARY LOUISE, (Obituary No. 2.) 62 Ocala - Mary Louise Billiot, 62, formerly of Newark, New Jersey, passed away Wednesday, December 27, 2006 after a prolonged illness. She has lived in Silver Springs since 1983 and was a member of Grace Baptist Church. She was a teacher for Ocala Christian Academy, Oak-Griner, the Adult night school, and Marion County Public Schools and was also a Sunday school teacher. Mary was a published author, wrote articles and editorials for the Ocala Star-Banner, and was a member of the National League of American Pen Women. She is survived by husband, Adam Billiot of Ocala, Florida, mother Mary Siple, of Belleview, Florida, daughters, Melodie Billiot, of Atlanta, Georgia, Davina Billiot, of Atlanta, Georgia, Rhonda Mitchell, of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Danielle Gwin of Ocala, Florida, and grandchildren Alec, Drew, Cole, Celeste, Sarah, Jackson and Ayden. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, January 2, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at Grace Baptist Church, Belleview, Florida with Pastor Rocky Culpepper officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday from 5-7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/31/2006 - 1/1/2007.

3. D'ARVILLE, ROBERT MAXWELL, (Obituary No. 3.) 87 Dunnellon - Robert Maxwell D'Arville died on Friday, December 29, 2006 at Legacy House of Ocala. Born on March 21, 1919 in Long Island, Bahamas, he moved to Marion County 28 years ago from Brevard, NC. He was a retired business owner. He was a former member of the Rotary and Past President of the Chamber of Commerce, both in Freeport, Bahamas. He was truly loved and will be missed by those who survive him, including his wife, Brenda D'Arville of Dunnellon; sons, Julian D'Arville (Barbara) of Paradise Island, Bahamas and Brian D'Arville (Sharon) of Freeport, Bahamas; daughters, Andree Stewart (Craig) of Freeport, Bahamas, Roxanne Cannon (Joe) of Tampa, FL, Jennifer Colacino (Christopher) of San Antonio, TX, and Cynthia Bacon (Sean) of Orlando, FL; daughter-in-law, Lynne D'Arville of Paradise Island, Bahamas; sister, Essie Geraghty of South Windsor, CT; grandchildren, Robert D'Arville, Patrice Paton, Julie Cleare, Troy D'Arville, Tiffany Myers, Amber deGregory, diAndra Stewart, Dawn Stewart, and Maxwell Colacino; great grandchildren, Mark, Christian and Julian Paton, Ryan and Kylie Myers, Maverick and Brosnan D'Arville, Amanda and Elliot deGregory, and Nathan and Hudson Cleare. He was predeceased by his son, Tyrone D'Arville and grandchildren, Thor D'Arville and Joshua Cannon. A memorial service will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON on Thursday, January 4th, 2007 at 1:30 p.m. with Roy Winston officiating. Arrangements by
4. GRESH, MARY ANN, (Obituary No. 4.) 96 Summerfield - Mary Ann Gresh, 96, of Summerfield passed away on Saturday, December 30, 2006 at Ocala Health & Rehab Center. A native of Windber, PA., she came here in 1970 from Erie, PA. Mary was a lifelong homemaker and also a parishioner of St. Theresa's Catholic Church. She is survived by daughter, Dolores Eades of Oxford, FL; daughter, Barbara Whitmore of Summerfield; daughter, Dorothy Jones of Lewiston, ID; sister Anna Madaras of Jamestown, NY; 15 grandchildren, 44 great grandchildren, and 7 great great grandchildren. Mrs. Gresh was preceded in death by her husband of 66 years, Joseph A. Gresh on November 18, 1993 and a daughter Catherine J. Senita, son Robert T. Gresh, son-in-law Emmett Eades, sister Julia Johnson, brother George Madaras, and grandchildren Duane and Wayne Eades. Friends will be received on Tuesday, January 2, 2007 from 4 - 6 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where chapel services will be held on Wednesday, January 3, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. with Fr. David Divero officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/1/2007 - 1/2/2007.

5. HOPE, JR., JULIUS OLIVER, (Obituary No. 5.) 71 Summerfield - Julius O. Hope, Jr., 71, died on December 26, 2006 at MRMC. He worked for the City of Belleview Maintenance Department for many years. He was the son of the late Julius O. Hope, Sr., and Viola Taylor-Hope. He leaves behind to cherish his memories a wife Mary People-Hope, 2 sons, Gregory J. Hope (Summerfield, FL), Cleveland M. Hope (Delray Beach, FL), 4 stepsons Robert Rushing (Jacksonville, FL), Mosley Rushing (Gainesville, FL), Joseph Rushing (Laura, DE), Gerald Rushing (Orlando, FL), 2 step daughters, Vanessa Boyd and Sylvia Rushing (Ocala). Funeral Services for Mr. Hope will be at 1:00 p.m. on Tues. at Shiloh SDA Church, Ocala, FL. Pastor Paul Goodridge will conduct the eulogy. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Mon. from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Hope's residence (4125 SE 145 Street, Summerfield, FL) on Tues. at noon to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Service defines Quality and Satisfaction." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/31/2006 - 1/1/2007.

6. MISHLER, RUTH N., (Obituary No. 6.) 75 Inverness - Ruth N. Mishler, 75, died suddenly on Tuesday, December 26, 2006 at Citrus Memorial Health Systems. Ruth was born on November 25, 1931 in Howe, IN, the daughter of Marion Clifford and Etta Rush. She lived in Ocala from 1972 until 2001 when she moved to Inverness. She was retired for many years and had managed the concession stands at the Market of Marion flea market in Ocala and was a waitress at the Waffle House in Ocala. She loved flowers, gardening and doing needlepoint. She was preceded in death by her companion Lloyd Mishler and three brothers, Floyd Rush, Michael Rush and Pat Rush. Survivors include four daughters, Janice Burdine (JE) of Ocala, Donita Cook (Leroy) of Inverness, Cynthia Hale of MO, and Kimberly Bertino (Nathan) of Hernando; son, Gregory Mishler (Mary) of Gilmer, TX; four brothers, Lee Rodger Rush of Ocala, Donald Rush of Ft. Myers, Glen Rush of Jasper, AL, and James Rush of Walkerton, IN; nine grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service for family and friends will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, January 2, 2007 at the Heinz Funeral Home in Inverness. Reverend JE Burdine will
7. O'CULL, RANDAL TODD (RANDY) (Obituary No. 7.) 46 Ocala - Randy O'Cull passed away on December 20, 2006 at the Legacy House in Ocala, Florida after a lengthy battle with cancer. He was a business owner, avid bicyclist and loved drag racing in his Oldsmobile. Randy was a loving husband, father and grandfather. His wife of 23 years, Kellye; son Travis, his wife Heather and grandson Austin; daughter Alyson and son David, all of Ocala, survives him. Randy moved to Ocala in 1968 from Dayton, Ohio with his parents Ken & Carol O'Cull and brothers Jeff, Alan and Doug, who all reside in Ocala. He graduated from Forest High School and attended Central Florida Community College. Randy was a member of Saint Paul's United Methodist Church where he enjoyed serving with the youth ministry and studying with the disciple class. A memorial service to celebrate Randy’s life will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at Saint Paul's United Methodist Church. In Lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County, Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, Florida 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/31/2006 - 1/2/2007.

8. SICA, MICHAEL R., (Obituary No. 8.) 78 Ocala - Michael Sica died on December 23, 2006 at the Legacy House in Ocala, FL and lived in Ocala since 1991. He was a U.S. Army Veteran serving in the Korean War. He retired from Continental Baking Co., in New York after 35 years. He was a member of the Men's Golf League at OTOW. He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Violet of Ocala, and three sons, Robert, Andrew and Michael; and five grandchildren. Memorial Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Hwy 200, Ocala, FL on Tuesday, January 2, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/31/2006 - 1/1/2007.

9. SPARKS, MILDRED, (Obituary No. 9.) 86 Hendersonville, NC - Mildred Sparks, 86 of Hendersonville, NC, formerly of Ocala, passed away on Thursday, Dec. 28, 2006 at Pardee Memorial Hospital in Hendersonville. A native of Ervin, KY, she moved to Hendersonville three and a half years ago from Ocala, where she had lived over 30 years. Mrs. Sparks was a lifelong homemaker and a member of First Christian Church of Ocala. Mildred is survived by her son Larry Wayne Sparks of Fernandina Beach; daughter Margaret Pryse Price of Hendersonville, NC; son James Dudley Sparks of Brandon; sister Pauline Kirby of Ocala; grandchildren Joel, Jeff, Chris, David and Evan; great-grandchildren Claire, Eleanor, Naomi, Larissa and Julia. She was preceded in death by her husband of 53 years, Dudley Sparks, on Nov. 15, 1994. Friends will be received on Tuesday, Jan. 2nd from 11:30 to 1:30 at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Graveside services will be held at 1:45 in Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens with Dr. Doug Moore of First Christian Church of Ocala officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/31/2006 - 1/1/2007.

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10. GRESH, MARY ANN, (Obituary No. 10.) 96 Summerfield - Mary Ann Gresh, 96, of Summerfield passed away on Saturday, December 30, 2006 at Ocala Health & Rehab Center. A native of Windber, PA., she came here in 1970 from Erie, PA. Mary was a lifelong homemaker
and also a parishioner of St. Theresa's Catholic Church. She is survived by daughter, Dolores Eades of Oxford, FL; daughter, Barbara Whitmore of Summerfield; daughter, Dorothy Jones of Lewiston, ID; sister Anna Madaras of Jamestown, NY; 15 grandchildren, 44 great grandchildren, and 7 great great grandchildren. Mrs. Gresh was preceded in death by her husband of 66 years, Joseph A. Gresh on November 18, 1993 and a daughter Catherine J. Senita, son Robert T. Gresh, son-in-law Emmett Eades, sister Julia Johnson, brother George Madaras, and grandchildren Duane and Wayne Eades. Friends will be received on Tuesday, January 2, 2007 from 4 - 6 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where chapel services will be held on Wednesday, January 3, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. with Fr. David Divero officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/1/2007 - 1/2/2007.

11. HARRINGTON, CHARLES DAVID (DAVE), (Obituary No. 11.) 66 Ft. McCoy - Dave Harrington passed away on Friday, December 29, 2006 after a lengthy battle of cancer. Dave was the Racetrack Superintendent of Monmouth Park Racetrack for the past several years, was an Assistant Starter for numerous years, and had been involved with thoroughbred race horses since 1957. He loved horses, fishing, his family, and his many many friends. He is survived by his wife, Alyse, son, Joseph Dino Harrington, daughter, Tina Ann Atha, step-son, Jesse Jack Thompson, step-daughter, Kelly Ann Bush, grandchildren, Joseph David Harrington, Aaron Hunter Harrington, Ashton Nicole Sansom, Dustin David Atha, Joel David Atha, Jordan Ashley Atha, Macey Lee Ann Morgan Webb, Jesse Jack Thompson, Jr., and great-grandchild, Sara-Catherine Sansom. Survivors also include his 6 sisters, and numerous nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the American Cancer Society. A "Celebration of Life" in honor of Dave will be held at his home located at 14845 NE 214 Avenue, Ft. McCoy, FL, on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at 3:00 p.m. Calls are being accepted by his daughter, Tina, at 352-817-1866. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/2/2007 - 1/3/2007.

12. HELTON, RUBY P., "GRANNY", (Obituary No. 12.) 89 Belleview - Ruby P. "Granny" Helton, 89 of Belleview, died Saturday, December 30, 2006 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Tallassee, Alabama, she moved to Belleview from Miami 40 years ago. She attended Shiloh Church of Belleview. Known for her friendliness at the Farm House Restaurant from 1994 until 2003, she enjoyed fishing and was dedicated to her family. Survivors include daughters LaVerne Cameron of Ocala, May Dow and Joyce Phillips, both of Belleview, sister Mary Bryant of Theodore, AL, 7 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband James Helton. Services will be held at 12 noon Wednesday, January 3, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, with Rev. Wayne King officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday evening from 5-7 p.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/2/2007 - 1/3/2007.

13. MISHLER, RUTH N., (Obituary No. 13.) 75 Inverness - Ruth N. Mishler, 75, died suddenly on Tuesday, December 26, 2006 at Citrus Memorial Health Systems. Ruth was born on November 25, 1931 in Howe, IN, the daughter of Marion Clifford and Etta Rush. She lived in Ocala from 1972 until 2001 when she moved to Inverness. She was retired for many years and had managed the concession stands at the Market of Marion flea market in Ocala and was a waitress at the Waffle House in Ocala. She loved flowers, gardening and doing needlepoint. She
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14. O'CULL, RANDAL TODD (RANDY), (Obituary No. 14.) 46 Ocala - Randy O'Cull passed away on December 20, 2006 at the Legacy House in Ocala, Florida after a lengthy battle with cancer. He was a business owner, avid bicyclist and loved drag racing in his Oldsmobile. Randy was a loving husband, father and grandfather. His wife of 23 years, Kellye; son Travis, his wife Heather and grandson Austin; daughter Alyson and son David, all of Ocala, survives him. Randy moved to Ocala in 1968 from Dayton, Ohio with his parents Ken & Carol O'Cull and brothers Jeff, Alan and Doug, who all reside in Ocala. He graduated from Forest High School and attended Central Florida Community College. Randy was a member of Saint Paul's United Methodist Church where he enjoyed serving with the youth ministry and studying with the disciple class. A memorial service to celebrate Randy's life will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at Saint Paul's United Methodist Church. In Lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County, Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, Florida 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/31/2006 - 1/2/2007.

15. SALOMONE, THOMAS JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 15.) 47 Ocala - Loving husband and father Thomas Joseph Salomone, age 47, passed away Sunday, December 31, 2006 at MRMC. He was born February 15, 1959 in Chicago, and came to Ocala one year ago from Ft. Lauderdale. He owned "Tommy's House of Guitars", a vintage musical instrument company. He is survived by his wife of 23 years Tracy, and sons Thomas Michael Salomone, Tyler Matthew Salomone, both of Ocala, brothers Frank Salomone (wife Kathy) of Elks Grove, IL, Ross Salomone (wife Barbara) of LaQuinta, CA, nephew Buddy Baron and niece Teresa Stenzel. Proceeded in death by his sister, Angela Baron. Funeral Mass will be 11:00 a.m. Thursday, January 4, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/2/2007 - 1/3/2007.

16. SMART, NORMAN S., (Obituary No. 16.) 76 Summerfield - Norman S. Smart, 76, of Summerfield, died Sunday, December 31, 2006 at the Tuscany House in Summerfield. Mr. Smart was born in Boxwood, VA and moved here form Colonial Heights, VA in 1994. He retired from the US Army and served in the Korean War. He taught Physical Education and Driver's Education for Monterey County, CA. He managed a golf course in the Panama Canal Zone for two years, he also served as a protocol officer for the US Army Intelligence School, Ft. Huachuca, AZ and US Army Housing Manger in Ft. Lee, VA. He enjoyed all sports; especially golf. Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Dorothy of Summerfield; daughter Suzanne Smart Yates Van Anken of Ocala; sisters, Lucy Lee Dunwoodic of Martinsville, VA and Anne Hufham of Hickory, NC; one grandson and two great granddaughters. Memorial services will be held at a
later date in Martinsville, VA. Family requests any memorial contributions be sent to Hospice of Marion County, Inc. P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, THE VILLAGES, FL. 352-753-8353 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/2/2007 - 1/3/2007.

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17. EVERSON, JOHN (JACK) R., (Obituary No. 17.) 69 Ocala - Jack Everson, 69, of Ocala passed away Monday, December 25, 2006 at MRMC. He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Pauline and sons, Mark Everson of Pottstown, PA, MICHAEL Everson of Weston, FL, two grandchildren, John R. and Meghan Everson; sister, Elaine A Buckner of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his sister, Nancy Magoun. There will be a Celebration of Jack's Life at the Gazebo Restaurant in Oak Run on January 19, 2007 between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. Family request any memorial contributions be sent to Hospice of Marion County, Inc. P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

18. GALVIN, MARGARET L., (Obituary No. 18.) 85 Ocala - Margaret L. Galvin, 85, of Ocala, passed away December 30, 2006. Born in Yonkers, New York, she came to this area 11 years ago from Deltona, FL. She was a homemaker and an active member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas A. Galvin and is survived by her daughters, Margaret Barber of Covington, TN, Kathleen Clay of Decatur, AL and Patricia Galvin of Albuquerque, NM; 7 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A Memorial Mass will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church (4047 NE 21st St. Silver Springs 236-2230) on Thursday, January 4, 2007 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Church. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 622-4141 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

19. HARRINGTON, CHARLES DAVID (DAVE), (Obituary No. 19.) 66 Ft. McCoy - Dave Harrington passed away on Friday, December 29, 2006 after a lengthy battle of cancer. Dave was the Racetrack Superintendent of Monmouth Park Racetrack for the past several years, was an Assistant Starter for numerous years, and had been involved with thoroughbred race horses since 1957. He loved horses, fishing, his family, and his many many friends. He is survived by his wife, Alyse, son, Joseph Dino Harrington, daughter, Tina Ann Atha, step-son, Jesse Jack Thompson, step-daughter, Kelly Ann Bush, grandchildren, Joseph David Harrington, Aaron Hunter Harrington, Ashton Nicole Sansom, Dustin David Atha, Joel David Atha, Jordan Ashley Atha, Macey Lee Ann Morgan Webb, Jesse Jack Thompson, Jr., and great-grandchild, Sara-Catherine Sansom. Survivors also include his 6 sisters, and numerous nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the American Cancer Society. A "Celebration of Life" in honor of Dave will be held at his home located at 14845 NE 214 Avenue, Ft. McCoy, FL, on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at 3:00 p.m. Calls are being accepted by his daughter, Tina, at 352-817-1866. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/2/2007 - 1/3/2007.

20. HARTER, TERRY L., (Obituary No. 20.) 66 Ocala - Mr. Terry L. Harter, 66, passed away January 1, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Cincinnati, Ohio and moved to Ocala in 1999 from there. He was a member of the Countryside Presbyterian Church
and the Men's Association. He was a U.S. Navy Submarine Veteran, for 22 years. Chief Harter was a distinguished member of Admiral Hyman Rickover's staff, an excellent teacher and a greatly respected member of the naval reserve. He was personally lauded on several occasions by the Chief of Naval Operations himself for services above and beyond his assignments. He worked as a Nuclear Engineer. He also started and operated his own Thermography Company, called Institute for Maintenance Technology and Research. He was an avid reader, animal lover, enjoyed mathematics and gardening. He was a member of the U.S. Submarines Nautilus Base Organization, a member of MENSA and the Sinker and Java Club. He is survived by his cherished wife Joy L. Harter of Ocala, stepson David Hertzig of Chicago, Il and stepdaughters Bethany and Laura Hertzig both of Cincinnati, Ohio. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, January 5, 2007 at the Countryside Presbyterian Church with Rev. Gary Marshall officiating. Military interment services will be held at Florida National Cemetery at a later date. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, the Parkinson's Association or the SPCA.


21. HAYES, STEPHANIE JULIA, (Obituary No. 21.) 101 Ocala - Stephanie J. Hayes, 101, passed away Saturday, December 30, 2006. She was born December 14, 1905 in Balin, Poland and came to America in 1911 at the age of five. She came to Ocala in 2002 from Union, NJ. Mrs. Hayes enjoyed reading and watching movies on TV. She is survived by three daughters, Dorothy Scott, Ocala, Christine Hayes, Sun City, AZ, and Barbara Conway of Ocala, two sons, Patrick Hayes of Surfside Beach, SC, Richard Hayes, Bayville, NJ, sister Alice Dickson, Massapequa Park, NY, 14 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, and 5 great great grandchildren. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 6, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be Friday 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIER S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hawthorne Inn at Surrey Place, 4100 SW 33rd Avenue, Ocala, FL. 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

22. HELTON, RUBY P., "GRANNY", (Obituary No. 22.) 89 Belleview - Ruby P. "Granny" Helton, 89 of Belleview, died Saturday, December 30, 2006 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Tallassee, Alabama, she moved to Belleview from Miami 40 years ago. She attended Shiloh Church of Belleview. Known for her friendliness at the Farm House Restaurant from 1994 until 2003, she enjoyed fishing and was dedicated to her family. Survivors include daughters LaVerne Cameron of Ocala, May Dow and Joyce Phillips, both of Belleview, sister Mary Bryant of Theodore, AL, 7 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband James Helton. Services will be held at 12 noon Wednesday, January 3, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, with Rev. Wayne King officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday evening from 5-7 p.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/2/2007 - 1/3/2007.

23. JONES, ROBERT E., (Obituary No. 23.) 79 Summerfield - Robert E. Jones, 79, of Summerfield, died January 1, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was a native of Birmingham, AL and moved to Summerfield from Atlanta, GA over 50 years ago. Mr. Jones was a 30-year member of First Baptist Church of Summerfield where he was a Sunday School
teacher and sang in the choir. He was a retired rural letter carrier and enjoyed barbershop singing and sailboats. He was a veteran of the Army and served in the Army Reserves. Mr. Jones is survived by his wife, Anne M. Jones, Summerfield; daughters, Annette Jones, Providence, RI, JoAnn T. Walsh, Savannah, Georgia; sons, Dennis W. Jones, Ocala, FL, Kenneth E. Jones, Weirsdale, FL, Lawton Tootle and Tim Tootle, both of New York City, sisters, Dorothy Pinnizotto, Erial, NJ, Betty Collier, Anderson, SC; brothers, Mike Jones, Bellevue, Carl Jones, Berlin, IN; 14 grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren. Services for Mr. Jones will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, January 5, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Summerfield with Rev. Michael Hunkus officiating. Burial will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Visitation will be Thursday from 5 - 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview.


24. KLEIER, ROBERT A., (Obituary No. 24.) 82 Ocala - Robert A. Kleier, 82, of Ocala, died Saturday, December 23, 2006 at Hospice House of Marion County, FL. Mr. Kleier was born in Louisville, KY and moved to Dunedin, FL in 1968. He moved to Ocala in 2002. He was a Pipefitter for Steamfitter Local Union #522 in Louisville, KY. He served in the US Navy during WWII. He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic - Dunedin, Florida. He was also a member of Oak Run Veterans Association in Ocala, and a life member of D.A.V. He is survived by 3 step-sons, Wayne Fangman of Louisville, KY, Michael Fangman of Palm Harbor, FL and Douglas Fangman of Ocala, FL; 1 step-daughter, Mariann Sullivan of Englis, FL; 1 sister Elizabeth "Betty" Fleeck of Louisville, KY; 10 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren.


25. MCLEAN, BETTE M., (Obituary No. 25.) 84 Kensington, Maryland - Bette M. McLean, 84, died on Thursday, December 14, 2006, Bette M. McLean of Kensington, Maryland, beloved wife of the late Robert McLean, and mother of Douglas McLean, Michael McLean and Elizabeth McLean. Friends may call on Monday, January 8, 2007 at MOLESWORTH-WILLIAMS P.A., FUNERAL HOME, 26401 Ridge Road, Damascus, Maryland from 10 a.m. until Memorial service begin at 11 a.m. Inurnment will be held at 2 p.m. at the columbarium in Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia. Friends and relatives attending should assemble at the administration building of the cemetery by 1:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family request that expressions of sympathy be in the form of memorial contributions to St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 1839 NE 8th Avenue Road., Ocala, Florida 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

26. PASTEUR, MARION T., (Obituary No. 26.) 83 Ocala - Marion T. Pasteur, 83, of Ocala, FL passed away Monday, January 1, 2007 at Tuscany House. He has been a life long resident of Ocala. Mr. Pasteur was a member of Marion-Dunn Masonic Lodge # 19 F&AM, and the Shrine Club for over 50 years, and the D.A.V. A veteran of the US Army, serving in WWII, he was awarded a Bronze Star and a Purple Hearth. Survived by his daughter, Bonnie Pasteur, Longwood, FL.; four sons, Tommy, Chris, and Dale Pasteur all of Ocala, FL and Roger Pasteur of NC.; brother, Mason Pasteur of Anthony and 6 grandchildren. Proceeded in death by his wife Nina Mae Pasteur in 1975, two brothers, George D. Pasteur, Jr., and Allen Pasteur. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, January 4, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park. Memorial

27. PRICE, CAROL ELAINE, (Obituary No. 27.) 63 Huntington, IN - Carol Elaine Price, 63, formerly of Ocala, FL died December 29, 2006 in Huntington, IN. Mrs. Price married Larry F. Price Sr., survives in Huntington, IN. She worked for Martin - Marietta in Ocala, FL. Moose Lodge # 1199 in Ocala, FL and Moose Lodge # 1271 in Leesburg, FL. Memorial services will be at 4 p.m. Saturday, January 6, 2006 at the Trinity United Methodist Church. Burial will be in Pilgrims Rest Cemetery, Huntington, IN. Arrangements under the direction of MCELHANEY-HART FUNERAL HOME. In lieu of flowers memorials to help defray medical expenses can be made in the care of the Mcelhaney-Hart Funeral Home, 715 N. Jefferson St. Huntington, IN 46750. Online condolences to the family can be made at www.mcelhaneyhartfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

28. SALOMONE, THOMAS JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 28.) 47 Ocala - Loving husband and father Thomas Joseph Salomone, age 47, passed away Sunday, December 31, 2006 at MRMC. He was born February 15, 1959 in Chicago, and came to Ocala one year ago from Ft. Lauderdale. He owned "Tommy's House of Guitars", a vintage musical instrument company. He is survived by his wife of 23 years Tracy, and sons Thomas Michael Salomone, Tyler Matthew Salomone, both of Ocala, brothers Frank Salomone (wife Kathy) of Elks Grove, IL, Ross Salomone (wife Barbara) of LaQuinta, CA, nephew Buddy Baron and niece Teresa Stenzel. Proceeded in death by his sister, Angela Baron. Funeral Mass will be 11:00 a.m. Thursday, January 4, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/2/2007 - 1/3/2007.

29. SMART, NORMAN S., (Obituary No. 29.) 76 Summerfield - Norman S. Smart, 76, of Summerfield, died Sunday, December 31, 2006 at the Tuscany House in Summerfield. Mr. Smart was born in Boxwood, VA and moved here form Colonial Heights, VA in 1994. He retired from the US Army and served in the Korean War. He taught Physical Education and Driver's Education for Monterey County, CA. He managed a golf course in the Panama Canal Zone for two years, he also served as a protocol officer for the US Army Intelligence School, Ft. Huachuca, AZ and US Army Housing Manger in Ft. Lee, VA. He enjoyed all sports; especially golf. Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Dorothy of Summerfield; daughter Suzanne Smart Yates Van Anken of Ocala; sisters, Lucy Lee Dunwoodic of Martinsville, VA and Anne Hufham of Hickory, NC; one grandson and two great granddaughters. Memorial services will be held at a later date in Martinsville, VA. Family requests any memorial contributions be sent to Hospice of Marion County, Inc. P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, THE VILLAGES, FL. 352-753-8353 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/2/2007 - 1/3/2007.

30. TAHLLIER, FRANCES LUCILLE, (Obituary No. 30.) 76 Ocala - Frances Lucille Tahlier, 76, died on December 26, 2006 at Sylvia's House Hospice. She was born in Parkersburg, WV on August 4, 1930. She had lived in Ocala for 43 years and was a member of First Christian Church, Parkersburg. Mrs. Tahlier was a longtime employee of Gause and Sons Jewelers. She is survived
by her husband of 40 years Amos Tahlier, two sons, Douglas D. Bobbitt and Bradford A. Bobbitt, and two grandsons, Justin Bobbitt and Tyler Bobbitt, all of Ocala. She is also survived by a sister, Kathleen Sprow of Hendersonville, NC. Burial will be held at Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Parkersburg, WV. Funeral Services are under the direction of KIMES FUNERAL HOME, Parkersburg, WV. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478. Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.KimesFH.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

31. TRACY, JOHN (JACK) (Obituary No. 31.) 77 Ocala - John (Jack) Tracy passed away on Dec. 30th 2006, at The Legacy House, in Ocala, FL. He leaves a wife, Vera Tracy and a daughter Donna Hall of Lititz PA. Two sisters Doris Robinson of Philadelphia and Margery Rhodes of York, PA. John was born in Philadelphia he retired to Florida in 1989. He was employed by Bell Telephone company for 33 yrs and served in the Army during the Korean War. John had 2 grandsons, Philip, Christian and one granddaughter, Tracy. He also had three step-daughters and one step-son, Julie, Cindy, Elaine and Rolfe. A Memorial will be held at Ocala United Methodist Church for friends and neighbors at 2 p.m. Saturday, January 6, 2007. Please no flowers, Donations may be made to The Legacy House or to your favorite charity. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

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32. BROWN, EUGENE "UNCLE MAN", (Obituary No. 32.) 94 Ocala - Eugene "Uncle Man" Brown, 94, retired citrus foreman, died December 27, 2006. Mr. Brown leave to cherish his memories his wife, Ozia L. Brown of Ocala; 2 sons, John Pat Bailey of Copperes Cove, TX and Clay Sampson of Orlando, FL; 3 sisters, Edna Hardy of Belleview, FL, Elouise Washington of Bellevue, FL and Virginia Isham of Ocala, FL. Funeral Services for Mr. Brown will be on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. with Rev. Eugene Broxton Eulogist. Viewing will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Brown's residence (1706 SW 3rd St., Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

33. BRUMSTED SR, CHARLES R., (Obituary No. 33.) 66 Ocala - Charles R. Brumsted, Sr., 66, of Ocala, passed away December 31, 2006 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He came here ten years ago from his native Batavia, NY and was a retired carpenter in commercial construction. Charles was a member of Carpenter Union Local # 85 for over 40 years and Ironworkers Union Local # 33, both of Rochester, NY and was of the Baptist faith. Charles was also a US Army Veteran from 1958 to 1960. He was also a member of the North Central Florida APA Pool League for five years (at Bankshot Billiards) and played in the Masters Division for the past year. He is survived by his wife, June L. Brumsted of Ocala; son, Charles Brumsted, Jr., of Batavia, NY; son David Brumsted (Liz) of Byron, NY; son, Robert Brumsted (Laurie) of Leroy, NY; sister, Doris Rich of Ocala; brother, John Brumsted (Pat) of Batavia, NY; sister, Ellie Margeson (Ed) of Sanford, NC; sister, Norma Graves (Robert) of Boynton Beach, FL; sister, Sharon Treder (Greg) of Sebewaing, MI and grandchildren Cameron, Catherine, Alexander, David and Bianca. Mr. Brumsted was preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Maud (McCulloch) Brumsted and a sister, Mary Vigiaro (2001) of Buffalo, NY. Friends will be
34. EARLY, JULIE MAE, (Obituary No. 34.) 80 Dunnellon - Julie Mae Early, 80, departed this life on December 30, 2006. She was a woman who loved life, her family and people, born November 20, 1926 in Evanston, Illinois. She was the third of eleven children, born to the late Marguerite and Jack Norris. Her siblings, Kathleen A. Peaks Wilson, Olivia Holland, Dorothy Wilson, Edie Carr, and Sean Shapiro have preceded her in death. She leaves to cherish her memories a loving and devoted husband, Johnnie L. Early of Ocala; two daughters, La-Von Julie Landis of Ocala, Florida and Mardell Lori Dunn of San Antonio, Texas; two sons, Lamont A. Self of Ocala, Florida and Norris S. Self of Bremington, Washington; three sisters, Marquerite Pop Bryant, Gloria Dryden and Marcheta Spivey; one brother, Milton Norris; five grandchildren, Cher-Ron D. Summers, Darryl R. Dunn, Dana R. Dunn, Cody K. Self, and Shae J. Self; and a host of nieces, nephew, and other relatives and friends. Funeral Service will be held Friday, January 5, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith, with Father Jean Hugues Defir officiating from Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Interment will follow in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. The family will receive friends Friday from 10 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the Homily. Service Entrusted to "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

35. EVERSON, JOHN (JACK) R., (Obituary No. 35.) 69 Ocala - Jack Everson, 69, of Ocala passed away Monday, December 25, 2006 at MRMC. He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Pauline and sons, Mark Everson of Pottstown, PA, Michael Everson of Weston, FL, two grandchildren, John R. and Meghan Everson; sister, Elaine A Buckner of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his sister, Nancy Magoun. There will be a Celebration of Jack's Life at the Gazebo Restaurant in Oak Run on January 19, 2007 between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. Family request any memorial contributions be sent to Hospice of Marion County, Inc. P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

36. FREEMAN, IV, ALONZO THOMAS, (Obituary No. 36.) 58 Ocala - Alonzo Thomas Freeman, IV, 58, died on Monday, January 1, 2007. He was born in Milwaukee, WI and moved to Ocala in 1987 from Memphis, TN. He was an electronic technician and was in the US Marine Corps and in the Vietnam War. He is survived by his wife Vickie Insco of Ocala, his daughters, Kathy Stepp of Brandon, Chris Barnhill of Riverview and Jennifer Crampton, Stacey Medrano & Tracy Galambos all of Ocala and Heather Freeman of Dunnellon, his sons, Richard Freeman of Riverview, Jerry Clark & William Insco of Ocala and Christopher Freeman of Oregon, WI; his sisters, Patricia Freeman and Kathy Bykowski, his brothers, Richard "Dick" Pirelli, Jim Freeman, Donnie Freeman and Frank Freeman, and seventeen grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Entombment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Friday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to AMVETS or the Marine Corps Toys for Tots. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

37. GALVIN, MARGARET L., (Obituary No. 37.) 85 Ocala - Margaret L. Galvin, 85, of Ocala, passed away December 30, 2006. Born in Yonkers, New York, she came to this area 11 years
ago from Deltona, FL. She was a homemaker and an active member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas A. Galvin and is survived by her daughters, Margaret Barber of Covington, TN, Kathleen Clay of Decatur, AL and Patricia Galvin of Albuquerque, NM; 7 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A Memorial Mass will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church (4047 NE 21st St. Silver Springs 236-2230) on Thursday, January 4, 2007 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Church. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 622-4141 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

38. GREEN JR., WILLIAM ALFRED, (Obituary No. 38.) 90 McIntosh - William Alfred Green, Jr. 90 of McIntosh died at his home Monday, January 01, 2007 He was member of The United Methodist Church, V. F. W. member and past Chaplin, a Thirty second degree Mason. He retired in 1985 from the Alachua County School Board, and spent the remaining years doing the things he loved, helping out at Church where needed, fishing, gardening and taking care of his cows and most of all spending time with his family. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Louise Brown Green, two daughters, Sylvia G. Herrin, Teresa G. Newbern both of McIntosh; a sister, Leonia G. Lane; five grandchildren, six great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00AM, Friday, January 05, 2007 at McIntosh United Methodist Church with Rev. Al Bryan and Rev. James Walkup conducting the service. Burial will follow in Centerpointe Cemetery Boardman, FL. The family will receive friends at 10:30AM at the Church. In lieu of flowers donations to The United Methodist Church, will be much appreciated. For Further Information Williams-Thomas Funeral Home (352) 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

39. HARTER, TERRY G., (Obituary No. 39.) 66 Ocala - Mr. Terry G. Harter, 66, passed away January 1, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Cincinnati, Ohio and moved to Ocala in 1999 from there. He was a member of the Countryside Presbyterian Church and the Men's Association. He was a U.S. Navy Submarine Veteran, for 22 years. Chief Harter was a distinguished member of Admiral Hyman Rickover's staff, an excellent teacher and a greatly respected member of the naval reserve. He was personally lauded on several occasions by the Chief of Naval Operations himself for services above and beyond his assignments. He worked as a Nuclear Engineer. He also started and operated his own Thermography Company, called Institute for Maintenance Technology and Research. He was an avid reader, animal lover, enjoyed mathematics and gardening. He was a member of the U.S. Submarines Nautilus Base Organization, a member of MENSA and the Sinker and Java Club. He is survived by his cherished wife Joy L. Harter of Ocala, stepson David Hertzig of Chicago, Il and stepdaughters Bethany and Laura Hertzig both of Cincinnati, Ohio. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, January 5, 2007 at the Countryside Presbyterian Church with Rev. Gary Marshall officiating. Military interment services will be held at Florida National Cemetery at a later date. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, the Parkinson's Association or the SPCA. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/5/2007.

40. HAYES, STEPHANIE JULIA, (Obituary No. 40.) 101 Ocala - Stephanie J. Hayes, 101, passed away Saturday, December 30, 2006. She was born December 14, 1905 in Balin, Poland
and came to America in 1911 at the age of five. She came to Ocala in 2002 from Union, NJ. Mrs. Hayes enjoyed reading and watching movies on TV. She is survived by three daughters, Dorothy Scott, Ocala, Christine Hayes, Sun City, AZ, and Barbara Conway of Ocala, two sons, Patrick Hayes of Surfside Beach, SC, Richard Hayes, Bayville, NJ, sister Alice Dickson, Massapequa Park, NY, 14 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, and 5 great great grandchildren. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 6, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be Friday 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hawthorne Inn at Surrey Place, 4100 SW 33rd Avenue, Ocala, FL. 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

41. JACKSON-TILLMAN, PRISCILLA, (Obituary No. 41.) 98 Sparr - Priscilla Jackson-Tillman, 98, homemaker, died December 29, 2006. Ms. Jackson-Tillman leaves to cherish her memories 3 daughters, Dorothy Thornton Galloway of Sparr, FL, Mary Whitaker of Lakeland, FL, and Albertha Clark of Ocala, FL; 3 sons, Louis Jackson of Jacksonville, FL, Robert Jackson of Citra, FL, and Jimmie Jackson of Citra, FL; 22 grandchildren, 54 great grandchildren, and 28 great great grandchildren. Preceded in death by daughter, Connie Jackson-Williams, son, Levi Jackson. Funeral services for Ms. Tillman will be on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. Antioch Missionary Baptist Church, Sparr, FL with Rev. Carl Gadson, Eulogist. Viewing will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Thornton-Galloway residence (768 E. CR. 316 Sparr, FL) at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

42. JONES, ROBERT E., (Obituary No. 42.) 79 Summerfield - Robert E. Jones, 79, of Summerfield, died January 1, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was a native of Birmingham, AL and moved to Summerfield from Atlanta, GA over 50 years ago. Mr. Jones was a 30-year member of First Baptist Church of Summerfield where he was a Sunday School teacher and sang in the choir. He was a retired rural letter carrier and enjoyed barbershop singing and sailboats. He was a veteran of the Army and served in the Army Reserves. Mr. Jones is survived by his wife, Anne M. Jones, Summerfield; daughters, Annette Jones, Providence, RI, JoAnn T. Walsh, Savannah, Georgia; sons, Dennis W. Jones, Ocala, FL, Kenneth E. Jones, Weirsdale, FL, Lawton Tootle and Tim Tootle, both of New York City, sisters, Dorothy Pinnizotto, Erial, NJ, Betty Collier, Anderson, SC; brothers, Mike Jones, Belleview, Carl Jones, Berlin, IN; 14 grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren. Services for Mr. Jones will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, January 5, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Summerfield with Rev. Michael Hunkus officiating. Burial will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Visitation will be Thursday from 5 - 7 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Memorial contributions may be made to favorite charities. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.

43. KLEIER, ROBERT A., (Obituary No. 43.) 82 Ocala - Robert A. Kleier, 82, of Ocala, died Saturday, December 23, 2006 at Hospice House of Marion County, FL. Mr. Kleier was born in Louisville, KY and moved to Dunedin, FL in 1968. He moved to Ocala in 2002. He was a Pipefitter for Steamfitter Local Union #522 in Louisville, KY. He served in the US Navy during WWII. He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic - Dunedin, Florida. He was also a
member of Oak Run Veterans Association in Ocala, and a life member of D.A.V. He is survived by 3 step-sons, Wayne Fangman of Louisville, KY, Michael Fangman of Palm Harbor, FL and Douglas Fangman of Ocala, FL; 1 step-daughter, Mariann Sullivan of Englis, FL; 1 sister Elizabeth "Betty" Fleck of Louisville, KY; 10 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren.

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44. LINDSEY, CLARENCE WAYNE, (Obituary No. 44.) 69 Citra - Clarence Wayne Lindsey, 69, of Citra, passed away December 31, 2006. Born in Hamilton, Ohio, he came to this area 2 years ago from Cedar Bluff, Alabama. He was a graduate of Anderson College, was in the Air Force for 10 years, and was a retired fishing guide and dairy farmer. He was an avid Bass Fisherman and was in numerous fishing tournaments. He is survived by his wife of 42 years, Letha Lindsey; sons, Larry (Terra) Lindsey of Oklahoma City, OK, Jerry (Bernie) Lindsey of Grand Rapids, MI, Billie (Sharon) Lindsey and Virgil (Carl) Lindsey of Citra; daughter, Viola (Dale) Packard of Millville, OH; sister, Doris Mae Cavender of Fairfield, OH; 24 grandchildren and several great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents Virgil "Bud" and Grace Lindsey; daughter, Kathy Swinehart and son, Joe Ringler. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Friday, January 5, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. with the Funeral Service to follow at 2 p.m. Interment will follow at Citra Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

45. LOEBIG, LOUIS, (Obituary No. 45.) 95 Belleview - Louis Loebig, 95, of Belleview, FL passed away at Surrey Place in Ocala on Wednesday, January 3, 2007. He farmed his whole life; even after moving to Belleview in 1973 from Grand Meadow, MN. He attended St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview. He is survived by his sons, Mike Loebig of Loveland, CO and Jim Loebig of Summerfield, FL, 4 grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife Arlene Loebig. A Funeral Mass will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview with Father David Vivero officiating. Visitation will be held on Fri, Jan. 5, 2006 from 6 p.m. to 7pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd, Belleview with a Rosary Service starting at 7 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

46. MCLEAN, BETTE M., (Obituary No. 46.) 84 Kensington, Maryland - Bette M. McLean, 84, died on Thursday, December 14, 2006, Bette M. McLean of Kensington, Maryland, beloved wife of the late Robert McLean, and mother of Douglas McLean, Michael McLean and Elizabeth McLean. Friends may call on Monday, January 8, 2007 at MOLESWORTH-WILLIAMS P.A., FUNERAL HOME, 26401 Ridge Road, Damascus, Maryland from 10 a.m. until Memorial service begin at 11 a.m. Inurnment will be held at 2 p.m. at the columbarium in Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia. Friends and relatives attending should assemble at the administration building of the cemetery by 1:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family request that expressions of sympathy be in the form of memorial contributions to St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 1839 NE 8th Avenue Road., Ocala, Florida 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/4/2007.
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49. SKIPPON, FRANCES R., (Obituary No. 49.) 53 Dunnellon - Frances R. Skippon, 53, passed away on December 25, 2006. She was a former manager for Albertson's of Ocala. She leaves to cherish her memories, her sons, Robert Whalen and Lawrence Schneider, her mother, Ann McCabe, grandson, Matthew Schneider, her brothers, Robert Gisosa, Russell Skippon, Joe Skippon and Danny Gisosa, her sisters, Bernice Llanas, Arlene Leone, Janet Delasano, Joann Tenaglia and Mel Paciulli. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

50. SMITH, PASTOR WAYNE, (Obituary No. 50.) 38 Palatka - Pastor Wayne Smith, 38, of Palatka died Tuesday, January 2, 2007 at his residence following a brief illness. He was a native of Ocala and had been a resident of Palatka for the past fourteen years, coming from Ocala. He was the Pastor and Founder of the Truth Holiness Church in Palatka Memorial Gardens. He enjoyed hunting and fishing. Pastor Wayne was preceded in death by his parents, Doyle and Janice Smith; and one brother, Eric Emerson Smith. He is survived by his wife of 20 years, Terry Bennett Smith of Palatka; one son, Doyle Wayne Smith of Palatka; two daughters, Brittany Lynn Smith and Terrie Elaine Smith, both of Palatka; and three sisters, Teressa McLain and Karen May, both of Ocala and Sandy Growers of Hawthorne; and several nieces and nephews. Calling hours will be from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. Friday, January 5, 2007 at the funeral home. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 6, 2007 at the Masters Funeral Home of Palatka with Rev. Lloyd Shuecraft and Rev. Alan Smith officiating. Burial will follow in the Simmons Baptist Cemetery in Citra. Memorial gifts may be sent to Haven Hospice Roberts Care Center, 6400 St. Johns Ave., Palatka, FL 32177. MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.
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Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, Friday, January 5, 2007

53. BROWN, EUGENE "UNCLE MAN", (Obituary No. 53.) 94 Ocala - Eugene "Uncle Man" Brown, 94, retired citrus foreman, died December 27, 2006. Mr. Brown leave to cherish his memories his wife, Ozia L. Brown of Ocala; 2 sons, John Pat Bailey of Copperes Cove, TX and Clay Sampson of Orlando, FL; 3 sisters, Edna Hardy of Belleview, FL, Elouise Washington of Belleview, FL and Virginia Isham of Ocala, FL. Funeral Services for Mr. Brown will be on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. with Rev. Eugene Brooton Eulogist. Viewing will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Brown's residence (1706 SW 3rd St., Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

54. BRUMSTED SR, CHARLES R., (Obituary No. 54.) 66 Ocala - Charles R. Brumsted, Sr., 66, of Ocala, passed away December 31, 2006 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He came here ten years ago from his native Batavia, NY and was a retired carpenter in commercial construction. Charles was a member of Carpenter Union Local # 85 for over 40 years and Ironworkers Union Local # 33, both of Rochester, NY and was of the Baptist faith. Charles was also a US Army Veteran from 1958 to 1960. He was also a member of the North Central Florida APA Pool League for five years (at Bankshot Billiards) and played in the Masters Division for the past year. He is survived by his wife, June L. Brumsted of Ocala; son, Charles Brumsted, Jr.,
of Batavia, NY; son David Brumsted (Liz) of Byron, NY; son, Robert Brumsted (Laurie) of Leroy, NY; sister, Doris Rich of Ocala; brother, John Brumsted (Pat) of Batavia, NY; sister, Ellie Margeson (Ed) of Sanford, NC; sister, Norma Graves (Robert) of Boynton Beach, FL; sister, Sharon Treder (Greg) of Sebewaing, MI and grandchildren Cameron, Catherine, Alexander, David and Bianca. Mr. Brumsted was preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Maud (McCulloch) Brumsted and a sister, Mary Vigiaro (2001) of Buffalo, NY. Friends will be received on Friday, January 5, 2007 from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL, Ocala. Services and interment will take place in Batavia, NY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

55. BURDETTE, RUSSELL C., (Obituary No. 55.) 95 Ocala - Russell C. Burdette, 95, of Ocala, died January 3, 2007 at Hospice's Legacy House. Mr. Burdette moved to Ocala in 2002, coming from Leesburg, Florida. Mr. Burdette was employed as a mechanic during his working years. He is survived by his wife, Helen Burdette of Ocala; 3 daughters, Beverly Catlin of Ocala, Florida, Dorothy Anderson of Lincoln, Illinois and Mary Ellen Melum of Lake City, Florida; 8 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and 6 great great grandchildren. Mr. Burdette was predeceased by a son, Russell Dale Burdette. A memorial funeral service will be conducted at 2 p.m., Friday, at the South West Christian Church, 9045 SW 60th Ave., Ocala, with Rev. Jim Thompson officiating. The family will receive friends from 1 p.m. till the start of the service at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be offered to Hospice's Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, Florida 34481. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON "STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.

56. BUTMAN, PEGGY W., (Obituary No. 56.) 77 Belleview - Peggy W. Butman, 77, a resident of Pocasset, MA, wintering in Belleview since 1993, died Tuesday, January 2, 2006 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was a retired legal secretary and was a church secretary for 20 years. She is a member of First Congregational Church in Rockland, MA and attends church at the First Congregational Church of Ocala. Survivors include her husband, Robert F. Butman, daughter Kimberly B. "Kim" Partridge, son-in-law James M. Partridge, grandsons Brian and Kevin Partridge all of Rockland, MA. Funeral Services will be held in Massachusetts at a later date. Memorial Contributions may be made to Shriners Hospitals for Children, Office of Development 2900 Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, FL 33607. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.

57. EARLY, JULIE MAE, (Obituary No. 57.) 80 Dunnellon - Julie Mae Early, 80, departed this life on December 30, 2006. She was a woman who loved life, her family and people, born November 20, 1926 in Evanston, Illinois. She was the third of eleven children, born to the late Marguerite and Jack Norris. Her siblings, Kathleen A. Peaks Wilson, Olivia Holland, Dorothy Wilson, Edie Carr, and Sean Shapiro have preceded her in death. She leaves to cherish her memories a loving and devoted husband, Johnnie L. Early of Ocala; two daughters, La-Von Julie Landis of Ocala, Florida and Mardell Lori Dunn of San Antonio, Texas; two sons, Lamont A. Self of Ocala, Florida and Norris S. Self of Bremington, Washington; three sisters, Marquerite Pop Bryant, Gloria Dryden and Marcheta Spivey; one brother, Milton Norris; five grandchildren, Cher-Ron D. Summers, Darryl R. Dunn, Dana R. Dunn, Cody K. Self, and Shae J. Self; and a
host of nieces, nephew, and other relatives and friends. Funeral Service will be held Friday, January 5, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith, with Father Jean Hugues Defir officiating from Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Interment will follow in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. The family will receive friends Friday from 10 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the Homily. Service Entrusted to "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM’S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/6/2007.

58. FREEMAN, IV, ALONZO THOMAS, (Obituary No. 58.) 58 Ocala - Alonzo Thomas Freeman, IV, 58, died on Monday, January 1, 2007. He was born in Milwaukee, WI and moved to Ocala in 1987 from Memphis, TN. He was an electronic technician and was in the US Marine Corps and in the Vietnam War. He is survived by his wife Vickie Inso of Ocala, his daughters, Kathy Stepp of Brandon, Chris Barnhill of Riverview and Jennifer Crumpt, Stacey Medrano & Tracy Galambos all of Ocala and Heather Freeman of Dunnellon, his sons, Richard Freeman of Riverview, Jerry Clark & William Inso of Ocala and Christopher Freeman of Oregon, WI; his sisters, Patricia Freeman and Kathy Bykowski, his brothers, Richard "Dick" Pirelli, Jim Freeman, Donnie Freeman and Frank Freeman, and seventeen grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Entombment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Friday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to AMVETS or the Marine Corps Toys for Tots. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

59. GREEN JR., WILLIAM ALFRED, (Obituary No. 59.) 90 McIntosh - William Alfred Green, Jr. 90 of McIntosh died at his home Monday, January 01, 2007 He was member of The United Methodist Church, V. F. W. member and past Chaplin, a Thirty second degree Mason. He retired in 1985 from the Alachua County School Board, and spent the remaining years doing the things he loved, helping out at Church where needed, fishing, gardening and taking care of his cows and most of all spending time with his family. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Louise Brown Green, two daughters, Sylvia G. Herrin, Teresa G. Newbern both of McIntosh; a sister, Leonia G. Lane; five grandchildren, six great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00AM, Friday, January 05, 2007 at McIntosh United Methodist Church with Rev. Al Bryan and Rev. James Walkup conducting the service. Burial will follow in Centerpointe Cemetery Boardman, FL. The family will receive friends at 10:30AM at the Church. In lieu of flowers donations to The United Methodist Church, will be much appreciated. For Further Information Williams-Thomas Funeral Home (352) 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

60. GRIFFIN, PEGGIE LORETTA, (Obituary No. 60.) 54 Austin, TX - Peggie Loretta Griffin, 54, formerly of Ocala, born August 11, 1952, died December 1, 2006 in Seton Medical Center - Austin, Texas died of Acute Leukemia. She is survived by two sons, Larry Griffin Jr. and wife Kelly of Georgetown, TX. and Casey Ryan Griffin of Austin, TX.; sisters, Pauline Pilcher of Ocala, FL, Cathryn Paige of Livingston, TX, Jeannette Oglesby of Nashville, TN., and Opal Chambers of Hemphill, TX; brothers, Willie Lee Moore of Ocala, FL and Jimmy Wesley Moore of Summerfield, FL and one grandson, Lane Griffin of Georgetown, TX. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.
61. HARTER, TERRY G., (Obituary No. 61.) 66 Ocala - Mr. Terry G. Harter, 66, passed away January 1, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Cincinnati, Ohio and moved to Ocala in 1999 from there. He was a member of the Countryside Presbyterian Church and the Men's Association. He was a U.S. Navy Submarine Veteran, for 22 years. Chief Harter was a distinguished member of Admiral Hyman Rickover's staff, an excellent teacher and a greatly respected member of the naval reserve. He was personally lauded on several occasions by the Chief of Naval Operations himself for services above and beyond his assignments. He worked as a Nuclear Engineer. He also started and operated his own Thermography Company, called Institute for Maintenance Technology and Research. He was an avid reader, animal lover, enjoyed mathematics and gardening. He was a member of the U.S. Submarines Nautilus Base Organization, a member of MENSA and the Sinker and Java Club. He is survived by his cherished wife Joy L. Harter of Ocala, stepson David Hertzig of Chicago, Il and stepdaughters Bethany and Laura Hertzig both of Cincinnati, Ohio. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, January 5, 2007 at the Countryside Presbyterian Church with Rev. Gary Marshall officiating. Military interment services will be held at Florida National Cemetery at a later date. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, the Parkinson's Association or the SPCA. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/3/2007 - 1/5/2007.

62. JACKSON-TILLMAN, PRISCILLA, (Obituary No. 62.) 98 Sparr - Priscilla Jackson-Tillman, 98, homemaker, died December 29, 2006. Ms. Jackson-Tillman leaves to cherish her memories 3 daughters, Dorothy Thornton Galloway of Sparr, FL, Mary Whitaker of Lakeland, FL, and Albertha Clark of Ocala, FL; 3 sons, Louis Jackson of Jacksonville, FL, Robert Jackson of Citra, FL, and Jimmie Jackson of Citra, FL; 22 grandchildren, 54 great grandchildren, and 28 great great grandchildren. Preceded in death by daughter, Connie Jackson-Williams, son, Levi Jackson. Funeral services for Ms. Tillman will be on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. Antioch Missionary Baptist Church, Sparr, FL with Rev. Carl Gadson, Eulogist. Viewing will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Thornton-Galloway residence (768 E. CR. 316 Sparr, FL) at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

63. KOOGLER, JOHN T., (Obituary No. 63.) 45 Ocala - Mr. John T. Koogler, 45 passed away December 31, 2006 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Fishersville, VA. And moved to Ocala in 2001 from there. John was a Presbyterian and a H O train hobbyist. He is survived by his wife Pamela G. Koogler of Ocala, a brother and sister-in-law, Gary and Jennifer Koogler of Fishersville, VA., a sister, Gail Thomas, a niece, Jennifer Mathyas, and a nephew, Rick Hawkins all of Sidney, Ohio. He is also survived by several friends. The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Sunday, January 7, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL 34476. A funeral service will be held at the funeral home at 3 p.m. on Monday, January 8, 2007 with Pastor Bobby Williams officiating. Entombment will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.

64. LINDSEY, CLARENCE WAYNE, (Obituary No. 64.) 69 Citra - Clarence Wayne Lindsey, 69, of Citra, passed away December 31, 2006. Born in Hamilton, Ohio, he came to this area 2
years ago from Cedar Bluff, Alabama. He was a graduate of Anderson College, was in the Air Force for 10 years, and was a retired fishing guide and dairy farmer. He was an avid Bass Fisherman and was in numerous fishing tournaments. He is survived by his wife of 42 years, Letha Lindsey; sons, Larry (Terra) Lindsey of Oklahoma City, OK, Jerry (Bernie) Lindsey of Grand Rapids, MI, Billie (Sharon) Lindsey and Virgil (Carl) Lindsey of Citra; daughter, Viola (Dale) Packard of Millville, OH; sister, Doris Mae Cavender of Fairfield, OH; 24 grandchildren and several great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents Virgil "Bud" and Grace Lindsey; daughter, Kathy Swinehart and son, Joe Ringler. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Friday, January 5, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. with the Funeral Service to follow at 2 p.m. Interment will follow at Citra Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

65. LOEBIG, LOUIS, (Obituary No. 65.) 95 Belleview - Louis Loebig, 95, of Belleview, FL passed away at Surrey Place in Ocala on Wednesday, January 3, 2007. He farmed his whole life; even after moving to Belleview in 1973 from Grand Meadow, MN. He attended St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview. He is survived by his sons, Mike Loebig of Loveland, CO and Jim Loebig of Summerfield, FL, 4 grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife Arlene Loebig. A Funeral Mass will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview with Father David Vivero officiating. Visitation will be held on Fri., Jan. 5, 2006 from 6 p.m. to 7pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd, Belleview with a Rosary Service starting at 7 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

66. MELNYK, MARK ANTHONY, (Obituary No. 66.) 49 Ocala - Mark Anthony Melnyk, 49, passed away January 2, 2007 at his home in Majestic Oaks. A beloved husband, father, and son. Mark is survived his wife Christine; sons, Brandon and Christopher; parents, Leopold and Otti Melnyk; sister, Sonja; niece Andrea Melnyk; and other family members and friends. Mark will be remembered for his love of golf, tennis, and horses. He was a good friend to all, and never met a stranger, just friends he had never met before. A Memorial Service will be held Saturday, January 6, 2007 at 2 p.m. preceded by a gathering of friends at 1 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 9695 SW 110th Street, TimberRidge. Donations will be accepted for his sons college fund c/o Mary Fowler, (954) 925-6911, or donations may be sent to Miami Children's Hospital Neonatal ICU. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.

67. PAYNE, ANN B., (Obituary No. 67.) 79 Silver Springs - Ann B. Payne, 79, of Silver Springs, Florida slipped the bonds of this earth to join her husband Lloyd Lee Payne on December 23, 2006. They will be reunited in a Sweethearts Reunion ceremony at a family memorial on January 17, 2007. She is survived by her brother Jack Departe, sister Joan Pinnex, children Ann Snyder, Kitty Lang, Russ Payne, Derek Payne, Kevin Payne, Jacque Dundas, Cole Snyder (son in law), as well as 10 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Our Mother, Our Friend, life will be lonely without you. You will be missed more then words can say. Arrangements by OLINGER WOODS CHAPEL, 1100 Washington, Ave., Golden, CO. 80401. 303-279-4575 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.
68. SCHELL, NANCY M. (Obituary No. 68.) Ocala - Nancy M. (Aurigemma) Schell, of Ocala, FL, formerly of Jeannette, passed away Friday, December 29, 2006 in Forbes Regional Health Center, Monroeville, following a long battle with cancer. She was born in Greenwald, Salem Township, a daughter of the late James and Angelina (Capola) Aurigemma. Nancy was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church, in Ocala and a former member of Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church, Jeannette. She was also an avid Bridge Player. A widow for over 30 years, she was preceded in death by her husband, Paul J. Schell on February 25, 1976. In addition to her parents and husband, she was also preceded in death by a brother, Anthony Aurigemma and two sisters, Jennie Geiger and Beatrice Minervino.

She was greatly loved and will be truly missed by her three children and their spouses; Dr. Paul L. Schell and his wife Micky of Barnegat, NJ., James J. and his wife Dolores of Jeannette, and Barbara Paliotta and her husband Mark of Monroeville, her seven grandchildren; Susan M. Schell, Juliette A. Schell, Edward P. Campomizzi, Lisa M. Matelan, Jill C. Schrock, Paul M. Schell, and David P. Schell, her eleven great grandchildren of whom she was very proud, her beloved brother, Carmine Aurigemma of Sebring, FL and her sisters, Mary Faulk of Murrysville and Lena Oeth of Folsom, CA. Friends were received Monday in the JOHN V. GRAZIANO FUNERAL HOME, INC. Jeanette, PA. A funeral mass was celebrated Tuesday in the Blessed Sacrament Cathedral, Greensburg. Interment followed in Twin Valley Memorial Park, Delmont.

69. SEFERYN, SR., STANLEY J., (Obituary No. 69.) 71 Ocala - Stanley J. Seferyn, Sr., 71, passed away at his home on Wednesday, January 3, 2007. Born in Warrior Run, PA he retired from the Laborer's Local Union # 130 in Wilkes Barre, PA before moving to Ocala in 1996. He attended Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife, Freda Seferyn of Ocala; daughter, Kathy Marino and her husband Philip of Wilkes Barre, PA; son, Stanley Seferyn, Jr and his wife Melissa of Shickshinny, PA; sisters, Jeanette Sims, Victoria Kotz, Stella Kuklewicz, Marion Wooten and Jane Gavlick; and brother, Walter Seferyn, Jr all of Hanover Township, PA; 8 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his brother John Seferyn. Memorial Services for Mr. Seferyn will be held on Sunday, January 7, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or Marion County Humane Society, 701 NW 14th Rd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.

70. SKIPPON, FRANCES R., (Obituary No. 70.) 53 Dunnellon - Frances R. Skippon, 53, passed away on December 25, 2006. She was a former manager for Albertson's of Ocala. She leaves to cherish her memories, her sons, Robert Whalen and Lawrence Schneider, her mother, Ann McCabe, grandson, Matthew Schneider, her brothers, Robert Gisosa, Russell Skippon, Joe Skippon and Danny Gisosa, her sisters, Bernice Llanas, Arlene Leone, Janet Delasano, Joann Tenaglia and Mel Paciulli. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/4/2007 - 1/5/2007.

71. SMITH, PASTOR WAYNE, (Obituary No. 71.) 38 Palatka - Pastor Wayne Smith, 38, of Palatka died Tuesday, January 2, 2007 at his residence following a brief illness. He was a native of Ocala and had been a resident of Palatka for the past fourteen years, coming from Ocala. He was the Pastor and Founder of the Truth Holiness Church in Palatka. He had worked as a cabinet maker and was a former employee of Palatka Memorial Gardens. He enjoyed hunting and
fishing. Pastor Wayne was preceded in death by his parents, Doyle and Janice Smith; and one brother, Eric Emerson Smith. He is survived by his wife of 20 years, Terry Bennett Smith of Palatka; one son, Doyle Wayne Smith of Palatka; two daughters, Brittany Lynn Smith and Terrie Elaine Smith, both of Palatka; and three sisters, Teressa McLain and Karen May, both of Ocala and Sandy Growers of Hawthorne; and several nieces and nephews. Calling hours will be from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. Friday, January 5, 2007 at the funeral home. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 6, 2007 at the Masters Funeral Home of Palatka with Rev. Lloyd Shuecraft and Rev. Alan Smith officiating. Burial will follow in the Simmons Baptist Cemetery in Citra. Memorial gifts may be sent to Haven Hospice Roberts Care Center, 6400 St. Johns Ave., Palatka, FL 32177. MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA is in charge of arrangements.

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74. DAVIS, LEROY, (Obituary No. 74.) 82 Boardman - Leroy Davis, 82 died on Jan. 1, 2007. Funeral services for Mr. Davis will be at the Sellers Funeral Home Chapel on Sunday at 2:30PM. Rev. David Fountain, eulogist. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Sat from 9-6PM. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Davis residence (5895 NW 216 St., Boardman FL) on Sunday at 1:45PM to form the funeral cortege. Mr. Davis leaves to cherish his memories a wife Mary Ailese Davis, Boardman, FL., daughter Carrie Stokes, Sons: James L. Davis,

75. DEAN, ROBERT W., (Obituary No. 75.) 69 Ocala - Robert W. Dean, 69, died Jan. 3, 2007 at the Legacy House. He was a US Air Force Veteran and served during the Korean Conflict. He was a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church, Lifetime Member D.A.V., Elks Lodge, Moose Lodge, American Legion, Habitat for Humanity, and Menders and Doers & My One Wish. He is survived by his wife, Marjorie Dean, Ocala, FL., daughter Penny Dean, Uxbridge, MA., sister Julie Fisher, Randolph, MA; brothers Joseph Dean, Grapeland, TX; John Dean, Sandwich, MA; Richard Dean, Holbrook, MA; and several nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by a son Michael Robert Dean and his parents Joseph and Helen Dean. Funeral Services will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, TimberRidge on Tuesday, January 9, 2007 at 3PM with Rev. Dr. Kenneth Kleckner officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday, January 9, 2007 from 1-3PM. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

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77. GIGGLE, DONALD J., (Obituary No. 77.) 70 Reddick - Donald J. Giggle, 70 died Jan. 4, 2007 at the Estelle Hospice House. Don was born in England and moved to this country in 1966. Lived in Williston, FL. and then moved to Ocala. Don was a farm manager in the thoroughbred industry. Don was a member of Florida Farm Managers Assoc. He loved his family and being near them and being with horses, that is what gave him joy. He is survived by his wife Sylvia Giggle of Fairbanks, Alaska. Son Alan S. Giggle of Ocala, Fl., Pete J. Giggle of Fairbanks, Alaska. Daughter Marion G. Parker of Branson, Missouri, son Cory Olson of Hawaii. Granddaughter Tiffany F. Parker of Las Vegas, NV. 2 Sisters-Pam Craven of Spain, Shelia Ashby of England and a brother David Giggle of England. And special friend Alex Brancato of Ocala. Also numerous nieces and nephews all in England. The family will be having a gathering at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel on Jan. 9, 2007 from 6-8PM with a family
share time starting at 7:30PM. All are welcome to attend this special time to remember Don.
Donation in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice in memory of Don. Published in the Ocala

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Chambers of Hemphill, TX; brothers, Willie Lee Moore of Ocala, FL and Jimmy Wesley Moore
of Summerfield, FL and one grandson, Lane Griffin of Georgetown, TX. Published in the Ocala

79. HESS, EVERETT "MARLIN", (Obituary No. 79.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Everett "Marlin" Hess,
73, passed away January 5, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Virginia and moved
to Ocala in 1995 from Port Jefferson Station, NY. He was a computer programmer for Allstate
Insurance Co., a US Army veteran and loved his family, friends and helping others. He is
survived by son Scot V. Hess of Gainesville, VA., two brothers, Arlan Hess of Mansfield, OH
and Wayne Hess of Tucson, AZ., two sisters Dollie M. Stroh of Greenwich, OH and Anita
Cramer of Mansfield, OH. He is also survived by three grandchildren Jacob, Daniel and Amanda
Hess and his significant other Betty Mack of Ocala. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West
is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

80. HUDSON, WILBURN R., (Obituary No. 80.) 81 Ocala - Wilburn R. Hudson, 81, died
Thursday, Jan. 4, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House. He moved to Ocala from Harriman, TN in
2002 and was retired from TVA. He was a veteran of WWII serving in the US Navy. He was a
32nd degree mason. He is survived by his daughter Marilyn Coyel of Belleview, his sons, Jerry
Hudson of Ocala and Richard Hudson of San Diego, CA., his sisters Faye Fink of Harriman, TN
and Sue Martin of Ringgold, GA., five grandchildren and two great grandchildren. A private
family service will be held at a later time. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions
to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral

81. KOOGLER, JOHN T., (Obituary No. 81.) 45 Ocala - Mr. John T. Koogler, 45 passed away
December 31, 2006 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Fishersville, VA. And
moved to Ocala in 2001 from there. John was a Presbyterian and a H O train hobbyist. He is
survived by his wife Pamela G. Koogler of Ocala, a brother and sister-in-law, Gary and Jennifer
Koogler of Fishersville, VA., a sister, Gail Thomas, a niece, Jennifer Mathyas, and a nephew,
Rick Hawkins all of Sidney, Ohio. He is also survived by several friends. The family will receive
friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Sunday, January 7, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES,
BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL 34476. A funeral service will be
held at the funeral home at 3 p.m. on Monday, January 8, 2007 with Pastor Bobby Williams
officiating. Entombment will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala
82. MELNYK, MARK ANTHONY, (Obituary No. 82.) 49 Ocala - Mark Anthony Melnyk, 49, passed away January 2, 2007 at his home in Majestic Oaks. A beloved husband, father, and son. Mark is survived his wife Christine; sons, Brandon and Christopher; parents, Leopold and Otti Melnyk; sister, Sonja; niece Andrea Melnyk; and other family members and friends. Mark will be remembered for his love of golf, tennis, and horses. He was a good friend to all, and never met a stranger, just friends he had never met before. A Memorial Service will be held Saturday, January 6, 2007 at 2 p.m. preceded by a gathering of friends at 1 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 9695 SW 110th Street, TimberRidge. Donations will be accepted for his sons college fund c/o Mary Fowler, (954) 925-6911, or donations may be sent to Miami Children's Hospital Neonatal ICU. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.

83. MORRIS, RUSSELL C., (Obituary No. 83.) 41 Ocala - Russell C. Morris, 41, of Meadow Wood Farms, formerly of Lincoln Park, MI passed away at his home on January 3, 2007. Mr. Morris is survived by his wife Michelle B. Morris, one son, Thomas A. Morris. His parents, Thomas E. Morris, Jackie (McIntyre) Cesarek, and step father Ron Cesarek. One brother Robert Morris, one sister Kelly Marklow, father and mother-in-law John and Dorothy Fisher and brother-in-law Kevin Fisher, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and many friends. Mr. Morris was preceded in death by his son Kevin R. Morris, and his brother Thomas E. Morris. A memorial service and reception will be held at First Baptist Church of Flat Rock (on Gibraltar Road) Pastor David Miles will officiate. Date of service to be announced. Cremation was performed in Lake City, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

84. NEEL, JAMES EDWARD, (Obituary No. 84.) 77 Ft McCoy - James Edward Neel, 77 died January 5, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. James was born in Sneeds, FL. and came to this area in 1963 from Davie, FL. He was a member of the VFW Community Center in Ft. McCoy. He is survived by sons-Edward Eugene Neel of AL., James Roy Neel of Ocala, Charles Edward Neel, AL., 3 daughters-Rita Louchart of Ocala, FL., Wanda Fyffe of Ocala, FL. and Linda Kaylor of IN., 3 brothers and 1 sister, 17 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren. Friends may call on the family Saturday, January 6, 2007 at the Robert Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel from 6-8PM and a graveside service will be held Sunday 3PM at the Ft. McCoy Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

85. PAYNE, ANN B., (Obituary No. 85.) 79 Silver Springs - Ann B. Payne, 79, of Silver Springs, Florida slipped the bonds of this earth to join her husband Lloyd Lee Payne on December 23, 2006. They will be reunited in a Sweethearts Reunion ceremony at a family memorial on January 17, 2007. She is survived by her brother Jack Departie, sister Joan Pinnex, children Ann Snyder, Kitty Lang, Russ Payne, Derek Payne, Kevin Payne, Jacque Dundas, Cole Snyder (son in law), as well as 10 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Our Mother, Our Friend, life will be lonely without you. You will be missed more then words can say. Arrangements by OLINGER WOODS CHAPEL, 1100 Washington, Ave., Golden, CO. 80401. 303-279-4575 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.

86. PICONE, RUTH, (Obituary No. 86.) 84 Belleview - Mrs. Ruth Picone, 84, passed away on Jan. 4, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield. A native of Jersey City, NJ, she came here 22 years ago from Edison, NJ. Ruth was a lifelong homemaker and attended St. Theresa's Catholic
Church in Belleview. She is survived by her husband of 66 years, Frank Picone of Belleview; daughter Ruthann Tidwell of Dunnellon; son Frank Picone, Jr. of Bronx, NY; son Raymond Picone of Newton, NJ; brother Edward Mombert of Hillsdale, NJ; grandchildren John, Lisa, Zachary, Laken, Joseph, Kevin, Frank Jr., Kristen, Jennifer, Raymond Jr. and Vincent and great grandchildren Caitlyn and Joshua. Friends will be received on Sunday, Jan. 7th from 2-4 and 6-8PM at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala where chapel services will be held on Monday, Jan. 8th at 11AM with Fr. David Vivero officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

87. SCHELL, NANCY M. (Obituary No. 87.) Ocala - Nancy M. (Aurigemma) Schell, of Ocala, FL, formerly of Jeannette, passed away Friday, December 29, 2006 in Forbes Regional Health Center, Monroeville, following a long battle with cancer. She was born in Greenwald, Salem Township, a daughter of the late James and Angeline (Capola) Aurigemma. Nancy was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church, in Ocala and a former member of Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church, Jeannette. She was also an avid Bridge Player. A widow for over 30 years, she was preceded in death by her husband, Paul J. Schell on February 25, 1976. In addition to her parents and husband, she was also preceded in death by a brother, Anthony Aurigemma and two sisters, Jennie Geiger and Beatrice Minervino. She was greatly loved and will be truly missed by her three children and their spouses; Dr. Paul L. Schell and his wife Micky of Barnegat, NJ., James J. and his wife Dolores of Jeannette, and Barbara Paliotta and her husband Mark of Monroeville, her seven grandchildren; Susan M. Schell, Juliette A. Schell, Edward P. Campomizzi, Lisa M. Matelan, Jill C. Schrock, Paul M. Schell, and David P. Schell, her eleven great grandchildren of whom she was very proud, her beloved brother, Carmine Aurigemma of Sebring, FL and her sisters, Mary Faulk of Murrysville and Lena Oeth of Folsom, CA. Friends were received Monday in the JOHN V. GRAZIANO FUNERAL HOME, INC. Jeanette, PA. A funeral mass was celebrated Tuesday in the Blessed Sacrament Cathedral, Greensburg. Interment followed in Twin Valley Memorial Park, Delmont. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.

88. SEFERYN, SR., STANLEY J., (Obituary No. 88.) 71 Ocala - Stanley J. Seferyn, Sr., 71, passed away at his home on Wednesday, January 3, 2007. Born in Warrior Run, PA he retired from the Laborer's Local Union # 130 in Wilkes Barre, PA before moving to Ocala in 1996. He attended Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife, Freda Seferyn of Ocala; daughter, Kathy Marino and her husband Philip of Wilkes Barre, PA; son, Stanley Seferyn, Jr and his wife Melissa of Shickshinny, PA; sisters, Jeanette Sims, Victoria Kotz, Stella Kuklewicz, Marion Wooten and Jane Gavlick; and brother, Walter Seferyn, Jr all of Hanover Township, PA; 8 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his brother John Seferyn. Memorial Services for Mr. Seferyn will be held on Sunday, January 7, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or Marion County Humane Society, 701 NW 14th Rd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/6/2007.

89. SMITH, PASTOR WAYNE, (Obituary No. 89.) 38 Palatka - Pastor Wayne Smith, 38, of Palatka died Tuesday, January 2, 2007 at his residence following a brief illness. He was a native of Ocala and had been a resident of Palatka for the past fourteen years, coming from Ocala. He
was the Pastor and Founder of the Truth Holiness Church in Palatka. He had worked as a cabinet maker and was a former employee of Palatka Memorial Gardens. He enjoyed hunting and fishing. Pastor Wayne was preceded in death by his parents, Doyle and Janice Smith; and one brother, Eric Emerson Smith. He is survived by his wife of 20 years, Terry Bennett Smith of Palatka; one son, Doyle Wayne Smith of Palatka; two daughters, Brittany Lynn Smith and Terrie Elaine Smith, both of Palatka; and three sisters, Teressa McLain and Karen May, both of Ocala and Sandy Growers of Hawthorne; and several nieces and nephews. Calling hours will be from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. Friday, January 5, 2007 at the funeral home. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 6, 2007 at the Masters Funeral Home of Palatka with Rev. Lloyd Shuecraft and Rev. Alan Smith officiating. Burial will follow in the Simmons Baptist Cemetery in Citra.

Memorial gifts may be sent to Haven Hospice Roberts Care Center, 6400 St. Johns Ave., Palatka, FL 32177. MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA is in charge of arrangements.


90. TURNER, LARRY MICHAEL, (Obituary No. 90.) 56 Ft. Wayne - Larry Michael Turner, 56 died Thursday, January 4, 2007 at Lutheran Hospital in Ft. Wayne. Born April 4, 1950 in London, KY, he was the son of A.J. and Opal H. (Hubbard) Turner. Larry was a disabled American Veteran who had served as SP4 in the Vietnam War. He was awarded the National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal, Purple Heart, Expert Badge M-16 with Rifle Bar, Sharpshooter Badge M-16 with Rifle Bar, Marksman Badge M-60 Machine Gun Bar, and Expert Badge with 45 Caliber Pistol. Surviving him are his son, Ryan Michael Turner of Ocala, FL., daughter Jamie Melissa Turner of Clearwater, FL., mother Opal Turner of New Palestine; sister Jewel (Ronald) Corley of New Palestine; and many nieces and nephews. Preceding him in death were his father and brothers, Eugene and Robert Turner. Visitation will lbe held on Tuesday, January 9, 2007 from 4PM until 8PM at Erlewein Mortuaries, 1484 W US 40, Greenfield. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, January 10, 2007 at 1PM at Erlewein Mortuaries, Greenfield. Pastor Ira Scott will be officiating. Burial will be at Washington Park East Cemetery in Indianapolis. Memorial contributions may be made to Disabled American Veterans, American Diabetes Association or the American Heart Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, Sunday, January 7, 2007

91. BARABAS, JOHN JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 91.) 82 Ocala - Mr. John Joseph Barabas, 82, of Ocala, died Friday, January 05, 2007, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of McKeesport, PA, Mr. Barabas came to Ocala in 1997 from New York, where he was an engineer with the Castro Convertible Furniture Company. A veteran of WWII where he served in the US Army, Mr. Barabas received the Purple Heart and 2 Bronze Stars. Mr. Barabas was of the Catholic Faith. He is survived by his devoted companion Marleen Wiersum, his son Andrew J. Barabas, his daughter Joan Marie Parkins, brothers Andrew Barabas and Steve Barabas, sisters Barbara Castro, Julie Miller, and Mary Vitale, one grandson, his niece Bernadette Castro, and numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews. He was preceded in death by his sister Theresa Castro. A Funeral Mass will be held Monday, January 8, 2007 at 10 AM at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Visitation will be Sunday, January 7 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, from 2-5 PM. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park with Military Honors. Memorial contributions may
be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

92. BUTMAN, PEGGY W., (Obituary No. 92.) 77 Belleview - Peggy W. Butman, 77, a resident of Pocasset, MA, wintering in Belleview since 1993, died Tuesday, January 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was a retired legal secretary and was a church secretary for 20 years. She is a member of First Congregational Church in Rockland, MA and attends church at the First Congregational Church of Ocala. Survivors include her husband, Robert F. Butman, daughter Kimberly B. "Kim" Partridge, son-in-law James M. Partridge, grandsons Brian and Kevin Partridge all of Rockland, MA. Funeral Services will be held in Massachusetts at a later date. Memorial Contributions may be made to Shriners Hospitals for Children, Office of Development 2900 Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, FL 33607. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/8/2007.

93. DAVIS, LEROY, (Obituary No. 93.) 82 Boardman - Leroy Davis, 82 died on Jan. 1, 2007. Funeral services for Mr. Davis will be at the Sellers Funeral Home Chapel on Sunday at 2:30PM. Rev. David Fountain, eulogist. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Sat from 9-6PM. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Davis residence (5895 NW 216 St., Boardman FL) on Sunday at 1:45PM to form the funeral cortège. Mr. Davis leaves to cherish his memories a wife Mary Ailese Davis, Boardman, FL., daughter Carrie Stokes, Sons: James L. Davis, Germany; Willie G. Davis, L.A., Wilbur T. Davis, Boardman, FL., sister Ruth V. Martin, Micanopy, FL., Brother Jessie J. Davis, Gainesville, FL., 22 grandchildren, 47 great grandchildren and 12 great great grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

94. DAY, EDWARD P., (Obituary No. 94.) 85 Sarasota, FL - Edward Paul Day, 85, of Sarasota, Florida passed away on Saturday, December 30, 2006. Ed is survived by his loving wife of 23 years, Catherine (Bersey) Day. Ed was the father of 5 children with his first wife Anna (Schaffer) Day, who died in 1976 - Richard, Patrick, and Christine (Raimondi) of Pittsburgh, PA, James of Ocala, FL and Kathleen (Anastasiu) of Chesapeake, VA. He had 11 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Ed was previously of Pittsburg, PA until 1990 when he retired with his wife Catherine to Sarasota, FL. Ed served in WWII as a technical sergeant in the US Army in Europe. He was a retired steelworker and a very accomplished wood carver. Ed will be remembered as a hardworking energetic optimist who loved life. He was totally devoted to his family and had a positive impact on the lives of everyone who knew him. He will be deeply missed by his wife and children. A memorial service will be held for ed in Pittsburg, PA at a time and place still to be determined. Throughout his life, Ed was a special friend to all animals and expressed a wish that any memorials be made by donating to the Humane Society in his memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

95. DEAN, ROBERT W., (Obituary No. 95.) 69 Ocala - Robert W. Dean, 69, died Jan. 3, 2007 at the Legacy House. He was a US Air Force Veteran and served during the Korean Conflict. He was a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church, Lifetime Member D.A.V., Elks Lodge, Moose Lodge, American Legion, Habitat for Humanity, and Menders and Doers & My One Wish. He is survived by his wife, Marjorie Dean, Ocala, FL., daughter Penny Dean,
Uxbridge, MA., sister Julie Fisher, Randolph, MA; brothers Joseph Dean, Grapeland, TX; John Dean, Sandwich, MA; Richard Dean, Holbrook, MA; and several nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by a son Michael Robert Dean and his parents Joseph and Helen Dean. Funeral Services will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, TimberRidge on Tuesday, January 9, 2007 at 3PM with Rev. Dr. Kenneth Kleckner officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday, January 9, 2007 from 1-3PM. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

96. DONNELLY, EILEEN CATHERINE, (Obituary No. 96.) 91 Altoona - Eileen Catherine Donnelly, 91, of Altoona, FL, passed away on January 2, 2007 at Waterman Hospital, Eustis, FL. A native of Cheboygan, MI, she was born Aug. 24, 1915 and lived in Bay City, MI for a number of years. Mrs. Donnelly moved to Lake County, FL from Ocala, FL 20 years ago. Eileen was a lifelong homemaker and a Life Member of Bay Chapter #219 O.E.S., Bay City, Michigan. Mrs. Donnelly is survived by a niece Sandra K. Brewer (Charles F., Jr.) of Aiken, SC and Damariscotta, ME; nephew Don F. Taylor (Sharon K.) of Adrian, MI; four grandnephews and two grandnieces. Eileen was preceded in death by her husband of 59 years, The Late Donald Donnelly, Lt. Col., U.S. Army (ret) on Aug. 11, 1997 as well as her parents, Frederic J. and Ethel M. (Lyons) Chimner. Cremation services through FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Interment will be private in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

97. GIGGLE, DONALD J., (Obituary No. 97.) 70 Reddick - Donald J. Giggle, 70 died Jan. 4, 2007 at the Estelle Hospice House. Don was born in England and moved to this country in 1966. Lived in Williston, FL. and then moved to Ocala. Don was a farm manager in the thoroughbred industry. Don was a member of Florida Farm Managers Assoc. He loved his family and being near them and being with horses, that is what gave him joy. He is survived by his wife Sylvia Giggle of Fairbanks, Alaska. Son Alan S. Giggle of Ocala, Fl., Pete J. Giggle of Fairbanks, Alaska. Daughter Marion G. Parker of Branson, Missouri, son Cory Olson of Hawaii. Granddaughter Tiffany F. Parker of Las Vegas, NV. 2 Sisters-Pam Craven of Spain, Shelia Ashby of England and a brother David Giggle of England. And special friend Alex Brancato of Ocala. Also numerous nieces and nephews all in England. The family will be having a gathering at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel on Jan. 9, 2007 from 6-8PM with a family share time starting at 7:30PM. All are welcome to attend this special time to remember Don. Donation in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice in memory of Don. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/8/2007.

98. HESS, EVERETT "MARLIN", (Obituary No. 98.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Everett "Marlin" Hess, 73, passed away January 5, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Virginia and moved to Ocala in 1995 from Port Jefferson Station, NY. He was a computer programmer for Allstate Insurance Co., a US Army veteran and loved his family, friends and helping others. He is survived by son Scot V. Hess of Gainesville, VA., two brothers, Arlan Hess of Mansfield, OH and Wayne Hess of Tucson, AZ., two sisters Dollie M. Stroh of Greenwich, OH and Anita Cramer of Mansfield, OH. He is also survived by three grandchildren Jacob, Daniel and Amanda Hess and his significant other Betty Mack of Ocala. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.
99. HUDSON, WILBURN R., (Obituary No. 99.) 81 Ocala - Wilburn R. Hudson, 81, died Thursday, Jan. 4, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House. He moved to Ocala from Harriman, TN in 2002 and was retired from TVA. He was a veteran of WWII serving in the US Navy. He was a 32nd degree mason. He is survived by his daughter Marilyn Coyel of Belleview, his sons, Jerry Hudson of Ocala and Richard Hudson of San Diego, CA., his sisters Faye Fink of Harriman, TN and Sue Martin of Ringgold, GA., five grandchildren and two great grandchildren. A private family service will be held at a later time. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

100. JACKSON, VERNAL G., (Obituary No. 100.) 77 Ocala - Mr. Vernal G. Jackson, 77, carpenter died at his home, January 2, 2007. A native of Jamaica, West Indies. A retired carpenter, Vernal was friendly and admired by many. He always was willing to help anyone in need. A member of the Silver Springs Shores Seventh Day Adventist Church where he sang in the choir. He was a supervisor with HUD in New York, was an avid reader and enjoyed cooking. He is survived by his wife, Maude Jackson of Ocala, two sons, Earl Jackson of Ft. Lauderdale, FL., and Barington Jackson of Atlanta, GA., daughters, Dawn Jackson of England, Tanya Jackson of Ocala, Maxine Jackson of New York, a stepdaughter, Lorna Moore of Ocala, Brother Ken Anderson of New York and five grandchildren. Visitation will be held on Wed., Jan. 10th between the hours of 4-8PM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East. Funeral Services will be celebrated on Thursday, Jan. 11th at the Silver Springs Shore Seventh Day Adventist Church at 11AM. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

101. JOHNSON, DARREL F., (Obituary No. 101.) 60 Ocala - Darrel F. Johnson, 60, of Ocala, passed away Jan. 3rd. He came to this area 26 years ago from his native, Rochester, MN. He was a Marine Corps Veteran of Vietnam and a retired corrections officer having working 5 years in Minnesota and 22 years for Marion Corrections Facility. He was a Corvette enthusiast, a Gator fan and a member of the National Rifle Assoc. He was preceded in death by his parents, LeRoy and Shirley Johnson and is survived by his wife, Charlotte Johnson; sons, Kenneth and Anthony Johnson of Rochester, NY, John Johnson of Bradenton, FL; daughter, Paula Johnson of Bradenton, FL; 2 granddaughters, Amber and Ashley Johnson. A Memorial Service will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Monday, Jan. 8th at 3 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

102. KELDER, MILDRED P., (Obituary No. 102.) 87 Ocala - Mrs. Mildred P. Kelder, 87 passed away on January 4, 2007. She was born in Kingston NY on August 23, 1919. She is a retired secretary. She was predeceased by her loving husband Charles of 54 years. She moved here in 1977 from Kingston, NY. She was a member of the Silver Springs Shores VFW Aux. and the Ocklawaha United Methodist Church, both in Florida. Graveside services will be at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens Tuesday, January 9, 2007 at 10AM. Roberts Funeral Home Downtown Chapel at 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala is handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.
103. MORRIS, RUSSELL C., (Obituary No. 103.) 41 Ocala - Russell C. Morris, 41, of Meadow Wood Farms, formerly of Lincoln Park, MI passed away at his home on January 3, 2007. Mr. Morris is survived by his wife Michelle B. Morris, one son, Thomas A. Morris. His parents, Thomas E. Morris, Jackie (McIntyre) Cesarek, and step father Ron Cesarek. One brother Robert Morris, one sister Kelly Marklow, father and mother-in-law John and Dorothy Fisher and brother-in-law Kevin Fisher, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and many friends. Mr. Morris was preceded in death by his son Kevin R. Morris, and his brother Thomas E. Morris. A memorial service and reception will be held at First Baptist Church of Flat Rock (on Gibraltar Road) Pastor David Miles will officiate. Date of service to be announced. Cremation was performed in Lake City, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/8/2007.

104. NEEL, JAMES EDWARD, (Obituary No. 104.) 77 Ft McCoy - James Edward Neel, 77 died January 5, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. James was born in Sneads, FL. and came to this area in 1963 from Davie, FL. He was a member of the VFW Community Center in Ft. McCoy. He is survived by sons-Edward Eugene Neel of AL., James Roy Neel of Ocala, Charles Edward Neel, AL., 3 daughters-Rita Louchart of Ocala, FL., Wanda Fyffe of Ocala, FL. and Linda Kaylor of IN., 3 brothers and 1 sister, 17 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren. Friends may call on the family Saturday, January 6, 2007 at the Robert Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel from 6-8PM and a graveside service will be held Sunday 3PM at the Ft. McCoy Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

105. PICONE, RUTH, (Obituary No. 105.) 84 Belleview - Mrs. Ruth Picone, 84, passed away on Jan. 4, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield. A native of Jersey City, NJ, she came here 22 years ago from Edison, NJ. Ruth was a lifelong homemaker and attended St. Theresa's Catholic Church in Belleview. She is survived by her husband of 66 years, Frank Picone of Belleview; daughter Ruthann Tidwell of Dunnellon; son Frank Picone, Jr. of Bronx, NY; son Raymond Picone of Newton, NJ; brother Edward Mombert of Hillsdale, NJ; grandchildren John, Lisa, Zachary, Laken, Joseph, Kevin, Frank Jr., Kristen, Jennifer, Raymond Jr. and Vincent and great grandchildren Caitlyn and Joshua. Friends will be received on Sunday, Jan. 7th from 2-4 and 6-8PM at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where chapel services will be held on Monday, Jan. 8th at 11AM with Fr. George Koeber officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/8/2007.

106. SMITH, D.V.M., JERRY MARVIN, (Obituary No. 106.) 66 Ocala - Jerry Marvin Smith, D.V.M., 66, of Ocala, passed away on Dec. 22, 2006 at the Marlere Hospice Care Center in New Port Richey. Moving here 64 years ago from Conway, S.C., Dr. Smith practiced as a veterinarian for 34 years in Ocala operating the Animal Medical Clinic. He is survived by his daughter Kimberlee Smith Corbitt of Crystal Beach, FL; brother Frank Smith of Summerfield and brother Perry Smith, D.V.M. of Miami. He was preceded in death by a brother, Juddy Smith, in May 2001. There will be an Open House Celebration of Life for Dr. Smith on Friday, Jan. 12, 2007 from 4 PM - 8 PM at The County Club at Silver Springs Shores, 565 Silver Road in Ocala. There will be a brief memorial program at 6:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Marion County Sheriff's Office K-9 Unit, (please specify the K-9 unit on the memo line of the check), 692 NW 30th Ave., Ocala, FL 34475. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, handling the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.
107. TINKER, PHILIP BARBOUR, (Obituary No. 107.) 87 Belleview - Mr. Philip B. Tinker, 87, died Dec. 13, 2006. A memorial service celebrating his life will be held Sat., Jan. 13, 2006 at 11:00 AM at the Ocklawaha United Methodist Church, 13333 E. Hwy 25, Ocklawaha, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Ocklawaha United Methodist Church, PO Box 507, Ocklawaha, FL, 32183. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

108. TURNER, LARRY MICHAEL, (Obituary No. 108.) 56 Ft. Wayne - Larry Michael Turner, 56 died Thursday, January 4, 2007 at Lutheran Hospital in Ft. Wayne. Born April 4, 1950 in London, KY, he was the son of A.J. and Opal H. (Hubbard) Turner. Larry was a disabled American Veteran who had served as SP4 in the Vietnam War. He was awarded the National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal, Purple Heart, Expert Badge M-16 with Rifle Bar, Sharpshooter Badge M-16 with Rifle Bar, Marksman Badge M-60 Machine Gun Bar, and Expert Badge with 45 Caliber Pistol. Surviving him are his son, Ryan Michael Turner of Ocala, FL., daughter Jamie Melissa Turner of Clearwater, FL., mother Opal Turner of New Palestine; sister Jewel (Ronald) Corley of New Palestine; and many nieces and nephews. Preceding him in death were his father and brothers, Eugene and Robert Turner. Visitation will be held on Tuesday, January 9, 2007 from 4PM until 8PM at Erlewein Mortuaries, 1484 W US 40, Greenfield. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, January 10, 2007 at 1PM at Erlewein Mortuaries, Greenfield. Pastor Ira Scott will be officiating. Burial will be at Washington Park East Cemetery in Indianapolis. Memorial contributions may be made to Disabled American Veterans, American Diabetes Association or the American Heart Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/7/2007.

109. WILLIAMS, HERSHEL, (Obituary No. 109.) 77 Ocala - Mr. Hershel Williams, 77, of Ocala, FL, died at his home, January 1, 2007 of Brain & Lung Cancer. He was the originator of the ice cream business known as "Mr. Music Man" in Tampa, FL. He started with a single truck and within 10 years had a fleet of thirty trucks. In 1967, he owned Eagle Man who he made a State Champion, and won 13 Florida Halter Futurities with his offspring. He was a Lifetime Member of AQHA and was State Inspector for PHBA showing PHBA Halter horses in the 1960's. He bred, raised, bought and sold AQHA & APHA horses, Standing Fair Dollar, Clayboy Illuminus, JM Kidrizma to name a few. Hershel had an uncanny eye for a quality horse and often referred to his mentor, George Tyler, of Texas as helping him get started in the horse business. He never met a stranger, was always there to give a hand, advice or visit with a fellow horseman. Hershel was born in Sulphur Springs, FL north of Tampa and moved to Fitzhugh, Ok., in the 1970's. He was instrumental in the sale of Docs Prescription to Glenn Neans of Round Rock, TX for Eddie Wilson. He owned Hollywood Sport and sold many cutting bred, and show bred broodmares to many top horsemen. He was married to Diane J. Williams for 34 years, and his surviving children are Hershel A. Williams Jr. of Fitzhugh, Ok., Vickie S. Williams of Plant City, FL, Margaret L. (Sis) Williams of Tampa, FL, grandchildren, Andrew, David, Keisha, Krystal, Kalynn. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. A celebration of his life will be held on Saturday, February 3rd at the Ocala Livestock Pavilion beginning at 11 AM. Please contact the family @ (352) 351-0286 or 817-2058 to RSVP. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.
110. WISLER, ELAINE A., (Obituary No. 110.) 83 Devon, PA - Elaine A. Wisler, 83, formerly of Palm Cay Ocala, FL, passed away on December 1, 2006. Born in Chicago, IL, she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Alice Labrecque. She was a member of Queen of Peace Church, and an avid golfer. She is survived by her sons: Carl (Sandy) and Chris (Mary Simon); 6 grandchildren. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Memorial Service at 11AM on Saturday, Jan. 13 at Queen of Peace Parish Chapel, 6455 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, FL 34476. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

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111. BARABAS, JOHN JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 111.) 82 Ocala - Mr. John Joseph Barabas, 82, of Ocala, died Friday, January 05, 2007, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of McKeesport, PA, Mr. Barabas came to Ocala in 1997 from New York, where he was an engineer with the Castro Convertible Furniture Company. A veteran of WWII where he served in the US Army, Mr. Barabas received the Purple Heart and 2 Bronze Stars. Mr. Barabas was of the Catholic Faith. He is survived by his devoted companion Marleen Wiersum, his son Andrew J. Barabas, his daughter Joan Marie Parkins, brothers Andrew Barabas and Steve Barabas, sisters Barbara Castro, Julie Miller, and Mary Vitale, one grandson, his niece Bernadette Castro, and numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews. He was preceded in death by his sister Theresa Castro. A Funeral Mass will be held Monday, January 8, 2007 at 10 AM at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Visitation will be Sunday, January 7 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, from 2-5 PM. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park with Military Honors. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

112. BUTMAN, PEGGY W., (Obituary No. 112.) 77 Belleview - Peggy W. Butman, 77, a resident of Pocasset, MA, wintering in Belleview since 1993, died Tuesday, January 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was a retired legal secretary and was a church secretary for 20 years. She is a member of First Congregational Church in Rockland, MA and attends church at the First Congregational Church of Ocala. Survivors include her husband, Robert F. Butman, daughter Kimberly B. "Kim" Partridge, son-in-law James M. Partridge, grandsons Brian and Kevin Partridge all of Rockland, MA. Funeral Services will be held in Massachusetts at a later date. Memorial Contributions may be made to Shriners Hospitals for Children, Office of Development 2900 Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, FL 33607. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/5/2007 - 1/8/2007.

113. DAY, EDWARD P., (Obituary No. 113.) 85 Sarasota, FL - Edward Paul Day, 85, of Sarasota, Florida passed away on Saturday, December 30, 2006. Ed is survived by his loving wife of 23 years, Catherine (Bersey) Day. Ed was the father of 5 children with his first wife Anna (Schaffer) Day, who died in 1976 - Richard, Patrick, and Christine (Raimondi) of Pittsburgh, PA; James of Ocala, FL and Kathleen (Anastasiu) of Chesapeake, VA. He had 11 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Ed was previously of Pittsburg, PA until 1990 when he retired with his wife Catherine to Sarasota, FL. Ed served in WWII as a technical sergeant in the US Army in Europe. He was a retired steelworker and a very accomplished wood carver. Ed will
be remembered as a hardworking energetic optimist who loved life. He was totally devoted to his family and had a positive impact on the lives of everyone who knew him. He will be deeply missed by his wife and children. A memorial service will be held for Ed in Pittsburg, PA at a time and place still to be determined. Throughout his life, Ed was a special friend to all animals and expressed a wish that any memorials be made by donating to the Humane Society in his memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

114. DONNELLY, EILEEN CATHERINE, (Obituary No. 114.) 91 Altoona - Eileen Catherine Donnelly, 91, of Altoona, FL, passed away on January 2, 2007 at Waterman Hospital, Eustis, FL. A native of Cheboygan, MI, she was born Aug. 24, 1915 and lived in Bay City, MI for a number of years. Mrs. Donnelly moved to Lake County, FL from Ocala, FL 20 years ago. Eileen was a lifelong homemaker and a Life Member of Bay Chapter #219 O.E.S., Bay City, Michigan. Mrs. Donnelly is survived by a niece Sandra K. Brewer (Charles F., Jr.) of Aiken, SC and Damariscotta, ME; nephew Don F. Taylor (Sharon K.) of Adrian, MI; four grandnephews and two grandnieces. Eileen was preceded in death by her husband of 59 years, The Late Donald Donnelly, Lt. Col., U.S. Army (ret) on Aug. 11, 1997 as well as her parents, Frederic J. and Ethel M. (Lyons) Chimner. Cremation services through FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Interment will be private in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

115. GIGGLE, DONALD J., (Obituary No. 115.) 70 Reddick - Donald J. Giggle, 70 died Jan. 4, 2007 at the Estelle Hospice House. Don was born in England and moved to this country in 1966. Lived in Williston, FL. and then moved to Ocala. Don was a farm manager in the thoroughbred industry. Don was a member of Florida Farm Managers Assoc. He loved his family and being near them and being with horses, that is what gave him joy. He is survived by his wife Sylvia Giggle of Fairbanks, Alaska. Son Alan S. Giggle of Ocala, Fl., Pete J. Giggle of Fairbanks, Alaska. Daughter Marion G. Parker of Branson, Missouri, son Cory Olson of Hawaii. Granddaughter Tiffany F. Parker of Las Vegas, NV. 2 Sisters-Pam Craven of Spain, Shelia Ashby of England and a brother David Giggle of England. And special friend Alex Brancato of Ocala. Also numerous nieces and nephews all in England. The family will be having a gathering at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel on Jan. 9, 2007 from 6-8PM with a family share time starting at 7:30PM. All are welcome to attend this special time to remember Don. Donation in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice in memory of Don. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/8/2007.

116. JACKSON, VERNAL G., (Obituary No. 116.) 77 Ocala - Mr. Vernal G. Jackson, 77, carpenter died at his home, January 2, 2007. A native of Jamaica, West Indies. A retired carpenter, Vernal was friendly and admired by many. He always was willing to help anyone in need. A member of the Silver Springs Shores Seventh Day Adventist Church where he sang in the choir. He was a supervisor with HUD in New York, was an avid reader and enjoyed cooking. He is survived by his wife, Maude Jackson of Ocala, two sons, Earl Jackson of Ft. Lauderdale, FL., and Barington Jackson of Atlanta, GA., daughters, Dawn Jackson of England, Tanya Jackson of Ocala, Maxine Jackson of New York, a stepdaughter, Lorna Moore of Ocala, Brother Ken Anderson of New York and five grandchildren. Visitation will be held on Wed., Jan. 10th between the hours of 4-8PM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East. Funeral Services will be celebrated on Thursday, Jan. 11th at the Silver Springs Shore Seventh Day Adventist Church
at 11AM. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEl EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

117. JOHNSON, DARREL F., (Obituary No. 117.) 60 Ocala - Darrel F. Johnson, 60, of Ocala, passed away Jan. 3rd. He came to this area 26 years ago from his native, Rochester, MN. He was a Marine Corps Veteran of Vietnam and a retired corrections officer having working 5 years in Minnesota and 22 years for Marion Corrections Facility. He was a Corvette enthusiast, a Gator fan and a member of the National Rifle Assoc. He was preceded in death by his parents, LeRoy and Shirley Johnson and is survived by his wife, Charlotte Johnson; sons, Kenneth and Anthony Johnson of Rochester, NY, John Johnson of Bradenton, FL; daughter, Paula Johnson of Bradenton, FL; 2 granddaughters, Amber and Ashley Johnson. A Memorial Service will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Monday, Jan. 8th at 3 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

118. KELDER, MILDRED P., (Obituary No. 118.) 87 Ocala - Mrs. Mildred P. Kelder, 87 passed away on January 4, 2007. She was born in Kingston NY on August 23, 1919. She is a retired secretary. She was predeceased by her loving husband Charles of 54 years. She moved here in 1977 from Kingston, NY. She was a member of the Silver Springs Shores VFW Aux. and the Ocklawaha United Methodist Church, both in Florida. Graveside services will be at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens Tuesday, January 9, 2007 at 10AM. Roberts Funeral Home Downtown Chapel at 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala is handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/8/2007.

119. MORRIS, RUSSELL C., (Obituary No. 119.) 41 Ocala - Russell C. Morris, 41, of Meadow Wood Farms, formerly of Lincoln Park, MI passed away at his home on January 3, 2007. Mr. Morris is survived by his wife Michelle B. Morris, one son, Thomas A. Morris. His parents, Thomas E. Morris, Jackie (McIntyre) Cesarek, and step father Ron Cesarek. One brother Robert Morris, one sister Kelly Marklow, father and mother-in-law John and Dorothy Fisher and brother-in-law Kevin Fisher, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and many friends. Mr. Morris was preceded in death by his son Kevin R. Morris, and his brother Thomas E. Morris. A memorial service and reception will be held at First Baptist Church of Flat Rock (on Gibraltar Road) Pastor David Miles will officiate. Date of service to be announced. Cremation was performed in Lake City, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/8/2007.

120. PICONE, RUTH, (Obituary No. 120.) 84 Belleview - Mrs. Ruth Picone, 84, passed away on Jan. 4, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield. A native of Jersey City, NJ, she came here 22 years ago from Edison, NJ. Ruth was a lifelong homemaker and attended St. Theresa's Catholic Church in Belleview. She is survived by her husband of 66 years, Frank Picone of Belleview; daughter Ruthann Tidwell of Dunnington; son Frank Picone, Jr. of Bronx, NY; son Raymond Picone of Newton, NJ; brother Edward Mombert of Hillsdale, NJ; grandchildren John, Lisa, Zachary, Laken, Joseph, Kevin, Frank Jr., Kristen, Jennifer, Raymond Jr. and Vincent and great grandchildren Caitlyn and Joshua. Friends will be received on Sunday, Jan. 7th from 2-4 and 6-8PM at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where chapel services will be held on Monday, Jan. 8th at 11AM with Fr. George Koeber officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/6/2007 - 1/8/2007.
121. SMITH, D.V.M., JERRY MARVIN, (Obituary No. 121.) 66 Ocala - Jerry Marvin Smith, D.V.M., 66, of Ocala, passed away on Dec. 22, 2006 at the Marliere Hospice Care Center in New Port Richey. Moving here 64 years ago from Conway, S.C., Dr. Smith practiced as a veterinarian for 34 years in Ocala operating the Animal Medical Clinic. He is survived by his daughter Kimberlee Smith Corbitt of Crystal Beach, FL; brother Frank Smith of Summerfield and brother Perry Smith, D.V.M. of Miami. He was preceded in death by a brother, Juddy Smith, in May 2001. There will be an Open House Celebration of Life for Dr. Smith on Friday, Jan. 12, 2007 from 4 PM - 8 PM at The County Club at Silver Springs Shores, 565 Silver Road in Ocala. There will be a brief memorial program at 6:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Marion County Sheriff's Office K-9 Unit, (please specify the K-9 unit on the memo line of the check), 692 NW 30th Ave., Ocala, FL 34475. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, handling the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

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124. WISLER, ELAINE A., (Obituary No. 124.) 83 Devon, PA - Elaine A. Wisler, 83, formerly of Palm Cay Ocala, FL. passed away on December 1, 2006. Born in Chicago, IL, she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Alice Labrecque. She was a member of Queen of Peace Church, and an avid golfer. She is survived by her sons: Carl (Sandy) and Chris (Mary Simon); 6
grandchildren. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Memorial Service at 11AM on Saturday, Jan. 13 at Queen of Peace Parish Chapel, 6455 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, FL 34476. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/7/2007 - 1/8/2007.

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125. BARRETT, JOSEPH M., (Obituary No. 125.) 86 Ocala - Joseph M. Barrett, 86, passed away Sunday, January 7, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Barrett was born in Livingston, AL and moved to Ocala in 1956 from Gainesville. He was a charter member and deacon of Fort King Presbyterian Church, Chief Warrant Officer in the United States Navy during World War II, attended the University of Florida and was an avid Gator fan. He retired as the safety manager with the City of Ocala after 24 years of service. Mr. Barrett is survived by daughter Jo Ann (husband Ben) Parramore of Ocala, son Stephen (wife Midge) Barrett of Ocala, daughter Chris (husband Danny) Berryhill of Ocala, and daughter, Carla (husband Steve) Schmidt of Keystone Heights. He was preceded in death by his wife of 56 years, Anna Barrett in 1997. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. on Thursday, January 11, 2007 at Fort King Presbyterian Church with Pastor James R. Bullock officiating. Visitation will be 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Wednesday, January 10, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, Memorial contributions can be made to Fort King Presbyterian Church or the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/9/2007 - 1/10/2007.

126. JOHNS, ELEANORE E., (Obituary No. 126.) 95 Ocala - Eleanore E. Johns, 95, of Ocala passed away January 6, 2007. Born in Highland Park, MI, she came to Florida in 1981 and has lived in Ocala for 20 years. She was a homemaker and a protestant by faith. She is survived by her daughters, Bertha Diton and Katherine Dingman both of Ocala and Helen Smith of Grand blanc, MI; 3 brothers; 9 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren, and 8 great great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at St. Pauls United Methodist Church (800 SE 41st Ave. Ocala) on Friday, January 12, 2006 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/9/2007 - 1/10/2007.

127. MCCORMICK, LILA R., (Obituary No. 127.) 86 Ocala - Lila R. McCormick, 86, of Ocala, previously of Clearwater, died on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Chattanooga and moved here from there in 1962. She was a beauty salon owner in Chattanooga and after moving here she continued to practice the art of cosmetology. She was a true animal lover and an avid bridge player. She enjoyed music. She is survived by her husband of 60 years, William; two sons, William Paul McCormick Sr. of Ocala, and John C. McCormick of Silver Springs; grandchildren, William Paul Jr., Julie M. Beard, Stephanie A., and John H.; and three great grandchildren. Arrangements by SYLVAN ABBEY FUNERAL HOME, 2853 Sunset Point Road, Clearwater, FL 33759. 722-796-1992 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/9/2007 - 1/10/2007.

128. SMITH, MABEL, (Obituary No. 128.) 82 Ocala - Mabel Smith, 82, of Ocala, passed away Friday, January 5, 2007 at Tuscany House. She was born in Wilucot, NH, and came to
Ocala in 2001 from Miramar, FL. Mrs. Smith was of the Baptist faith and loved animals. She is survived by her nephews, Louis Woods of Ft. Meyers, Greg Wood of Ocala, Kevin Woods of Ocala, Allister Woods of Hartford, CT; two sisters, Theresa Pellerin of Derby Line, VT, Barbara Roberts of Newport, NH; and her three daughters, Vicki, Joann, and Amy; and three nieces, Bonnie Clark of Ft. McCoy, Terry Roche of East Haddem, CT., and Gloria Woods of Grotton, CT. Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday, January 10, 2007 at Ft. McCoy Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL.
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129. AUSTIN, EDWARD P., (Obituary No. 129.) 54 Belleview - Edward P. Austin, 54, of Belleview, passed away on Sunday, January 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Washington, Indiana, he lived in Belleview most of his adult life and was the owner and operator of Bennett Transport Co., of McDonough, GA. Mr. Austin was of the Baptist faith. He is survived by his wife of 18 years, Susan M. Austin of Belleview; son, Tony Austin of Ft. Walton Beach; daughter, Michelle Jeffers of Moss Bluff, FL; daughter, Mary Jo Jeffers of Ocala; son, Edward A. Austin of Belleview; daughter, Jean Kegel of Port Orange; son William Sirinek of Roswell, GA; brother, Harold Dunn of Cookeville, TN; sisters, Terri Varnadoe and Susan Furdek, both of Belleview; sister, Patricia Ayala of Orlando and nine grandchildren. Friends will be received on Thursday, January 11, 2007 from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/11/2007.

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131. EVANS, CHARLES WALLER, (Obituary No. 131.) 64 Franklin, TN - Mr. Charles Waller Evans, 64, of Franklin, TN, died Saturday, January 6, 2007 from injuries sustained in a motorcycle accident. He was an Equine Dentist. He was a member of the Church of Christ of Latter Day Saints. Surviving are his wife, Janice Evans; three sons, Charles W. (Lina) Evans of Ft. Lauderdale, Douglas (Holly) Evans of Lexington, KY and Craig (Holly) Evans of Spring Hill, TN; two daughters, Samantha (Danny) Wright of Franklin, TN and Denise (Richard)
Polaski of Palm Coast; two brothers, Guthrie (Pat) Evans of CA and Douglas (Laura) Evans of Dallas, TX; mother-in-law, Janice Cameron of Ocala and 22 grandchildren. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. on Friday, January 12, 2007 at Masters Funeral Home of Palatka. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Burial will follow in the San Mateo Cemetery. MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/11/2007.

132. GILMOUR, JOSEPHINE (JO), (Obituary No. 132.) 66 Silver Springs - Mrs. Josephine Gilmour, 66, passed away quietly at her home in Silver Springs on Saturday, January 6, 2007 after a long and courageous fight with cancer. Jo was know for her quirky sense of humor, creative decorating talent, her loving and generous heart and her ability to always bring a smile to someone's face. She is survived by her three loving daughters: Dawn Papke (Lothar) of Oxford, Kirstie Carey (Clay) of Oregon, Kerry Ochs (David) of High Springs; grandchildren, Tyler, Kyle and Drew Papke, Brianna & Jimmie Carey, Roxie and Razor Ochs; sister Liz Sharpe; brothers, Harry Hunter (Marti), Bill Hunter, loving cousin Kathleen Riley (Patrick) of Summerfield and numerous relatives and dear friends. Jo worked at Cliffords Auto Repair for several years; was an active member of the "Retreads", and was involved with a long term Bible study group with her very special friends. The family would especially like to thank the East Team of Hospice of Marion County for their wonderful in-home care. Donations in lieu of flowers may be made to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Jo. A memorial service for friends and family will be held on Sunday, January 14, 2007 at 1:30 p.m. at the Ewers Center at CFCC, 3001 SW College Road, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/11/2007.

133. GRISsom, SR., DR. ROBERT JESSE "BOB", (Obituary No. 133.) 79 Ocala - Dr. Robert Jesse "Bob" Grissom, Sr., age 79, of Ocala passed away January 3, 2007. Born in Little Rock, on June 4, 1927, Dr. Grissom, a US Navy Veteran, invested most of his adult life in public service at the community, state, national, and international levels. Dr. Grissom was a devout member of the First Church of the Nazarene and also pastored for many years in Arkansas. While in the service, he was appointed to Officer Candidate School. His numerous educational achievements culminated in a doctorate of education and a doctorate of sociology from the University of Florida. After completing his education, Dr. Grissom dedicated himself to both the corrections and educational systems. One of the many positions he held was serving as a professor of Criminal Justice at Central Florida Community College for a number of years. Dr. Grissom volunteered his time and research to many causes including ARC, Arnette House, Florida Sheriff's Youth Ranch and the Jaycees. Mr. Grissom is survived by his wife of forty years, Mildred Louise "Millie" Grissom; daughter, Barbara Ann Grissom of Greenbrier, Arkansas; daughter, Sharon Grissom of Houston, Texas; son, Robert C. Grissom II of Greenbrier, Arkansas; son, Robert J. Grissom, Jr. of Ocala, Florida; ten grandchildren and two great grandchildren. There will be a memorial service held on Friday, January 12, 2007 at CFCC in Klein Conference Center, Room B from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be sent to the Arnette House, Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranch or the Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault Center. Arrangements by GRIFFIN, LEGGETT, HEALY AND ROTH FUNERAL HOME, 5800 W. 12th Little Rock, Arkansas 501-661-9911 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/11/2007.
134. JOHNS, ELEANORE E., (Obituary No. 134.) 95 Ocala - Eleanore E. Johns, 95, of Ocala passed away January 6, 2007. Born in Highland Park, MI, she came to Florida in 1981 and has lived in Ocala for 20 years. She was a homemaker and a protestant by faith. She is survived by her daughters, Bertha Diton and Katherine Dingman both of Ocala and Helen Smith of Grand blanc, MI; 3 brothers; 9 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren, and 8 great great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at St. Pauls United Methodist Church (800 SE 41st Ave. Ocala) on Friday, January 12, 2006 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/9/2007 - 1/10/2007.

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136. MARTIN, KENNETH RAY, (Obituary No. 136.) 65 Winter Haven, FL - Mr. Kenneth Ray Martin, 65, died December 25, 2006 at his residence. Mr. Martin was born in Dunnellon, FL on April 5, 1941. He moved to Winter Haven from Plant City in 1978. He is the Owner/Operator of Eagle Lake Auto Sales. He is a member of Independent Automobile Dealer Association. He is survived by his wife, Susan S. Martin of Winter Haven, FL; sons, Brad Martin, Bryan Martin and Mason Martin, all of Winter Haven, FL; daughter, Susan Rae Martin of Northport, FL; brothers, Edwin Martin of Horseshoe Beach, FL., Max Martin of Lake City, FL., Ronnie Martin of Ocala, FL., and Bobbie Martin of Ocala, FL.; and 5 grandchildren. Memorial services will be at Oak Ridge Funeral Care on Saturday, January 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. Arrangements by OAK RIDGE FUNERAL CARE, WINTER HAVEN, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/11/2007.

137. MCCORMICK, LILA R., (Obituary No. 137.) 86 Ocala - Lila R. McCormick, 86, of Ocala, previously of Clearwater, died on Saturday, January 6, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Chattanooga and moved here from there in 1962. She was a beauty salon owner in Chattanooga and after moving here she continued to practice the art of cosmetology. She was a true animal lover and an avid bridge player. She enjoyed music. She is survived by her husband of 60 years, William; two sons, William Paul McCormick Sr. of Ocala, and John C. McCormick

138. SMITH, MABEL, (Obituary No. 138.) 82 Ocala - Mabel Smith, 82, of Ocala, FL passed away Friday, January 5, 2007 at Tuscany House. She was born in Wilucot, NH, and came to Ocala in 2001 from Miramar, FL. Mrs. Smith was of the Baptist faith and loved animals. She is survived by her nephews, Louis Woods of Ft. Meyers, Greg Wood of Ocala, Kevin Woods of Ocala, Allister Woods of Hartford, CT; two sisters, Theresa Pellerin of Derby, Line, VT, Barbara Roberts of Newport, NH; and her three daughters, Vicki, Joann, and Amy; and three nieces, Bonnie Clark of Ft. McCoy, Terry Roche of East Haddem, CT., and Gloria Woods of Grotton, CT. Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday, January 10, 2007 at Ft. McCoy Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/9/2007 - 1/10/2007.

139. UNDERWOOD, CECIL P. "CUZ", (Obituary No. 139.) 80 Ocala - Cecil P. Underwood "Cuz", 80, of Ocala passed away on January 6, 2007 at Hospice Estelle's House. Mr. Underwood was born March 2, 1926 in Rehobeth, AL, he moved to Ocala, FL in 1935. Mr. Underwood served in the US Army for 2 years as a medic then returned to Ocala. He worked at the Pic N Pay Grocery on Silver Springs Blvd. for about 2 years. He then ran Cecil's Texaco and Grocery on State Road 200 for 13 years. His last job was with Dixie Lilly as a salesman for 20 years, then he retired. He is survived by his Wife of 52 years, Zelma; Daughters, Tara Hampton and her husband Bob of Kite, GA., Lori Jones and her husband David of Ocala, FL., Renee Thomason and her husband Rodney of Ocala, FL., and "Special Daughter", Janice Fischer of Ocala, FL.; Five Grandchildren, Katie Hampton Hollander and her husband Eric of Jacksonville, FL., Christopher Hampton of Jacksonville, FL., Meghan Jones of Chicago, IL., Allison Jones of Ocala, FL., and Hannah Jones of Ocala, FL.; His Sister, Fran Louque of Baton Rouge, LA.; and many nieces, nephews, in-law's, and friends who he dearly loved. Mr. Underwood served as the Head Usher for over 55 years at Highlands Baptist Church and First Baptist Church of Ocala where he was still on the job. Visitation will be held Friday, January 12, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala. Funeral services will be held Saturday, January 13, 2007 at 10 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/11/2007.

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President of the DAY Company of Minneapolis, MN and had moved to the Dunnellon/Ocala area in 2004. He was predeceased by his first wife, Edna, second wife, Marjorie, third wife, Greta, and his son Erland. He is survived by his two daughters, Nancy E. Cormack of Dunnellon, FL and Marilyn J. Riggs of Ft. Atkinson, WI; daughter-in-law, Dr. Shirley Kirby of Concord, NH; 10 grandchildren, 28 great grandchildren, and 1 great great grandchild. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/11/2007 - 1/12/2007.

141. AUSTIN, EDWARD P., (Obituary No. 141.) 54 Belleview - Edward P. Austin, 54, of Belleview, passed away on Sunday, January 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Washington, Indiana, he lived in Belleview most of his adult life and was the owner and operator of Bennett Transport Co., of McDonough, GA. Mr. Austin was of the Baptist faith. He is survived by his wife of 18 years, Susan M. Austin of Belleview; son, Tony Austin of Ft. Walton Beach; daughter, Michelle Jeffers of Moss Bluff, FL; daughter, Mary Jo Jeffers of Ocala; son, Edward A. Austin of Belleview; daughter, Jean Kegel of Port Orange; son William Sirinek of Roswell, GA; brother, Harold Dunn of Cookeville, TN; sisters, Terri Varnadoe and Susan Furdek, both of Belleview; sister, Patricia Ayala of Orlando; parents, Harold and Ramona Dunn of Belleview; and nine grandchildren. Friends will be received on Thursday, January 11, 2007 from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/12/2007.

142. BARRETT, JOSEPH M., (Obituary No. 142.) 86 Ocala - Joseph M. Barrett, 86, passed away Sunday, January 7, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Barrett was born in Livingston, AL and moved to Ocala in 1956 from Gainesville. He was a charter member and deacon of Fort King Presbyterian Church, Chief Warrant Officer in the United States Navy during World War II, attended the University of Florida and was an avid Gator fan. He retired as the safety manager with the City of Ocala after 24 years of service. Mr. Barrett is survived by daughter Jo Ann (husband Ben) Parramore of Ocala, son Stephen (wife Midge) Barrett of Ocala, daughter Chris (husband Danny) Berryhill of Ocala, son John (wife Linda) Barrett of Ocala and daughter, Carla (husband Steve) Schmidt of Keystone Heights, 11 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife of 56 years, Anna Barrett in 1997. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. on Thursday, January 11, 2007 at Fort King Presbyterian Church with Pastor James R. Bullock officiating. Visitation will be 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Wednesday, January 10, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, Memorial contributions can be mad to Fort King Presbyterian Church or the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/9/2007 - 1/11/2007.

143. CAMERON, KATHLEEN "KAT", (Obituary No. 143.) 73 Ocala - Kathleen "Kat" Cameron, of Ocala, age 73, passed away January 8, 2007. She was born in Summerfield, Florida. She was a retired waitress/hostess and a loving live in nanny/housekeeper. She loved crafts and cooking. She is survived by her two daughters Cynthia M. Luzader and Jeanna D. Kirk both of Ocala. Brothers, Mac Lewis, Moe Lewis, Joe Lewis and David Lewis, Sisters, Lorraine Osteen and Maryann Recker, 3 Grandchildren and 4 Great Grandchildren. Family will receive friends Friday, January 12, 2007 from 2:00-3:00 P.M. at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel. Service will follow at Pine Level Cemetery, Oxford, Florida at 3:30 with Rev. Derrel Strickland officiating.
144. ELSER, MARCELLA J. "MARCIE", (Obituary No. 144.) 68, Citra - Marcella J. "Marcie" Elser, 68, of Citra passed away January 8, 2006. Born in Pittsfield, MA., she came to this area in 1983 from Orlando. She was a homemaker who loved her family and gardening. She is survived by her husband, Bill Blumberg; daughters, Sandra Hall of Sparr, Jill Tyler of Warner Robins, GA., and Kelly Hughes of Norcross, GA.; sons, Larry and Daniel Blumberg both of Orlando, and Thomas Blumberg of Ocala; sister, Frances Rowland of Charleston, SC; and 12 grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Saturday, January 13, 2006 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests Memorial Contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County.

145. EVANS, CHARLES WALLER, (Obituary No. 145.) 64 Franklin, TN - Mr. Charles Waller Evans, 64, of Franklin, TN, died Saturday, January 6, 2007 from injuries sustained in a motorcycle accident. He was an Equine Dentist. He was a member of the Church of Christ of Latter Day Saints. Surviving are his wife, Janice Evans; three sons, Charles W. (Lina) Evans of Ft. Lauderdale, Douglas (Holly) Evans of Lexington, KY and Craig (Holly) Evans of Spring Hill, TN; two daughters, Samantha (Danny) Wright of Franklin, TN and Denise (Richard) Polaski of Palm Coast; two brothers, Guthrie (Pat) Evans of CA and Douglas (Laura) Evans of Dallas, TX; mother-in-law, Janice Cameron of Ocala and 22 grandchildren. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. on Friday, January 12, 2007 at Masters Funeral Home of Palatka. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Burial will follow in the San Mateo Cemetery. MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/11/2007.

146. GILMOUR, JOSEPHINE (JO), (Obituary No. 146.) 66 Silver Springs - Mrs. Josephine Gilmour, 66, passed away quietly at her home in Silver Springs on Saturday, January 6, 2007 after a long and courageous fight with cancer. Jo was know for her quirky sense of humor, creative decorating talent, her loving and generous heart and her ability to always bring a smile to someone's face. She is survived by her three loving daughters: Dawn Papke (Lothar) of Oxford, Kirstie Carey (Clay) of Oregon, Kerry Ochs (David) of High Springs; grandchildren, Tyler, Kyle and Drew Papke, Brianna & Jimmie Carey, Roxie and Razor Ochs; sister Liz Sharpe; brothers, Harry Hunter (Marti), Bill Hunter, loving cousin Kathleen Riley (Patrick) of Summerfield and numerous relatives and dear friends. Jo worked at Cliffords Auto Repair for several years; was an active member of the "Retreads", and was involved with a long term Bible study group with her very special friends. The family would especially like to thank the East Team of Hospice of Marion County for their wonderful in-home care. Donations in lieu of flowers may be made to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Jo. A memorial service for friends and family will be held on Sunday, January 14, 2007 at 1:30 p.m. at the Ewers Center at CFCC, 3001 SW College Road, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/11/2007.

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148. JOHNSON, JAMES HERBERT, (Obituary No. 148.) 89 Ocala - James Herbert Johnson, 89, died peacefully in his sleep at 12 p.m., Monday, January 8, 2007, at Life Care Center of Ocala, Ocala, FL. James was born on January 2, 1918 in Fincastle, VA. His father and mother, James Fenton Johnson and Eliza Rogers Johnson, Fincastle, VA and his only sibling, Helen Johnson, have all preceded James in death. James married Betty Hayward, Neptune, in 1941. Betty and James were happily married for forty-five years until her death in 1988. James is an alumni of Monmouth University, Long Branch, where he graduated as a Registered Nurse, working at Marlboro State Hospital until he retired in 1981 as a Nursing supervisor. James was an active member of Jehovah's Witnesses, serving as an elder in Ocala, Florida. James married Genora Speller Hurt on August 5, 1991 and they spent fifteen loving, joyful years together, Those who had the privilege to know James will remember his smile, the warmth of his personality, his patience as a shepherd, his quick one-liners, and his many funny stories. The death of James has meant the loss of a wonderful, dearly loved husband, father, grandfather, friend, brother, uncle, cousin, loving shepherd, and just "Herb" to many. James is survived by his loving wife, Genora Hart Johnson and four generations of family. Memorial service will be held at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 3877 NE 35th Street, Ocala, Florida 34479, on Saturday, January 13, 2007 at 5 p.m. Memorial donations may be made to the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, in the name of James H. Johnson. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/11/2007 - 1/12/2007.

149. JONES, SADIE NELL HOPKINS TYLER, (Obituary No. 149.) 76 Ocala - Sadie Nell Hopkins Tyler Jones, 76, passed on January 2, 2007 at Ocala Health & Rehabilitation Center. She was a beautician. She leaves to cherish her memories a devoted husband, Willie Jones of Ocala, Florida; one loving son and daughter-in-law, Linton Bernard & Constance Tyler of Ocala; three stepsons, Willie Jr., Lewis and Walter; four stepdaughters, Mattie Bea, Rutha Mae, Pauline
and Mary Lee all of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; two grandchildren, Elisha C. Tyler and Linton B. Tyler, Jr., both in the United States Air Force, stationed in South Korea; one sister, Queen Jones of Ocala, Florida; three brothers, James Hopkins (Grace) of Columbus, Georgia, Clarence Hopkins (Adell) and Harold Hopkins of Ocala, Florida; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends. SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/11/2007 - 1/12/2007.

150. LIPFORD, CRAIG E., "JUNIOR", (Obituary No. 150.) 37 Ocala - Craig E. Lipford died at his residence on Friday, January 5, 2007. He was born in Ft. Wayne, Indiana on December 23, 1969 to parents, Steve and Kathy Lipford. He moved to Ocala twelve years ago from Ft. Myers, FL and attended First Baptist Church of Dunnellon. Craig was the owner and operator of Crystal Clear Windows and Siding in Ocala. He was affectionately called "Junior" by those who worked with him. Craig was truly loved and will be missed by those who survive him, including his wife Nicole "Nikki" Lipford of Ocala; daughters, Ciarra and Destini Lipford of Ocala; father, Steve Lipford of Ocala; mother, Kathy Brock of Cape Coral, FL; maternal grandparents, Jack and Justeen Lesh of Cape Coral, FL; paternal grandmother, Phyllis Lipford of Citrus Springs, FL; brothers, Ron Lipford of Ocala, Timmy Overly of Cape Coral, FL and Tony Overly of Ocala; and sister, Amber Lipford of Ocala. The family will receive friends at the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. on Friday, January 12, 2007. Funeral Services will start at 6:45 p.m. Friday at the church with Reverend Russ Randall officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON-STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/11/2007.

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152. TORSIELLO, MARGARET (MURIEL), (Obituary No. 152.) 87 Ocala - Margaret (Muriel) Torsiello, 87, passed away on Monday, December 25, 2006 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Brooklyn, NY on November 12, 1919 and had been employed as a Dental Hygienist during her working years, and moved to Ocala in 1976. Margaret was a member of Women of The Moose 459 and Silver Springs Shores Auxiliary To Post 4493 and a Bowler with the Silver Rollers. She was a member of Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church and preceded in death by 2 daughters Linda Maurer and Dorothy Fitz. She is survived by her husband, Michael, three granddaughters, Colleen Fitz of Queens NY, Lisa Maurer of NYC, Amy McLaughlin and husband Bret from Albany, NY, son-in-law, Charles Fitz of Queens, NY, son-in-law, Al Maurer and wife Carla of Dix Hills NY. A Memorial Service will be held at S.S.S. Presbyterian Church,
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155. AUSTIN, EDWARD P., (Obituary No. 155.) 54 Belleview - Edward P. Austin, 54, of Belleview, passed away on Sunday, January 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Washington, Indiana, he lived in Belleview most of his adult life and was the owner and operator of Bennett Transport Co., of McDonough, GA. Mr. Austin was of the Baptist faith. He is survived by his wife of 18 years, Susan M. Austin of Belleview; son, Tony Austin of Ft. Walton Beach; daughter, Michelle Jeffers of Moss Bluff, FL; daughter, Mary Jo Jeffers of Ocala;
son, Edward A. Austin of Belleview; daughter, Jean Kegel of Port Orange; son William Sirinek of Roswell, GA; brother, Harold Dunn of Cookeville, TN; sisters, Terri Varnadoe and Susan Furdek, both of Belleview; sister, Patricia Ayala of Orlando; parents, Harold and Ramona Dunn of Belleview; and nine grandchildren. Friends will be received on Thursday, January 11, 2007 from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/12/2007.

156. CAMERON, KATHLEEN "KAT", (Obituary No. 156.) 73 Ocala - Kathleen "Kat" Cameron, of Ocala, age 73, passed away January 8, 2007. She was born in Summerfield, Florida. She was a retired waitress/hostess and a loving live in nanny/housekeeper. She loved crafts and cooking. She is survived by her two daughters Cynthia M. Luzader and Jeanna D. Kirk both of Ocala. Brothers, Mac Lewis, Moe Lewis, Joe Lewis and David Lewis, Sisters, Lorraine Osteen and Maryann Recker, 3 Grandchildren and 4 Great Grandchildren. Family will receive friends Friday, January 12, 2007 from 2:00-3:00 P.M. at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel. Service will follow at Pine Level Cemetery, Oxford, Florida at 3:30 with Rev. Derrel Strickland officiating. Arrangements provided by BANKS/PAGE-THEUS FUNERAL HOME, Wildwood, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/11/2007 - 1/12/2007.

157. ELSER, MARCELLA J. "MARCIE", (Obituary No. 157.) 68, Citra - Marcella J. "Marcie" Elser, 68, of Citra passed away January 8, 2007. Born in Pittsfield, MA., she came to this area in 1983 from Orlando. She was a homemaker who loved her family and gardening. She is survived by her husband, Bill Blumberg; daughters, Sandra Hall of Sparr, Jill Tyler of Warner Robins, GA., and Kelly Hughes of Norcross, GA.; sons, Larry and Daniel Blumberg both of Orlando, and Thomas Blumberg of Ocala; sister, Frances Rowland of Charleston, SC; and 12 grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Saturday, January 13, 2006 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests Memorial Contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/11/2007 - 1/13/2007.

158. GRISSOM, SR., DR. ROBERT JESSE "BOB", (Obituary No. 158.) 79 Ocala - Dr. Robert Jesse "Bob" Grissom, Sr., age 79, of Ocala passed away January 3, 2007. Born in Little Rock, on June 4, 1927, Dr. Grissom, a US Navy Veteran, invested most of his adult life in public service at the community, state, national, and international levels. Dr. Grissom was a devout member of the First Church of the Nazarene and also pastored for many years in Arkansas. While in the service, he was appointed to Officer Candidate School. His numerous educational achievements culminated in a doctorate of education and a doctorate of sociology from the University of Florida.

After completing his education, Dr. Grissom dedicated himself to both the corrections and educational systems. One of the many positions he held was serving as a professor of Criminal Justice at Central Florida Community College for a number of years. Dr. Grissom volunteered his time and research to many causes including ARC, Arnette House, Florida Sheriff's Youth Ranch and the Jaycees. Mr. Grissom is survived by his wife of forty years, Mildred Louise "Millie" Grissom; daughter, Barbara Ann Grissom of Greenbrier, Arkansas; daughter, Sharon Grissom of Houston, Texas; son, Robert C. Grissom II of Greenbrier, Arkansas; son, Robert J. Grissom, Jr. of Ocala, Florida; daughter, Eva Grissom-Perry of Ocala, Florida; daughter, Syble Louise Schnipper of Gainesville, Florida; ten grandchildren and two great grandchildren. There
will be a memorial service held on Friday, January 12, 2007 at CFCC in Klein Conference Center, Room B from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be sent to the Arnette House, Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranch or the Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault Center. Arrangements by GRIFFIN, LEGGETT, HEALY AND ROTH FUNERAL HOME, 5800 W. 12th Little Rock, Arkansas 501-661-9911 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/13/2007.

159. JOHNSON, JAMES HERBERT., (Obituary No. 159.) 89 Ocala - James Herbert Johnson, 89, died peacefully in his sleep at 12 p.m., Monday, January 8, 2007, at Life Care Center of Ocala, Ocala, FL. James was born on January 2, 1918 in Fincastle, VA. His father and mother, James Fenton Johnson and Eliza Rogers Johnson, Fincastle, VA and his only sibling, Helen Johnson, have all preceded James in death. James married Betty Hayward, Neptune, in 1941. Betty and James were happily married for forty-five years until her death in 1988. James is an alumni of Monmouth University, Long Branch, where he graduated as a Registered Nurse, working at Marlboro State Hospital until he retired in 1981 as a Nursing supervisor. James was an active member of Jehovah's Witnesses, serving as an elder in Ocala, Florida. James married Genora Speller Hurt on August 5, 1991 and they spent fifteen loving, joyful years together, Those who had the privilege to know James will remember his smile, the warmth of his personality, his patience as a shepherd, his quick one-liners, and his many funny stories. The death of James has meant the loss of a wonderful, dearly loved husband, father, grandfather, friend, brother, uncle, cousin, loving shepherd, and just "Herb" to many. James is survived by his loving wife, Genora Hart Johnson and four generations of family. Memorial service will be held at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 3877 NE 35th Street, Ocala, Florida 34479, on Saturday, January 13, 2007 at 5 p.m. Memorial donations may be made to the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, in the name of James H. Johnson. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/11/2007 - 1/12/2007.

160. JONES, SADIE NELL HOPKINS TYLER, (Obituary No. 160.) 76 Ocala - Sadie Nell Hopkins Tyler Jones, 76, passed on January 2, 2007 at Ocala Health & Rehabilitation Center. She was a beautician. She leaves to cherish her memories a devoted husband, Willie Jones of Ocala, Florida; one loving son and daughter-in-law, Linton Bernard & Constance Tyler of Ocala; three stepsons, Willie Jr., Lewis and Walter; four stepdaughters, Mattie Bea, Rutha Mae, Pauline and Mary Lee all of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; two grandchildren, Elisha C. Tyler and Linton B. Tyler, Jr., both in the United States Air Force, stationed in South Korea; one sister, Queen Jones of Ocala, Florida; three brothers, James Hopkins (Grace) of Columbus, Georgia, Clarence Hopkins (Adell) and Harold Hopkins of Ocala, Florida; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends. SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/11/2007 - 1/12/2007.

161. LOVEJOY, ROSEMARY, (Obituary No. 161.) 58 Summerfield - Funeral Services for Mrs. Rosemary Lovejoy, 58, entered into rest January 8, 2007. She leave to cherish her memories are her husband, Damon Lovejoy, Sr., of Summerfield, FL; sons, Damon Lovejoy, Jr., Timothy Lovejoy, and Michael Lovejoy; daughter, Crystal Lovejoy; sisters, Jean Hobbs of West Virginia and Jeanee Bazzett of Dunnellon; brother, Darnell Lanhan of West Virginia; and 4 grandchildren. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY & CREMATION SERVICES, 5791 SE 23rd Lane, Ocala, FL 34475, office 352-438-0007, Felix M. Snow, LFD.

162. PETRY, GILBERT C. "GIL", (Obituary No. 162.) 86 Silver Springs - Gilbert C. "Gil" Petry, 86, of Silver Springs, passed away on January 11, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. Gil came here in 1992 from his native Buffalo, NY and was a retired tool grinder and an active member of Faith Baptist Church of Silver Springs, where he also served as deacon. Mr. Petry was also a WWII US Navy Seabee veteran. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Nora L. Petry of Silver Springs; daughter, Linda Luben and husband Ron of Lock Haven, PA; son, David Petry and wife Paulette of Jackson, MI; grandchildren, Dan Petry, Kathy Hollister (Jason), Rachel, Tim, and Steve Luben, Angie Buck (Darren), and Noelle Stephens (Justin). Gil is also survived by three great grandchildren; Taylor, Bailee, and Kassi. He was preceded in death by a sister, The Late Bernice Powers. Friends will be received on Monday, January 15, 2006 from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, OCALA, where chapel services will be held at 3 p.m., with Rev. Fred Daunhauer officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with military honors. In lieu of flowers please make memorial contributions to Faith Baptist Church of Silver Springs. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/12/2007 - 1/13/2007.

163. SEELY, FRANCIS R. "CAP", (Obituary No. 163.) 87 Belleview - Francis R. "Cap" Seely, 87, died January 9, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House, Ocala. He was a native of Andover, New Jersey moving to Belleview in 1988. He was a retired minister and a member of Belleview United Methodist Church. Rev. Seely served in the United Methodist Men, sang in the choir, was involved with Meals on Wheels and enjoyed visiting people. He was a veteran of WW II serving in the Army. Rev. Seely is survived by his son, Mark Alan Seely, Berkeley Heights, NJ; daughter Lynn Marie Good, Andover, NJ; sisters, Ila S. House, Belleview, Esther Boepple, Andover, NJ and 3 grandchildren, Colleen Sheelen, Brian Seely, and Justin Thomas. He is predeceased by his wife Wanda S. Seely in 2006. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Monday, January 15, 2007 at Belleview United Methodist Church with Rev. Jon-Marc MacLean officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to the Children & Youth Fund at Belleview United Methodist Church, 5640 SE Brown Road, Belleview, FL 34420. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/12/2007 - 1/13/2007.

164. TERPSTRA, ELAINE FRANCES, (Obituary No. 164.) 65 Dunnellon - Elaine Frances Terpstra, 65, of Dunnellon, passed away on Friday, January 5, 2007, at the Legacy House Hospice Care Center in Ocala. Born in Milwaukee Wisconsin, Mrs. Terpstra moved to the Ocala area in 1994. She retired from ABB Water Meters in 2002. She was a vendor at the Market of Marion until the time of her death. She was a lifelong Roman Catholic. Mrs. Terpstra is survived by her husband of 25 years, Jonathan Terpstra and two sisters, Faith Paradowski and Marcy Radcliff of Oakcreek Wisconsin. A memorial service will be announced later. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/12/2007 - 1/13/2007.

165. TORSIELLO, MARGARET (MURIEL), (Obituary No. 165.) 87 Ocala - Margaret (Muriel) Torsiello, 87, passed away on Monday, December 25, 2006 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Brooklyn, NY on November 12, 1919 and had been employed as a Dental Hygienist
during her working years, and moved to Ocala in 1976. Margaret was a member of Women of The Moose 459 and Silver Springs Shores Auxiliary To Post 4493 and a Bowler with the Silver Rollers. She was a member of Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church and preceded in death by 2 daughters Linda Maurer and Dorothy Fitz. She is survived by her husband, Michael, three granddaughters, Colleen Fitz of Queens NY, Lisa Maurer of NYC, Amy McLaughlin and husband Bret from Albany, NY, son-in-law, Charles Fitz of Queens, NY, son-in-law, Al Maurer and wife Carla of Dix Hills NY. A Memorial Service will be held at S.S.S. Presbyterian Church, 674 Silver Road with Pastor Alan Cummings officiating Saturday, January 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/11/2007 - 1/12/2007.

166. UNDERWOOD, CECIL P. "CUZ", (Obituary No. 166.) 80 Ocala - Cecil P. Underwood "Cuz", 80, of Ocala passed away on January 6, 2007 at Hospice Estelle's House. Mr. Underwood was born March 2, 1926 in Rehobeth, AL, he moved to Ocala, FL in 1935. Mr. Underwood served in the US Army for 2 years as a medic then returned to Ocala. He worked at the Pic N Pay Grocery on Silver Springs Blvd. for about 2 years. He then ran Cecil’s Texaco and Grocery on State Road 200 for 13 years. His last job was with Dixie Lilly as a salesman for 20 years, then he retired. He is survived by his Wife of 52 years, Zelma; Daughters, Tara Hampton and her husband Bob of Kite, GA., Lori Jones and her husband David of Ocala, FL., Renee Thomason and her husband Rodney of Ocala, FL., and "Special Daughter", Janice Fischer of Ocala, FL.; Five Grandchildren, Katie Hampton Hollander and her husband Eric of Jacksonville, FL., Christopher Hampton of Jacksonville, FL., Meghan Jones of Chicago, IL., Allison Jones of Ocala, FL., and Hannah Jones of Ocala, FL.; His Sister, Fran Louque of Baton Rouge, LA.; and many nieces, nephews, in-law’s, and friends who he dearly loved. Mr. Underwood served as the Head Usher for over 55 years at Highlands Baptist Church and First Baptist Church of Ocala where he was still on the job. Visitation will be held Friday, January 12, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala. Funeral services will be held Saturday, January 13, 2007 at 10 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/13/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, Saturday, January 13, 2007

167. BLOCKER, CLEO "CLEE", (Obituary No. 167.) 72 Ocala - Mrs. Cleo "Clee" Blocker, 72, passed away at Sylvia's Hospice House on Thursday, Jan. 11, 2007. Mrs. Blocker was born in Morning Sun, IA and had lived in Boynton Beach before moving to Ocala in 2000. She retired from purchasing with IBM after 25 years and loved to square dance. She was a member of the First Love Church in Ocala, FL. She is survived by her sons, Dennis E. Hemm of Citra, David L. Hemm of Sparks, GA and Carl Wingate of Boynton Beach FL; daughter, Kathleen Jones of Taylorsville, NC, sister Velma Hamm of Mt. Pleasant, IA, brother, Dale Stutzman of Lockridge, IA; 12 grandchildren, and 8 great grandchildren. Services will be held on Sunday, Jan. 14, 2007 at 2pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Private committal services will follow. Visitation will be held on Sunday, from 1-2pm. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/13/2007 - 1/14/2007.
168. DELBENE, CHRISTOPHER "CHRIS" DANIEL, (Obituary No. 168.) 24 Fairfield -
Christopher "Chris" Daniel Delbene, 24 died January 10, 2007. Chris was a life long resident of
Marion County. Graduated from North Marion High School in 2000. He was a residential
contractor. Chris loved the out doors, he enjoyed hunting, fishing, 4 wheeling and even
skydiving. Chris is preceded in death by his grandparents-Ralph and Carmel Delbene & Vincent
and Betty Barthle. His parents Danny and Cynthia Delbene of Fairfield survive him. Brother
Nicholas Delbene of Fairfield. 2 Aunts-Susan Ottinger of Citra, and Teresa Waters of Belleview.
2 Uncles-Raymond Delbene of Citra and George Waters of Belleview. 5 cousins-Michael,
Adam, Jeremie, Sean, Randy. Services for Chris will be Sunday, January 14, 2007 at the
Belleview Church of God, 6419 SE 107th Street, 24-5476 with Pastor Paul Lane conducting the
celebration of life. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the church in memory of Chris.
Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-

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175. ST LOUIS, BETTY B., (Obituary No. 175.) 77 Ocala - After a long battle with Alzheimer's and Cancer, Betty Benson St. Louis, 77, passed away at home January 10, 2007. She was born in Birmingham, Alabama, and was united in marriage to Ronald "Lou" St Louis in 1956. After accompanying her husband through Air Force military service spanning 33 years, Betty and Lou retired to Ocala in 1998. A loving and devoted wife and grandmother, Betty is survived by her husband, Lou; her daughter Pamela Griner Leavy, and her husband Jim, currently residing in Paris, France; her daughter Tracey Rees, her husband Joe and their children Seer, Abram, Carson and Joe of Pulaski, VA; her son Ronald St. Louis Jr, his wife Marcia, and their children, Alexander, Veronica, and Jacqueline of Tuscaloosa, AL; and her son Christopher St Louis, his wife Gabrielle, and their children Sandy, Michael, and Sarah Jane of Markt-Einersheim, Germany. Betty was also a proud member of the Ocala Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR). Betty will eventually be buried with her husband in Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, VA. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in her honor to the Hospice of Marion County. We would like to thank all our friends and particularly the staff at the Marion County Hospice for their wonderful help and support over the last several months. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/13/2007 - 1/14/2007.

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177. THOMAS, JR., JAMES EVAN, (Obituary No. 177.) 56 Floral City - Mr. James Evan Thomas, Jr., 56, of Floral City died Tuesday, January 9, 2007. The Service of Remembrance will be held 4 p.m. Sunday, January 14, 2007 at the Inverness Chapel of Hooper Funeral Homes with Rev. Jason Owenby officiating. Friends may call 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday at the chapel. Inverness Chapel HOOPER FUNERAL HOMES & CREMATORY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/13/2007 - 1/14/2007.
178. THOMAS, JR., MARION "MOOT", (Obituary No. 178.) 77 Ocala - Marion Moultrie "Moot" Thomas, Jr., born August 13, 1930, died January 11, 2007. He was born in Ocala, FL and lived in Ocala all of his life. He was a graduate of Ocala High School, attended the University of Florida, and joined the US Air Force during the Korean War. He earned a degree of Bachelor of Science in Commerce from Bowling Green University. Moot was a life long member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. He was a member of the first Boy Scout Troop of Ocala. He is survived by his wife: Marion Alderman Thomas of Ocala, Sister, Marion Thomas Givens of New York, NY, one nephew, Harrison W. Givens III, of Tampa, FL and one niece, Anne Givens Grimson of Lancaster, PA. Two Grandnephews and one Grand Niece, Numerous Alderman family members. First Cousins: A.T. Thomas, III, Diane Koontz, Meta Reese. Moot was owner of Marion Concrete Company of Gainesville and retired in 1989. Prior to that he was President of Thomas Concrete in Ocala, Gainesville, Dunnellon and Williston. Moot is well known in Men's Amateur Golf in Florida and in the Southeast. He has played in and won many regular amateur and Senior Amateur Golf Tournaments. Among his recent winnings: The North & South Senior Amateur, The Florida Super Senior Championship, The Florida Senior 4-Ball Championship (2 times), Qualifier to the USGA Senior Amateur (2 times). In early years: He played into the semi-finals of the California Open. Played into the Quarter-Finals of the US Open, Won World Wide Air Force Team Tournament, Won Reno Open, Cal/Neva Invitational and many others. Moot has been most proud to have played in every Henry Camp Tournament and as a young man to have played with Mr. Camp as well as many other distinguished golfers. He is most lately known as the skinny guy with the Long Putter - the Bucket hat - and the "How old is this guy with "GAME". The service is scheduled for Monday, January 15, 2007 at 2PM at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala with burial following at Wood Lawn Cemetery. Visitation for family and friends will be held on Saturday and Sunday from 11AM-6PM, at the family home at 1000 SE 5th Street, Ocala, Florida. Memorials would be appreciated to the First Presbyterian Church and "Take Stock in Children" (phone: 352-369-2173) ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala will be handling the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/13/2007 - 1/15/2007.

179. UNDERWOOD, CECIL P. "CUZ", (Obituary No. 179.) 80 Ocala - Cecil P. Underwood "Cuz", 80, of Ocala passed away on January 6, 2007 at Hospice Estelle's House. Mr. Underwood was born March 2, 1926 in Rehobeth, AL, he moved to Ocala, FL in 1935. Mr. Underwood served in the US Army for 2 years as a medic then returned to Ocala. He worked at the Pic N Pay Grocery on Silver Springs Blvd. for about 2 years. He then ran Cecil’s Texaco and Grocery on State Road 200 for 13 years. His last job was with Dixie Lilly as a salesman for 20 years, then he retired. He is survived by his Wife of 52 years, Zelma; Daughters, Tara Hampton and her husband Bob of Kite, GA., Lori Jones and her husband David of Ocala, FL., Renee Thomason and her husband Rodney of Ocala, FL., and "Special Daughter", Janice Fischer of Ocala, FL.; Five Grandchildren, Katie Hampton Hollander and her husband Eric of Jacksonville, FL., Christopher Hampton of Jacksonville, FL., Meghan Jones of Chicago, IL., Allison Jones of Ocala, FL., and Hannah Jones of Ocala, FL.; His Sister, Fran Louque of Baton Rouge, L.A.; and many nieces, nephews, in-law's, and friends who he dearly loved. Mr. Underwood served as the Head Usher for over 55 years at Highlands Baptist Church and First Baptist Church of Ocala where he was still on the job. Visitation will be held Friday, January 12, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala. Funeral services will be
held Saturday, January 13, 2007 at 10 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/10/2007 - 1/13/2007.

180. VENTURE, STEPHEN, (Obituary No. 180.) 55 Ocala - Stephen Venture, 55, passed away January 4, 2007. He was born in South Bend, Indiana and moved to Ocala, FL a little over 20 years ago. He proudly served in the U. S. Marine Corps in the Vietnam War. Stephen excelled in everything he did; he started his own company Venture Financial Services and enjoyed having his own private pilot license. Survivors include his loving daughter, Tasha Dawn Venture and her mother and step-father, Teresa and Daniel Parramore of Ocala, FL; mother, Wanda Black of Palmetto, FL; brothers, Robert Black of Valparaiso, IN and William Black of Charlotte, NC; sisters, Mary Liebold of Rome, GA, Jeannie Black of West Lafayette, IN, Ruth Black of Summerfield, FL and Pam Black of Citra, FL; numerous aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. He is predeceased by his father James Black. Interment will be held in the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL at a later date where his father is laid to rest. Arrangements by Quinn-Shalz, A Family Funeral Home, Jacksonville Beach, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/13/2007 - 1/14/2007.

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181. BLOCKER, CLEO "CLEE", (Obituary No. 181.) 72 Ocala - Mrs. Cleo "Clee" Blocker, 72, passed away at Sylvia's Hospice House on Thursday, Jan. 11, 2007. Mrs. Blocker was born in Morning Sun, IA and had lived in Boynton Beach before moving to Ocala in 2000. She retired from purchasing with IBM after 25 years and loved to square dance. She was a member of the First Love Church in Ocala, FL. She is survived by her sons, Dennis E. Hemm of Citra, David L. Hemm of Sparks, GA and Carl Wingate of Boynton Beach FL; daughter, Kathleen Jones of Taylorsville, NC, sister Velma Hamm of Mt. Pleasant, IA, brother, Dale Stutzman of Lockridge, IA; 12 grandchildren, and 8 great grandchildren. Services will be held on Sunday, Jan. 14, 2007 at 2pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Private committal services will follow. Visitation will be held on Sunday, from 1-2pm. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/13/2007 - 1/14/2007.

182. DELBENE, CHRISTOPHER "CHRIS" DANIEL, (Obituary No. 182.) 24 Fairfield - Christopher "Chris" Daniel Delbene, 24 died January 10, 2007. Chris was a life long resident of Marion County. Graduated from North Marion High School in 2000. He was a residential contractor. Chris loved the out doors, he enjoyed hunting, fishing, 4 wheeling and even skydiving. Chris is preceded in death by his grandparents-Ralph and Carmel Delbene & Vincent and Betty Barthle. His parents Danny and Cynthia Delbene of Fairfield survive him. Brother Nicholas Delbene of Fairfield. 2 Aunts-Susan Ottinger of Citra, and Teresa Waters of Belleview. 2 Uncles-Raymond Delbene of Citra and George Waters of Belleview. 5 cousins-Michael, Adam, Jeremie, Sean, Randy. Services for Chris will be Sunday, January 14, 2007 at the Belleview Church of God, 6419 SE 107th Street, 245-5476 with Pastor Paul Lane conducting the celebration of life. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the church in memory of Chris.
183. DURRANCE, JULIA VICKERS, (Obituary No. 183.) 71 Ocala - Mrs. Julia Vickers Durrance, 71, of Ocala, FL passed away at home on Fri., Jan. 12, 2007. Mrs. Durrance was a member of the Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala and served actively in the ministry with the Cutaneous Lymphoma Foundation. She is survived by her husband, Father AL Durrance of Ocala; sons and daughters in law, Christopher and Paula Durrance of Ocala, Alfred Lee, Jr. and Julie Durrance, of Crawfordville, FL, Thomas and Angie Durrance of Painter, VA, and John Durrance of Durham, NC; brother, Kenneth Baynard of Negaunee, MI; and 6 grandchildren. Memorial Services for Mrs. Durrance will be held at 2 p.m. at the Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala on Sat., Jan. 20, 2007. In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or Cutaneous Lymphoma Foundation, PO Box 374, Birmingham, MI 48012. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/14/2007 - 1/15/2007.

184. HUEY, SR., ROBERT E., (Obituary No. 184.) 80 Ocala - Robert E. Huey, Sr., 80, of Ocala passed away Tuesday, January 9, 2007. He was born June 12m 1926 in Luthersburg, PA. and came to Ocala in 1995 from Orlando. Mr. Huey retired from the US Air Force, and continued his love of flying as a commercial airline pilot and flight instructor. He was a live member of the VFW. Survivors include Alice P. Huey, his wife of 57 years, Ocala, three sons, Robert E. (wife Pat) Huey, Jr. of Ogden, UT., Kent D. (wife Mary) Huey of Anchorage, AK., Jeffrey L. Huey, Bend, OR., and four grandchildren. Memorial services will be 2 p.m., Thursday, January 18, 2007 in the "Red Barn" Leeward Air Ranch. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/14/2007 - 1/15/2007.

185. LINK, FLORA J., (Obituary No. 185.) 80 Ocala - Flora J. Link, 80, passed away January 12, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born in Lakeland, FL and moved to Ocala in 1960. She was a member of the Ocala Seventh-day Adventist Church. She is survived by a son Wayne A. Nielsen and a daughter Kathleen C. Couch, both of Ocala, grandchildren Robert and Richard Couch, and Dana and Andrew Nielsen, and ten great grandsons. Funeral services will be held at 2PM on Sunday, January 14, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL with Pastor David Swinyar officiating. The family will receive friends from 1-2PM on Sunday at the funeral home. Interment will be in Woodlawn Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/13/2007 - 1/14/2007.

186. McATEER, ARIETTA PAULINE DAVIS, (Obituary No. 186.) 86 Ocala - Mrs. Arietta Pauline Davis McAteer, age 86, passed away Saturday, January 13, 2007. She was born July 19, 1920 in Homerville, GA, to Ruby Hinton Beery Davis and George William Davis. Arietta was the only child of this union, however; she was preceded in death by half brothers Albert, John and Clark Beery and George, Bruce, and Victor Davis and half sisters Pearl D. Waters, Lila D. Norris and Mildred D. Beery and her parents. Arietta was also preceded in death in 1992 by her husband of 57 years William Fred McAteer, Jr. and in 1973 by her youngest son, Thomas George McAteer. Arietta was a descendant of pioneer families of the Ocala area. She spent
several of her growing up years living in Tallahassee while her father served as Commissioner of Conservation and Game Commission for the state of Florida under Governor Shultz. As a child, she lived in the community of Limestone, FL., where she was baptized in the Peace River. She attended Ocala High School and the First Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. She met her future husband shortly after her family moved to Ocala where the two families were neighbors. She and William lived their entire married life in Ocala raising three sons. Arietta was a homemaker and supporter of her husband, who along with his mom, continued the family business of Ocala Wagon Works after Mr. McAteer, Sr. passed away in 1932. She was an avid lover of animals and enjoyed growing flowers and plants. She is survived by two sons, William Fred McAteer III (Betty), Ocklawaha, FL. and James Donald McAteer (Gail), Orlando, FL.. She is also survived by four grandchildren: Donald Ky McAteer (Elisabeth), Clermont, FL., William Kenneth McAteer (Bobbie), Ocala, FL., Karen M. Hatch (Kenny), Ocala, FL. and Kristy M. Clark (Jim), Flower Mount, TX. She is also survived by eleven great-grandchildren: Tia McAteer, Melinda McAteer, Laura McAteer, Thomas McAteer, Trevor McAteer and Justin McAteer, all of Clermont, FL.; Ashley McAteer of Philadelphia, PA.; Bradley Baldus, Ocala, FL.; Krista Hatch and Kyra Hatch of Ocala, FL. and Kyla Clark of Flower Mount, TX. Visitation will be held from 10:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 16, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. A funeral service will be held 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 16, 2007, at the funeral home. Interment will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery, Ocala, FL. The family requests that in lieu of flowers donations may be given in her memory to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., 3231 Southwest 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/14/2007 - 1/15/2007.

187. PETRY, GILBERT C. "GIL", (Obituary No. 187.) 86 Silver Springs - Gilbert C. "Gil" Petry, 86, of Silver Springs, passed away on January 11, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. Gil came here in 1992 from his native Buffalo, NY and was a retired tool grinder and an active member of Faith Baptist Church of Silver Springs, where he also served as deacon. Mr. Petry was also a WWII US Navy Seabee veteran. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Nora L. Petry of Silver Springs; daughter, Linda Luben and husband Ron of Lock Haven, PA; son, David Petry and wife Paulette of Jackson, MI; grandchildren, Dan Petry, Kathy Hollister (Jason), Rachel, Tim, and Steve Luben, Angie Buck (Darren), and Noelle Stephens (Justin). Gil is also survived by three great grandchildren; Taylor, Bailee, and Kassi. He was preceded in death by a sister, The Late Bernice Powers. Friends will be received on Monday, January 15, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, OCALA, where chapel services will be held at 3 p.m., with Rev. Fred Daunhauer officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with military honors. In lieu of flowers please make memorial contributions to Faith Baptist Church of Silver Springs. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/12/2007 - 1/15/2007.

188. ST LOUIS, BETTY B., (Obituary No. 188.) 77 Ocala - After a long battle with Alzheimer's and Cancer, Betty Benson St. Louis, 77, passed away at home January 10, 2007. She was born in Birmingham, Alabama, and was united in marriage to Ronald "Lou" St Louis in 1956. After accompanying her husband through Air Force military service spanning 33 years, Betty and Lou retired to Ocala in 1998. A loving and devoted wife and grandmother, Betty is survived by her husband, Lou; her daughter Pamela Griner Leavy, and her husband Jim, currently residing in Paris, France; her daughter Tracey Rees, her husband Joe and their children Seer, Abram, Carson
and Joe of Pulaski, VA; her son Ronald St. Louis Jr, his wife Marcia, and their children, Alexander, Veronica, and Jacqueline of Tuscaloosa, AL; and her son Christopher St Louis, his wife Gabrielle, and their children Sandy, Michael, and Sarah Jane of Markt-Einersheim, Germany. Betty was also a proud member of the Ocala Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR). Betty will eventually be buried with her husband in Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, VA. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in her honor to the Hospice of Marion County. We would like to thank all our friends and particularly the staff at the Marion County Hospice for their wonderful help and support over the last several months.

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189. THOMAS, JR., JAMES EVAN, (Obituary No. 189.) 56 Floral City - Mr. James Evan Thomas, Jr., 56, of Floral City died Tuesday, January 9, 2007. The Service of Remembrance will be held 4 p.m. Sunday, January 14, 2007 at the Inverness Chapel of Hooper Funeral Homes with Rev. Jason Owenby officiating. Friends may call 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday at the chapel.

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190. THOMAS, JR., MARION "MOOT", (Obituary No. 190.) 77 Ocala - Marion Moultrie "Moot" Thomas, Jr., born August 13, 1930, died January 11, 2007. He was born in Ocala, FL and lived in Ocala all of his life. He was a graduate of Ocala High School, attended the University of Florida, and joined the US Air Force during the Korean War. He earned a degree of Bachelor of Science in Commerce from Bowling Green University. Moot was a life long member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. He was a member of the first Boy Scout Troop of Ocala. He is survived by his wife: Marion Alderman Thomas of Ocala, Sister, Marion Thomas Givens of New York, NY, one nephew, Harrison W. Givens III, of Tampa, FL and one niece, Anne Givens Grimson of Lancaster, PA. Two Grandnephews and one Grand Niece, Numerous Alderman family members. First Cousins: A.T. Thomas, III, Diane Koontz, Meta Reese. Moot was owner of Marion Concrete Company of Gainesville and retired in 1989. Prior to that he was President of Thomas Concrete in Ocala, Gainesville, Dunnellon and Williston. Moot is well known in Men's Amateur Golf in Florida and in the Southeast. He has played in and won many regular amateur and Senior Amateur Golf Tournaments. Among his recent winnings: The North & South Senior Amateur, The Florida Super Senior Championship, The Florida Senior 4-Ball Championship (2 times), Qualifier to the USGA Senior Amateur (2 times). In early years: He played into the semi-finals of the California Open. Played into the Quarter-Finals of the US Open, Won World Wide Air Force Team Tournament, Won Reno Open, Cal/Neva Invitational and many others. Moot has been most proud to have played in every Henry Camp Tournament and as a young man to have played with Mr. Camp as well as many other distinguished golfers. He is most lately known as the skinny guy with the Long Putter - the Bucket hat - and the "How old is this guy with "GAME". The service is scheduled for Monday, January 15, 2007 at 2PM at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala with burial following at Wood Lawn Cemetery. Visitation for family and friends will be held on Saturday and Sunday from 11AM-6PM, at the family home at 1000 SE 5th Street, Ocala, Florida. Memorials would be appreciated to the First Presbyterian Church and "Take Stock in Children" (phone: 352-369-2173) ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala will be handling the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/13/2007 - 1/15/2007.
191. TUFANO, DOLORES "DEE", (Obituary No. 191.) 70 Ocala - Mrs. Dolores "Dee" Tufano, age 70, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Friday, January 12, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Brooklyn, New York and moved to Ocala, Florida in 2003 from Athens, Tennessee. She was a Homemaker and loved both line and square dancing. She along with her husband loved raising Arabian Horses. She is survived by her loving husband, Vetura Tufano of Ocala, FL; her 3 sons, Jeffery Tufano of Thousand Oaks, CA; Andrew Tufano of Upland, CA and Robert Tufano of Albany, NY; her 2 daughters, Terry Tufano of Albany, NY and Patricia Warner of East Greenbush, NY; her sister Patricia Carneglia of Spotswood, NJ; 15 grandchildren and 1 great-granddaughter. Memorial Services will be at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala, Florida 34476 on Monday, January 15, 2007 at 4:00 p.m. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home one hour prior to service time. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Humane Society of Ocala, 701 N.W. 14th Road, Ocala, FL 34475 in memory of Mrs. Dolores "Dee" Tufano. Published in the Ocala Star Banner from 1/14/2007 - 1/15/2007.

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Petry and wife Paulette of Jackson, MI; grandchildren, Dan Petry, Kathy Hollister (Jason), Rachel, Tim, and Steve Luben, Angie Buck (Darren), and Noelle Stephens (Justin). Gil is also survived by three great grandchildren; Taylor, Bailee, and Kassi. He was preceded in death by a sister, The Late Bernice Powers. Friends will be received on Monday, January 15, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, OCALA, where chapel services will be held at 3 p.m., with Rev. Fred Daunhauer officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with military honors. In lieu of flowers please make memorial contributions to Faith Baptist Church of Silver Springs. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/12/2007 - 1/15/2007.

197. SHELLEY, CARRIE VIOLA, (Obituary No. 197.) 89 Ocala - Carrie Viola Shelley, 89, passed away Saturday, January 13, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. She came to Ocala from Plant City, FL in 1949. She is survived by her daughter, Mary L. Duke of Ocala; two sons, George B. Shelley of Summerfield and John Shelley of TX.; two brothers, Lester Cribbs of Trenton, FL and Don Cribbs of Gainesville, FL.; sister, Jean Hammock of Williston; four grandchildren, five great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild. Preceded in death by her husband of 62 years, Louis H. Shelley and her son, Clyde. Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, January 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday. Interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/15/2007 - 1/16/2007.

198. THOMAS, JR., MARION "MOOT", (Obituary No. 198.) 77 Ocala - Marion Moultrie "Moot" Thomas, Jr., born August 13, 1930, died January 11, 2007. He was born in Ocala, FL and lived in Ocala all of his life. He was a graduate of Ocala High School, attended the University of Florida, and joined the US Air Force during the Korean War. He earned a degree of Bachelor of Science in Commerce from Bowling Green University. Moot was a life long member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. He was a member of the first Boy Scout Troop of Ocala. He is survived by his wife: Marion Alderman Thomas of Ocala, Sister, Marion Thomas Givens of New York, NY, one nephew, Harrison W. Givens III, of Tampa, FL and one niece, Anne Givens Grimson of Lancaster, PA. Two Grandnephews and one Grand Niece, Numerous Alderman family members. First Cousins: A.T. Thomas, III, Diane Koontz, Meta Reese. Moot was owner of Marion Concrete Company of Gainesville and retired in 1989. Prior to that he was President of Thomas Concrete in Ocala, Gainesville, Dunnellon and Williston. Moot is well known in Men's Amateur Golf in Florida and in the Southeast. He has played in and won many regular amateur and Senior Amateur Golf Tournaments. Among his recent winnings: The North & South Senior Amateur, The Florida Senior 4-Ball Championship (2 times), Qualifier to the USGA Senior Amateur (2 times). In early years: He played into the semi-finals of the California Open. Played into the Quarter-Finals of the US Open, Won World Wide Air Force Team Tournament, Won Reno Open, Cal/Neva Invitational and many others. Moot has been most proud to have played in every Henry Camp Tournament and as a young man to have played with Mr. Camp as well as many other distinguished golfers. He is most lately known as the skinny guy with the Long Putter - the Bucket hat - and the "How old is this guy with "GAME". The service is scheduled for Monday, January 15, 2007 at 2PM at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala with burial following at Wood Lawn Cemetery. Visitation for family and friends will be held on Saturday and Sunday
from 11AM-6PM, at the family home at 1000 SE 5th Street, Ocala, Florida. Memorials would be appreciated to the First Presbyterian Church and "Take Stock in Children" (phone: 352-369-2173) ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala will be handling the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/13/2007 - 1/16/2007.

199. TUFANO, DOLORES "DEE", (Obituary No. 199.) 70 Ocala - Mrs. Dolores "Dee" Tufano, age 70, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Friday, January 12, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Brooklyn, New York and moved to Ocala, Florida in 2003 from Athens, Tennessee. She was a Homemaker and loved both line and square dancing. She along with her husband loved raising Arabian Horses. She is survived by her loving husband, Vetura Tufano of Ocala, FL; her 3 sons, Jeffery Tufano of Thousand Oaks, CA; Andrew Tufano of Upland, CA and Robert Tufano of Albany, NY; her 2 daughters, Terry Tufano of Albany, NY and Patricia Warner of East Greenbush, NY; her sister Patricia Carneglia of Spotswood, NJ; 15 grandchildren and 1 great-granddaughter. Memorial Services will be at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala, Florida 34476 on Monday, January 15, 2007 at 4:00 p.m. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home one hour prior to service time. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Humane Society of Ocala, 701 N.W. 14th Road, Ocala, FL 34475 in memory of Mrs. Dolores "Dee" Tufano. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/14/2007 - 1/15/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, Monday, January 16, 2007

200. ACKLEY, GEORGIA MAE, (Obituary No. 200.) 82 Ocala - Georgia Mae Ackley, 82 passed away January 14, 2007 at the VA Medical Center, Gainesville, FL. She was a homemaker and also served in the US Air Force. She is survived by her husband of 38 years, James Ackley, one daughter, Rhoda Ackley, three step-daughters, Julie Fountain, Pamela Robbins and Vicki Taylor, one sister, Joeann Like, sister-in-law Mary Darling and many relatives and friends. Arrangements are under the care of Moring Funeral Home, Melrose FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/16/2007 - 1/17/2007.

201. REILLY, THOMAS M., (Obituary No. 201.) 84 McKinney, TX - Thomas M. Reilly, 84 passed on to eternal life January 12, 2007 after a lengthy illness. He was born in Woburn, MA. August 8, 1923, son of the late John and Catherine Reilly. Mr. Reilly served in the USMC, First Marine Division during World War II. He married the former Ruth Lord in Revere MA, September 15, 1951. Together they moved to CT. in 1958 and raised five children. He was employed by Pfizer for thirty years, retiring to Ocala, FL. in 1988. At the time of his illness Tom and Ruthie moved to McKinney, TX. His brothers John and William also predeceased Mr. Reilly. In addition to his wife of fifty-five years, survivors include three daughters; Kathleen Coco, her husband Joseph and son Philip of North Stonington CT, Maryanne Reilly of Santa Fe, NM, Maureen Keeley, her husband Paul and son Brian of McKinney TX, and two sons; Thomas Reilly, his wife Darlene, son Matthew and daughter Carolyn of Glen Ellyn, IL., and Daniel Reilly and his wife Scheno of Washington, DC. In addition, Mr. Reilly is survived by Richard Gwozdz and his wife Karen Anderson of Southington, CT. as well as several nieces and nephews. Services will be held at Saint Andrew's Church in McKinney, Texas. In lieu of flowers please send donations in his memory to Saint Andrews Episcopal Church, 8701 Tiercels Drive, McKinney, Texas 75070. To convey condolences or to sign an online register please visit

202. SHELLEY, CARRIE VIOLA, (Obituary No. 202.) 89 Ocala - Carrie Viola Shelley, 89, passed away Saturday, January 13, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. She came to Ocala from Plant City, FL in 1949. She is survived by her daughter, Mary L. Duke of Ocala; two sons, George B. Shelley of Summerfield and John Shelley of TX.; two brothers, Lester Cribbs of Trenton, FL and Don Cribbs of Gainesville, FL.; sister, Jean Hammock of Williston; four grandchildren, five great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild. Preceded in death by her husband of 62 years, Louis H. Shelley and her son, Clyde. Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, January 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday. Interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/15/2007 - 1/16/2007.

203. STEWART, JOEY, (Obituary No. 203.) 15 Spring Hill - Joey Stewart, 15, passed away at his home on Thursday, January 11, 2007. He was born on February 28, 1991 in Gainesville and came to this area 6 years ago from Anthony, FL. He was a student at Springstead High School and a member of the Anime Club, liked computer games and enjoyed spending time with friends at the 4D Extreme Game Room and making people laugh with his antics. He is survived by his mother, Allison K. Stewart, Glenwood, MN; father, Charles Stewart and his life companion, Nicole Gould, both of Spring Hills; brother, Matthew and his girlfriend, Mary Gray and their son, Anthony Gray and brother, Jeremy, all of Spring Hill; paternal grandmother, Mary Ann Stewart, Ocala; extended grandparents, Everett and Brenda Gould, Leesburg; godparents, Gary and Nancy VanDoren, Oklawaha; numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. Friends will be received on Wednesday, January 17, 2007 from 4-6PM at the Brewer & Sons Funeral Home on Mariner Blvd., with services to commence at 7PM. Joey will be laid to rest on Thursday, January 18, 2007 at Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL. Services entrusted to: BREWER & SONS FUNERAL HOMES AND CREMATION SERVICES, A FAMILY OWNED SERVICE COMPANY, SEVEN HILLS CHAPEL (352)688-4991. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/16/2007 - 1/17/2007.

204. THOMAS, JR., MARION "MOOT", (Obituary No. 204.) 77 Ocala - Marion Moultrie "Moot" Thomas, Jr., born August 13, 1930, died January 11, 2007. He was born in Ocala, FL and lived in Ocala all of his life. He was a graduate of Ocala High School, attended the University of Florida, and joined the US Air Force during the Korean War. He earned a degree of Bachelor of Science in Commerce from Bowling Green University. Moot was a life long member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. He was a member of the first Boy Scout Troop of Ocala. He is survived by his wife: Marion Alderman Thomas of Ocala, Sister, Marion Thomas Givens of New York, NY, one nephew, Harrison W. Givens III, of Tampa, FL and one niece, Anne Givens Grimson of Lancaster, PA. Two Grandnephews and one Grand Niece, Numerous Alderman family members. First Cousins: A.T. Thomas, III, Diane Koontz, Meta Reese. Moot was owner of Marion Concrete Company of Gainesville and retired in 1989. Prior to that he was President of Thomas Concrete in Ocala, Gainesville, Dunnellon and Williston. Moot is well known in Men's Amateur Golf in Florida and in the Southeast. He has played in and won many regular amateur and Senior Amateur Golf Tournaments. Among his recent winnings: The North & South Senior Amateur, The Florida Super Senior Championship, The Florida
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205. ZIMMER, GERTRUDE "TRUDY", (Obituary No. 205.) 88 Ocala - Gertrude "Trudy" Zimmer, 88 died on January 14, 2007 at Superior Residences at Cala Hills. She was a RN at Pittston Hospital, Pittston, PA. She was an active golfer, a member of the Rolling Greens Golf Club, Bowling league. Trudy is survived by her daughter, Trudy Z. Jordan of Reddick, FL., her son, Bill L. Zimmer of Sugarland, TX, a brother, William Locke of Wilkes-Barre, PA and three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, William "Bill" Zimmer. A memorial service has been scheduled for Thursday, January 18th at 12 Noon at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/16/2007 - 1/17/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, Tuesday, January 17, 2007

206. ACKLEY, GEORGIA MAE, (Obituary No. 206.) 82 Ocala - Georgia Mae Ackley, 82 passed away January 14, 2007 at the VA Medical Center, Gainesville, FL. She was a homemaker and also served in the US Air Force. She is survived by her husband of 38 years, James Ackley, one daughter, Rhoda Ackley, three step-daughters, Julie Fountain, Pamela Robbins and Vicki Taylor, one sister, Joeann Like, sister-in-law Mary Darling and many relatives and friends. Arrangements are under the care of Moring Funeral Home, Melrose FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/16/2007 - 1/17/2007.

207. ANDREWS, JAMES LEVON, (Obituary No. 207.) 80 Starke - Mr. James Levon Andrews, 80 died January 14, 2007. He was born in Morriston, FL and lived most of his adult life in Starke, FL. He was a pipefitter by trade and a real estate developer. He was of the Baptist faith and served in the US Navy during WWII. He enjoyed finding locations and then putting the package together for various convenient stores. Business and building was his hobby and what he enjoyed most. Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Shirley Neill Andrews, a son, James J. Andrews of Arlington, VA., a daughter Joy L. McKay (Patrick Sr.) of Independence, MO, two grandsons, Patrick S. McKay II and Joshua A. McKay. Several nieces, nephews, and cousins in Florida also survive. Funeral services will be conducted at 2PM, Thursday, January 18, 2007 at the chapel of Archie Tanner Funeral Home with Elder Patrick McKay officiating with burial in New River Baptist Church Cemetery. ARCHER TANNER FUNERAL HOME of Starke in charge of arrangements. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to New River Baptist Church Building Fund, 14509 SW
161st Street, Brooker, FL 32622. Visitation will be one hour prior to service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

208. AYALA, DIODORA, (Obituary No. 208.) 73 Belleview - Diodora Ayala, 73 passed away on Monday, January 15, 2007 at home. A native of Bayamon, Puerto Rico, she came to Belleview in 1996 from Brentwood, L.I., NY and was a retired nursing assistant. Mrs. Ayala's entire career was spent with Pilgrim State Hospital, Brentwood, L.I., NY with whom she worked for 37 years. Diodora was a member of First Assembly of God Church of Belleview. She is survived by daughter Rose Marie Johnson of Orlando; son Rolando Concepcion, Jr. of Belleview; son Walter Ayala of Jacksonville; son Elias Ayala, Jr. of Belleview; daughter Ginny Rivera of Belleview and daughter Helen Scarbrough of Bartow; sister Estella Fendero of Sugarland, TX; sister Ida Sice of Inverness; brother Thomas Ortiz of Brentwood, L.I., NY; and sisters Carmen Perdomo and Hilda Matos, both of Belleview, 13 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband of 37 years, Elias T. Ayala (7/19/04) and a brother, Jessie Ortiz, of Brentwood, L.I., NY. Friends will be received on Thursday, January 18th from 10AM to 12 Noon and from 5-8PM at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala where chapel services will be held at 11AM on Friday, January 19th with Pastor Carl Thompson of First Assembly of God of Belleview officiating. Viewing will also be on Friday from 9-11AM and interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

209. CLARKE, ELEANOR, (Obituary No. 209.) 85 Ocala - Eleanor May Clark, 85, died January 13, 2007. She was born on May 13, 1921 in Youngstown, Ohio. She moved to Ocala in 1982. Mrs. Clarke retired as a Registered Nurse and served in the US Army Nurse Corps during WWII. She was an Episcopalian, lifelong member of the American Legion, math tutor and a supporter of animal rights. Survivors include husband, William T. Clarke, Ocala, daughter, Patricia M. Clarke, Ocala, son, Dr. Chester C. Clarke, Ellicott City, MD and three grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

210. HARMAN, CHARLES D., (Obituary No. 210.) 86 Ocala - Charles D. Harman, 86 died January 16, 2007. A retired carpenter, he relocated to Marion County in 2000 from Port St. Lucie, FL. He was a Capt./Pilot in the US Army/Air Corps during WWII, a Docent at the Appleton Museum, he enjoyed woodcarving and photography. Charles is survived by three daughters, Jeanne H. Carment of Ponte Vedra Beach, FL., Ruth H. Stangs of Piscataway, NJ, and Kay C. Harman of Ocala, by four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen in 2000. A memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Lung Association @ 1333 W. Colonial Dr., Orlando, FL 37804. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

211. McALLISTER, III, WILLIAM C., (Obituary No. 211.) 59 Belleview- William C. McCallister III, 59 of Belleview died January 14, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. He was a native of New Eagle, PA. Mr. McAllister was of Baptist faith and a retired college language professor. He was a veteran of Viet Nam serving in the Army. Graveside memorial services for Mr. McAllister will be at 2PM, Monday, January 22, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with honors. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.
212. REILLY, THOMAS M., (Obituary No. 212.) 84 McKinney, TX - Thomas M. Reilly, 84 passed on to eternal life January 12, 2007 after a lengthy illness. He was born in Woburn, MA. August 8, 1923, son of the late John and Catherine Reilly. Mr. Reilly served in the USMC, First Marine Division during World War II. He married the former Ruth Lord in Revere MA, September 15, 1951. Together they moved to CT. in 1958 and raised five children. He was employed by Pfizer for thirty years, retiring to Ocala, FL. in 1988. At the time of his illness Tom and Ruthie moved to McKinney, TX. His brothers John and William also predeceased Mr. Reilly. In addition to his wife of fifty-five years, survivors include three daughters; Kathleen Coco, her husband Joseph and son Philip of North Stonington CT, Maryanne Reilly of Santa Fe, NM, Maureen Keeley, her husband Paul and son Brian of McKinney TX, and two sons; Thomas Reilly, his wife Darlene, son Matthew and daughter Carolyn of Glen Ellyn, IL., and Daniel Reilly and his wife Scheno of Washington, DC. In addition, Mr. Reilly is survived by Richard Gwozdz and his wife Karen Anderson of Southington, CT. as well as several nieces and nephews. Services will be held at Saint Andrew's Church in McKinney, Texas. In lieu of flowers please send donations in his memory to Saint Andrews Episcopal Church, 8701 Tiercels Drive, McKinney, Texas 75070. To convey condolences or to sign an online register please visit www.daltonandson.com. The family of Thomas Reilly is being served by Dalton & Son Home of Lewisville, Texas. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/16/2007 - 1/17/2007.

213. RYDER, ANN P., (Obituary No. 213.) 93 Ruskin - Ann P. Ryder, 93, Horse owner/Breeder passed away Monday, January 15, 2007 in the Sun City Hospice in Ruskin. A Florida native, she was born July 13, 1913 in Miami and moved to Ocala in 1955. Mrs. Ryder was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, and a charter member of the Ocala Breeders Association. She is survived by daughter Cecelia Meyer, Ruskin, sons, Richard Ryder, Palm Desert, CA, and Ken Ryder, Ocklawaha. Mrs. Ryder was preceded in death by husband Robert and son Robert Stephen Ryder, Sr. A Funeral Mass will be Thursday, January 18, 2007, 12 noon at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Pat Sheedy, officiating. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Wednesday, 5-7PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

214. SEIB, CHARLES E., (Obituary No. 214.) 87 Ocala - Charles E. Seib, 87, passed away January 13, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Erie, PA and moved to Ocala in 1985 from there. He served for 28 years in US Army, retiring as a Lt. Col. He was a Manufacturing Engineer for the Lord Corporation. He was a member of the United Community Congregational Church of Christ, a volunteer fireman and chaplain for the Marion Oaks Volunteer Fire Dept, a member of the Marion Oaks Volunteer Eyes Neighborhood Watch, a lifetime member of the Admiral Perry Masonic Lodge #392, and the Scottish Rite in Erie, PA. He is survived by his wife of 64 years Virginia Seib, a son Richard E. Seib of Ocala, a daughter Marilyn Emhoff of Erie, PA, 3 grandchildren, 1 great grandson, a brother Harold Seib, and a sister Leatrice Reichel both of Erie, PA. A memorial service will be held at 2PM on Friday, January 19, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW St Rd 200, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

215. STEWART, JOEY, (Obituary No. 215.) 15 Spring Hill - Joey Stewart, 15, passed away at his home on Thursday, January 11, 2007. He was born on February 28, 1991 in Gainesville and
came to this area 6 years ago from Anthony, FL. He was a student at Springstead High School and a member of the Anime Club, liked computer games and enjoyed spending time with friends at the 4D Extreme Game Room and making people laugh with his antics. He is survived by his mother, Allison K. Stewart, Glenwood, MN; father, Charles Stewart and his life companion, Nicole Gould, both of Spring Hills; brother, Matthew and his girlfriend, Mary Gray and their son, Anthony Gray and brother, Jeremy, all of Spring Hill; paternal grandmother, Mary Ann Stewart, Ocala; extended grandparents, Everett and Brenda Gould, Leesburg; godparents, Gary and Nancy VanDoren, Oklawaha; numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. Friends will be received on Wednesday, January 17, 2007 from 4-6PM at the Brewer & Sons Funeral Home on Mariner Blvd., with services to commence at 7PM. Joey will be laid to rest on Thursday, January 18, 2007 at 4PM at Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL. Services entrusted to: BREWER & SONS FUNERAL HOMES AND CREMATION SERVICES, A FAMILY OWNED SERVICE COMPANY, SEVEN HILLS CHAPEL (352)688-4991. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/16/2007 - 1/17/2007.

216. WILLIAMS, JOHNNY L., (Obituary No. 216.) 71 Ocala - Johnny L. Williams, 71, of Ocala, FL died on January 11, 2007 in Ocala. Johnny was born on May 3, 1935 in Palm Beach County, FL, the son of Fess and Lottie Williams. He was a US Air Force veteran, and a former salesman. Johnny was preceded in death by his sister Viola Appling and brother Walter Bonnie Lewis. Survivors include six children, Debra R. Collier of Ocala, Jay T. Williams of Clemson, SC, Marty L. Williams of Houston, TX, Terri L. Williams and Sergion Williams both of Ocala and Cederic Williams of Dunnellon, FL, siblings Albert Williams and Mary Young both of St. Petersburg, Fred Williams and Essie Brown both of Santos, and Minnie Jones of Ocala. Nine grandchildren, Andrell, Shatoya, Latiya, Christopher, Phillip, Kendra, Marty, Jaron and Tyrell, 5 great grandchildren, Gi’andre, Gi-ah, Ramiya-h, Marty, and Sha Sha. Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 AM on Saturday, Jan. 20, 2007 at the Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, 612 NW 4th Place, Ocala. Rev. Denis Hagins, Sr. will preside. HIENZ FUNERAL HOME, Inverness, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

217. ZIMMER, GERTRUDE "TRUDY", (Obituary No. 217.) 88 Ocala - Gertrude "Trudy" Zimmerman, 88 died on January 14, 2007 at Superior Residences at Cala Hills. She was a RN at Pittston Hospital, Pittston, PA. She was an active golfer, a member of the Rolling Greens Golf Club, Bowling league. Trudy is survived by her daughter, Trudy Z. Jordan of Reddick, FL, her son, Bill L. Zimmerman of Sugarland, TX, a brother, William Locke of Wilkes-Barre, PA and three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, William "Bill" Zimmerman. A memorial service has been scheduled for Thursday, January 18th at 12 Noon at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/16/2007 - 1/17/2007.

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218. ANDREWS, JAMES LEVON, (Obituary No. 218.) 80 Starke - Mr. James Levon Andrews, 80 died January 14, 2007. He was born in Morriston, FL and lived most of his adult life in Starke, FL. He was a pipefitter by trade and a real estate developer. He was of the Baptist faith and served in the US Navy during WWII. He enjoyed finding locations and then putting the package together for various convenient stores. Business and building was his hobby and what he enjoyed most. Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Shirley Neill Andrews, a son, James J.
Andrews of Arlington, VA., a daughter Joy L. McKay (Patrick Sr.) of Independence, MO, two
grandsons, Patrick S. McKay II
and Joshua A. McKay. Several nieces, nephews, and cousins in Florida also survive. Funeral
services will be conducted at 2PM, Thursday, January 18, 2007 at the chapel of Archie Tanner
Funeral Home with Elder Patrick McKay officiating with burial in New River Baptist Church
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on Monday, January 15, 2007 at home. A native of Bayamon, Puerto Rico, she came to
Belleview in 1996 from Brentwood, L.I., NY and was a retired nursing assistant. Mrs. Ayala's
entire career was spent with Pilgrim State Hospital, Brentwood, L.I., NY with whom she worked
for 37 years. Diodora was a member of First Assembly of God Church of Belleview. She is
survived by daughter Rose Marie Johnson of Orlando; son Rolando Concepcion, Jr. of
Belleview; son Walter Ayala of Jacksonville; son Elias Ayala, Jr. of Belleview; daughter Ginny
Rivera of Belleview and daughter Helen Scarbrough of Bartow; sister Estella Fendero of
Sugarland, TX; sister Ida Sice of Inverness; brother Thomas Ortiz of Brentwood, L.I., NY; and
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Pastor Carl Thompson of First Assembly of God of Belleview officiating. Viewing will also be
on Friday from 9-11AM and interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published

220. CLARKE, ELEANOR, (Obituary No. 220.) 85 Ocala - Eleanor May Clark, 85, died
January 13, 2007. She was born on May 13, 1921 in Youngstown, Ohio. She moved to Ocala in
1982. Mrs. Clarke retired as a Registered Nurse and served in the US Army Nurse Corps during
WWII. She was an Episcopalian, lifelong member of the American Legion, math tutor and a
supporter of animal rights. Survivors include husband, William T. Clarke, Ocala, daughter,
Patricia M. Clarke, Ocala, son, Dr. Chester C. Clarke, Ellicott City, MD and three grandchildren.
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221. DAVIDSON, JOHN L. "Jackie", (Obituary No. 221.) 83 Ft. McCoy - John L. "Jackie"
Davidson, 83 passed away Friday, January 12, 2007 at ORMC. He was born June 4, 1923 in
Toronto, Canada and came to Ocala in 1971 from Miami. Mr. Davidson retired from driving
trucks and was a Canadian Army Veteran serving in WWII. He was of the Baptist faith and
enjoyed woodworking, painting and big band music. "Jackie" was Past Master of Golden Glades
Lodge #334, in Miami and a member of Marston Masonic Lodge #49 in Ft. McCoy. Survived by
his wife of 60 years Mary A. Davidson of Ft. McCoy, sister Florence Copeland, and her husband
Peter, of Port Dover, Canada, sister-in-law Doris Davidson of Toronto, Canada, many nieces and
nephews in Canada, and his loving pet "Cookie". Memorial services will be 1PM, Monday,


223. GAINES, BERNADETTE ELAINE, (Obituary No. 223.) 45 Dunnellon - Ms Bernadette Elaine Gaines, 45, passed away on January 11, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Blitchton, FL. Ms Gaines was a cook. She leaves behind to cherish her precious memories: Loujean Gaines - mother, Dunnellon, FL. Larry Gaines - son, Dunnellon, FL., Adrain (Selinda) Gaines - son, Dunnellon, FL., Vernice Ann Simmons, daughter, VA., Monique Terrell, daughter, Dunnellon, Alberta Gaines, sister, Dunnellon, Theresa Gaines, sister, Ocala, Tammy Edwards (Dwight), sister, Ocala, Wilbert Gaines (Jeanette), brother, Manassas, VA., Jeffery Gaines (Brenda), brother, Manassas, VA, Benjamin Tyles (Dana), brother, Dunnellon, one granddaughter Idrena Obeng. Funeral services for Ms Gaines will be held 3PM on Saturday, January 20, 2007 at First Bethel Baptist Church, Dunnellon, FL. Reverend Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor Evangelist Freddie Oats, Eulogist. Family members are asked to meet at Freedom Outreach Help Center at 2:15PM to form the funeral cortege. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. Public visitation will be held at First Baptist Church on Friday, January 19, 2007 from 6-8PM and on Saturday from 2PM until time of service. Interment-Dunnellon Community Cemetery, Dunnellon, FL. "A SUMMERS FUNERAL SERVICE MAKES THE DIFFERENCE" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/18/2007 - 1/19/2007.

224. HARMAN, CHARLES D., (Obituary No. 224.) 86 Ocala - Charles D. Harman, 86 died January 16, 2007. A retired carpenter, he relocated to Marion County in 2000 from Port St. Lucie, FL. He was a Capt./Pilot in the US Army/Air Corps during WWII, a Docent at the Appleton Museum, he enjoyed woodcarving and photography. Charles is survived by three daughters, Jeanne H. Carment of Ponte Vedra Beach, FL., Ruth H. Stangs of Piscataway, NJ, and Kay C. Harman of Ocala, by four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded
in death by his wife, Helen in 2000. A memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Lung Association @ 1333 W. Colonial Dr., Orlando, FL 37804. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

225. LONDON-UNDERWOOD, ADDIE, (Obituary No. 225.) 92 Boardman - Addie London-Underwood, 92 died January 11, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Sunday, January 21 at 2:30PM at Zion Bethel Baptist Church, McIntosh, FL. Rev. O.E. Harris, eulogist. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Sat. from 9-7. Family and friends are asked to meet at the London-Underwood residence 5945 NW 215 Place, Boardman, FL on Sunday at 1:45 to form the funeral cortège. No viewing following the eulogy. Ms London Underwood leaves to cherish her memories 2 sons, Willie Smith, McIntosh, FL., Leonard Burley, Concord, NC, 8 grandchildren, Zonnie S. Woods, Orange Lake, FL., Billie McDavid, Orange Lake, FL., Fermon McDavid, Land O'Lake, FL, Stacy Smith, Reddick, FL., Valeria McCallister, Philadelphia, PA., Sonja Rhodes, Concord, NC, Kesa Purda, 18 great grandchildren, 10 great great grandchildren, 4 great great great grand children. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/18/2007 - 1/19/2007.

226. McCALLISTER, III, WILLIAM C., (Obituary No. 226.) 59 Belleview- William C. McCallister III, 59 of Belleview died January 14, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. He was a native of New Eagle, PA. Mr. McAllister was of Baptist faith and a retired college language professor. He was a veteran of Viet Nam serving in the Army. Graveside memorial services for Mr. McAllister will be at 2PM, Monday, January 22, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with honors. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

227. RYDER, ANN P., (Obituary No. 227.) 93 Ruskin - Ann P. Ryder, 93, Horse owner/Breeder passed away Monday, January 15, 2007 in the Sun City Hospice in Ruskin. A Florida native, she was born July 13, 1913 in Miami and moved to Ocala in 1955. Mrs. Ryder was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, and a charter member of the Ocala Breeders Association. She is survived by daughter Cecelia Meyer, Ruskin, sons, Richard Ryder, Palm Desert, CA, and Ken Ryder, Ocklawaha. Mrs. Ryder was preceded in death by husband Robert and son Robert Stephen Ryder, Sr. A Funeral Mass will be Thursday, January 18, 2007, 12 noon at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Pat Sheedy, officiating. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Wednesday, 5-7PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

228. SCOTT, SR., DURANT "SCOTTY" , (Obituary No. 228.) 71 Orange Lake - Durant "Scotty" Scott, Sr., 71 died January 11, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 20, 2007 at 11AM at United Missionary Baptist Church, Reddick, FL. Eulogist Rev Stanley Stobles presiding. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Fri. from 9-7. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Scotts residence 18651 NW 60 Ave., Orange Lake FL on Sat at 10:15AM to form the funeral cortège. No viewing following the eulogy. Mr. Scott leaves to cherish his memories a wife of 51 years Louise Lowery-Scott, 5 daughters Helen Scott-Patterson, Gainesville, FL., Vivian Scott-Edwards Brooks, Fairfield, FL., Bevely Scott Thaggard, Orange Lake, FL and Doris Scott-Richards, Gainesville, FL. Six sons Edward Scott, San Antonio, TX., Durant Scott, Jr., Donald Scott, Robert Jamerson, Orange Lake, FL., Roger

229. SEIB, CHARLES E., (Obituary No. 229.) 87 Ocala - Charles E. Seib, 87, passed away January 13, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Erie, PA and moved to Ocala in 1985 from there. He served for 28 years in US Army, retiring as a Lt. Col. He was a Manufacturing Engineer for the Lord Corporation. He was a member of the United Community Congregational Church of Christ, a volunteer fireman and chaplain for the Marion Oaks Volunteer Fire Dept, a member of the Marion Oaks Volunteer Eyes Neighborhood Watch, a lifetime member of the Admiral Perry Masonic Lodge #392, and the Scottish Rite in Erie, PA. He is survived by his wife of 64 years Virginia Seib, a son Richard E. Seib of Ocala, a daughter Marilyn Emhoff of Erie, PA, 3 grandchildren, 1 great grandson, a brother Harold Seib, and a sister Leatrice Reichel both of Erie, PA. A memorial service will be held at 2PM on Friday, January 19, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW St Rd 200, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

230. SILAS, IRMA K., (Obituary No. 230.) 89 Jacksonville - Irma K. Silas, 89 passed away January 15, 2007 at The Terrace of Fleming Island. A proud native of Ocala, FL., daughter of Ola Mae and Morris P. Knoblock, she resided in Jacksonville over 60 years. Irma loved life and was all about family, friends, faith and fun. Her optimistic spirit was contagious. She was a loyal member of the Oakwood Garden Circle of the Garden Club of Jacksonville for 60 years. Irma was past Matron of the Scottish Eastern Star Chapter and served in the Hospitality Unit in the Daughters of the Nile. She belonged to the Morocco Sweethearts and was an active member of her Joy Sunday school class at Lake Shore Baptist Church. Preceded in death by her loving husband of 52 years, Franz E. Silas, Sr. and by her granddaughter, Cindy Silas Hall. Irma will be dearly missed by her daughter, the Rev. Linda S. Silas of Rolling Hills Estates, CA; sons, Franz E. (Evelyn) Silas, Jr. of Stafford, VA, and Morris (Nancy) Silas of Macclenny; and her dear sister Lorrene Middleton of Jacksonville. Other survivors include 2 granddaughters, Suzanne (Chip) Wood of Green Cove Springs, and Debbie (Billy) Connell of Mandarin. Grandsons, Brad M. (Lisa) Silas of Jacksonville; Franz "Slick" (Kim) Silas, III of Columbia, SC; David (Kim) Southworth and Dan Southworth of Tallahassee. Surviving great-grandchildren are P.O. 3 Billy Hall, USS Roosevelt; Wesley Silas of Columbia, SC; Heather Connell of Mandarin; Shyanne, Krista and Kinsey Southworth of Tallahassee. The family will receive her dear friends Friday, January 19, 2007, 5-7PM at HARDAGE-GIDDENS Funeral Home at 729 S. Edgewood Avenue in Jacksonville. A Celebration of Irma's Life will be held Saturday, January 20, at 10AM at the Funeral Home, with interment to follow at Riverside Memorial Park. Reverend Vickie Bossvol and Rev. Steve Mouzon will officiate. Memorial contributions may be made to Community Hospice of NE Florida or your charity. Arrangements made by TOWN & COUNTRY Funeral Home, 7242 Normandy Blvd., Jacksonville FL 32205 (904)781-9262. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/18/2007 - 1/19/2007.

231. WILLIAMS, JOHNNY L., (Obituary No. 231.) 71 Ocala - Johnny L. Williams, 71, of Ocala, FL died on January 11, 2007 in Ocala. Johnny was born on May 3, 1935 in Palm Beach County, FL, the son of Fess and Lottie Williams. He was a US Air Force veteran, and a former salesman. Johnny was preceded in death by his sister Viola Appling and brother Walter Bonnie
Lewis. Survivors include six children, Debra R. Collier of Ocala, Jay T. Williams of Clemson, SC, Marty L. Williams of Houston, TX, Terri L. Williams and Sergion Williams both of Ocala and Cederic Williams of Dunnellon, FL, siblings Albert Williams and Mary Young both of St. Petersburg, Fred Williams and Essie Brown both of Santos, and Minnie Jones of Ocala. Nine grandchildren, Andrell, Shatoya, Latiya, Christopher, Phillip, Kendra, Marty, Jaron and Tyrell, 5 great grandchildren, Gi'andre, Gi-ah, Ramiya-h, Marty, and Sha Sha. Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 AM on Saturday, Jan. 20, 2007 at the Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, 612 NW 4th Place, Ocala. Rev. Denis Hagins, Sr. will preside. HIENZ FUNERAL HOME, Inverness, FL. Published in the Ocala Star Banner from 1/17/2007 - 1/18/2007.

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232. DAVIDSON, JOHN L. "Jackie", (Obituary No. 232.) 83 Ft. McCoy - John L. "Jackie" Davidson, 83 passed away Friday, January 12, 2007 at ORMC. He was born June 4, 1923 in Toronto, Canada and came to Ocala in 1971 from Miami. Mr. Davidson retired from driving trucks and was a Canadian Army Veteran serving in WWII. He was of the Baptist faith and enjoyed woodworking, painting and big band music. "Jackie" was Past Master of Golden Glades Lodge #334, in Miami and a member of Marston Masonic Lodge #49 in Ft. McCoy. Survived by his wife of 60 years Mary A. Davidson of Ft. McCoy, sister Florence Copeland, and her husband Peter, of Port Dover, Canada, sister-in-law Doris Davidson of Toronto, Canada, many nieces and nephews in Canada, and his loving pet "Cookie". Memorial services will be 1PM, Monday, January 22, 2007, followed by a Masonic Lodge Service at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star Banner from 1/18/2007 - 1/19/2007.

233. DONLON, CAROL D., (Obituary No. 233.) 67 Summerfield - Carol D. Donlon, 67. of Summerfield, FL, formerly of Medina, NY passed away on Sunday, January 14, 2007, with her loving family by her side. Born on November 11, 1939 in Medina, NY, she was the daughter of Alice (Bates) Pahura and the late Andrew 1. Pahura. Carol grew up in Medina, attending Medina High School and the New York Stale Teachers College at Geneseo, NY. Aside from being a homemaker; Carol was a volunteer and former School Teacher fur 10 years in Penfield and Susquehanna Valley School Districts in NY. Besides her mother, Carol is survived by her husband of 39 years, James T. Donlon. Two sons, James B. Donlon of Miami, FL and Andrew S. (Jennifer) Donlon of Southlake, TX, two grandchildren, Gabriel R. and Alexa N. Donlon of Southlake, TX. Also, two brothers-in-law, Joseph J. (Janice) Donlon of The Villages, FL. And Thomas B. (Kathleen) Donlon of Pompano Beach, FL.. An aunt, Dorothy Pahura of Medina. Two cousins, Darlene (Phillip) Cooper of Bayonet Point, FL and Robert (Debbie) Pahura of Bonner Springs, KS. Also, numerous distant cousins. Carol was predeceased by her brother James M. Pahura and a daughter Julie M. Donlon. Relatives and friends may call on Sunday, January 28, 2007 at the BATES & TUTTLE FUNERAL HOME, 226 Pearl St. Medina, NY from 3 to 7 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Monday, January 29, 2007, at 11 a.m. at Saint Mary's Church, West Ave. Medina. The Pastor, Father Joseph E. Vatter celebrating. Burial will he in the Boxwood Cemetery, Medina. In lieu of flowers, donations can he made to Lee-Whedon Memorial Library, 620 West Ave., Medina, N.Y. 14103. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.
ENGDAHL, DONALD W., (Obituary No. 234.) 80 Ocala - Donald Engdahl, 80, died January 17, 2007 at his residence. He moved from Orlando, FL in 1998 and was of Protestant Faith. He was a US Army Veteran and served in WWII. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Janice b. Engdahl, Ocala; son, Scott A. (Carol) Engdahl, Lakeland, TN; daughter, Pamela L. (Robert) Puckett, Mesa, AZ; two granddaughters, Jennifer Soto, Winter Springs, FL and Amber Puckett, CA. Graveside service is at Highland Memorial Park, Saturday, January 20, 2007 at 2 p.m. with Angela Santos VFW Post 4871 officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Marion County Humane Society, 701 NW 14th Street, Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.


FORD, CLASSIE MAE SUGGS, (Obituary No. 236.) 83 Ocala - Classie Mae Suggs Ford, 83, homemaker, of Ocala, FL. Funeral service for Classie Mae Ford will be held Saturday, January 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, with the Rev. Dr. Cecil Wilson, Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Ford was born in Youngtown, FL on September 14, 1923 to the late Charlie & Lizzie Suggs, She was a member of the Usher Board #1 and Mission Circle #2. Survivors: 3 grandson, Keenan Guyton & Bridget, Ocala, FL, Willie Thomas, Pensacola, FL, David Thomas, Ocala, FL, 1 sister, Albertha Taylor, Ocala, FL, 3 special nieces, Queen Graham, Ocala, FL, Levonia Pinkney, St. Petersburg, FL and Bennie Simpkins, Ocala, FL & a host of cousins and friends. Burial will be in Chestnut Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, January 19, 2007 from 9 - 5:30 p.m. Wake from 6 - 7 p.m. in Cunningham's Chapel of Faith. Saturday at the Church from 10 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.
237. GAINES, BERNADETTE ELAINE, (Obituary No. 237.) 45 Dunnellon - Ms Bernadette Elaine Gaines, 45, passed away on January 11, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Blitchton, FL. Ms Gaines was a cook. She leaves behind to cherish her precious memories: Loujean Gaines - mother, Dunnellon, FL. Larry Gaines - son, Dunnellon, FL., Adrian (Selinda) Gaines - son, Dunnellon, FL., Vernice Ann Simmons, daughter, VA., Monique Terrell, daughter, Dunnellon, Alberta Gaines, sister, Dunnellon, Theresa Gaines, sister, Ocala, Tammy Edwards (Dwight), sister, Ocala, Wilbert Gaines (Jeanette), brother, Manassas, VA., Jeffery Gaines (Brenda), brother, Manassas, VA., Benjamin Tyles (Dana), brother, Dunnellon, one granddaughter Idrena Obeng. Funeral services for Ms Gaines will be held 3PM on Saturday, January 20, 2007 at First Bethel Baptist Church, Dunnellon, FL. Reverend Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor Evangelist Freddie Oats, Eulogist. Family members are asked to meet at Freedom Outreach Help Center at 2:15PM to form the funeral cortege. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. Public visitation will be held at First Baptist Church on Friday, January 19, 2007 from 6-8PM and on Saturday from 2PM until time of service. Interment-Dunnellon Community Cemetery, Dunnellon, FL. "A SUMMERS FUNERAL SERVICE MAKES THE DIFFERENCE" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/18/2007 - 1/19/2007.

238. IVORY, WILLIAM H., (Obituary No. 238.) 66 Gainesville - William H. Ivory, 66, died at the Gainesville VAMC on January 9, 2007. He was born in Springfield, OH and was a Navy veteran. Survivors are his daughters, Kathleen Huennerkopf, Muskegon, MI and Karen Sneed, Springfield, OH; sons, William, II and Christopher, both of Ocklawaha; and brothers, Mick of Springfield and Tom of Martinsburg, WV. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE, 800-467-7850 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

239. LONDON-UNDERWOOD, ADDIE, (Obituary No. 239.) 92 Boardman - Addie London-Underwood, 92 died January 11, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Sunday, January 21 at 2:30PM at Zion Bethel Baptist Church, McIntosh, FL. Rev. O.E. Harris, eulogist. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Sat. from 9-7. Family and friends are asked to meet at the London-Underwood residence 5945 NW 215 Place, Boardman, FL on Sunday at 1:45 to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Ms London Underwood leaves to cherish her memories 2 sons, Willie Smith, McIntosh, FL., Leonard Burley, Concord, NC, 8 grandchildren, Zonnie S. Woods, Orange Lake, FL., Billie McDavid, Orange Lake, FL., Fermon McDavid, Land O'Lake, FL, Stacy Smith, Reddick, FL., Valeria McCallister, Philadelphia, PA., Sonja Rhodes, Concord, NC, Kesa Purda, 18 great grandchildren, 10 great great grandchildren, 4 great great great grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/18/2007 - 1/19/2007.

240. LUCUS, MARIE M., (Obituary No. 240.) 88 Silver Springs Shores - Marie M. Lucus, 88, of Silver Springs Shores, FL, died January 7, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A retired furniture retail clerk, she relocated to Marion County 9 years ago. Marie is survived by a daughter, Janet Masley and her husband Dick of Palm Coast, FL., by five grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Burdette Lucas, her son, Robert E. Lucas and a grandson, Robert Lucas Jr. A memorial service will be held on January 28, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Community of Christ Church with Pastor Rick Morris officiating. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Community of Christ Church @ 28102 NE 28th St., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

242. ROGERS, ANNIE M., (Obituary No. 242.) 86 Ocala - Annie M. Rogers, 86, of Ocala, Florida, died Tuesday, January 16, 2007 at Legacy House after a prolonged illness. She was born January 8, 1921 in Bainbridge, Georgia. She moved to Ocala in 2006 from Tampa, Fla. She was a Homemaker and a member of Palma Ceia Presbyterian Church, Tampa, Fla. She was also a member of the Allianc? Franciase. She is survived by: her son, James H. Rogers, M.D. of Ocala, Florida, 2 daughters, Patricia L. Zelsman and Mary Anne Hutchinson, both of Orlando, Florida, 4 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

243. RUMANS, ROBERT, (Obituary No. 243.) 65 Ocala - Robert Rumans, 65, of Ocala, Florida, died Tuesday, January 16, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Kansas City MO, he moved to this area from Delaware in 2004. He loved his wife and family, and had many close friends; he will be missed by all. He is survived by his wife of 20 years Robin Rumans, daughters Medra (Bill) Patterson, Kristin (Ronnie) Henry, Jennifer (Eric) Quiunatas, son Jason Hoard, grandchildren Emily, Brandy, Haley, Ashlyn, Kyle, David, and Annaleise, and his beloved dog Harley. Services will be at noon on Saturday, January 20, 2007, at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Rd, Belleview, FL with family and friends officiating. Visitation will be Friday from 6 - 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

244. SCOTT, ANN (ANNE BELL) STATEN, (Obituary No. 244.) 76 Ocala - Mrs. Ann (Annie Bell) Staten Scott, 73, retired nurse, died Thursday, January 11, 2007 at Hospice. Mrs. Scott was born in Haines City, FL, she came to Ocala from New York City in 1969. She lived here for 37 years. She was of Pentecostal faith and a member of Ocala Temple Church of God By Faith. Funeral Services for Ann (Annie Bell) Staten Scott of 2016 S.W. 7th Street Ocala, will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, January 20, 2007 at the Ocala Temple Church of God By Faith, 707 S.W. Fort King Street, Ocala, FL with Bishop Walter Camps, Sr., officiating. Interment will follow in Oak Hill Cemetery, Clermont, FL. Public visitation will be (today) Friday, January 19, 2007 from 4 - 8 p.m. at the church. She is survived by her children; Linda Staten, Steve Scott, Jr., Stanley Scott, Sandra (Princess) Scott, and Yolanda Ann Scott all of Ocala, her last born grandson prior to her death Jaisaiah Lonnie Jackson, and a host of other relatives and friends. Arrangements by MARVIN C. ZANDERS FUNERAL HOME, INC., APOPKA, FL. (407) 886-3388 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

245. SCOTT, SR., DURANT "SCOTTY", (Obituary No. 245.) 71 Orange Lake - Durant "Scotty" Scott, Sr., 71 died January 11, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January
20, 2007 at 11AM at United Missionary Baptist Church, Reddick, FL. Eulogist Rev Stanley Stobles presiding. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Fri. from 9-7. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Scotts residence 18651 NW 60 Ave., Orange Lake FL on Sat at 10:15AM to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Mr. Scott leaves to cherish his memories a wife of 51 years Louise Lowery-Scott, 5 daughters Helen Scott-Patterson, Gainesville, FL., Vivian Scott-Edwards Brooks, Fairfield, FL., Bevely Scott Thaggard, Orange Lake, FL, Dorothy Scott Williams, Gainesville, FL, and Doris Scott-Richardson, Orange Lake, FL. Six sons Edward Scott, San Antonio, TX., Durant Scott, Jr., Donald Scott, Robert Jamerson, Orange Lake, FL., Roger Scott, Gainesville, FL, Terrance Jamerson, Gainesville, FL. 28 grandchildren and 33 great grandchildren. Special friends Mr. & Mrs. David Sokol. SELLERS FUNERAL HOME, INC., "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/18/2007 - 1/20/2007.

246. SERVISS, CHARLES T. "BUD", (Obituary No. 246.) 92 Ocala - Charles T. Serviss, 92, died Sunday, January 7, 2007, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was 92. Mr. Serviss was born in Whitehall, NY. He grew up in Rutland, VT where he met and married M. Lucille Dutelle. He worked in the defense industry during WWII, worked in his own upholstery business in Rutland, and in 1958 moved to Horseheads, NY to start a successful wholesale distribution business with his wife. He retired to Ocala, in 1986. Survivors include his daughter Suzanne Killion of Largo, FL.; son Rick Serviss of Ocala; daughter-in-law Jackie Serviss of Charlotte, NC; sister Thelma Murphy of Rutland, VT. He is also survived by four grandchildren; Tracy Serviss, Raleigh, NC; Tiffany Serviss, Charlotte, NC; Kenneth Killion, Newport Beach, CA. and Christian Killion of Phoenix, AZ. He was predeceased by his wife Lucille in 1966, and son Jack Serviss in September 2006. A memorial service will be held at Ft. King Presbyterian Church, with the Pastor James R. Bullock, Jr. officiating on Saturday, January 20th at 4PM. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations in Mr.Serviss' memory to the Humane Society of Marion County, Inc., or a charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

247. SILAS, IRMA K., (Obituary No. 247.) 89 Jacksonville - Irma K. Silas, 89 passed away January 15, 2007 at The Terrace of Fleming Island. A proud native of Ocala, FL., daughter of Ola Mae and Morris P. Knoblock, she resided in Jacksonville over 60 years. Irma loved life and was all about family, friends, faith and fun. Her optimistic spirit was contagious. She was a loyal member of the Oakwood Garden Circle of the Garden Club of Jacksonville for 60 years. Irma was past Matron of the Scottish Eastern Star Chapter and served in the Hospitality Unit in the Daughters of the Nile. She belonged to the Morocco Sweethearts and was an active member of her Joy Sunday school class at Lake Shore Baptist Church. Preceded in death by her loving husband of 52 years, Franz E. Silas, Sr. and by her granddaughter, Cindy Silas Hall. Irma will be dearly missed by her daughter, the Rev. Linda S. Silas of Rolling Hills Estates, CA; sons, Franz E. (Evelyn) Silas, Jr. of Stafford, VA, and Morris (Nancy) Silas of Macclenny; and her dear sister Lorrene Middleton of Jacksonville. Other survivors include 2 granddaughters, Suzanne (Chip) Wood of Green Cove Springs, and Debbie (Billy) Connell of Mandarin. Grandsons, Brad M. (Lisa) Silas of Jacksonville; Franz "Slick" (Kim) Silas, III of Columbia, SC; David (Kim) Southworth and Dan Southworth of Tallahassee. Surviving great-grandchildren are P.O. 3 Billy Hall, USS Roosevelt; Wesley Silas of Columbia, SC; Heather Connell of Mandarin; Shyane, Krista and Kinsley Southworth of Tallahassee. The family will receive her dear friends Friday,
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248. WOLFORD, MARGARETTE L., (Obituary No. 248.) 74 Ocala - Margarette L. Wolford, 74, of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, January 17, 2007 at her residence. She moved to Ocala, from Turkey Creek, KY in 1959. She was a loving mother and grandmother. She attended Living Water Worship Center in Ocala. She retired from the City of Ocala, where she worked in Risk Management/Insurance. She is survived by her daughter, Teena (Greg) Collins of Ocala, daughter, Linda Watson of Ocala; son, Gary Wolford of Ocala, son, Terry (Carol) Wolford of Dunnellon; 3 grandchildren; Tyson Collins, Chad Watson, and Trevor Collins; and 3 great grandchildren, Cayden Watson, Galvin Watson, and Cameron Collins. Services will be at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Tuesday, January 23, 2007 at 3 p.m. A visitation will be held one hour prior to the service. Interment will be at Woodlawn Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, Saturday, January 20, 2007

249. BARKER, PATRICIA K., (Obituary No. 249.) 69 Jacksonville - Patricia Kay Barker (Denman), 69, passed away on Thursday, January 18th, 2007. She was born and raised in Ocala, Florida where she met and married her husband of 50 years, William E. Barker, Jr. (deceased). She is survived by her two sons; Charles E. Barker, Ocala, FL. and Donald A. Barker, Jacksonville, FL., and four grandchildren, Stephen, Matthew, Jessica, and Brittney. In 1999 she retired from the State of Florida Department of General Services. Her life was defined by a loving dedication to her family, friends and faith. As for her faith, her service to God was always centered around children's ministries. She will forever be loved and missed by those whose lives she touched throughout her lifetime. Hier Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements. Service Monday January 22 at 2PM, Fellowship Baptist Church. Interment will follow at Capulet Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

250. DONLON, CAROL D., (Obituary No. 250.) 67 Summerfield - Carol D. Donlon, 67. of Summerfield, FL, formerly of Medina, NY passed away on Sunday, January 14, 2007, with her loving family by her side. Born on November 11, 1939 in Medina, NY, she was the daughter of Alice (Bates) Pahura and the late Andrew 1. Pahura. Carol grew up in Medina, attending Medina High School and the New York Stale Teachers College at Geneseo, NY. Aside from being a homemaker; Carol was a volunteer and former School Teacher fur 10 years in Penfield and Susquehanna Valley School Districts in NY. Besides her mother, Carol is survived by her husband of 39 years, James T. Donlon. Two sons, James B. Donlon of Miami, FL and Andrew S. (Jennifer) Donlon of Southlake, TX, two grandchildren, Gabriel R. and Alexa N. Donlon of Southlake, TX. Also, two brothers-in-law, Joseph J. (Janice) Donlon of The Villages, FL. And Thomas B. (Kathleen) Donlon of Pompano Beach, FL.. An aunt, Dorothy Pahura of Medina. Two cousins, Darlene (Phillip) Cooper of Bayonet Point, FL and Robert (Debbie) Pahura of
Bonner Springs, KS. Also, numerous distant cousins. Carol was predeceased by her brother James M. Pahura and a daughter Julie M. Donlon. Relatives and friends may call on Sunday, January 28, 2007 at the BATES & TUTTLE FUNERAL HOME, 226 Pearl St. Medina, NY from 3 to 7 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Monday, January 29, 2007, at 11 a.m. at Saint Mary's Church, West Ave. Medina. The Pastor, Father Joseph E. Vatter celebrating. Burial will he in the Boxwood Cemetery, Medina. In lieu of flowers, donations can he made to Lee-Whedon Memorial Library, 620 West Ave., Medina, N.Y. 14103. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

251. ENGDAHL, DONALD W., (Obituary No. 251.) 80 Ocala - Donald Engdahl, 80, died January 17, 2007 at his residence. He moved from Orlando, FL in 1998 and was of Protestant Faith. He was a US Army Veteran and served in WWII. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Janice b. Engdahl, Ocala; son, Scott A. (Carol) Engdahl, Lakeland, TN; daughter, Pamela L. (Robert) Puckett, Mesa, AZ; two granddaughters, Jennifer Soto, Winter Springs, FL and Amber Puckett, CA. Graveside service is at Highland Memorial Park, Saturday, January 20, 2007 at 2 p.m. with Angela Santos VFW Post 4871 officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Marion County Humane Society, 701 NW 14th Street, Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

252. FORD, CLASSIE MAE SUGGS, (Obituary No. 252.) 83 Ocala - Classic Mae Suggs Ford, 83, homemaker, of Ocala, FL. Funeral service for Classic Mae Ford will be held Saturday, January 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, with the Rev. Dr. Cecil Wilson, Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Ford was born in Youngtown, FL on September 14, 1923 to the late Charlie & Lizzie Suggs, She was a member of the Usher Board #1 and Mission Circle #2. Survivors: 3 grandson, Keenan Guyton & Bridget, Ocala, FL, Willie Thomas, Pensacola, FL, David Thomas, Ocala, FL, 1 sister, Albertha Taylor, Ocala, FL, 3 special nieces, Queen Graham, Ocala, FL, Levonia Pinkney, St. Petersburg, FL and Bennie Simpkins, Ocala, FL & a host of cousins and friends. Burial will be in Chestnut Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, January 19, 2007 from 9 - 5:30 p.m. Wake from 6 - 7 p.m. in Cunningham's Chapel of Faith. Saturday at the Church from 10 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

253. IVORY, WILLIAM H., (Obituary No. 253.) 66 Gainesville - William H. Ivory, 66, died at the Gainesville VAMC on January 9, 2007. He was born in Springfield, OH and was a Navy veteran. Survivors are his daughters, Kathleen Huennerkopf, Muskegon, MI and Karen Sneed, Springfield, OH; sons, William, II and Christopher, both of Ocklawaha; and brothers, Mick of Springfield and Tom of Martinsburg, WV. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE, 800-467-7850 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

254. KISH, THOMAS LEO, (Obituary No. 254.) 78 Ocala - Mr. Thomas Leo Kish, 78, of Ocala, Florida passed away January 17, 2007 at The Legacy House Hospice in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Star Junction, Pennsylvania and came to this area from Berea, Ohio in 1994. Among his survivors are 3 sons Robert Kish of Simi Valley, California, Garret Kish of Ft. Myers, Florida and David Kish of Amherst, Ohio, one daughter Regina Kraus of Lakewood, Ohio, 9
grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

255. LLOYD, WILLIAM "BUD", (Obituary No. 255.) 66 Summerfield - William "Bud" Lloyd, 66, died suddenly on Wednesday, January 17, 2007 at his residence. A native of South Jersey, he retired after 37 years as an automotive parts salesman in 1999. He moved to this area in 2002 and is survived by his wife, Barbara, of 47 years and their son Richard William (Linda) Lloyd, and their children Kurtis, Kyle, and Nicole, and their daughter Yvonne (Ernest) Tuetken and their children, Timothy, Kevin, and Michelle. Services will be on Sunday, January 21, 2007 at 3:30PM at Hier-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd. Belleview with Pastor Harv Kramme officiating. Visitation will begin at 2PM. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

256. LUCUS, MARIE M., (Obituary No. 256.) 88 Silver Springs Shores - Marie M. Lucus, 88, of Silver Springs Shores, FL, died January 7, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A retired furniture retail clerk, she relocated to Marion County 9 years ago. Marie is survived by a daughter, Janet Masley and her husband Dick of Palm Coast, FL., by five grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Burdette Lucas, her son, Robert E. Lucas and a grandson, Robert Lucas Jr. A memorial service will be held on January 28, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Community of Christ Church with Pastor Rick Morris officiating. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Community of Christ Church @ 28102 NE 28th St., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

257. LUKE, DORSEY C., (Obituary No. 257.) 75 Ocala - Mr. Dorsey C. Luke, 75, electrical contractor, died January 16, 2007. He was born on January 20, 1931 in Thomas County, GA. Mr. Dorsey was a member of Masonic Lodge #147, Scottish Rite's Body and a charter member of Sahib Shrine Temple. He served in the US Army from 1948 to 1956 with two tours in Korea during war. Mr. Dorsey was a member of Sawyer Road Baptist Church, Sarasota. He is survived by his wife Norma G. Luke, Ocala, two daughters Teri Balian, Lake Sinclair, GA and Debra K. Vargo Carroll, Ozark, AL., two sisters Doris Brock and Clarice Witt both of Franklin, TN., two grandchildren. Services will be private. Burial will be in Palms Memorial Park, Sarasota, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Shriners Hospital for Children, c/o Sahib Temple, 600 N. Beneva Rd., Sarasota, FL 34232. Funeral arrangements made through Palms Funeral Home, 170 Honore Ave., Sarasota, FL 34232, 941-371-4962. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

258. MARTINEAU, EMILE & LOUVENNIA (Obituary No. 258.) Ocala - Emilie Ernest Martineau, May 3, 1900-August 26, 2006. Louvennia Johnson Martineau, February 11, 1907 - January 10, 2007. A Lifetime of Love. In March of 1926, Emile met Louvennia at the church water pump in Tampa, Florida, where he drew her a cool drink. On November 3rd of that same year they were married. After setting out five acres of strawberry plants that same day, they headed to Tarpon Springs, Florida for their honeymoon. The results of that union brought forth 8 children, 1 girl and 7 boys, each just 2 years apart. Of the 7 boys, 5 served in the armed services. Living in Ocala since 1951, Martineau has been a well known name among the locals. For 14 years they owned the Cities Service Station down by the old train station. In those days, a
"service station" truly gave service and credit, to many down on their luck. Just 3 months shy of celebrating their 80th wedding anniversary, Emile passed away at the age of 106. Louvennia joined him 5 months later at the age of 99. They were preceded in death by sons, Paul Martineau of Anthony, Ed Martineau of Ocala, Art Martineau of Scottsdale, AZ, Joe Martineau of Ocala and Gene Martineau of Old Town, FL. They are survived by daughter Evelyn King of Indianapolis, IN and sons, Glenn Martineau of Homossassa, FL, and Don Martineau of Mechanicsburg, OH and Marie Martineau, wife of Paul. They are also survived by 29 grandchildren, 32 great grandchildren, 6 great great grandchildren and a host of cousins and friends. Burial plans include a memorial service for the family followed by interment in Anthony Cemetery where they will once again be together. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.


260. ROGERS, ANNIE M., (Obituary No. 260.) 86 Ocala - Annie M. Rogers, 86, of Ocala, Florida, died Tuesday, January 16, 2007 at Legacy House after a prolonged illness. She was born January 8, 1921 in Bainbridge, Georgia. She moved to Ocala in 2006 from Tampa, Fla. She was a Homemaker and a member of Palma Ceia Presbyterian Church, Tampa, Fla. She was also a member of the Alliance Francise. She is survived by: her son, James H. Rogers, M.D. of Ocala, Florida, 2 daughters, Patricia L. Zelsman and Mary Anne Hutchinson, both of Orlando, Florida, 4 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

261. RUMANS, ROBERT, (Obituary No. 261.) 65 Ocala - Robert Rumans, 65, of Ocala, died Tuesday, January 16, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Kansas City MO, he moved to this area from Delaware in 2004. He loved his wife and family, and had many close friends; he will be missed by all. He is survived by his wife of 20 years Robin Rumans, daughters Medra (Bill) Patterson, Kristin (Ronnie) Henry, Jennifer (Eric) Quifunas, son Jason Hoard, grandchildren Emily, Brandy, Haley, Ashlyn, Kyle, David, and Annaleise, and his beloved dog Harley. Services will be at noon on Saturday, January 20, 2007, at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Rd, Belleview, FL with family and friends officiating. Visitation will be Friday from 6 - 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

262. SCOTT, ANN (ANNIE BELL) STATEN, (Obituary No. 262.) 76 Ocala - Mrs. Ann (Annie Bell) Staten Scott, 73, retired nurse, died Thursday, January 11, 2007 at Hospice. Mrs. Scott was born in Haines City, FL, she came to Ocala from New York City in 1969. She lived here for 37 years. She was of Pentecostal faith and a member of Ocala Temple Church of God By Faith. Funeral Services for Ann (Annie Bell) Staten Scott of 2016 S.W. 7th Street Ocala, will be at 11
a.m. Saturday, January 20, 2007 at the Ocala Temple Church of God By Faith, 707 S.W. Fort King Street, Ocala, FL with Bishop Walter Camps, Sr., officiating. Interment will follow in Oak Hill Cemetery, Clermont, FL. Public visitation will be (today) Friday, January 19, 2007 from 4 - 8 p.m. at the church. She is survived by her children; Linda Staten, Steve Scott, Jr., Stanley Scott, Sandra (Princess) Scott, and Yolanda Ann Scott all of Ocala, her last born grandson prior to her death Jaisaiah Lonnie Jackson, and a host of other relatives and friends. Arrangements by MARVIN C. ZANDERS FUNERAL HOME, INC., APOPKA, FL. (407) 886-3388 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

263. SCOTT, SR., DURANT "SCOTTY", (Obituary No. 263.) 71 Orange Lake - Durant "Scotty" Scott, Sr., 71 died January 11, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 20, 2007 at 11AM at United Missionary Baptist Church, Reddick, FL. Eulogist Rev Stanley Stobles presiding. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Fri. from 9-7. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Scotts residence 18651 NW 60 Ave., Orange Lake FL on Sat at 10:15AM to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Mr. Scott leaves to cherish his memories a wife of 51 years Louise Lowery-Scott, 5 daughters Helen Scott-Patterson, Gainesville, FL., Vivian Scott-Edwards Brooks, Fairfield, FL., Bevelyn Scott Thaggard, Orange Lake, FL., Dorothy Scott Williams, Gainesville, FL, and Doris Scott-Richardson, Orange Lake, FL. Six sons Edward Scott, San Antonio, TX., Durant Scott, Jr., Donald Scott, Robert Jamerson, Orange Lake, FL., Roger Scott, Gainesville, FL, Terrance Jamerson, Gainesville, FL. 28 grandchildren and 33 great grand children. Special friends Mr. & Mrs. David Sokol. SELLERS FUNERAL HOME, INC., "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/18/2007 - 1/20/2007.

264. SERVISS, CHARLES T. "BUD", (Obituary No. 264.) 92 Ocala - Charles T. Serviss, 92, died Sunday, January 7, 2007, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was 92. Mr. Serviss was born in Whitehall, NY. He grew up in Rutland, VT where he met and married M. Lucille Dutelle. He worked in the defense industry during WWII, worked in his own upholstery business in Rutland, and in 1958 moved to Horseheads, NY to start a successful wholesale distribution business with his wife. He retired to Ocala, in 1986. Survivors include his daughter Suzanne Killion of Largo, FL; son Rick Serviss of Ocala; daughter-in-law Jackie Serviss of Charlotte, NC; sister Thelma Murphy of Rutland, VT. He is also survived by four grandchildren; Tracy Serviss, Raleigh, NC; Tiffany Serviss, Charlotte, NC; Kenneth Killion, Newport Beach, CA. and Christian Killion of Phoenix, AZ. He was predeceased by his wife Lucille in 1966, and son Jack Serviss in September 2006. A memorial service will be held at Ft. King Presbyterian Church, with the Pastor James R. Bullock, Jr. officiating on Saturday, January 20th at 4PM. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations in Mr.Serviss' memory to the Humane Society of Marion County, Inc., or a charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

265. WHORF, WILLIAM HOMER, (Obituary No. 265.) 86 Ocala - William H. Whorf, 86, died January 17, 2007 at Hospice of Marion County, Ocala, FL. Born in Winchester, MA., he graduated from Kimball Union Academy and Amherst College. Joining the US Marines in 1941, he was in the battle of Guadalcanal in 1942 and retired from the reserves in 1949. His career included service with the Paul Revere Life Insurance Company, the Life Insurance Agency, Management Association, The Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company and retiring as
President of the Investors Syndicated Life Insurance Company in 1970. His retirement consisted of 10 years in a small business restoring and rerigging antique wooden sailing ship models. He moved to Ocala from Kennebunk, ME in 1980. Bill was a long time volunteer at Monroe Regional Medical Center, Hospice of Marion County, Marion-Citrus Mental Health and Ocala Veterans Memorial Park. Bill is survived by his wife of 63 years, Lorraine P. Whorf, daughter Carol (Peter) Ogden of Minneapolis, MN; son William F. (Deborah) Whorf of Ojai, CA; daughter Nancy Brett of Ocala, FL; and sister Elizabeth Hawkins of Belfast, ME. He was also survived by 5 grandchildren; Julie (Park) Armstrong, Eric Ogden, WJ Whorf, Kiertsa Halseth and Ian Halseth; 1 great grandchild, Ronan Armstrong and numerous nephews, nieces and cousins. Relatives and friends may call on Tuesday, January 23, 2007 from 3-5PM at the Whorf home. There will be a private service and interment. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

266. WILLIAMS, STANFORD "FITZ", (Obituary No. 266.) 90 Silver Springs Shores, FL. died January 12, 2007. A retired Baker, Stanford is survived by a cousin, Wesley Ellis and his wife Joan of The Villages, FL., and by several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services will be held on January 22, 2007 at 10AM at the Silver Springs Shores First Baptist Church with Harold Garner officiating. Visitation will be held on Sunday, January 21st between the hours of 2-4PM. Interment will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

267. WOLFORD, MARGARETTE L., (Obituary No. 267.) 74 Ocala - Margarette L. Wolford, 74, of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, January 17, 2007 at her residence. She moved to Ocala, from Turkey Creek, KY in 1959. She was a loving mother and grandmother. She attended Living Water Worship Center in Ocala. She retired from the City of Ocala, where she worked in Risk Management/Insurance. She is survived by her daughter, Teena (Greg) Collins of Ocala, daughter, Linda Watson of Ocala; son, Gary Wolford of Ocala, son, Terry (Carol) Wolford of Dunnellon; 3 grandchildren; Tyson Collins, Chad Watson, and Trevor Collins; and 3 great grandchildren, Cayden Watson, Galvin Watson, and Cameron Collins. Services will be at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Tuesday, January 23, 2007 at 3 p.m. A visitation will be held one hour prior to the service. Interment will be at Woodlawn Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/19/2007 - 1/20/2007.

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268. BARKER, PATRICIA K., (Obituary No. 268.) 69 Jacksonville - Patricia Kay Barker (Denman), 69, passed away on Thursday, January 18th, 2007. She was born and raised in Ocala, Florida where she met and married her husband of 50 years, William E. Barker, Jr. (deceased). She is survived by her two sons; Charles E. Barker, Ocala, FL. and Donald A. Barker, Jacksonville, FL., and four grandchildren, Stephen, Matthew, Jessica, and Brittney. In 1999 she retired from the State of Florida Department of General Services. Her life was defined by a loving dedication to her family, friends and faith. As for her faith, her service to God was always centered around children's ministries. She will forever be loved and missed by those whose lives she touched throughout her lifetime. Hiers Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements.
Service Monday January 22 at 2PM, Fellowship Baptist Church. Interment will follow at Capulet Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

269. CONRAD, GENEVA "GINNY" ANN, (Obituary No. 269.) 86 Ocala - Geneva "Ginny" Ann Conrad, 86, died Saturday, Jan. 20, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born in Jacksonville and moved to Ocala in 1947 from Ft. Myers. She was a graduate of Gainesville High School and a member of the Pioneer Sunday School Class and was always helping other people. She is survived by her son Craig and his wife Jean Conrad of Ocala, her grandsons Tommy (Lori) and Michael (Patti) Conrad, five great grandchildren Ashley, William, Arin, Hanna and Abby and nephews Steve and Gary Markham. She was preceded in death by her husband Lynwood L. Conrad in 2002 and her sister and three brothers. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 24, 2007 at 11:00 A.M. at First United Methodist Church with Dr. Donald W. Jones and Dr. Robert D. Bledsoe officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Tuesday from 5-7 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County or First United Methodist Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

270. DOAK, DALE O., (Obituary No. 270.) 97 Citra - Dale O. Doak, 97, of Citra, passed away on Saturday, Jan. 20, 2007 at the Malcolm Randall V.A. Medical Center in Gainesville. A native of St. Mary's, W.VA., he came to Citra 20 years ago from Ravenna, Ohio. Dale was the former owner and operator of Hidden Valley Campground in Ravenna and also a carpenter by profession. Mr. Doak was a Life Member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in Ohio and Florida as well as a Life Member of the V.F.W. in Ohio and Orange Lake Post #10733. He served in WWII in the U.S. Navy and was a member of Citra United Methodist Church. Surviving are his wife of 63 years, Catherine Anne Doak of Citra; son James Allen Doak of Ravenna, OH; 7 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by 2 children Richard L. Doak and Leola L. Doak. Friends will be received on Monday, Jan. 22nd from 6-8 P.M. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, where chapel services will be held on Tues., Jan. 23rd at 11:00 A.M., with Revs. Jodi Hopkins and George Holston officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Citra United Methodist Church, 2000 NE 180th St., Citra, FL 32113. All are invited, following the interment, for lunch at the Citra United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

271. GODBEER, OLIVE T., (Obituary No. 271.) 85 Ocala - Olive T. Godbeer, 85, died on Friday, Jan. 19, 2007 at MRMC. She was born in Baltimore, MD and moved to Ocala in 1960. She was a medical-surgical assistant for Drs. Marks and Chambers before her retirement. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala, MRMC and ORMC Auxiliary, Marion Medical Assistants and a volunteer at MRMC Heart Cath Lab or many hours. She was a former member of the National Good Sam's Club and the Leisure 76'ers. Her survivors include her daughters Charlotte Williams of Anthony and Peggy McKenzie of Tallahassee, five grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husbands Edward Trapp and Harold Godbeer and a great grandson. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, Jan. 27, 2007 at 3:00 P.M. at Anthony United Methodist Church with the Revs. Gordon Pike and Booker Short officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial
contributions to the Munroe Regional Development Foundation or the Anthony United Methodist Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

272. GOSSELIN, SALLY A. PACKARD (Obituary No. 272.) Ocklawaha - Sally A. Packard Gosselin, was called safely home on January 18, 2007 with her family beside her. She was the daughter of the Late Albert and Hilda (Hatfield) Packard, was born on March 18, 1934 in Cooley Dickinson Hospital, Northampton, MA, and predeceased by her husband Roger A. Gosselin in 1978, whom she married in 1956. She leaves her 2 daughters Pamela J. Rodgers of Holyoke, MA, and Patricia A. Dominick of Palmetto, FL, her 4 grandchildren Mark Rodgers, Nicole Dominick, Jeffrey Rodgers, and Justin Dominick, 3 sisters Barbara R. Packard of Easthampton, MA and Norma P. Routhier and Virginia G. Murphy of Ocklawaha, FL with whom she had loved, and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her 4 brothers David, Donald, Phillip and William, and her faithful pets Sade, Murdock, Peppe, Kekee and Tucker. She attended Slough Hill school, a one room school house on the grounds of St. Mary's cemetery on Hatfield street, then Vernon Street School. She graduated from Northampton High School, class of 1953, and Northampton Junior College Class of 1955. She was a member of the United Methodist Church Women's Club in Northampton. Once in Florida, she became very active in the Forest United Methodist Church, where she leaves many friends. She will surely be missed. She was a member of the Patrick F. McCarthy VFW post in Easthampton, where she and 2 other leaders had 32 girls that they started with as Brownies and west all the way to Seniors Scouts. The Troupe was very active in town with paper drives, bake sales, car washes, as well as active in various trips like a trip to DC where the girls met Congressman Silvio Conte and Boston, New York City, Misquamicut Beach, RI for a week, the annual Jamboree at Camp Cook, where she carried many cement cinder blocks for the camp fires, and the Juliet Lowe programs, and many backpacking trips as a troupe and with the Boy Scouts around New England. She was an avid reader; she could always find a book and even reread most of the books more then once. She was a member of the Monday Night Women's League and the Wednesday Morning League at Canal Bowling Lanes in Southhampton since 1973. She also served as a Secretary for both leagues for many years, as well as the league secretary at the Fiesta Lanes in the Villages in Florida. She served on the committee for the Easthampton Bicentennial Parade as well as on the designing and building of the gazebo on the rotary park in the center of town. She worked as a Easthampton school matron as her daughter was growing up. She worked at Hampton Mills as a Bookkeeper, employed by Magnat Corp. in Easthampton as a Billing Clerk and then Commonwealth Felt Co. in Northampton and Nation Felt Co., and National Nonwoven in the Personnel Division in Easthampton, and Finance Staff at First United Methodist Church. She was also involved in the building of the Forest United Methodist Church's Memorial Garden. She was a member of the church quilting, choir, and craft groups. Memorial services will be at the Forest United Methodist church, Tuesday, January 23, 2007 at 1 p.m. Burial will be in April at the Brookside Cemetery in Easthampton, MA. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or Forest United Methodist Church Memorial Fund in her name. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

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274. LLOYD, WILLIAM "BUD", (Obituary No. 274.) 66 Summerfield - William "Bud" Lloyd, 66, died suddenly on Wednesday, January 17, 2007 at his residence. A native of South Jersey, he retired after 37 years as an automotive parts salesman in 1999. He moved to this area in 2002 and is survived by his wife, Barbara, of 47 years and their son Richard William (Linda) Lloyd, and their children Kurtis, Kyle, and Nicole, and their daughter Yvonne (Ernest) Tuetken and their children, Timothy, Kevin, and Michelle. Services will be on Sunday, January 21, 2007 at 3:30PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd. Bellevue with Pastor Harv Kramme officiating. Visitation will begin at 2PM. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

275. LUKE, DORSEY C., (Obituary No. 275.) 75 Ocala - Mr. Dorsey C. Luke, 75, electrical contractor, died January 16, 2007. He was born on January 20, 1931 in Thomas County, GA. Mr. Dorsey was a member of Masonic Lodge #147, Scottish Rite's Body and a charter member of Sahib Shrine Temple. He served in the US Army from 1948 to 1956 with two tours in Korea during war. Mr. Dorsey was a member of Sawyer Road Baptist Church, Sarasota. He is survived by his wife Norma G. Luke, Ocala, two daughters Teri Balian, Lake Sinclair, GA and Debra K. Vargo Carroll, Ozark, AL., two sisters Doris Brock and Clarice Witt both of Franklin, TN., two grandchildren. Services will be private. Burial will be in Palms Memorial Park, Sarasota, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Shriners Hospital for Children, c/o Sahib Temple, 600 N. Beneva Rd., Sarasota, FL 34232. Funeral arrangements made through Palms Funeral Home, 170 Honore Ave., Sarasota, FL 34232, 941-371-4962. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

276. MARTINEAU, EMILE & LOUVENNIA (Obituary No. 276.) Ocala - Emilie Ernest Martineau, May 3, 1900-August 26, 2006. Louvennia Johnson Martineau, February 11, 1907 - January 10, 2007. A Lifetime of Love. In March of 1926, Emile met Louvennia at the church water pump in Tampa, Florida, where he drew her a cool drink. On November 3rd of that same year they were married. After setting out five acres of strawberry plants that same day, they headed to Tarpon Springs, Florida for their honeymoon. The results of that union brought forth 8 children, 1 girl and 7 boys, each just 2 years apart. Of the 7 boys, 5 served in the armed services. Living in Ocala since 1951, Martineau has been a well known name among the locals. For 14 years they owned the Cities Service Station down by the old train station. In those days, a "service station" truly gave service and credit, to many down on their luck. Just 3 months shy of celebrating their 80th wedding anniversary, Emile passed away at the age of 106. Louvennia joined him 5 months later at the age of 99. They were preceded in death by sons, Paul Martineau of Anthony, Ed Martineau of Ocala, Art Martineau of Scottsdale, AZ, Joe Martineau of Ocala and Gene Martineau of Old Town, FL. They are survived by daughter Evelyn King of Indianapolis, IN and sons, Glenn Martineau of Homossassa, FL. and Don Martineau of Mechanicsburg, OH and Marie Martineau, wife of Paul. They are also survived by 29 grandchildren, 32 great grandchildren, 6 great great grandchildren and a host of cousins and friends. Burial plans include a memorial service for the
family followed by interment in Anthony Cemetery where they will once again be together. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

277. NICOL, EDITH ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 277.) 93 Newtown, PA - Edith Elizabeth Nicol, 93 of Newtown, PA, formerly of Ocala, passed away on January 19, 2007 at Pickering Manor Home in Newton, PA. A native of Ogontz, PA, she moved to Newtown in 2002 from Silver Springs, where she had lived since 1975. Mrs. Nicol was of the Protestant faith, a lifelong homemaker, and a member of DAV Auxiliary #146 Greater South Ocala. Edith is survived by her son, James T. Nicol and his wife Lesley of Newtown, PA; 3 grandsons; 1 great granddaughter and 1 great grandson. She was preceded in death by her husband of 59 years, Thomas Nicol, no Nov. 19, 2002. Graveside services will be held on Wed., Jan 24th at 10:00 a.m. in FOREST LAWN MEMORY GARDENS, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.


279. RUIZ, DMD, RESTITUTO S., (Obituary No. 279.) 73 Dunnellon - Restituto S. Ruiz, DMD, age 73, of Dunnellon, Florida died January 13, 2007. Husband of Lydia Ruiz, DMD (nee) Mallavo, Father of Restituto Ruiz Jr., MD, Donna Ruiz, MD, Renard Ruiz, MD, Reginald Ruiz, MD, and Rex Ruiz, MD. Youngest of 12 children. Son of Benito and Maria Ruiz. Survived by older brother Icasiano and older sister Leonor. Grandfather of Restituto III (age 12), Rafael Ruiz (age 4), Gabriel Ruiz (age 1). Dr. Ruiz was born on June 10, 1933 in Meycawayan, Philippines. He was a dentist and certified clinical laboratory supervisor. He obtained a B.S. in Chemistry and D.M.D. from the University of the East, Philippines in 1955. Guggenheim Dental Fellowship 1957-1958, Columbia Dental Fellowship of Dentistry-Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons. He was a certified Clinical Laboratory Director and Medical Technologist and several New York Hospitals. Dr. Ruiz was a parishioner of St. Joseph's RC Church in Oradell, NJ and a member of the St. John's the Baptist Church in Dunnellon, FL since 1999. Funeral services were held last week and entrusted to VOLK LEBER FUNERAL HOME, ORADELL, NJ. For further information please contact www.volkleberfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

280. RUSH, RUTH WHEELER, (Obituary No. 280.) 88 Columbus, OH - Ruth Wheeler Rush, age 88, passed away in Columbus, Ohio on Wednesday, January 17, 2007. She is the daughter of the late Shirley and Lillian Wheeler. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Ray A. Rush (formerly of Mt. Vernon, OH) and brother, Charles T. Wheeler. She is survived by her sister, Pauline J. Holcomb; sister-in-law, Martha Wheeler; niece, Karen (Doug) Smith; nephews, Tom (Carol) Wheeler, Peter (Yolanda) Holcomb and Mark (Becky) Holcomb; stepson Roger (Susie) Rush; step grandchildren, Sherrie (Larry) Dunn; Michael (Melissa) Rush,
Steven (Melissa) Rush and June (Keith) Downs; nine step-great grandchildren, two grand nieces and 4 grand nephews. Following her graduation from Denison University, Ruth was employed by the Ohio Bell Telephone Co., for 28 years before moving to New York City to work for AT&T (Lucent). She retired from AT&T after she married. She and her husband lived in Pennsylvania and Ocala, Florida before moving to Columbus, Ohio. She was involved with many activities in AAUW, Association of Parliamentarians, her Florida Community and her church. While living in Florida, she served as Clerk of Sessions for the Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church in Ocala. She was a member of the Covenant Presbyterian Church in Columbus. Private burial services will be held at Mound View Cemetery in Mt. Vernon, Ohio. A Memorial Service for friends and family will be held on Monday, January 22 at 1:30 p.m. in the Chapel of First Community Village, 1800 Riverside Drive, Columbus, Ohio. The service will be conducted by Rev. Tracy Keenan and Rev. Jack Witherspoon. A reception at First Community Village will follow the service. There will be no calling hours. Arrangements by SCHOEDINGER NORTHWEST CHAPEL, (614) 457-5481. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to First Community Village Foundation, 1800 Riverside Drive, Columbus, Ohio 43212, in her memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

281. WATTS, JUNE ANGELINE, (Obituary No. 281.) 79 Ocala - June Angeline Watts, 79, passed away on Friday, January 19, 2007 at home. She was a retired bookkeeper and lived in Ocala since 1991. She was a member of Psi Iota XI Sorority in Indiana and CFCC Friends of the Foundation. Funeral service will be on Monday, January 22, 2007 at 1:00 p.m., with visitation one hour prior to the service at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge, 9695 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Entombment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Mrs. Watts leaves her nieces, Frances and Sue Chandler, Joann Scroggins and Bobbi Evans, Julie Williams and Denise Pendley; nephews, Joe, Raymond and Perry Chandler and Scott Cummins as well as her companion Ernest Marsh. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

282. WHORF, WILLIAM HOMER, (Obituary No. 282.) 86 Ocala - William H. Whorf, 86, died January 17, 2007 at Hospice of Marion County, Ocala, FL. Born in Winchester, MA., he graduated from Kimball Union Academy and Amherst College. Joining the US Marines in 1941, he was in the battle of Guadalcanal in 1942 and retired from the reserves in 1949. His career included service with the Paul Revere Life Insurance Company, the Life Insurance Agency, Management Association, The Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company and retiring as President of the Investors Syndicated Life Insurance Company in 1970. His retirement consisted of 10 years in a small business restoring and re-rigging antique wooden sailing ship models. He moved to Ocala from Kennebunk, ME in 1980. Bill was a long time volunteer at Monroe Regional Medical Center, Hospice of Marion County, Marion-Citrus Mental Health and Ocala Veterans Memorial Park. Bill is survived by his wife of 63 years, Lorraine P. Whorf, daughter Carol (Peter) Ogden of Minneapolis, MN; son William F. (Deborah) Whorf of Ojai, CA; daughter Nancy Brett of Ocala, FL; and sister Elizabeth Hawkins of Belfast, ME. He was also survived by 5 grandchildren; Julie (Park) Armstrong, Eric Ogden, WJ Whorf, Kiertsa Halseth and Ian Halseth; 1 great grandchild, Ronan Armstrong and numerous nephews, nieces and cousins. Relatives and friends may call on Tuesday, January 23, 2007 from 3-5PM at the Whorf home. There will be a private service and interment. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to
283. WILLIAMS, STANFORD "FITZ", (Obituary No. 283.) 90 Silver Springs Shores, FL. died January 12, 2007. A retired Baker, Stanford is survived by a cousin, Wesley Ellis and his wife Joan of The Villages, FL., and by several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services will be held on January 22, 2007 at 10AM at the Silver Springs Shores First Baptist Church with Harold Garner officiating. Visitation will be held on Sunday, January 21st between the hours of 2-4PM. Interment will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/20/2007 - 1/21/2007.

284. WOOD, JR., HENRY "HANK" (Obituary No. 284.) St. Petersburg - Henry "Hank" Wood, Jr., of St. Petersburg, born in Newark, NJ, and came to Florida in 1971 from Leominster, MA. He was a graduate of Stevens' College and was a veteran of the Korean War, serving mostly overseas with the US Air Force. Locally he was associated with Micro-Plate/Systems for 17 years, retiring in 1996. Since retiring, he has been involved in Special Projects for Surfacing Finishing Technology of Clearwater. He was a Catholic and a member of the Knights of Columbus, Council 5737, and the American Legion Post 104. Survivors include two daughters, Cynthia Parker of Summerfield and Carolyn Wood of Ocala; their mother, his friend and former wife Elizabeth Barrett of Ocklawaha. He leaves 2 grandsons Christopher Ebersole of Ocala and Joseph Parker of Summerfield. Services will be Monday, January 22, 2007 at 1pm, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Belleview. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

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285. CONRAD, GENEVA "GINNY" ANN, (Obituary No. 285.) 86 Ocala - Geneva "Ginny" Ann Conrad, 86, died Saturday, Jan. 20, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born in Jacksonville and moved to Ocala in 1947 from Ft. Myers. She was a graduate of Gainesville High School and a member of the Pioneer Sunday School Class and was always helping other people. She is survived by her son Craig and his wife Jean Conrad of Ocala, her grandsons Tommy (Lori) and Michael (Patti) Conrad, five great grandchildren Ashley, William, Arin, Hanna and Abby and nephews Steve and Gary Markham. She was preceded in death by her husband Lynwood L. Conrad in 2002 and her sister and three brothers. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 24, 2007 at 11:00 A.M. at First United Methodist Church with Dr. Donald W. Jones and Dr. Robert D. Bledsoe officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Tuesday from 5-7 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County or First United Methodist Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

286. CUNNINGHAM, JUNE E., (Obituary No. 286.) 79 Ocala - Mrs. June Cunningham, 79, passed away in her home in Ocala with Shirley and Renee Campione at her side on January 19, 2007. She was born in Newark, NJ on May 25, 1927. She is a retired inspector at a manufacturing company. She moved here in December 1989 from Bloomfield, NJ. She is survived by three daughters, Shirley Campione of Ocala, FL, Linda Funari and Deborah Layden
of Bloomfield, NJ; a son, Roger Cunningham also of Bloomfield, NJ; two sisters, Gladys Baldwin of Oak Island, NC and Peggy Tegethoff of Hazelton, NJ. Visitation will be Tuesday, January 23, 2007 from 6 - 8 p.m. Services will be Wednesday, January 24, 2007 at 1 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/22/2007 - 1/23/2007.

287. DOAK, DALE O., (Obituary No. 287.) 97 Citra - Dale O. Doak, 97, of Citra, passed away on Saturday, Jan. 20, 2007 at the Malcolm Randall V.A. Medical Center in Gainesville. A native of St. Mary's, W.VA., he came to Citra 20 years ago from Ravenna, Ohio. Dale was the former owner and operator of Hidden Valley Campground in Ravenna and also a carpenter by profession. Mr. Doak was a Life Member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in Ohio and Florida as well as a Life Member of the V.F.W. in Ohio and Orange Lake Post #10733. He served in WWII in the U.S. Navy and was a member of Citra United Methodist Church. Surviving are his wife of 63 years, Catherine Anne Doak of Citra; son James Allen Doak of Ravenna, OH; 7 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by 2 children Richard L. Doak and Leola L. Doak. Friends will be received on Monday, Jan. 22nd from 6-8 P.M. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, where chapel services will be held on Tues., Jan. 23rd at 11:00 A.M., with Revs. Jodi Hopkins and George Holston officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Citra United Methodist Church, 2000 NE 180th St., Citra, FL 32113. All are invited, following the interment, for lunch at the Citra United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

288. GODBEER, OLIVE T., (Obituary No. 288.) 85 Ocala - Olive T. Godbeer, 85, died on Friday, Jan. 19, 2007 at MRMC. She was born in Baltimore, MD and moved to Ocala in 1960. She was a medical-surgical assistant for Drs. Marks and Chambers before her retirement. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala, MRMC and ORMC Auxiliary, Marion Medical Assistants and a volunteer at MRMC Heart Cath Lab or many hours. She was a former member of the National Good Sam's Club and the Leisure 76'ers. Her survivors include her daughters Charlotte Williams of Anthony and Peggy McKenzie of Tallahassee, five grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husbands Edward Trapp and Harold Godbeer and a great grandson. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, Jan. 27, 2007 at 3:00 P.M. at Anthony United Methodist Church with the Revs. Gordon Pike and Booker Short officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to the Munroe Regional Development Foundation or the Anthony United Methodist Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

289. GOSSELIN, SALLY A. PACKARD (Obituary No. 289.) Ocklawaha - Sally A. Packard Gosselin, was called safely home on January 18, 2007 with her family beside her. She was the daughter of the Late Albert and Hilda (Hatfield) Packard, was born on March 18, 1934 in Cooley Dickinson Hospital, Northampton, MA, and predeceased by her husband Roger A. Gosselin in 1978, whom she married in 1956. She leaves her 2 daughters Pamela J. Rodgers of Holyoke, MA, and Patricia A. Dominick of Palmetto, FL, her 4 grandchildren Mark Rodgers, Nicole Dominick, Jeffrey Rodgers, and Justin Dominick, 3 sisters Barbara R. Packard of Easthampton, MA and Norma P. Routhier and Virginia G. Murphy of Ocklawaha, FL with whom she had loved, and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her 4 brothers David, Donald,
Phillip and William, and her faithful pets Sade, Murdock, Peppe, Kekee and Tucker. She attended Slough Hill school, a one room school house on the grounds of St. Mary's cemetery on Hatfield street, then Vernon Street School. She graduated from Northampton High School, class of 1953, and Northampton Junior College Class of 1955. She was a member of the United Methodist Church Women's Club in Northampton. Once in Florida, she became very active in the Forest Untied Methodist Church, where she leaves many friends. She will surely be missed. She was a member of the Patrick F. McCarthy VFW post in Easthampton, where she and 2 other leaders had 32 girls that they started with as Brownies and west all the way to Seniors Scouts. The Troupe was very active in town with paper drives, bake sales, car washes, as well as active in various trips like a trip to DC where the girls met Congressman Silvio Conte and Boston, New York City, Misquamicut Beach, RI for a week, the annual Jamboree at Camp Cook, where she carried many cement cinder blocks for the camp fires, and the Juliet Lowe programs, and many backpacking trips as a troupe and with the Boy Scouts around New England. She was an avid reader; she could always find a book and even reread most of the books more then once. She was a member of the Monday Night Women's League and the Wednesday Morning League at Canal Bowling Lanes in Southampton since 1973. She also served as a Secretary for both leagues for many years, as well as the league secretary at the Fiesta Lanes in the Villages in Florida. She served on the committee for the Easthampton Bicentennial Parade as well as on the designing and building of the gazebo on the rotary park in the center of town. She worked as a Easthampton school matron as her daughter was growing up. She worked at Hampton Mills as a Bookkeeper, employed by Magnat Corp. in Easthampton as a Billing Clerk and then Commonwealth Felt Co. in Northampton and Nation Felt Co., and National Nonwoven in the Personnel Division in Easthampton, and Finance Staff at First United Methodist Church. She was also involved in the building of the Forest United Methodist Church's Memorial Garden. She was a member of the church quilting, choir, and craft groups. Memorial services will be at the Forest United Methodist church, Tuesday, January 23, 2007 at 1 p.m. Burial will be in April at the Brookside Cemetery in Easthampton, MA. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or Forest United Methodist Church Memorial Fund in her name. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

290. LAZUR, WALTER, (Obituary No. 290.) 86 Ocala - Walter Lazur, 86 died at Legacy Hospice House January 18, 2007. He was born in Putnam, CT and moved to this area in the 1950's. Mr. Lazur was a veteran of WWII serving in the Army. He was co-owner of the Belleview Bar. Mr. Lazur is survived by stepsons, Robert Story, Jacksonville, FL., Leonard Story, Illinois, sister, Genevive Horton, Texas; and several nieces and nephews. Steve, Linda, Dawn, Amy, Ellen, James and Ed. Memorial services will be held at 2PM, Thursday, January 25, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/22/2007 - 1/23/2007.

291. NICOL, EDITH ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 291.) 93 Newtown, Pennsylvania - Mrs. Edith Elizabeth Nicol, 93, of Newtown, PA, formerly of Ocala, passed away on January 19, 2007 at Pickering Manor Home in Newtown. A native of Ogontz, PA., she moved to Newtown in 2002 from the Ocala/Silver Springs area, where she had lived since 1975. Mrs. Nicol was of the Protestant faith, a lifelong homemaker, and a member of DAV Auxiliary #146 Greater South Ocala. Edith is survived by her son, James T. Nicol and his wife, Lesley of Newtown, PA.; 3
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292. PATTERSON, JR., CLARENCE V. "PAT", (Obituary No. 292.) 81 Summerfield - Mr. Clarence V. "Pat" Patterson, Jr., age 81, passed away Saturday, January 20, 2007 in Summerfield, FL. He was born in Miami, FL on May 4, 1925. Mr. Patterson was a Plumber for over 40 years. He served with the US Merchant Marines during WWII. He was of the Methodist faith. Pat's hobbies included walking, cycling and sports. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Catherine Patterson; daughter, Robin J. Patterson of Ocala, FL; son, Van H. Patterson of Estero, FL; sister, Gladys Mikeal of Lake City, FL; and grandchildren, Tristan Patterson and Gabriela Patterson. Funeral Services for Mr. Patterson will be Tuesday, January 23, 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages, FL. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages, FL (352) 753-8353 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/22/2007 - 1/23/2007.

293. RUIZ, DMD, RESTITUTO S., (Obituary No. 293.) 73 Dunnellon - Restituto S. Ruiz, DMD, age 73, of Dunnellon, Florida died January 13, 2007. Husband of Lydia Ruiz, DMD (nee) Mallavo, Father of Restituto Ruiz Jr., MD, Donna Ruiz, MD, Renard Ruiz, MD, Reginald Ruiz, MD, and Rex Ruiz, MD. Youngest of 12 children. Son of Benito and Maria Ruiz. Survived by older brother Icasiano and older sister Leonor. Grandfather of Restituto III (age 12), Rafael Ruiz (age 4), Gabriel Ruiz (age 1). Dr. Ruiz was born on June 10, 1933 in Meycawayan, Philippines. He was a dentist and certified clinical laboratory supervisor. He obtained a B.S. in Chemistry and D.M.D. from the University of the East, Philippines in 1955. Guggenheim Dental Fellowship 1957-1958, Columbia Dental Fellowship of Dentistry-Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons. He was a certified Clinical Laboratory Director and Medical Technologist and several New York Hospitals. Dr. Ruiz was a parishioner of St. Joseph's RC Church in Oradell, NJ and a member of the St. John's the Baptist Church in Dunnellon, FL since 1999. Funeral services were held last week and entrusted to VOLK LEBER FUNERAL HOME, ORADELL, NJ. For further information please contact www.volkleberfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

294. RUSH, RUTH WHEELER, (Obituary No. 294.) 88 Columbus, OH - Ruth Wheeler Rush, age 88, passed away in Columbus, Ohio on Wednesday, January 17, 2007. She is the daughter of the late Shirley and Lillian Wheeler. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Ray A. Rush (formerly of Mt. Vernon, OH) and brother, Charles T. Wheeler. She is survived by her sister, Pauline J. Holcomb; sister-in-law, Martha Wheeler; niece, Karen (Doug) Smith; nephews, Tom (Carol) Wheeler, Peter (Yolanda) Holcomb and Mark (Becky) Holcomb; stepson Roger (Susie) Rush; step grandchildren, Sherrie (Larry) Dunn; Michael (Melissa) Rush, Steven (Melissa) Rush and June (Keith) Downs; nine step-great grandchildren, two grand nieces and 4 grand nephews. Following her graduation from Denison University, Ruth was employed by the Ohio Bell Telephone Co., for 28 years before moving to New York City to work for AT&T (Lucent). She retired from AT&T after she married. She and her husband lived in Pennsylvania and Ocala, Florida before moving to Columbus, Ohio. She was involved with
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295. WATTS, JUNE ANGELINE, (Obituary No. 295.) 79 Ocala - June Angeline Watts, 79, passed away on Friday, January 19, 2007 at home. She was a retired bookkeeper and lived in Ocala since 1991. She was a member of Psi Iota XI Sorority in Indiana and CFCC Friends of the Foundation. Funeral service will be on Monday, January 22, 2007 at 1:00 p.m., with visitation one hour prior to the service at Hiers-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge, 9695 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Entombment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Mrs. Watts leaves her nieces, Frances and Sue Chandler, Joann Scroggins and Bobbi Evans, Julie Williams and Denise Pendley; nephews, Joe, Raymond and Perry Chandler and Scott Cummins as well as her companion Ernest Marsh. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

296. WOOD, JR., HENRY "HANK" (Obituary No. 296.) St. Petersburg - Henry "Hank" Wood, Jr., of St. Petersburg, born in Newark, NJ, and came to Florida in 1971 from Leominster, MA. He was a graduate of Stevens' College and was a veteran of the Korean War, serving mostly overseas with the US Air Force. Locally he was associated with Micro-Plate/Systems for 17 years, retiring in 1996. Since retiring, he has been involved in Special Projects for Surfacing Finishing Technology of Clearwater. He was a Catholic and a member of the Knights of Columbus, Council 5737, and the American Legion Post 104. Survivors include two daughters, Cynthia Parker of Summerfield and Carolyn Wood of Ocala; their mother, his friend and former wife Elizabeth Barrett of Ocklawaha. He leaves 2 grandsons Christopher Ebersole of Ocala and Joseph Parker of Summerfield. Services will be Monday, January 22, 2007 at 1pm, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Belleview. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/22/2007.

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297. CUNNINGHAM, JUNE E. (Obituary No. 297.), 79 Ocala - Mrs. June Cunningham, 79, passed away in her home in Ocala with Shirley and Renee Campione at her side on January 19, 2007. She was born in Newark, NJ on May 25, 1927. She is a retired inspector at a manufacturing company. She moved here in December 1989 from Bloomfield, NJ. She is survived by three daughters, Shirley Campione of Ocala, FL, Linda Funari and Deborah Layden of Bloomfield, NJ; a son, Roger Cunningham also of Bloomfield, NJ; two sisters, Gladys Baldwin of Oak Island, NC and Peggy Tegethoff of Hazleton, NJ; 8 grandchildren. She was
predeceased by her husband Roger of 56 years. The Rev. Peter Bunch will do the service. In lieu of flowers send donations to Hospice of Marion County. Visitation will be Tuesday, January 23, 2007 from 6 - 8 p.m. Services will be Wednesday, January 24, 2007 at 1 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/22/2007 - 1/25/2007.

298. FORKNER, ROBERT (Obituary No. 298.), 90 Summerfield - Robert Forkner, 90, a retired salesman for a salvage company died Tuesday, January 16, 2007 at Tuscany House. An Army veteran of World War II, he fought in the Battle of the Bulge and was a prisoner of war. He was awarded the Purple Heart among other medals. Survivors include his wife, Anna LeBlanc Forkner, Summerfield; sons, Raymond V. Forkner, Hot Springs, SD, Michael M. Scott, Long Beach, CA.; stepdaughter Arlene Earnest, Leominster, MA; stepson, Gary LeBlanc, Summerfield; 2 step-granddaughters, Kimberly Ann Gordon, Oxford, MA and Kelly Marie Fuhs, Westminster, MA. A memorial service will be held Thursday, January 25, 2007 at 10AM at Florida National Cemetery with VFW Post 8083 officiating. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/23/2007 - 1/24/2007.

299. JONES, THOMAS DAVID (Obituary No. 299.), 75 Dunnellon - Thomas Jones, 75 formerly of Tequesta, FL. died suddenly on January 19, 2007. He is survived by a loving wife, Almeda Jones of Dunnellon, FL; son Jeff Jones of Sparks, NV; a predeceased daughter, Jan Marie Jones; brother, John Richard Jones of Graham, WA and several nieces and nephews. Mr. Jones was employed for twenty nine years and three months by the Pratt Whitney Aircraft Corp. in their instrumentation department. Mr. Jones was a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church and was a veteran of the US Army. A memorial cremation prayer service will be conducted, Thursday, January 23, 2006 at 10AM at St John the Baptist Catholic Church with Fr. Joe Pinchock officiating. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, please contribute to your favorite charity in remembrance of Thomas David Jones. Information provided by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/23/2007 - 1/24/2007.

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301. LAZUR, WALTER (Obituary No. 301.), 86 Ocala - Walter Lazur, 86 died at Legacy Hospice House January 18, 2007. He was born in Putnam, CT and moved to this area in the 1950's. Mr. Lazur was a veteran of WWII serving in the Army. He was co-owner of the Belleview Bar. Mr. Lazur is survived by stepsons, Robert Story, Jacksonville, FL., Leonard Story, Illinois, sister, Genevive Horton, Texas; and several nieces and nephews. Steve, Linda, Dawn, Amy, Ellen, James and Ed. Memorial services will be held at 2PM, Thursday, January 25,
2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/22/2007 - 1/23/2007.

302. MORSE, PAUL KENNETH (Obituary No. 302.), 82 Ocala - Rev. Dr. Paul Kenneth Morse, 82, passed away on Sunday, January 21, 2007. Born in Detroit, MI, the son of Fay and Esther Mae Morse, he graduated from Taylor University (B.A.) and earned master's and PhD degrees from University of Michigan as well as a B. Div. from McCormick Theological Seminary. He was an ordained minister of the Presbyterian Church U.S.A. and a member of Greater Atlanta Presbytery. He retired from the Medical College of Georgia as Professor Emeritus of Dental Education in 1987. Ken is survived by his wife of 56 years, Jean A. Morse, his sister, Janet Watkins, his brother, Ronald Morse, his sons David, Steven and Mark, his four grandchildren, Melanie, Sarah, Michael and Kevin. Professionally, he served as the editorial consultant to the Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry for many years. An avid genealogist, Ken was a member of the Morse Society contributing information that he and Jean compiled through their visits to county courthouses, libraries and other sites. During his retirement years in Georgia and Florida, Ken freely and frequently volunteered his services to organizations such as AARP, in the form of teaching the "55 Alive" safe driving course as well as offering free tax preparation services. Other service included volunteer work at the Carrollton, GA soup kitchen, and he often filled empty pulpits for Presbyterian churches on a temporary basis. Most recently, he was a SHINE volunteer working to assist senior citizens in helping to select among the many medicare prescription benefit plan options open to people in Marion County. He enjoyed bowling, walking, reading, watching sports and playing with his grandchildren. Services will be held Wednesday, January 24 at 2PM at First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, 511 SE 3rd Street. Visitation will be held also at the church from 1-2PM. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, Southern Institute for Appropriate Technology (2944 County Rd. 113, Lineville, AL 36266) or Heifer International. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/23/2007 - 1/25/2007.

303. NICOL, EDITH ELIZABETH (Obituary No. 303.), 93 Newtown, Pennsylvania - Mrs. Edith Elizabeth Nicol, 93, of Newtown, PA, formerly of Ocala, passed away on January 19, 2007 at Pickering Manor Home in Newtown. A native of Ogontz, PA., she moved to Newtown in 2002 from the Ocala/Silver Springs area, where she had lived since 1975. Mrs. Nicol was of the Protestant faith, a lifelong homemaker, and a member of DAV Auxiliary #146 Greater South Ocala. Edith is survived by her son, James T. Nicol and his wife, Lesley of Newtown, PA.; 3 grandchildren, 1 great granddaughter and 1 great grandson. She was preceded in death by her husband of 59 years, Thomas Nicol on November 19, 2002. Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, January 24th at 10 a.m. in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/21/2007 - 1/23/2007.

304. PATTERSON, JR., CLARENCE V. "PAT", (Obituary No. 304.) 81 Summerfield - Mr. Clarence V. "Pat" Patterson, Jr., age 81, passed away Saturday, January 20, 2007 in Summerfield, FL. He was born in Miami, FL on May 4, 1925. Mr. Patterson was a Plumber for over 40 years. He served with the US Merchant Marines during WWII. He was of the Methodist faith. Pat's hobbies included walking, cycling and sports. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Catherine Patterson; daughter, Robin J. Patterson of Ocala, FL.; son, Van H. Patterson of Estero,
FL; sister, Gladys Mikeal of Lake City, FL; and grandchildren, Tristan Patterson and Gabriela Patterson. Funeral Services for Mr. Patterson will be Tuesday, January 23, 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages, FL. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by Hiers-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages, FL (352) 753-8353 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/22/2007 - 1/23/2007.

305. PERRY, RUTH ELIZABETH (Obituary No. 305.), 88 Salt Springs - Ruth Elizabeth Perry, 88 passed away Saturday, January 20, 2007. She was born in Bainbridge, GA and came to Salt Springs in 1985 from Jacksonville. Ruth is survived by one daughter Ireland Perry of WA, three sons, David Perry of Salt Springs and Joshua and Jason Perry of Orlando, one sister Lettie White of CA., and granddaughter Michelle Perry Loper. She is preceded in death by her husband James A. Perry, daughter Cathy Williams, and sister Nona Williams. Graveside services will be 12:30PM, Thursday, January 25, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/23/2007 - 1/25/2007.

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307. BLONK, ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 307.) 80 Dunnellon - Elizabeth "Bep" Blonk died on Monday, January 22, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was a native of Rotterdam, Netherlands and moved here in 1982. She was a member of the Rainbow Springs Golf and Country Club and of the Presbyterian Faith. Mrs. Blonk was predeceased by her husband, John Blonk, in 1994. She is survived by her daughter, Marian Boellaard-Blonk and her husband, Lo Boellaard of the Netherlands; sons, Alexander Blonk and his wife, Joke, of Belgium and Robert Blonk of Lake Mary, FL; grandsons, Emile and Thierry Boellaard of the Netherlands, Alain Blonk of Belgium; and granddaughter, Stephanie Blonk of Denmark. In lieu of flowers it was Mrs. Blonk's desire that memorial contributions be made to I.W.M.F. - International Waldenstrom's Macroglobulinemia Foundation, 2300 Bee Ridge Rd. Suite 301, Sarasota, FL 34239-6226, in her honor. Funeral Services will be held at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon at 2 p.m. on Thursday, January 25, 2007. The family will receive friends for viewing, at the funeral home, one hour prior to the service. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/24/2007 - 1/25/2007.

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survived by three daughters, Shirley Campione of Ocala, FL, Linda Funari and Deborah Layden of Bloomfield, NJ; a son, Roger Cunningham also of Bloomfield, NJ; two sisters, Gladys Baldwin of Oak Island, NC and Peggy Tegethoff of Hazelton, NJ; 8 grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband Roger of 56 years. The Rev. Peter Bunch will do the service. In lieu of flowers send donations to Hospice of Marion County. Visitation will be Tuesday, January 23, 2007 from 6 - 8 p.m. Services will be Wednesday, January 24, 2007 at 1 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/22/2007 - 1/25/2007.

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311. HASSENRUECK, GERD, (Obituary No. 311.) 82 Ocala - Gerd Hassenrubeck, 82 of Ocala, Florida passed away Monday, January 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Germany, moved to Ohio, spending the rest of his life in Florida. Member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala. He is survived by wife of 60 years Edel, 3 children, 7 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. Service will be held at 3 p.m. on Friday, January 26, 2007 at The First Baptist Church of Ocala. Visitation will be held from 1 until 3 p.m. at the church. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. HIERS FUNERAL HOME of Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/24/2007 - 1/25/2007.

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316. PORTER, JAMES EASTERN, (Obituary No. 316.) 79 Silver Springs - James Eastern Porter, Age 79, of Silver Springs died January 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, Fl. He was a member of Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church. In his earlier years he was active in the PTA in East Marion, assistant local Scout Master, served in the U.S. Army during WWII, he was included in the Old Smokies Group, Retired U.S. Forest Ranger and loved his family very much. Mr. Porter was survived by his wife, Joyce Mills Porter, one daughter, Terry Cornell, one son, James Gregory Porter, one brother, Otis Porter, nine grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Arrangements are under the care of MORING FUNERAL HOME, MELROSE, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/24/2007 - 1/25/2007.


318. WISSINGER, HARRY FRANKLIN, (Obituary No. 318.) 63 Ocklawaha - Harry Franklin Wissinger, 63, of Ocklawaha, FL, passed away peacefully on Monday, January 15, 2007. He was a life long resident of Ocklawaha. Mr. Wissinger was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force and a retired heavy equipment operator. His passions were family, friends and life, riding his Harley, and his beloved cat Elvis. He was a member of the American Legion and U. S. Charter Sergeant at Arms of the U. S. Military Vets and very active in charity rides. He is survived by his life long companion, Carol Tipton, Ocklawaha; 4 daughters, Ru Walters, Pataskala, OH, Sherri Umland, Lisa McClane and Renna Levert, all of Summerfield; sister, Barbara Farmer and brother, David Wissinger, both of Ocklawaha; 7 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren; and many "chosen" brothers and sisters. Mr. Wissinger is preceded by his father, Henry Lee Wissinger, mother, Elizabeth Wissinger, and brother, Jerry Wissinger, all of Ocklawaha. A celebration of his life memorial will be held on Saturday, February 3, 2007, at 1 p.m. at the U. S. Military Vets Ocklawaha Club House, 11940 SE 135th Avenue, Ocklawaha. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to U.S.M.V. Chapter 10. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/24/2007 - 1/25/2007.
319. WRIGHT, WANDA LEE, (Obituary No. 319.) 79 Ocala - Wanda Lee Wright, 79, of Ocala passed away Monday, January 22, 2007. She was a homemaker. She is survived by a daughter Ginger Dvonch (husband Dan) of Ocala, FL., son Larry Wright (wife Lucy) of Ocala, FL., daughter Phyllis Broad (husband Stan) of Romulus, MI., daughter, Patricia Cox (husband Lonnie) of New Boston, MI., son Mike Wright (wife Dian) of Ocala, FL., son Charlie Wright of Ocala, FL., brother Jack Farley of Ocala, FL., sister Sarah Sweeney of Hampton, VA., brother Jerry Farley of Port Charlotte, FL., brother Joe Farley of Ocala, FL., sister Judy Sizemore of Dyer, IN., ten grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Services will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday, January 25, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., with Rev. Ben Blumel officiating. Visitation of friends will be Wednesday, January 24, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/24/2007 - 1/25/2007.

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322. CIOFFI, GLORIA, (Obituary No. 322.) 77 Ocala - Gloria Cioffi, 77, passed away on December 20, 2006 while visiting her family in Texas. She is survived by her daughter, Corinne Pandya and husband Yogesh of Lubbock, Texas; a son, Joseph of Ocala; sister, Jacqueline Hayes of Ocala, sister, Marie Magro of Coral Springs; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Preceded her in death were husband Tony and her daughter Marie Ann. A memorial mass will be celebrated at Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church on Saturday, January 27, 2007 at 11 a.m. As Gloria always had a great compassion and love of dogs the family suggests donations may be

323. COLLINS, STEVEITA SHAMAYA, (Obituary No. 323.) 22 Ocala - Steveita Shamaya Collins, 22, transitioned from earth to eternity on January 20, 2007. She leaves to treasure precious memories her mother Beverly Collins, her father Sam Stevenson Sr. and stepmother Zola Stevenson, maternal grandparent Mamie Lee and Samuel Lee, paternal grandmother Annie Pearl Stevenson, 4 sisters Deidre Dickey, Jawanda Collins, Donna Brown, and Greta Dunbar, 5 brothers Darrell Franklin, Ji Brown, Samuel Stevenson, Jr., Craig Stevenson, Abraham Collins. Visitation Friday, January 26, 2007 at 10 a.m. until 8:30 p.m. Funeral Services 1 p.m. Saturday, January 27, 2007 at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Tommy Brooks, Pastor Service Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

324. CUNNINGHAM, JUNE E., (Obituary No. 324.) 79 Ocala - Mrs. June Cunningham, 79, passed away in her home in Ocala with Shirley and Renee Campione at her side on January 19, 2007. She was born in Newark, NJ on May 25, 1927. She is a retired inspector at a manufacturing company. She moved here in December 1989 from Bloomfield, NJ. She is survived by three daughters, Shirley Campione of Ocala, FL, Linda Funari and Deborah Layden of Bloomfield, NJ; a son, Roger Cunningham also of Bloomfield, NJ; two sisters, Gladys Baldwin of Oak Island, NC and Peggy Tegethoff of Hazelton, NJ; 8 grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband Roger of 56 years. The Rev. Peter Bunch will do the service. In lieu of flowers send donations to Hospice of Marion County. Visitation will be Tuesday, January 23, 2007 from 6 - 8 p.m. Services will be Wednesday, January 24, 2007 at 1 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/22/2007 - 1/25/2007.

325. DENISON, TAMMY L., (Obituary No. 325.) 36 Ocala - Tammy L. Denison, age 36, of Ocala passed away on Monday, January 22, 2007 at MRMC. She was born March 1, 1970 in Bridgeton, NJ and came to Ocala in 2001 from Tampa. Tammy is survived by two children Brittany and Douglas Huffstetler both of Ocala, mother Janice Raines of Ocala and father Ed Williamson of Lenoir, NC., brother Eddie Williamson and sister Melissa Lagasse both of Ocala. Memorial services will be at 1 p.m. on Sunday, January 28, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., with a gathering of friends form Noon - 1 p.m. Tammy requested in lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the Robert Boissoneault Oncology Institute, 2020 SE 17th Street, Ocala 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

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327. HARRIS, DORIS ANGELL, (Obituary No. 327.) 81 Ocala - Mrs. Doris Angell Harris, 81, of Ocala, FL., died January 23, 2007. A native of Providence, Rhode Island, she retired as a medical secretary. Doris was an active member of St. George Anglican Cathedral, where she sang in the choir, a member of the VFW Post # 4493, the Marion County Waves unit # 99, the Loyal Order of Moose Chapter # 459. She is survived by two sons, William J. Davis of Ocala and Howard L. Davis of Owings Mills, Maryland, by her daughter Janet Halprin of Carolina Beach, North Carolina, a sister, Virginia Weick of Hunting, New York and 6 grandchildren. Visitation will be held on Thursday, January 25, 2007 at Roberts Bruce Chapel East from 2-4 & 7-9 p.m. Funeral Services have been scheduled for Friday, January 26, 2007 at 10 a.m. at St. George Anglican Cathedral, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. George Anglican Cathedral. Entombment will follow at Good Shepard Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

328. HASSENRUECK, GERD, (Obituary No. 328.) 82 Ocala - Gerd Hassenrueck, 82 of Ocala, Florida passed away Monday, January 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Germany, moved to Ohio, spending the rest of his life in Florida. Member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala. He is survived by wife of 60 years Edel, 3 children, 7 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. Service will be held at 3 p.m. on Friday, January 26, 2007 at The First Baptist Church of Ocala. Visitation will be held from 1 until 3 p.m. at the church. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. HIERS FUNERAL HOME of Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/24/2007 - 1/25/2007.

329. JONES, KERRY RANDALL, (Obituary No. 329.) 42 Dunnellon - Funeral Services for Mr. Kerry Randall Jones, 42, educator, will be held Saturday, January 27, 2007 at First Bethel Missionary Baptist Church at 1 p.m. with Rev. Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor, Rev. Carl Gadson, Eulogy. Burial will be in Dunnellon Community Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL CARE. Mr. Jones was born on February 16, 1964 in Inverness, FL to Willie "Bill" Jones and Alma Nelson (deceased) and passed away on January 18, 2007. He graduated from Dunnellon High School (1982), Central Florida Community College (1985) and Florida State University (Masters Degree 1989). He was a member of Union Missionary Baptist Church where he was Trustee, Minister of Music, Youth Director, and Vacation Bible School Director. He was a also a member of Concerned Citizens for Chatmire, Inc. (President), National Education Association, and Florida State University Alumni. He is survived by his father, Willie Jones (Doris) of Chiefland; five brothers, Thessalonians Nelson (Rosemary) of Pensacola, Wall Nelson of Tampa, Michael Nelson (Mary) of Dunnellon, Christopher Jones (Amy) of Chiefland, and Craig Jones (Carla) of Chiefland; three sisters, Cathy Redd of Dunnellon, Joyce Moody (Robin) of Newport News, VA., and Shellene Grimes (Keith) of Portsmouth, VA; seven nephews, Aahking Frazier, Wallace "JR" Nelson, Jr., Damien Redd, Jamal Grimes (Di'Aundra), Kristofer Grimes, Jasine Nelson and Tyrese Nelson; nine nieces, Sabrina Nelson, Tandra Nelson, Wynonnia "Jeannie" Jackson (Gregory), Shomeria Hopson (Kerry), Xica Nelson, Stephani Rucker, Kendra Grimes, Chelsea Redd, and Keisha Grimes; nine
great nephews, Joseph Simmons, DeShawn Washington, Rodney Washington, Keontate Hopson, Kerry Hopson, Jr., Devin Jones, Cory Jones, Jared Jones and Joshua Grimes; six great nieces, Ashkeya Frazier, Destiny Redmond, Kalia Frazier, Brianna Frazier, Tylena Frazier (deceased), and Talliana Nelson; uncles, Eugene & Leo Cox (Celestine), and Ruben Jones (Thelma); aunts, Georgie Wilson and Mary Jones of Crystal River; surrogate father to many youth; best friend, Barbara Lawrence; family pets, Lucky & Simba; dedicated caretakers, Annie Bell Morris, Ernestine Morris, Elizabeth Jefferson, Bridgett Cox, Peggy Chesteen, Marion Gadson, Cassandra Byrd, and Helen Wilson; and a host of cousins, trusted confidants, sorrowing friends and co-workers. Visitation will be Friday January 26, 2007 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. at the funeral home. Wake at Union Missionary Baptist Church from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday at the church from 11 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

330. KINGCADE, LONNIE, (Obituary No. 330.) 83 Ocala - Mr. Lonnie Kingcade, 83, passed away on January 22, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital, Ocala, Florida. Mr. Kingcade was born in Blitchton, Florida. Mr. Kingcade is survived by stepson, Lonnie White of Robinson, Illinois; stepdaughter, Anna Sing of Ocala, Florida; granddaughters, Yolanda Sing of Ocala, Florida and Demetria Taylor of Ocala, Florida. Mr. Kingcade was preceded in death by his wife Mrs. Rosa Kingcade. Funeral Services for Mr. Lonnie Kingcade will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, January 27, 2007 at St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church, 822 Northwest 7th Street, Ocala, Florida with the Reverend Joy Gallmon, Pastor conducting the services. Interment will be in the Bethlehem Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Visitation will be on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday at the church 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

331. MISIOLEK, LEO J., (Obituary No. 331.) 83 Dunnellon - Leo J. Misiolek, 83, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on Tuesday, January 23, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice in Ocala. A native of Detroit, MI., he came here six years ago from Allen Park, MI. and was a retired motor carrier officer for the State of Michigan. Leo was a WWII U.S. Army veteran and a member of VFW Angela Santos Post # 4781 of Ocala, FL. He was also a parishioner of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Mr. Misiolek is survived by his wife of nearly 53 years, Rita Misiolek of Dunnellon; daughter, Cynthia Cloutier (Chris) of Garden City, MI.; daughter, Gail Allen (Stephen) of Peachtree City, GA.; daughter, Jennifer MacDonald (Hugh) of Newport, MI.; son, Peter Misiolek of Woodstock, ILL.; brother, Edward Misiolek of Coldwater, MI.; brother, Stanley Misiolek of St. Clair Shores, MI.; grandchildren, Brian Wrobel and Kevin & Valerie Allen. Friends will be received on Friday, January 26th from 1 to 3 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where chapel services will be held at 3 p.m. Military honors will be rendered by VFW Angela Santos Post # 4781 of Ocala. Interment will be private at a later date in Michigan. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

332. MORSE, PAUL KENNETH, (Obituary No. 332.) 82 Ocala - Rev. Dr. Paul Kenneth Morse, 82, passed away on Sunday, January 21, 2007. Born in Detroit, MI, the son of Fay and Esther Mae Morse, he graduated from Taylor University (B.A.) and earned master's and PhD degrees from University of Michigan as well as a B. Div. from McCormick Theological Seminary. He was an ordained minister of the Presbyterian Church U.S.A. and a member of Greater Atlanta Presbytery. He retired from the Medical College of Georgia as Professor
Emeritus of Dental Education in 1987. Ken is survived by his wife of 56 years, Jean A. Morse, his sister, Janet Watkins, his brother, Ronald Morse, his sons David, Steven and Mark, his four grandchildren, Melanie, Sarah, Michael and Kevin. Professionally, he served as the editorial consultant to the Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry for many years. An avid genealogist, Ken was a member of the Morse Society contributing information that he and Jean compiled through their visits to county courthouses, libraries and other sites. During his retirement years in Georgia and Florida, Ken freely and frequently volunteered his services to organizations such as AARP, in the form of teaching the "55 Alive" safe driving course as well as offering free tax preparation services. Other service included volunteer work at the Carrollton, GA soup kitchen, and he often filled empty pulpits for Presbyterian churches on a temporary basis. Most recently, he was a SHINE volunteer working to assist senior citizens in helping to select among the many medicare prescription benefit plan options open to people in Marion County. He enjoyed bowling, walking, reading, watching sports and playing with his grandchildren. Services will be held Wednesday, January 24 at 2PM at First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, 511 SE 3rd Street. Visitation will be held also at the church from 1-2PM. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, Southern Institute for Appropriate Technology (2944 County Rd. 113, Lineville, AL 36266) or Heifer International. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/23/2007 - 1/25/2007.

333. NEWHARD, WILLIAM CHARLES, (Obituary No. 333.) 80 Summerfield - William Charles Newhard, 80, of Summerfield, FL died, Thursday, January 18, 2007 at Tuscany House, Summerfield, FL. Mr. Newhard was born in Slattington, PA and moved to Florida from Pennsylvania in 1994. He was a retired chemist with Bethlehem Steel Corporation and former owner of Palette Gardens Rare Plant Nursery. He was a WWII US Army Veteran. He is survived by his wife Marilyn Kern Newhard of Summerfield; his brother, Robert Newhard of East Texas, PA; sister, Constance Stahley of Silverdale, PA and nephew, Christopher Stahley of Plymouth Meeting, PA. The family request memorials be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Graveside services with military honors at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL., 11 a.m. Friday, January 26, 2007. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages, FL 352-753-8353. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

334. PERRY, RUTH ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 334.) 88 Salt Springs - Ruth Elizabeth Perry, 88 passed away Saturday, January 20, 2007. She was born in Bainbridge, GA and came to Salt Springs in 1985 from Jacksonville. Ruth is survived by one daughter Ireland Perry of WA, three sons, David Perry of Salt Springs and Joshua and Jason Perry of Orlando, one sister Lettie White of CA., and granddaughter Michelle Perry Loper. She is preceded in death by her husband James A. Perry, daughter Cathy Williams, and sister Nona Williams. Graveside services will be 12:30PM, Thursday, January 25, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/23/2007 - 1/25/2007.

335. PORTER, JAMES EASTERN, (Obituary No. 335.) 79 Silver Springs - James Eastern Porter, Age 79, of Silver Springs died January 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, Fl. He was a member of Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church. In his earlier years he was active in the PTA in East Marion, assistant local Scout Master, served in the U.S. Army during
WWII, he was included in the Old Smokies Group, Retired U.S. Forest Ranger and loved his family very much. Mr. Porter was survived by his wife, Joyce Mills Porter, one daughter, Terry Cornell, one son, James Gregory Porter, one brother, Otis Porter, nine grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Arrangements are under the care of MORING FUNERAL HOME, MELROSE, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/24/2007 - 1/25/2007.

336. RAMSEY, JO ANN J., (Obituary No. 336.) 67 Palm Bay - Jo Ann J. Ramsey, 67, a devoted wife and mother, passed away Friday, January 19, 2007 at Palm Bay Community Hospital. Mrs. Ramsey was born in Miami, FL. She is survived by her husband of 40 years, Ralph Ramsey; sons, Andy La Vorgna and Ron Ramsey; daughters, Phyllis Bellamy and Marjorie Rowland; ten grandchildren; five great grandchildren; cousins, Walda and Andy L. Smart; and many friends. A Funeral Service will be held at 2 p.m., Saturday, January 27th, at Palm Bay Funeral Home, 950 Malabar Road SE, Palm Bay. Burial will be in Miami. Memorial donations may be made to the Humane Society, 5100 W. Eau Gallie Blvd., Melbourne, FL 32934. Arrangements entrusted to PALM BAY FUNERAL HOME, 321-724-2224. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.


338. SMITH, HELEN RUTH, (Obituary No. 338.) 73 Ocala - Mrs. Helen Ruth Smith, 73, passed away on Monday, January 15, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida. Mrs. Smith was born in Weirsdale, Florida. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Smith is survived by two sons, Riley Smith and Gregory Smith both of Ocala, Florida; one daughter, Julia (George) White of Mississippi; three brothers, Reverend Leonard (Joyce) Scott of Summerfield, Florida, Raymond (Mary) Scott of Wildwood, Florida, and Samuel (Margie) Scott of El Paso, Texas; three sisters, Mellonese White of Hawthorne, Florida, Ruthell (Eardley) Forbes and Earlene Scott both of Weirsdale, Florida; 11 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren; two sisters-in-law, Bernice Smith of Miami, Florida and Essie Smith of Sanford, Florida; two special daughters, Johnnie Pierson and Cynthia Hamilton both of Summerfield, Florida. Funeral Services for Mrs. Helen Ruth Smith will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, January 27, 2007 at Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church, Summerfield, Florida with The Reverend Dwayne L. Williams, Pastor conducting the services. Interment will be at The Stanton Cemetery, Weirsdale, Florida. Visitation will be on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Church 10 a.m. until time of the service. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/24/2007 - 1/26/2007.
339. VERNON, AGNES LOCKETT, (Obituary No. 339.) 77 Ocala - Mrs. Agnes Lockett Vernon, passed away on January 22, 2007 at Palm Garden of Ocala. Mrs. Vernon was born in Eatman, GA. She was a Taxi Driver. Mrs. Vernon is survived by her devoted son, William Vernon, (daughter-in-law) Nora Vernon of Ocala, FL., 5 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, sisters, Ozzia Lean Brown of Ocala, FL., Geraldine Holiday of Clinton, NC., Barbara Townsend of Dunnellon, FL., and Cynthia Wilcox of Williston, FL.; brother, Jim Brown of Ft. Lauderdale, FL.; godsons, Dr. Tommy L. Brooks (nephew), Henry Brown and Wayman all of Ocala, FL.; goddaughter, Gladys Washington of West Virginia. Funeral Services for Ms. Vernon will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, January 27, 2007 at New St. Missionary Baptist Church, 2251 Northwest 2nd Street, Ocala, Florida with Dr. Tommy L. Brooks, Pastor, conducting the services. Interment will be in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Visitation will be at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday at the church 3 p.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

340. WISSINGER, HARRY FRANKLIN, (Obituary No. 340.) 63 Ocklawaha - Harry Franklin Wissinger, 63, of Ocklawaha, FL, passed away peacefully on Monday, January 15, 2007. He was a life long resident of Ocklawaha. Mr. Wissinger was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force and a retired heavy equipment operator. His passions were family, friends and life, riding his Harley, and his beloved cat Elvis. He was a member of the American Legion and U. S. Charter Sergeant at Arms of the U. S. Military Vets and very active in charity rides. He is survived by his life long companion, Carol Tipton, Ocklawaha; 4 daughters, Ru Walters, Pataskala, OH, Sherri Umland, Lisa McClane and Renna Levert, all of Summerfield; sister, Barbara Farmer and brother, David Wissinger, both of Ocklawaha; 7 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren; and many "chosen" brothers and sisters. Mr. Wissinger is preceded by his father, Henry Lee Wissinger, mother, Elizabeth Wissinger, and brother, Jerry Wissinger, all of Ocklawaha. A celebration of his life memorial will be held on Saturday, February 3, 2007, at 1 p.m. at the U. S. Military Vets Ocklawaha Club House, 11940 SE 135th Avenue, Ocklawaha. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to U.S.M.V. Chapter 10. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/24/2007 - 1/25/2007.

341. WRIGHT, WANDA LEE, (Obituary No. 341.) 79 Ocala - Wanda Lee Wright, 79, of Ocala passed away Monday, January 22, 2007. She was a homemaker. She is survived by a daughter Ginger Dvonch (husband Dan) of Ocala, FL., son Larry Wright (wife Lucy) of Ocala, FL., daughter Phyllis Broad (husband Stan) of Romulus, MI., daughter, Patricia Cox (husband Lonnie) of New Boston, MI., son Mike Wright (wife Dian) of Ocala, FL., son Charlie Wright of Ocala, FL., brother Jack Farley of Ocala, FL., sister Sarah Sweeney of Hampton, VA., brother Jerry Farley of Port Charlotte, FL., brother Joe Farley of Ocala, FL., sister Judy Sizemore of Dyer, IN., ten grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Services will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday, January 25, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., with Rev. Ben Blumel officiating. Visitation of friends will be Wednesday, January 24, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/24/2007 - 1/25/2007.
342. CATANIA, EVA KATE (Obituary No. 342.), 80 Ocala - Kate Catania, 80, of Ocala, FL., died on Monday, January 22, suddenly. Her husband Joseph P. passed away in 2001, and she has gone on to join him. Surviving are three step-children and many friends from her lifetime of helping people and sharing her life-known wisdoms. To pay your respects and visit "Katie" one last time, Visitation will be Saturday, January 27, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, and Funeral Services will be Sunday, 10:30 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd St., Ocala with Fr. Michael O'Keefe officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/26/2007 - 1/27/2007.

343. CIOFFI, GLORIA (Obituary No. 343.), 77 Ocala - Gloria Cioffi, 77, passed away on December 20, 2006 while visiting her family in Texas. She is survived by her daughter, Corinne Pandya and husband Yogesh of Lubbock, Texas; a son, Joseph of Ocala; sister, Jacqueline Hayes of Ocala, sister, Marie Magro of Coral Springs; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Preceded her in death were husband Tony and her daughter Marie Ann. A memorial mass will be celebrated at Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church on Saturday, January 27, 2007 at 11 a.m. As Gloria always had a great compassion and love of dogs the family suggests donations may be made to the Humane Society of Marion County in lieu of flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/27/2007.

344. COLLINS, STEVEITA SHAMAYA (Obituary No. 344.), 22 Ocala - Steveita Shamaya Collins, 22, transitioned from earth to eternity on January 20, 2007. She leaves to treasure precious memories her mother Beverly Collins, her father Sam Stevenson Sr. and stepmother Zola Stevenson., maternal grandparent Mamie Lee and Samuel Lee, paternal grandmother Annie Pearl Stevenson, 4 sisters Deidre Dickey, Jawanda Collins, Donna Brown, and Greta Dunbar, 5 brothers Darrell Franklin, Ji Brown, Samuel Stevenson, Jr., Craig Stevenson, Abraham Collins. Visitation Friday, January 26, 2007 at 10 a.m. until 8:30 p.m. Funeral Services 1 p.m. Saturday, January 27, 2007 at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Tommy Brooks, Pastor Service Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

345. DENISON, TAMMY L. (Obituary No. 345.), 36 Ocala - Tammy L. Denison, age 36, of Ocala passed away on Monday, January 22, 2007 at MRMC. She was born March 1, 1970 in Bridgeton, NJ and came to Ocala in 2001 from Tampa. Tammy is survived by two children Brittany and Douglas Huffstetler both of Ocala, mother Janice Raines of Ocala and father Ed Williamson of Lenoir, NC., brother Eddie Williamson and sister Melissa Lagasse both of Ocala. Memorial services will be at 1 p.m. on Sunday, January 28, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., with a gathering of friends form Noon - 1 p.m. Tammy requested in lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the Robert Boissoneault Oncology Institute, 2020 SE 17th Street, Ocala 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

346. HARRIS, DORIS ANGELL (Obituary No. 346.), 81 Ocala - Mrs. Doris Angell Harris, 81, of Ocala, FL., died January 23, 2007. A native of Providence, Rhode Island, she retired as a medical secretary. Doris was an active member of St. George Anglican Cathedral, where she
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348. KINGCADE, LONNIE (Obituary No. 348.), 83 Ocala - Mr. Lonnie Kingcade, 83, passed away on January 22, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital, Ocala, Florida. Mr. Kingcade was born in Blitchton, Florida. Mr. Kingcade is survived by stepson, Lonnie White of Robinson,
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350. MURRAY, MAURICE C. (Obituary No. 350.), 96 Ocala - Maurice C. Murray, 96, of Ocala passed away Tuesday, January 23, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehabilitation & Nursing Center. Mr. Murray was born in Philadelphia and served in the U.S. Air Force during WWII. He was a retired attorney and practiced law in the areas of Commercial, Family, Contracts, Divorce, Personal Injury, Labor/Employment and Insurance. He graduated from St. John's University and New York University Law School. He is preceded in death by his wife Leona Murray. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICE, TIMBERRIDGE Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/26/2007 - 1/27/2007.

351. NEWHARD, WILLIAM CHARLES (Obituary No. 351.), 80 Summerfield - William Charles Newhard, 80, of Summerfield, FL died, Thursday, January 18, 2007 at Tuscany House, Summerfield, FL. Mr. Newhard was born in Slatington, PA and moved to Florida from Pennsylvania in 1994. He was a retired chemist with Bethlehem Steel Corporation and former owner of Palette Gardens Rare Plant Nursery. He was a WWII US Army Veteran. He is survived by his wife Marilyn Kern Newhard of Summerfield; his brother, Robert Newhard of East Texas, PA; sister, Constance Stahley of Silverdale, PA and nephew, Christopher Stahley of Plymouth Meeting, PA. The family request memorials be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Graveside services with military honors at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL., 11 a.m. Friday, January 26, 2007. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages, FL 352-753-8353. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.
352. O’CONNOR, DOROTHY N. (Obituary No. 352.), 95 Ocala - Dorothy N. O’Connor, 95, of Ocala, passed away January 24th. Born in Gloucester, Mass. She came to this area 29 years ago from Ft. Myers, FL. She was a retired School Teacher and did volunteer work for Marion County Schools until she was 88 years of age. She was member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala and is survived by her daughters, Meredith Pickering and her husband Archie of Ocala and Charlotte Trentelman and her husband Chris of Anthony; 4 grand and 4 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, John F. O’Connor. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 352-622-4141) on Saturday (Jan 27th) from 12-1 p.m. with the Funeral Service following at 1 p.m. Internment will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/26/2007 - 1/27/2007.

353. RAMSEY, JO ANN J. (Obituary No. 353.), 67 Palm Bay - Jo Ann J. Ramsey, 67, a devoted wife and mother, passed away Friday, January 19, 2007 at Palm Bay Community Hospital. Mrs. Ramsey was born in Miami, FL. She is survived by her husband of 40 years, Ralph Ramsey; sons, Andy La Vorgna and Ron Ramsey; daughters, Phyllis Bellamy and Marjorie Rowland; ten grandchildren; five great grandchildren; cousins, Walda and Andy L. Smart; and many friends. A Funeral Service will be held at 2 p.m., Saturday, January 27th, at Palm Bay Funeral Home, 950 Malabar Road SE, Palm Bay. Burial will be in Miami. Memorial donations may be made to the Humane Society, 5100 W. Eau Gallie Blvd., Melbourne, FL 32934. Arrangements entrusted to PALM BAY FUNERAL HOME, 321-724-2224. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

354. SHAW, CHARLES H. (Obituary No. 354.), 92 Summerfield - Charles H. Shaw, 92, of Summerfield, passed away January 24th at his home. He was a loving husband of 56 years to Martha Shaw; father of 4, father-in-law of 1; grandfather of 8, great grandfather of 10. He was known by many and loved by all. In lieu of flowers the family request that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/26/2007 - 1/27/2007.

355. SMITH, HELEN RUTH (Obituary No. 355.), 73 Ocala - Mrs. Helen Ruth Smith, 73, passed away on Monday, January 15, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida. Mrs. Smith was born in Weirsdale, Florida. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Smith is survived by two sons, Riley Smith and Gregory Smith both of Ocala, Florida; one daughter, Julia (George) White of Mississippi; three brothers, Reverend Leonard (Joyce) Scott of Summerfield, Florida, Raymond (Mary) Scott of Wildwood, Florida, and Samuel (Margie) Scott of El Paso, Texas; three sisters, Mellonese White of Hawthorne, Florida, Ruthell (Eardley) Forbes and Earlene Scott both of Weirsdale, Florida; 11 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren; two sisters-in-law, Bernice Smith of Miami, Florida and Essie Smith of Sanford, Florida; two special daughters, Johnnie Pierson and Cynthia Hamilton both of Summerfield, Florida. Funeral Services for Mrs. Helen Ruth Smith will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, January 27, 2007 at Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church, Summerfield, Florida with The Reverend Dwayne L. Williams, Pastor conducting the services. Interment will be at The Stanton Cemetery, Weirsdale, Florida. Visitation will be on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Church.
10 a.m. until time of the service. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/26/2007.

356. VERNON, AGNES LOCKETT (Obituary No. 356.), 77 Ocala - Mrs. Agnes Lockett Vernon, passed away on January 22, 2007 at Palm Garden of Ocala. Mrs. Vernon was born in Eatman, GA. She was a Taxi Driver. Mrs. Vernon is survived by her devoted son, William Vernon, (daughter-in-law) Nora Vernon of Ocala, FL., 5 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, sisters, Ozzia Lean Brown of Ocala, FL., Geraldine Holiday of Clinton, NC., Barbara Townsend of Dunnellon, FL., and Cynthia Wilcox of Williston, FL.; brother, Jim Brown of Ft. Lauderdale, FL.; godsons, Dr. Tommy L. Brooks (nephew), Henry Brown and Wayman Vernon all of Ocala, FL.; goddaughter, Gladys Washington of West Virginia. Funeral Services for Ms. Vernon will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, January 27, 2007 at New St. Missionary Baptist Church, 2251 Northwest 2nd Street, Ocala, Florida with Dr. Tommy L. Brooks, Pastor, conducting the services. Interment will be in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Visitation will be at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday at the church 3 p.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/27/2007.

357. WHITE, ROBERT J. (Obituary No. 357.), 84 Belleview - Mr. Robert "Bob" J. White, 84, passed away Thursday, January 25, 2007 in Ocala. He is survived by wife, Rita White; daughters, Judy Komier of Clermont and Robert Worden of Clarkson, MI; 4 grandchildren; 4 great grandchildren; 2 nieces and 1 nephew. He was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, A & FM Lodge # 95 and American Legion Post # 284. Formerly served on the Belleview Planning and Zoning and Zoning Compliance Boards. Visitation will be held on Sunday, January 28th from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW, 5946 SE Robinson Road. Funeral Mass will be held Monday at 10 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with Fr. Felicito Baybay officiating. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/26/2007 - 1/28/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, Saturday, January 27, 2007

358. CATANIA, EVA KATE, (Obituary No. 358.) 80 Ocala - Kate Catania, 80, of Ocala, FL., died on Monday, January 22, suddenly. Her husband Joseph P. passed away in 2001, and she has gone on to join him. Surviving are three step-children and many friends from her lifetime of helping people and sharing her life-known wisdoms. To pay your respects and visit "Katie" one last time, Visitation will be Saturday, January 27, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, and Funeral Services will be Sunday, 10:30 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd St., Ocala with Fr. Michael O'Keefe officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/26/2007 - 1/27/2007.

359. CIOFFI, GLORIA, (Obituary No. 359.) 77 Ocala - Gloria Cioffi, 77, passed away on December 20, 2006 while visiting her family in Texas. She is survived by her daughter, Corinne Pandya and husband Yogesh of Lubbock, Texas; a son, Joseph of Ocala; sister, Jacqueline Hayes of Ocala, sister, Marie Magro of Coral Springs; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Preceded her in death were husband Tony and her daughter Marie Ann. A memorial mass will be
celebrated at Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church on Saturday, January 27, 2007 at 11 a.m. As Gloria always had a great compassion and love of dogs the family suggests donations may be made to the Humane Society of Marion County in lieu of flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/27/2007.

360. JONES, KERRY RANDALL, (Obituary No. 360.) 42 Dunnellon - Funeral Services for Mr. Kerry Randall Jones, 42, educator, will be held Saturday, January 27, 2007 at First Bethel Missionary Baptist Church at 1 p.m. with Rev. Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor, Rev. Carl Gadson, Eulogy. Burial will be in Dunnellon Community Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL CARE. Mr. Jones was born on February 16, 1964 in Inverness, FL to Willie "Bill" Jones and Alma Nelson (deceased) and passed away on January 18, 2007. He graduated from Dunnellon High School (1982), Central Florida Community College (1985) and Florida State University (Masters Degree 1989). He was a member of Union Missionary Baptist Church where he was Trustee, Minister of Music, Youth Director, and Vacation Bible School Director. He was a also a member of Concerned Citizens for Chatmire, Inc. (President), National Education Association, and Florida State University Alumni. He is survived by his father, Willie Jones (Doris) of Chiefland; five brothers, Thessalonians Nelson (Rosemary) of Pensacola, Wall Nelson of Tampa, Michael Nelson (Mary) of Dunnellon, Christopher Jones (Amy) of Chiefland, and Craig Jones (Carla) of Chiefland; three sisters, Cathy Redd of Dunnellon, Joyce Moody (Robin) of Newport News, VA., and Shellene Grimes (Keith) of Portsmouth, VA; seven nephews, Aahking Frazier, Wallace "JR" Nelson, Jr., Damien Redd, Jamal Grimes (Di’Aundra), Kristofer Grimes, Jasine Nelson and Tyrese Nelson; nine nieces, Sabrina Nelson, Tanda Nelson, Wynonnia "Jeannie" Jackson (Gregory), Shomeria Hopson (Kerry), Xica Nelson, Stephani Rucker, Kendra Grimes, Chelsea Redd, and Keisha Grimes; nine great nephews, Joseph Simmons, DeShawn Washington, Rodney Washington, Keontate Hopson, Kerry Hopson, Jr., Devin Jones, Cory Jones, Jared Jones and Joshua Grimes; six great nieces, Ashkeya Frazier, Destiny Redmond, Kalia Frazier, Brianna Frazier, Tylena Frazier (deceased), and Talliana Nelson; uncles, Eugene & Leo Cox (Celestine), and Ruben Jones (Thelma); aunts, Georgie Wilson and Mary Jones of Crystal River; surrogate father to many youth; best friend, Barbara Lawrence; family pets, Lucky & Simba; dedicated caretakers, Annie Bell Morris, Ernestine Morris, Elizabeth Jefferson, Bridgett Cox, Peggy Chesteen, Marion Gadson, Cassandra Byrd, and Helen Wilson; and a host of cousins, trusted confidants, sorrowing friends and co-workers. Visitation will be Friday January 26, 2007 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. at the funeral home. Wake at Union Missionary Baptist Church from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday at the church from 11 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/27/2007.

361. MARTIN, BARBARA JULENE, (Obituary No. 361.) 57 Dunnellon - Barbara Julene Martin, 57, of Dunnellon, Florida died Friday, January 26, 2007 in Lecanto. She was born in Lake City and moved here from Palatka in 1963. She was a truck driver. Ms. Martin is survived by her father, George E. Wilson of Dunnellon; a son, Logan Spell of Dunnellon; and two brothers, Ronald Hersey of Jacksonville, Florida and Pete Wilson of Dunnellon. Visitation will be Saturday, January 27, 2007 from 4:00 - 6:00 PM at Roberts and the service will be Sunday at 3:00 PM at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon with Rev. Jack Niedermayer of the Revival Fire

362. MURRAY, MAURICE C., (Obituary No. 362.) 96 Ocala - Maurice C. Murray, 96, of Ocala passed away Tuesday, January 23, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehabilitation & Nursing Center. Mr. Murray was born in Philadelphia and served in the U.S. Air Force during WWII. He was a retired attorney and practiced law in the areas of Commercial, Family, Contracts, Divorce, Personal Injury, Labor/Employment and Insurance. He graduated from St. John's University and New York University Law School. He is preceded in death by his wife Leona Murray. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICE, TIMBERRIDGE Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/26/2007 - 1/27/2007.

363. O'CONNOR, DOROTHY N., (Obituary No. 363.) 95 Ocala - Dorothy N. O'Connor, 95, of Ocala, passed away January 24th. Born in Gloucester, Mass. She cam to this area 29 years ago from Ft. Myers, FL. She was retired School Teacher and did volunteer work for Marion County Schools until she was 88 years of age. She was member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala and is survived by her daughters, Meredith Pickering and her husband Archie of Ocala and Charlotte Trentelman and her husband Chris of Anthony; 4 grand and 4 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, John F. O'Connor. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 352-622-4141) on Saturday (Jan 27th) from 12-1 p.m. with the Funeral Service following at 1 p.m. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/26/2007 - 1/27/2007.

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365. VAN RIPER, HENRIETTA "MAE", (Obituary No. 365.) 87 Ocala - Henrietta "Mae" Van Riper, 87. "Mae" was born in Prospect Park, N.J. on Dec. 6th, 1918. She and her husband Carl were married on July 3rd, 1941 and resided for 32 years in Fair Lawn, NJ. She retired from Oxford University Press where she held the position of Supervisor of the File Department for 20 of those years. They moved to Florida in 1973 to be near their daughter and her family. Mae was preceded in death by her husband Carl S. Van Riper and then lived with her daughter until she passed away following a brief illness at Legacy House in Ocala, FL. "Mae" is also survived by her daughter Patricia J. Crawford, Ocala, and 5 grandchildren, Barbara-Ann Davis, Thomas E. Eckel, Scott, Todd and David Schimpf, and 5 Great-grandchildren, and was soon to be a Great-Great Grandmother. A Memorial Service will be held on Monday, January 29, 2007 at 11 a.m. at College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW College Road, Ocala, FL. The Reverend John Downing will be officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/27/2007 - 1/28/2007.
366. VERNON, AGNES LOCKETT, (Obituary No. 366.) 77 Ocala - Mrs. Agnes Lockett Vernon, passed away on January 22, 2007 at Palm Garden of Ocala. Mrs. Vernon was born in Eatman, GA. She was a Taxi Driver. Mrs. Vernon is survived by her devoted son, William Vernon, (daughter-in-law) Nora Vernon of Ocala, FL., 5 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, sisters, Ozzia Lean Brown of Ocala, FL., Geraldine Holiday of Clinton, NC., Barbara Townsend of Dunnellon, FL., and Cynthia Wilcox of Williston, FL.; brother, Jim Brown of Ft. Lauderdale, FL.; godsons, Dr. Tommy L. Brooks (nephew), Henry Brown and Wayman Vernon all of Ocala, FL.; goddaughter, Gladys Washington of West Virginia. Funeral Services for Ms. Vernon will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, January 27, 2007 at New St. Missionary Baptist Church, 2251 Northwest 2nd Street, Ocala, Florida with Dr. Tommy L. Brooks, Pastor, conducting the services. Interment will be in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Visitation will be at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday at the church 3 p.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/25/2007 - 1/27/2007.

367. WHEELER, MARTIN FRANCIS, (Obituary No. 367.) 92 Ocala - Mr. Martin Francis Wheeler, 92, went home to be with the Lord on Thurs., Jan. 25, 2007. A native of Brooklyn, NY, he came to Ocala in 1984 from Clearwater and was a retired accountant for the former Holmes Electric Protection of New York, NY with 40 years of service. Upon retirement to Clearwater from Hicksville, L.I., NY., he assumed a position with the U.S.P.S., where he worked for 10 years. Martin was a parishioner of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, Ocala. He was a member of Knights of Columbus Councils #1504853, Clearwater and Council #9649, Ocala; Loyal Order of Moose, Ocala; and Elks Lodge 2232, Inverness, FL. Mr. Wheeler is survived by his wife of 67 years, Dorothy O'Rourke Wheeler of Ocala and his brother, Rev. Ambrose Wheeler, who resides at Our Lady of Fatima Assisted Living Facility, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, IN. Martin is also survived by several nieces and nephews. Friends will be received on Sun., Jan 28th from 2-5 P.M. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Mon., Jan. 29th at 10:00 A.M. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Michael O'Keeffe, Celebrant. Interment will follow at Sylvan Abbey Memorial Park, Clearwater at 3:00 P.M. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/27/2007 - 1/28/2007.

368. WHITE, ROBERT J., (Obituary No. 368.) 84 Belleview - Mr. Robert "Bob" J. White, 84, passed away Thursday, January 25, 2007 in Ocala. He is survived by wife, Rita White; daughters, Judy Komier of Clermont and Robert Worden of Clarkston, MI; 4 grandchildren; 4 great grandchildren; 2 nieces and 1 nephew. He was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, A & FM Lodge # 95 and American Legion Post # 284. Formerly served on the Belleview Planning and Zoning and Zoning Compliance Boards. Visitation will be held on Sunday, January 28th from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEVE, 5946 SE Robinson Road. Funeral Mass will be held Monday at 10 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church with Fr. Felicito Baybay officiating. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/26/2007 - 1/28/2007.

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374. CRONIN, DANIEL, (Obituary No. 374.) 71 Ocala - Daniel Cronin, age 71, a local Thoroughbred farm owner and trainer, passed away suddenly on Thursday, Jan. 25, 2007. Emigrating from Co. Kerry Ireland in 1956 to the Boston area, he built a real estate business consisting primarily of numerous apartment buildings. In 1993, along with his wife Cathy Gonzalez, he purchased the former Vintage Acres Farm on 225-A. Renamed Emerald Pastures Farm in honor of his Irish roots, Dan and his wife operated a commercial breeding and boarding facility and trained many homegrown winners and stakes performers at the farm's track over the last ten years. Last year, at the age of 70, Dan took out his Thoroughbred trainer license and traveled to Virginia and Maryland with his stable to compete at Colonial Downs and Laurel Park. Daniel will be sadly missed by his wife Cathy Gonzalez, daughters Kathleen Cronin of Quincy, Christine Berry of Whitman, and Patricia M. Cronin of Hingham, step-children Linda Daniszewski of Weymouth, William MacMeeken of Quincy, and Cyrina Gonzalez of Quincy; his brother Denis Cronin of Quincy, grandchildren Diana, Taylor, Timothy, Matthew, Patrick, Nicholas, and Colby, and many nieces and nephews. A Memorial Service will be planned at the farm in mid-February. KOEHANE FUNERAL & CREMATION SERVICE. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/29/2007 - 1/30/2007.

375. ELLIOTT, III., JOSEPH "JOEY" SIGMOND, (Obituary No. 375.) 54 Ocala - Joseph "Joey" S. Elliott, III, age 54, passed away Saturday, January 27, 2007. He was born August 16, 1952 in Florence, AL and came to Ocala 20 years ago from Decatur, AL. He was an electrical contractor and an avid golfer. Mr. Elliott is survived by two daughters, Lindsey (husband Barkley) Elliott Stone and Jenna Elliott both of Ocala; stepdaughter, Noelle (husband Phillip) Hisey of Ocala; mother Mary Glynn Elliott; father, Joe S. Elliott, Jr.; sister, Renea Hadavi; uncle, H.M. Nowlin; niece, Ariana Hadavi; nephew, Elliott Hadavi; all of Decatur, AL. Funeral
Services will be at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, January 30, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Monday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/29/2007 - 1/30/2007.

376. FLOWERS, LARRY M., (Obituary No. 376.) 73 Ocala - Larry M. Flowers, 73, Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m.; February 1, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with the Marion County Honor Guard, officiating. A native of Adel, GA and a local resident since 1983, when he moved here from Vero Beach, FL; he was a retired housing development manager; a Baptist and a Korean War Veteran serving in the United States Air Force. Preceded in death by his wife Marie in 2001, Larry is survived by his son, Scott Flowers of Ocala, FL and a brother, LeRoy Flowers of Holland, MI. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE - CLEARWATER, FL. 727-467-0922. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/29/2007 - 1/30/2007.

377. JONES, ROBERT ELLIOT, (Obituary No. 377.) 80 Dunnellon - Robert E. Jones died on Friday, January 26, 2007 at Legacy House in Ocala, FL. A Native of Miami, FL, he moved here nine years ago, from Miami, and was a regular customer of the Dinner Bell. Robert served his country in WWII, Korea, and Vietnam as a demolition instructor and engineer for the U.S. Army, retiring with 33 years of military service at the rank of Master Sergeant. Following his military retirement, he worked for 30 years as an engineer for the State of Florida Road Dept. in Dade County. He is survived by his wife, Mary Carlisle Jones of Dunnellon; daughter, Patsy Boone of North Augusta, SC; sisters, Beverly Kirk and Barbara Munroe of Dunnellon; grandson, Edward Boone, great granddaughter, Katelyn Boon, and many nieces and nephews. There will be a memorial service for Mr. Jones at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON on Monday, January 29, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. David Lucas of Mission Possible Ministries officiating. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/28/2007 - 1/29/2007.

378. KNIGHT, MARGARET ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 378.) 69 Summerfield - Mrs. Knight of Summerfield, FL. Passed away on Friday, January 26, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. Born in Saint Petersburg, FL, she had made Summerfield her home for the past 35 years. She was a homemaker who traveled throughout the world with husband and family. She was a wonderful Wife and loving Mother. Survivors include her husband of 51 years Retired Master Sgt. Jesse Wallace Knight, Sr., 2 sons, Jess Wallace Knight, Jr. and Kurt Wallace Knight of Summerfield, a Daughter Margaret Elizabeth Brown of Aiken, SC., 3 sisters, Thelma "Betty" Gumz of Saint Petersburg, FL, Carrie Maxine Gilmore of Frankfurt, OH. And Reba Ann Delouder of Saint Petersburg, FL, brother, James Kenneth Peacock of Hernando, FL, 5 Grandchildren, Jess III, Katie, Eric, Kurtis, Krystian, and 1 Step-Grandchild Austin. A graveside service will be held at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. HIER'S BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/29/2007 - 1/30/2007.

379. PRIDGEON, ELIZABETH "LIBBY" V., (Obituary No. 379.) 83 Ocala - Libby Pridgeon, age 83, passed away Sunday, January 28, 2007. She was born in Okahumpka, FL. and moved to Ocala from Hawthorne. She was a member of Central Church of Christ. Survived by two sons,
Smokey (wife Janet) Robinson of Ocala and Lucky (wife Corky) Robinson of Hawthorne; daughter, Barbara Cribbs of Hawthorne; sister, Roberta Queen of Gainesville; six grandchildren, six great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild. Preceded in death by her husband of 40 years, Joseph C. "J.C." Pridgeon. Gathering of friends 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesday, January 30, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Graveside Services will follow at 2:30 p.m. at Anthony Cemetery in Anthony, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/29/2007 - 1/30/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, Tuesday, January 30, 2007

380. ANTOnevICH, HELEN MARIE, (Obituary No. 380.) 78 Ocala - Helen Marie Antonevich, age 78, of Ocala, FL., died Friday, January 26, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. She was born in Wapakoneta, OH., and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Lansdale, PA., after previously living many years in Jamestown, N.Y. She was a 1952 graduate of St. Rita's Hospital, School of Nursing, Lima, OH., and served as 1st Lt. in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean Conflict. She is a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church and was a Professed Member of the 3rd Order of Mt. Carmel Secular and the Council of Catholic Women. She was a homemaker, the Captain of her shuffleboard club, an avid fan of both Ohio State and Notre Dame, and loved collecting music boxes. Helen was married in 1956 in John N. Antonevich who preceded her in death in 1993. She is survived by her (3) sons, John M. Antonevich of Jamestown, N.Y., James P. Antonevich of Rochester, N.Y., and Joseph G. Antonevich of Stafford, VA.; her (3) daughters, Joyce M. Hamilton of Garden City, KS., Joan M. Vega of Cedar Park, TX., and Janice M. Vresics of Bear, DE.; her (2) brothers, (2) sisters, and her (3) grandchildren, Justin Antonevich, Erin and Amy Vresics. Mass will be celebrated at Queen of Peace Catholic Church at 8:30 a.m., Thursday, February 1, 2007 with interment to follow with Military Honors at Florida National Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala, FL. 34476 on Wednesday, January 31, 2007 from 2 p.m. till 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. till 8 p.m., with a wake service to be at 4 p.m. Memorials can be sent to the Carmelite Monastery, P.O. Box 67, Alexandria, S.D., 57311. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 1/31/2007.

381. APPEL, JANETTE C. "JAN", (Obituary No. 381.) 66 Ocala - Janette C. "Jan" Appel, 66 passed away January 29, 2007 at Palm Garden of Ocala. She was born in Nassau County, NY and moved to Ocala in 1987 from Hyde Park, NY. She was a resort manager and had managed the Lake Waldena Resort for 15 years. Jan is survived by her husband Wallace F. Appel of Silver Springs, FL., stepdaughters Patricia Green and Debbie Herman both of Saugerties, NY, brothers Richard Deacon of Hyde Park, NY., Robert Deacon of Ocala and Terry Deacon of Orlando, a sister Mary-Ann O'Connell of Ocala and 7 grandchildren. There will be a gathering for family and friends on Friday, February 2, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL from 1 to 4 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 1/31/2007.

382. COOPER, ETTA MAE, (Obituary No. 382.) 96 Ocala - Etta Mae "Mac" Cooper, 96, of Ocala, passed away January 29th. Born in North Liberty, Penn., she came to Ocala in 1974 from Long Island, NY. She was a retired Registered Nurse and a member of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, Ocala. She is survived by her son, Everett Cooper of Steilacoom, WA; daughter,
Margaret Gleason of Ocala; brother, Kenneth Cooper of Slippery Rock, PA; grandchildren, Jerry and David Gleason and Eric and Laura Cooper. She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur P. Cooper. A Memorial Service will be held at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church (3453 NE Silver Springs Blvd. 629-5948) on Saturday (Feb. 3rd) at 3 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to either the Church or Hospice of Marion County. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 1/31/2007.

383. CRONIN, DANIEL, (Obituary No. 383.) 71 Ocala - Daniel Cronin, age 71, a local Thoroughbred farm owner and trainer, passed away suddenly on Thursday, Jan. 25, 2007. Emigrating from Co. Kerry Ireland in 1956 to the Boston area, he built a real estate business consisting primarily of numerous apartment buildings. In 1993, along with his wife Cathy Gonzalez, he purchased the former Vintage Acres Farm on 225-A. Renamed Emerald Pastures Farm in honor of his Irish roots, Dan and his wife operated a commercial breeding and boarding facility and trained many homegrown winners and stakes performers at the farm's track over the last ten years. Last year, at the age of 70, Dan took out his Thoroughbred trainer's license and traveled to Virginia and Maryland with his stable to compete at Colonial Downs and Laurel Park. Daniel will be sadly missed by his wife Cathy Gonzalez, daughters Kathleen Cronin of Quincy, Christine Berry of Whitman, and Patricia M. Cronin of Hingham, step-children Linda Daniszewski of Weymouth, William MacMeeken of Quincy, and Cyrina Gonzalez of Quincy; his brother Denis Cronin of Quincy, grandchildren Diana, Taylor, Timothy, Matthew, Patrick, Nicholas, and Colby, and many nieces and nephews. A Memorial Service will be planned at the farm in mid-February. KOEHANE FUNERAL & CREMATION SERVICE. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/29/2007 - 1/30/2007.

384. ELLIOTT, III., JOSEPH "JOEY" SIGMOND, (Obituary No. 384.) 54 Ocala - Joseph "Joey" S. Elliott, III, age 54, passed away Saturday, January 27, 2007. He was born August 16, 1952 in Florence, AL. and came to Ocala 20 years ago from Decatur, AL. He was an electrical contractor and an avid golfer. Mr. Elliott is survived by two daughters, Lindsey (husband Barkley) Elliott Stone and Jenna Elliott both of Ocala; stepdaughter, Noelle (husband Phillip) Hisey of Ocala; mother Mary Glynn Elliott; father, Joe S. Elliott, Jr.; sister, Renea Hadavi; uncle, H.M. Nowlin; niece, Ariana Hadavi; nephew, Elliott Hadavi; all of Decatur, AL. Funeral Services will be at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, January 30, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Monday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/29/2007 - 1/30/2007.

385. FANNING, VALERIE, (Obituary No. 385.) 82 Silver Springs - Valerie Fanning, 82, of Silver Springs, Florida died Sunday, January 28, 2007 at Sylvia's House. She was born September 4, 1924 in Riverhead, New York. She moved here in 1981 from Southampton, NY. Mrs. Fanning was a retired Nurse. She enjoyed spending time with family and Quilting. She was preceded in death by husband Robert and son Robert Fanning, Jr. She is survived by sons, Leonard Fanning of Silver Springs, FL, and Kevin Fanning of Silver Springs, FL.; sisters, Lydia Grabowski of Silver Springs, FL., and Lee Adamson of Southold, NY.; grandchildren, Autumn Fanning of Ocala, FL., Kevin J. Fanning of Silver Springs, FL., and Justin F. Fanning of Silver Springs, FL.; great grandchildren, Ian W. Fanning of Ocala, FL., and Mia L. Koontz of Ocala,
Memorial contributions may be sent to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 1/31/2007.

386. FLOWERS, LARRY M., (Obituary No. 386.) 73 Ocala - Larry M. Flowers, 73, Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m.; February 1, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with the Marion County Honor Guard, officiating. A native of Adel, GA and a local resident since 1983, when he moved here from Vero Beach, FL; he was a retired housing development manager; a Baptist and a Korean War Veteran serving in the United States Air Force. Preceded in death by his wife Marie in 2001, Larry is survived by his son, Scott Flowers of Ocala, FL and a brother, LeRoy Flowers of Holland, MI. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE - CLEARWATER, FL. 727-467-0922. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/29/2007 - 1/30/2007.

387. GAUTHIER, ERNEST J., (Obituary No. 387.) 80 Ocala - Ernest J. Gauthier, 80, died on Monday, January 29, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Millville, MA. He was a retired Assistant Vice President of Real Estate Title Insurance Co., in Providence, RI., and moved to FL in 1978 and worked for Ticor Insurance Co. of Orlando as Senior Title Officer retired in 1988. He moved to Ocala from Winter Park in 1990 and was a member of First Christian Church of Ocala and also the Elks Lodge in Orlando. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during WWII. Survivors include his wife Claire of Ocala, his daughters Linda Smith of Ocala and Nancy Mummert of Orlando, his sons Ronald of Jamestown, RI., Gary of Altamonte Springs, David of Brockton, MA., and James of Debar. He also leave ten grandchildren and one great grandchild. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, February 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. at First Christian Church with Dr. Douglas V. Moore officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/29/2007 - 1/30/2007.

388. KNIGHT, MARGARET ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 388.) 69 Summerfield - Mrs. Knight of Summerfield, FL. Passed away on Friday, January 26, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. Born in Saint Petersburg, FL, she had made Summerfield her home for the past 35 years. She was a homemaker who traveled throughout the world with husband and family. She was a wonderful Wife and loving Mother. Survivors include her husband of 51 years Retired Master Sgt. Jesse Wallace Knight, Sr., 2 sons, Jess Wallace Knight, Jr. and Kurt Wallace Knight of Summerfield, a Daughter Margaret Elizabeth Brown of Aiken, SC., 3 sisters, Thelma "Betty" Gumz of Saint Petersburg, FL, Carrie Maxine Gilmore of Frankfurt, OH. And Reba Ann Delouder of Saint Petersburg, FL, brother, James Kenneth Peacock of Hernando, FL, 5 Grandchildren, Jess III, Katie, Eric, Kurtis, Krystian, and 1 Step-Grandchild Austin. A graveside service will be held at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVUE is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/29/2007 - 1/30/2007.

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390. REILLY, EUGENE F., (Obituary No. 390.) 80 Dunnellon - Eugene F. Reilly, 80, of Dunnellon, FL., died January 28, 2007 at the Legacy House Hospice in Ocala. A native of Milton, MA he relocated to Dunnellon from Danvers, MA., 18 years ago. He was an Advanced Systems Manager with General Electric and attended St. Elizabeth Ann Seaton Catholic Church. He was predeceased by his son Craig R. Coughter. He is survived by his wife, Gladys of Dunnellon; sons, Gregg W. Reilly and wife Patricia of Marshfield, MA., and Richard A. Reilly and wife Beth of Edwards, CO.; daughter, Cheryl L. Walsh and husband Daniel of Stockbridge, GA.; and 8 grandchildren. Visitation will be Wednesday, January 31, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon Chapel. Interment will follow at the Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne, MA. The family suggest memorial contributions be made to The Legacy House Hospice, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 1/31/2007.

391. TORONZI, WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 391.) 58 Dunnellon - William A. Toronzi passed away on Sunday, January 28, 2007 at Citrus Memorial Health Systems in Inverness, Florida. He was 58. Mr. Toronzi was born in Dover, New Jersey to Benjamin Toronzi and Anne (nee Hosken). He moved to Florida in 1970 from Wharton, New Jersey. He came from Lake Worth, FL to Dunnellon a year ago. He was a 'jack of all trades' and a 'master of all trades'. He worked for RAM Realty in Palm Beach Gardens as a maintenance supervisor and also, owned K and B Handyman Services in Boynton Beach, Florida. He was a member of St. John The Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon. He was a past president of Lucerne Lakes Home Owner's Association in Lake Worth, FL. He enjoyed home improvement projects and fishing. When he was in his twenties, he was a national roller skating champion. He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother Robert Toronzi. He is survived by his wife of 10 years, Kathleen (Yates Zbenk) of Dunnellon; daughters Michelle Toronzi of Texas and Christine Toronzi of Colorado; stepson Christopher Zbenk of Illinois; brother Art Toronzi and wife Janet of Wharton, NJ; sisters Patty Reese and husband Joe of Rockaway, NJ and Joan Cameron and husband Bruce of Succasunna, NJ; 2 Grandchildren; Many Nephews and Nieces and Great Nephews and Nieces. A Memorial visitation will take place at Fero Funeral Home at 7620 South U.S. Highway 41 in Dunnellon on Saturday, February 3, 2007 at 1 p.m., one hour prior to the Memorial Mass which will be held at 2 p.m. at St. John The Baptist Catholic Church at 7525 South U.S. Highway 41 in Dunnellon with Father Joe Pinchock officiating. FERO FUNERAL HOME WITH CREMATORY Dunnellon, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 1/31/2007.

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392. ANTOnevich, HELEN MARie. (Obituary No. 392.) 78 Ocala - Helen Marie Antonevich, age 78, of Ocala, FL., died Friday, January 26, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. She was born in Wapakoneta, OH., and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Lansdale, PA., after previously living many years in Jamestown, N.Y. She was a 1952 graduate of St. Rita's Hospital, School of Nursing, Lima, OH., and served as 1st Lt. in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean Conflict. She
is a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church and was a Professed Member of the 3rd Order of Mt. Carmel Secular and the Council of Catholic Women. She was a homemaker, the Captain of her shuffleboard club, an avid fan of both Ohio State and Notre Dame, and loved collecting music boxes. Helen was married in 1956 in John N. Antonevich who preceded her in death in 1993. She is survived by her (3) sons, John M. Antonevich of Jamestown, N.Y., James P. Antonevich of Rochester, N.Y., and Joseph G. Antonevich of Stafford, VA.; her (3) daughters, Joyce M. Hamilton of Garden City, KS., Joan M. Vega of Cedar Park, TX., and Janice M. Vresics of Bear, DE.; her (2) brothers, (2) sisters, and her (3) grandchildren, Justin Antonevich, Erin and Amy Vresics. Mass will be celebrated at Queen of Peace Catholic Church at 8:30 a.m., Thursday, February 1, 2007 with interment to follow with Military Honors at Florida National Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala, FL. 34476 on Wednesday, January 31, 2007 from 2 p.m. till 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. till 8 p.m., with a wake service to be at 4 p.m. Memorials can be sent to the Carmelite Monastery, P.O. Box 67, Alexandria, S.D., 57311. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 1/31/2007.

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397. HICKS, JR., ORVILLE, (Obituary No. 397.) 72 Ocala - Orville Hicks, Jr., 72, of Ocala, died January 29, 2007 at Legacy House. He was born December 25, 1934 to Clara Hicks and Orville Hicks in Greenville, MO. Formerly of St. Louis, MO., he moved to Ocala in 1998. Mr. Hicks was a Research Chemist of Monsan Chemical Co. For 38 years. He was a graduate of Washington University in St. Louis, MO. Member and Elder of Countryside Presbyterian Church. Mr. Hicks taught children and adult bible classes for 40 years. He was a Gideon, member of Countryside's Men's Club, Sinker's and Java Group, and Oak Run's Country Western Dance Club. He is survived by wife Jacquelyn Hicks of 52 years who resides in Ocala; sons, Steve Hicks & wife Kathy of St. Louis, MO. and John Hicks & wife Sandy of Luling, LA.; daughter, Rebecca Brophy & husband Steve of St. Louis; mother, Clara Patterson of St. Louis; brother, Cecil Hicks of St. Louis; and sister, Marilyn Gallagher also of St. Louis; Grandchildren, Jennifer, Valerie, Angela, Corey, Allie Hicks; Karen, Tim, and Megan Brophy. A memorial service will be held at Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW SR 200, Friday, February 2, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Rev. Gary Marshall officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Countryside Presbyterian's Building Fund or Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 2/1/2007.

398. HORRIGHS, ROSEMARY, (Obituary No. 398.) 76 Ocala - Rosemary Horrighs, 76, of Ocala, formerly of Springfield, died Sunday, January 14, 2007 at Hospice in Summerfield, FL., She was born October 21, 1930 in Glenarm, the daughter of Charles Raymond and Clara Agnes Fry Estes. She married Joseph F. Horrighs in 1947; he died in 1986. Mrs. Horrighs worked at John W. Hobbs Manufacturing and Simplex in Springfield and Microdyne in Ocala. She was a member of VFW POST 8083 Ladies Auxiliary. She is survived by two sons, John F. (wife, Kathy), and Joseph R. (wife, Chris) Horrighs, both of Florida; two daughters, Anna Arlene (husband, George) Shaw and Lynne M. (husband Wayne) Hatcher, both of Florida; 15 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren, two great great grandchildren; two brothers, Paul J. (wife, Norma) and Robert (wife Betty) Estes, both of Illinois; sister, Jewell M. Tracy of Illinois; and many nieces and nephews. A Memorial Service will be at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, January 31,
2007 at the VFW Post 8083 in Belleview, FL. In lieu of flowers donate to the Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/31/2007 - 2/1/2007.

399. MCCOSKER, GARY, 55 AND MARGARET, (Obituary No. 399.) 54 Ocala - Gary & Margaret McCosker of Ocala, Florida, ages 55 & 54, passed away on Sunday, January 28, 2007 at their home. Both were born in Brooklyn, New York and relocated to Marion County in 1985 from Rosedale, NY. They were parishioners at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. Gary owned and operated his own A/C company while Margaret was a Teacher's Assistant. Gary enjoyed riding motorcycles and Margaret loved teaching and being with children. They are survived by three sons, Stephen McCosker of Ocoee, FL., Bryan McCosker of Jacksonville, FL., and Cody McCosker of Ocala, FL. Gary is also survived by two brothers Donald McCosker of NY and Kevin McCosker of NJ, a sister Diane O'Connor of NY and his parents Myles and Gloria McCosker of Rosedale, NY. Margaret is survived by a brother Al Rae of Long Island, NY, she was preceded in death by her parents Thomas and Rose Rae. Visitation will be held on Thursday, February 1st between the hours of 10 a.m. and 12 p.m. with services at 12 noon at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/31/2007 - 2/1/2007.

400. POTTS, BUFFIE JANE (NEE STROTHER), (Obituary No. 400.) 38 Marietta, OH - Buffie Jane (nee Strother) Potts, 38, of 3680 St. Rt. 60, Marietta, OH, passed away January 21, 2007. She was born January 30, 1968 in Micanopy, FL., to Carl Travis Strother and Penny (Goodwin) Strother. Buffie attended High School at P.K. Young in Gainesville, FL., living most of her adult life in Ormond Beach, FL. Buffie is survived by her husband, Steven Douglas Potts, and their cherished children, Krisjan and Kamden; her mother, Penny Strother, of Marietta, OH.; brother, Daniel Mark Sommer & his wife Meila of Ocala, FL., brother Douglas Joseph Sommer & his wife Suzie and brother, Steven Strother of Gainesville, FL.; sister, Sherry Evans & husband George Wiser Evans. Funeral Services were held at 3 p.m. Friday, January 26, 2007 at McClure-Schafer-Lankford Funeral Home, 314 Fourth St. Marietta, OH. Information provided by MCCLURE-SCHAFER-LANKFORD FUNERAL HOME Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/31/2007 - 2/1/2007.

401. REILLY, EUGENE F., (Obituary No. 401.) 80 Dunnellon - Eugene F. Reilly, 80, of Dunnellon, FL., died January 28, 2007 at the Legacy House Hospice in Ocala. A native of Milton, MA he relocated to Dunnellon from Danvers, MA., 18 years ago. He was an Advanced Systems Manager with General Electric and attended St. Elizabeth Ann Seaton Catholic Church. He was predeceased by his son Craig R. Coughter. He is survived by his wife, Gladys of Dunnellon; sons, Gregg W. Reilly and wife Patricia of Marshfield, MA., and Richard A. Reilly and wife Beth of Edwards, CO.; daughter, Cheryl L. Walsh and husband Daniel of Stockbridge, GA.; and 8 grandchildren. Visitation will be Wednesday, January 31, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon Chapel. Interment will follow at the Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne, MA. The family suggest memorial contributions be made to The Legacy House Hospice, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 1/31/2007.

402. SHERIDAN, GLADYS M., (Obituary No. 402.) 90 De Leon Springs - Gladys M. Sheridan, 90, of De Leon Springs, FL passed away on Saturday, January 27, 2007 in Daytona Beach, FL.
Born in West Virginia she moved here from Cookeville, TN in 1987. She was a bookkeeper and member of Church of God of Prophecy, De Leon Springs. She is survived by her son, Elzie Gurney Williamson of Warwick, RI and Charles E. Sheridan, Jr. of De Leon Springs, FL; brothers, Jack Phillips of CA, Bob Phillips of Detroit, MI and Lloyd "Sonny" Phillips of WA; sister, Mildred Naomi Wickham of Ocala, FL, Gracie Stockwell of CA and Lula Bartell of CA; 9 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and 7 great-great grandchildren. Funeral Service will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, February 1, 2007, at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel Astor, with Bishop Charles Welch and Reverend Michael Popp officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home prior to the services on Thursday from 10 a.m. - 11 a.m. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME, ASTOR. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/31/2007 - 2/1/2007.

403. THORNTON, JR., HENRY ALVIN, (Obituary No. 403.) 87 Alma - Henry Alvin Thornton, age 87, of Alma died Sunday, January 28, 2007 at his residence after an extended illness. He was a native of Clark County, but had lived in Alma for many years. He was the son of the late Henry Alvin Thornton and Sarah (Sallie) Martin Thornton and preceded in death by a brother, James Thornton. Henry was a Bacon County Hospital Administrator from 1961 to 1965, member of Friendship Baptist Church, a Mason and served in the US Navy during WWII. Survivors include his wife, Wilma Taylor Thornton of Alma; one son, Russell A. Thornton & wife Anita of Alma; three daughters, Dale Royster & husband Dan of Dunnellon, FL., Cheryl Beatty of Mebane, NC., Joyce Williams & husband Stanley of Soddy Dassie, TN.; three step daughters, Carolyn Kirkland & husband Bobby, Linda Wynn & husband Billy and Elaine Miller all of Alma; seventeen grandchildren and several great grandchildren survive. Funeral service will be held Wednesday morning at 11 a.m. from the Chapel of Crosby Funeral Home with Rev. Charles Carter officiating. Interment will follow in Friendship Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receiving friends at the funeral home Tuesday evening between the hours of 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. Active pallbearers will be: Otis Lewis, Romeo Reyes, Wayne Kirkland, Stan Williams, Rocky Lewis and Jimmy Lewis. All others in attendance will be considered honorary escorts. CROSBY FUNERAL HOME is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/31/2007 - 2/1/2007.

404. TORONZI, WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 404.) 58 Dunnellon - William A. Toronzi passed away on Sunday, January 28, 2007 at Citrus Memorial Health Systems in Inverness, Florida. He was 58. Mr. Toronzi was born in Dover, New Jersey to Benjamin Toronzi and Anne (nee Hosken). He moved to Florida in 1970 from Wharton, New Jersey. He came from Lake Worth, FL to Dunnellon a year ago. He was a 'jack of all trades' and a 'master of all trades'. He worked for RAM Realty in Palm Beach Gardens as a maintenance supervisor and also, owned K and B Handyman Services in Boynton Beach, Florida. He was a member of St. John The Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon. He was a past president of Lucerne Lakes Home Owner's Association in Lake Worth, FL. He enjoyed home improvement projects and fishing. When he was in his twenties, he was a national roller skating champion. He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother Robert Toronzi. He is survived by his wife of 10 years, Kathleen (Yates-Zbenk) of Dunnellon; daughters Michelle Toronzi of Texas and Christine Toronzi of Colorado; stepson Christopher Zbenk of Illinois; brother Art Toronzi and wife Janet of Wharton, NJ; sisters Patty Reese and husband Joe of Rockaway, NJ and Joan Cameron and husband Bruce of Succasunna, NJ; 2 Grandchildren; Many Nephews and Nieces and Great Nephews and Nieces. A Memorial visitation will take place at Fero Funeral Home at 7620 South U.S. Highway 41 in
Dunnellon on Saturday, February 3, 2007 at 1 p.m., one hour prior to the Memorial Mass which will be held at 2 p.m. at St. John The Baptist Catholic Church at 7525 South U.S. Highway 41 in Dunnellon with Father Joe Pinchock officiating. FERO FUNERAL HOME WITH CREMATORY Dunnellon, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 1/31/2007.

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405. AMICA, PAUL EUGENE (Obituary No. 405.) 48 Reddick - Mr. Paul Eugene Amica age 48 a resident of Reddick, Florida died on Monday, January 29, 2007 at Shands @ UF in Gainesville, Florida. Mr. Amica is survived by: Wife Mary C. Amica of Blitchton, FL.; Mother: Emma Amica; Step father: Tommy Lee Edwards; 2 daughters: Paula T. Amica of Blitchton, FL & Tara Johnson of Ocala FL.; 2 Son: Torey and Yabuku Johnson of Blitchton FL.; 1 Sister: Joyce Days of Raliegh, Florida; 5 Brother Lorenzo Haynes of Williston FL, Rudolph Haynes of Ocala FL, Jarvis Amica of Fairfield, FL, Charles Gillis of Gainesville, Fl and Curtis Haynes of Tampa, FL; 7 Grandchildren. Services for Paul Amica will be held on Saturday, February 3, 2007 at 3:30 p.m. New Hope Baptist Church Williston, Florida. Burial will follow in the New Hope Cemetery Williston, Florida. Services are under the direction of CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME, 217 SE 4th Ave. Chiefland, Florida. 352-493-1857. There will be no viewing on Friday. Viewing will be after the message. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/1/2007 - 2/2/2007.

406. APPEL, JANETTE C. HERMAN "JAN" (Obituary No. 406.) 66 Ocala - Janette C. "Jan" Herman Appel, 66 passed away January 29, 2007 at Palm Garden of Ocala. She was born in Nassau County, NY and moved to Ocala in 1987 from Hyde Park, NY. She was a resort manager and had managed the Lake Waldena Resort for 15 years. Jan is survived by her husband Wallace F. Appel of Silver Springs, FL., stepdaughters Patricia Green and Debbie Herman both of Saugerties, NY, brothers Richard Deacon of Hyde Park, NY., Robert Deacon of Ocala and Terry Deacon of Orlando, a sister Mary-Ann O'Connell of Ocala and 7 grandchildren. There will be a gathering for family and friends on Friday, February 2, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL from 1 to 4 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/30/2007 - 2/2/2007.

407. CUNNINGHAM, JR., MAXIE J. (Obituary No. 407.) 77 Ocala - Funeral Services for Maxie J. Cunningham, Jr., 77, will be held Saturday, February 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Calvary Missionary Baptist Church with Elder D.J. Berry, Pastor and Rev. EE. Chisholm, Eulogy. Burial will be in Burrell Cemetery. Mr. Cunningham was born July 7, 1929 in Ocala, FL to The Late Maxie and Mary Dempsey Cunningham, Sr. He attended Marion County Public School. He retired form Ocala Lumber Company. He leaves to mourn: three sons, Ronnie Cunningham (Berenetha) of Rivera Beach, Florida, Donny Cunningham of Ocala, Florida, and Darren Harmon (Chiquita) of Ocala, Florida; four daughters, Mahalia "Von" Cannon, Maxine Cunningham, LaDonna Cunningham all of Ocala, Florida, and Alice Green (Carlton) of Dunnellon, Florida; two sisters, Eloise Summers and Burnise Cunningham of Ocala, Florida; one sister-in-law, Evelyn Cunningham of Ocala, Florida; 12 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by one son, Antonio "Chris" Harmon and brother Lester (Bud) Cunningham. Service Entrusted to "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, February 2, 2007 from 9
a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Funeral Home. Saturday, at the church from 10 a.m. until services hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/1/2007 - 2/2/2007.

408. HICKS, JR., ORVILLE (Obituary No. 408.) 72 Ocala - Orville Hicks, Jr., 72, of Ocala, died January 29, 2007 at Legacy House. He was born December 25, 1934 to Clara Hicks and Orville Hicks in Greenville, MO. Formerly of St. Louis, MO., he moved to Ocala in 1998. Mr. Hicks was a Research Chemist of Monsan Chemical Co. For 38 years. He was a graduate of Washington University in St. Louis, MO. Member and Elder of Countryside Presbyterian Church. Mr. Hicks taught children and adult bible classes for 40 years. He was a Gideon, member of Countryside's Men's Club, Sinker's and Java Group, and Oak Run's Country Western Dance Club. He is survived by wife Jacquelyn Hicks of 52 years who resides in Ocala; sons, Steve Hicks & wife Kathy of St. Louis, MO. and John Hicks & wife Sandy of Luling, L.A.; daughter, Rebecca Brophy & husband Steve of St. Louis; mother, Clara Patterson of St. Louis; brother, Cecil Hicks of St. Louis; and sister, Marilyn Gallagher also of St. Louis; Grandchildren, Jennifer, Valerie, Angela, Corey, Allie Hicks; Karen, Tim, and Megan Brophy. A memorial service will be held at Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW SR 200, Friday, February 2, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Rev. Gary Marshall officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Countryside Presbyterian's Building Fund or Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/31/2007 - 2/1/2007.

409. HORRIGHS, ROSEMARY (Obituary No. 409.) 76 Ocala - Rosemary Horrighs, 76, of Ocala, formerly of Springfield, died Sunday, January 14, 2007 at Hospice in Summerfield, FL., She was born October 21, 1930 in Glenarm, the daughter of Charles Raymond and Clara Agnes Fry Estes. She married Joseph F. Horrighs in 1947; he died in 1986. Mrs. Horrighs worked at John W. Hobbs Manufacturing and Simplex in Springfield and Microdyne in Ocala. She was a member of VFW POST 8083 Ladies Auxiliary. She is survived by two sons, John F. (wife, Kathy), and Joseph R. (wife, Chris) Horrighs, both of Florida; two daughters, Anna Arlene (husband, George) Shaw and Lynne M. (husband Wayne) Hatcher, both of Florida; 15 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren, two great great grandchildren; two brothers, Paul J. (wife, Norma) and Robert (wife Betty) Estes, both of Illinois; sister, Jewell M. Tracy of Illinois; and many nieces and nephews. A Memorial Service will be at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, January 31, 2007 at the VFW Post 8083 in Belleview, FL. In lieu of flowers donate to the Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/31/2007 - 2/1/2007.

410. KIMBLE, CHARLIE (Obituary No. 410.) 77 Ocala - Funeral Services For Mr. Charlie Kimble, 77, retired truck driver, who passed away on Thursday, January 25, 2007 will be held on Saturday, February 2, 2007 at 1 p.m. at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. Cecil Wilson, Pastor. He leaves to cherish memories his wife, Rosa Kimble; daughters, Charlene Kimble, Mae Vinson, Denise Ward, Shirley Shellfield, and Debra Pinto. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Visitation will be Friday, February 1, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 8:30 p.m. at Snow's Chapel/Baseline Road. "Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/1/2007 - 2/2/2007.

411. MCCOSKER, GARY 55, MCCOSKER, MARGARET 54 Ocala - Gary & Margaret McCosker of Ocala, Florida, ages 55 & 54, passed away on Sunday, January 28, 2007 at their home. Both were born in Brooklyn, New York and relocated to Marion County in 1985 from
Rosedale, NY. They were parishioners at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. Gary owned and operated his own A/C company while Margaret was a Teacher's Assistant. Gary enjoyed riding motorcycles and Margaret loved teaching and being with children. They are survived by three sons, Stephen McCosker of Ocoee, FL., Bryan McCosker of Jacksonville, FL., and Cody McCosker of Ocala, FL. Gary is also survived by two brothers Donald McCosker of NY and Kevin McCosker of NJ, a sister Diane O'Connor of NY and his parents Myles and Gloria McCosker of Rosedale, NY. Margaret is survived by a brother Al Rae of Long Island, NY, she was preceded in death by her parents Thomas and Rose Rae. Visitation will be held on Thursday, February 1st between the hours of 10 a.m. and 12 p.m. with services at 12 noon at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/31/2007 - 2/1/2007.

412. POTTS, BUFFIE JANE (NEE STROTHER) (Obituary No. 412.) 38 Marietta, OH - Buffie Jane (nee Strother) Potts, 38, of 3680 St. Rt. 60, Marietta, OH, passed away January 21, 2007. She was born January 30, 1968 in Micanopy, FL., to Carl Travis Strother and Penny (Goodwin) Strother. Buffie attended High School at P.K. Young in Gainesville, FL., living most of her adult life in Ormond Beach, FL. Buffie is survived by her husband, Steven Douglas Potts, and their cherished children, Krisjan and Kamden; her mother, Penny Strother, of Marietta, OH.; brother, Daniel Mark Sommer & his wife Meila of Ocala, FL., brother Douglas Joseph Sommer & his wife Suzie and brother, Steven Strother of Gainesville, FL.; sister, Sherry Evans & husband George Wiser Evans. Funeral Services were held at 3 p.m. Friday, January 26, 2007 at McClure-Schafer-Lankford Funeral Home, 314 Fourth St. Marietta, OH. Information provided by MCCLURE-SCHAFER-LANKFORD FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/31/2007 - 2/1/2007.

413. PROCOPIO, JENNIE (Obituary No. 413.) 84 Dunnellon - Miss Jennie Procopio, 84, died January 30, 2007 at her residence under the care of her family and Marion County Hospice. Miss Procopio was born June 25, 1922 in Paterson, New Jersey. She was the daughter of Antonio and Rose Procopio. She came here from Palm Coast, Florida in 2004 and had moved there in 1994 from her lifelong residence in Patterson, New Jersey. She attended St. John The Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon. She enjoyed gardening and spent most of her life caring and loving her family. She was a "Devoted Servant of Her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ". She was employed for over 30 year as an Assemblyline Person with Western Electric in Karney New Jersey and retired in 1987. She is survived by niece, Louise Cammisa of Dunnellon; 3 nephew, Dominic Puligliese and his wife Josephine of Dunnellon, John Puligliese and his wife Rose of Dunnellon, and George Puligliese and his wife Josephine of Dunnellon; many great nieces and nephew and great great nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her sister, Concetta Puligliese in January of 1990. Funeral Mass will be held at 9 a.m. on Saturday, February 3, 2007 at St. John The Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon with services conducted by Reverend Kevin MacGabhan. Entombment services will follow at Fero Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Beverly Hills, Florida. Visitation will be held on February 2, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Chapel of FERO FUNERAL HOME, 7620 South U.S. Highway 41 Dunnellon, Florida. Memorial contributions in her memory may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 32678-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/1/2007 - 2/2/2007.
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415. THORNTON, JR., HENRY ALVIN (Obituary No. 415.) 87 Alma - Henry Alvin Thornton, age 87, of Alma died Sunday, January 28, 2007 at his residence after an extended illness. He was a native of Clark County, but had lived in Alma for many years. He was the son of the late Henry Alvin Thornton and Sarah (Sallie) Martin Thornton and preceded in death by a brother, James Thornton. Henry was a Bacon County Hospital Administrator from 1961 to 1965, member of Friendship Baptist Church, a Mason and served in the US Navy during WWII. Survivors include his wife, Wilma Taylor Thornton of Alma; one son, Russell A. Thornton & wife Anita of Alma; three daughters, Dale Royster & husband Dan of Dunnellon, FL., Cheryl Beatty of Mebane, NC., Joyce Williams & husband Stanley of Soddy Dassey, TN.; three step daughters, Carolyn Kirkland & husband Bobby, Linda Wynn & husband Billy and Elaine Miller all of Alma; seventeen grandchildren and several great grandchildren survive. Funeral service will be held Wednesday morning at 11 a.m. from the Chapel of Crosby Funeral Home with Rev. Charles Carter officiating. Interment will follow in Friendship Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receiving friends at the funeral home Tuesday evening between the hours of 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. Active pallbearers will be: Otis Lewis, Romeo Reyes, Wayne Kirkland, Stan Williams, Rocky Lewis and Jimmy Lewis. All others in attendance will be considered honorary escorts. CROSBY FUNERAL HOME is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 1/31/2007 - 2/1/2007.

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418. COLE, DUSTIN TIMOTHY, INFANT (Obituary No. 418.) 1 MONTH, 24 DAYS Summerfield - "Heavens Little Angel" Taken Too Soon Survived by Parents, Ashley Richet' Elrod and Justin Milton Cole of Summerfield, FL; 2 brothers, Jayce Alexander Elrod and Twin brother Preston Scott Cole of Summerfield, FL.; grandparents, Norman and Penny Cole of Salem, IN.; grandmother, Patricia Price of Summerfield, FL.; grandfather, Garey Elrod of Lake Panasofkee, FL.; great grandparents, Norman and Ferby Cole, and George and Velma Kelm, both of Salem, IN.; also many aunts, uncles and cousins. Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, February 3, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 2, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.

419. CUNNINGHAM, JR., MAXIE J. (Obituary No. 419.) 77 Ocala - Funeral Services for Maxie J. Cunningham, Jr., 77, will be held Saturday, February 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Calvary Missionary Baptist Church with Elder D.J. Berry, Pastor and Rev. EE. Chisholm, Eulo. Burial will be in Montague Cemetery. Mr. Cunningham was born July 7, 1929 in Ocala, FL to The Late Maxie and Mary Dempsey Cunningham, Sr. He attended Marion County Public School. He retired form Ocala Lumber Company. He leaves to mourn: three sons, Ronnie Cunningham (Berenetha) of Rivera Beach, Florida, Donny Cunningham of Ocala, Florida, and Darren Harmon (Chiquita) of Ocala, Florida; four daughters, Mahalia "Von" Cannon, Maxine Cunningham, LaDonna Cunningham all of Ocala, Florida, and Alice Green (Carlton) of Dun nellon, Florida; two sisters, Eloise Summers and Burnise Cunningham of Ocala, Florida; one sister-in-law, Evelyn Cunningham of Ocala, Florida; 12 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by one son, Antonio "Chris" Harmon and brother Lester (Bud) Cunningham. Service Entrusted to "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, February 2, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Funeral Home. Saturday, at the church from 10 a.m. until services hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/1/2007 - 2/3/2007.

420. ENNIS, HENRY "CLAY" (Obituary No. 420.) 73 Ocala - Henry "Clay" Ennis, 73, passed away Wednesday, January 31, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center of Ocala. A native of Elba, Alabama. Mr. Ennis has made Ocala his home since 1958 coming from Opp, AL. Retired
from Vernam Truck Sales of Ocala. He was also a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala. Survivors include wife Shirley, one daughter Kathy D. Aderholt (Isaac), son Christopher C. Ennis (Kimmie), sister Patsy Shaw and brother Hubert Ennis all of Ocala, FL, grandchildren Matthew and Daniel Aderholt. Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, February 4, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to service. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.


422. KIMBLE, CHARLIE (Obituary No. 422.) 77 Ocala - Funeral Services For Mr. Charlie Kimble, 77, retired truck driver, who passed away on Thursday, January 25, 2007 will be held on Saturday, February 2, 2007 at 1 p.m. at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. Cecil Wilson, Pastor. He leaves to cherish memories his wife, Rosa Kimble; daughters, Charlene Kimble, Mae Vinson, Denise Ward, Shirley Shellfield, and Debra Pinto. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Visitation will be Friday, February 1, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 8:30 p.m. at Snow's Chapel/Baseline Road. "Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/1/2007 - 2/2/2007.

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424. RICHARDS, WILLIAM ALBERT (Obituary No. 424.) 95 Ocala - William Albert Richards, 95, of Ocala, Florida, passed away January 30, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. He was born in Chicago, Illinois, he was a U.S. Army Veteran serving in
WWII in Africa, Sicily, and Europe and received a Soldiers Medal for Valor for saving Civilians in Sicily. Among his survivors are two daughters Susan (Milton) Karel and Lynda Richards; two sons David (Late Elaine) Richards and Paul (Beth) Richards; and cherished grandfather of Julie (Tim) Falarski, Amanda (Rob) Hart, Tim Richards, Jaclyn, Erica & Kelly Richards; great grandfather of Christopher, Tim and Hannah Falarski, and Taylor Richards. He was preceded in death by his wife Mary Richards. Private services will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.

425. SULLIVAN, DONALD LEE (Obituary No. 425.) 70 Dunnellon - Donald Lee Sullivan, 70, of Dunnellon, passed away January 31st at his home. Born in Plant City, he came to this area in 1989 from Cocoa, Fl. He was a retired US Air Force Master Sergeant, superintendent for Acticarb of Dunnellon, member of Riverland Baptist Church and a lifetime member of the Melbourne, FL. VFW. He is survived by his wife, Gari R. Sullivan; daughters, Beverly L. Gordon of Shady Valley, TN., Deborah J. Sullivan of Boloxi, MS., and Rhonda L. Perrine (Roy) of Dunnellon, FL.; brother, William E. Sullivan of Tampa, FL.; sisters, Jeanne Litvin of Baltimore, MD., and Ruby Koutoumas of CA; grandchildren, Scott A. Harland of Eglin AFB, Amanda L. Harland of Ocala, Rory T. Gordon and Kacee Cross both of Dunnellon; great grandchildren, Karley Cross and Andrew Gordon; many other nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held at Riverland Baptist Church (US 41 1 mile North of SR 40, Dunnellon) on Saturday (Feb. 3rd) from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Funeral Service will follow at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family request that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala 622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.

426. WESTBROOK, JR., JOHN WILLIAM "BILL (Obituary No. 426.) 73 Ocala - John William "Bill" Westbrook, Jr., 73, of Ocala, passed away on January 29, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. A native of Tampa, he came here in 1984 from Louisville, KY and was a retired manufacturer's representative and for many years worked with his father in Westbrook Agency, Atlanta, GA. Mr. Westbrook was a University of Georgia graduate with a Bachelor's Degree in business and was a member of Phi Delta Theta, Univ. of Ga. Bill was a 1st Lieutenant in the Civil Air Patrol, Ocala Squadron. He held the position of Historian as well as Public Affairs Officer. The Civil Air Patrol is an auxiliary of the United Air Force. He was also an elected committeeman and active member of the Republican Party in Marion County and of the Episcopal faith. Bill also served in the U.S. Navy from 1957 to 1959. He is survived by his wife, Rebecca Westbrook of Ocala; daughter, Margaret R. Eldridge of Ocala; son, John W. Westbrook, III of Ocala; daughter, Katherine Zimmerman of Atlanta; grandchildren, Sarah Perkins and Christopher, Reed, and Cooper Zimmerman. Graveside services will be held on Saturday, February 3rd at 3:15 p.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala with Fr. Michael Messina of Patrick's Episcopal Church officiating with Civil Air Patrol ceremony following. The family suggests memorial contributions to either the American Cancer Society, Univ. of Ga. Alumni Fund, or Phi Delta Theta Alumni Fund. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.

427. WHITE, ARMENIA P. (Obituary No. 427.) 81 Ocala - Armenia P. White, of Ocala, passed away on January 21, 2007 at Warren Hospital in Phillipsburg, PA. A native of Kinney, Minnesota, she came here 28 years ago from New Jersey and was a retired warehouse order
filler. Mrs. White was a parishioner of Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church. She is survived by five siblings; Jane Marcurio of Cornwall, NY; Minnie Virgilio of Suffern, NY; Natalie Ostertag of Belvedere, NJ; Salvatore Marcurio of Lake Worth, FL and Ernest Marcurio of Lake Havasu, AZ. She was preceded in death by her husband of nearly 50 years, The Late James White, in 1985. Friends will be received on Sunday, February 4th from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Ocala on Monday, February 5th at 11 a.m. with Fr. Andrew Mallick, Celebrant. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.

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428. COLE, DUSTIN TIMOTHY (Obituary No. 428.) INFANT 1 MONTH, 24 DAYS Summerfield - "Heavens Little Angel" Taken Too Soon Survived by Parents, Ashley Richet' Elrod and Justin Milton Cole of Summerfield, FL; 2 brothers, Jayce Alexander Elrod and Twin brother Preston Scott Cole of Summerfield, FL.; grandparents, Norman and Penny Cole of Salem, IN.; grandmother, Patricia Price of Summerfield, FL.; grandfather, Garey Elrod of Lake Panasoffkee, FL.; great grandparents, Norman and Ferby Cole, and George and Velma Kelm, both of Salem, IN.; also many aunts, uncles and cousins. Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, February 3, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 2, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.

429. CUNNINGHAM, JR., MAXIE J. (Obituary No. 429.) 77 Ocala - Funeral Services for Maxie J. Cunningham, Jr., 77, will be held Saturday, February 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Calvary Missionary Baptist Church with Elder D.J. Berry, Pastor and Rev. EE. Chisholm, Eulogy. Burial will be in Montague Cemetery. Mr. Cunningham was born July 7, 1929 in Ocala, FL to The Late Maxie and Mary Dempsey Cunningham, Sr. He attended Marion County Public School. He retired form Ocala Lumber Company. He leaves to mourn: three sons, Ronnie Cunningham (Berenetha) of Rivera Beach, Florida, Donny Cunningham of Ocala, Florida, and Darren Harmon (Chiquita) of Ocala, Florida; four daughters, Mahalia "Von" Cannon, Maxine Cunningham, LaDonna Cunningham all of Ocala, Florida, and Alice Green (Carlton) of Dunnellon, Florida; two sisters, Eloise Summers and Burnise Cunningham of Ocala, Florida; one sister-in-law, Evelyn Cunningham of Ocala, Florida; 12 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by one son, Antonio "Chris" Harmon and brother Lester (Bud) Cunningham. Service Entrusted to "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, February 2, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Funeral Home. Saturday, at the church from 10 a.m. until services hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/1/2007 - 2/3/2007.

430. DOBBS, EDITH TERRY (Obituary No. 430.) 80 Chauncey, GA - Mrs. Edith Terry Dobbs, passed away Thursday, February 1, 2007 at Heartland Hospice House in Macon, after an extended illness. Graveside services will be held Monday, Feb. 5 at 1PM from Highland Park Cemetery in Ocala, FL, visitation will begin at 12:30 PM with Rev. Rick Brown conducting the
services. A special thanks to Dr. Fernando & Staff, Heartland Hospice House & Staff, Dr. Mark Griffis & Staff & Appli
convalescent Center. She is survived by a daughter and son in law, Joanne & W. C. Atkins of Chauncey; three sons and daughters in law, Jimmy & Linda Dobbs of Gray, David & Libby Dobbs of Ocala, FL and Joey & Lois Dobbs of Prosperity, S.C.; 3 sisters, & brothers in law, Nigel & Curtis Thornton of Brandon, FL, Nick & James Atkinson of Suwanee, FL and Imogene Davenport of N.C.; one brother, Edison Terry of Plant City, FL; 18 grandchildren, 35 great grandchildren and 2 Great grandchildren; and a special friend, Bill Harden. Mrs. Dobbs was born, June 25, 1926 to the late Elmer & Sally Mae Smith Terry, she had lived in Ocala, FL, but had spent the last 20 years in Baxley. She was a homemaker, loving wife, loving mother and grandmother. She was of the Baptist faith and was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion Post 26. She was preceded in death by her husband, James Andrew Dobbs, sisters, Geraldine Hampton & Lennie Davenport, brothers Leon, Edgar, & Elmer Terry. Visitation will be held Saturday evening from 6 until 8PM at Swain Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers remembrances may be made to Heartland Hospice House, In memory of Edith Dobbs, 115 Arkwright Landing, Macon, GA 31210. The family will assemble at the home of Odell & Brenda Higgins, 236 Moody St. Arrangements by SWAIN FUNERAL HOME.

431. ENNIS, HENRY "CLAY" (Obituary No. 431.) 73 Ocala - Henry "Clay" Ennis, 73, passed away Wednesday, January 31, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center of Ocala. A native of Elba, Alabama. Mr. Ennis has made Ocala his home since 1958 coming from Opp, AL. Retired from Vernam Truck Sales of Ocala. He was also a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala. Survivors include wife Shirley, one daughter Kathy D. Aderholt (Isaac), son Christopher C. Ennis (Kimmie), sister Patsy Shaw and brother Hubert Ennis all of Ocala, FL, grandchildren Matthew and Daniel Aderholt. Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, February 4, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to service. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.

432. GODWIN, JACQUELINE M. (Obituary No. 432.) 89 Ocala - Jacqueline M. Godwin, 89, widow of Leonard Godwin, passed away January 31, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. She was born in Montreal, Quebec, Canada, and moved to Ocala in 1984 from Corona, CA. She is survived by two brothers Frank (Elizabeth) Bray and Peter (Tony) Bray and several nieces and nephews. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/3/2007 - 2/4/2007.


434. O'NEIL, LOUISE H. (Obituary No. 434.) 92 Ocala - Mrs. Louise H. O'Neil, 92, a retired school teacher passed away Friday, February 2, 2007 at the Legacy House. She was a member of the College Road Baptist Church. She is survived by two nieces, Peggy Keeney, and Karen Vaughn and a God child Patty Wilson. May the Angels guide you to your Heavenly Place with
the love you've given to all of us. Funeral Service will be held Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at 2PM at College Road Baptist Church with visitation at the Church from 1-2PM. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers please make donations to Disabled American Veterans. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/3/2007 - 2/4/2007.

435. RICHARDS, WILLIAM ALBERT (Obituary No. 435.) 95 Ocala - William Albert Richards, 95, of Ocala, Florida, passed away January 30, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. He was born in Chicago, Illinois, he was a U.S. Army Veteran serving in WWII in Africa, Sicily, and Europe and received a Soldiers Medal for Valor for saving Civilians in Sicily. Among his survivors are two daughters Susan (Milton) Karel and Lynda Richards; two sons David (Late Elaine) Richards and Paul (Beth) Richards; and cherished grandfather of Julie (Tim) Falarski, Amanda (Rob) Hart, Tim Richards, Jaclyn, Erica & Kelly Richards; great grandfather of Christopher, Tim and Hannah Falarski, and Taylor Richards. He was preceded in death by his wife Mary Richards. Private services will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.

436. SULLIVAN, DONALD LEE (Obituary No. 436.) 70 Dunnellon - Donald Lee Sullivan, 70, of Dunnellon, passed away January 31st at his home. Born in Plant City, he came to this area in 1989 from Cocoa, Fl. He was a retired US Air Force Master Sergeant, superintendent for Acticarb of Dunnellon, member of Riverland Baptist Church and a lifetime member of the Melbourne, FL. VFW. He is survived by his wife, Gari R. Sullivan; daughters, Beverly L. Gordon of Shady Valley, TN., Deborah J. Sullivan of Boloxi, MS., and Rhonda L. Perrine (Roy) of Dunnellon, FL.; brother, William E. Sullivan of Tampa, FL.; sisters, Jeanne Litvin of Baltimore, MD., and Ruby Koutoumas of CA; grandchildren, Scott A. Harland of Eglin AFB, Amanda L. Harland of Ocala, Rory T. Gordon and Kacee Cross both of Dunnellon; great grandchildren, Karley Cross and Andrew Gordon; many other nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held at Riverland Baptist Church (US 41 1 mile North of SR 40, Dunnellon) on Saturday (Feb. 3rd) from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Funeral Service will follow at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family request that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala 622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.

437. WESTBROOK, JR., JOHN WILLIAM "BILL" (Obituary No. 437.) 73 Ocala - John William "Bill" Westbrook, Jr., 73, of Ocala, passed away on January 29, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. A native of Tampa, he came here in 1984 from Louisville, KY and was a retired manufacturer's representative and for many years worked with his father in Westbrook Agency, Atlanta, GA. Mr. Westbrook was a University of Georgia graduate with a Bachelor's Degree in business and was a member of Phi Delta Theta, Univ. of Ga. Bill was a 1st Lieutenant in the Civil Air Patrol, Ocala Squadron. He held the position of Historian as well as Public Affairs Officer. The Civil Air Patrol is an auxiliary of the United Air Force. He was also an elected committeeman and active member of the Republican Party in Marion County and of the Episcopal faith. Bill also served in the U.S. Navy from 1957 to 1959. He is survived by his wife, Rebecca Westbrook of Ocala; daughter, Margaret R. Eldridge of Ocala; son, John W. Westbrook, III of Ocala; daughter, Katherine Zimmerman of Atlanta; grandchildren, Sarah Perkins and Christopher, Reed, and Cooper Zimmerman. Graveside services will be held on
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438. WHITE, ARMENIA P. (Obituary No. 438.) 81 Ocala - Armenia P. White, of Ocala, passed away on January 21, 2007 at Warren Hospital in Phillipsburg, PA. A native of Kinney, Minnesota, she came here 28 years ago from New Jersey and was a retired warehouse order filler. Mrs. White was a parishioner of Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church. She is survived by five siblings; Jane Marcario of Cornwall, NY; Minnie Virgilio of Suffern, NY; Natalie Ostertag of Belvedere, NJ; Salvatore Marcario of Lake Worth, FL and Ernest Marcario of Lake Havasu, AZ. She was preceded in death by her husband of nearly 50 years, The Late James White, in 1985. Friends will be received on Sunday, February 4th from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Ocala on Monday, February 5th at 11 a.m. with Fr. Andrew Mallick, Celebrant. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/2/2007 - 2/3/2007.

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from Corona, CA. She is survived by two brothers Frank (Elizabeth) Bray and Peter (Tony) Bray and several nieces and nephews. ROBERTSFuneral Homes BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/3/2007 - 2/4/2007.

441. Marsden, Geraldine C. (Obituary No. 441.) 80 Ocala - Geraldine C. Marsden, age 80, of Ocala, passed away Saturday, February 3, 2007. She was born in Kansas City, KS on December 9, 1926. Mrs. Marsden came to Ocala in 1967, from Kansas City, KS. She was the former owner of "Mr. Z's Record Shop" in Kansas City, MO, member of the Marine Corp. League Auxiliary, and enjoyed reading. She is survived by her brother Richard W. Vassar, of Ocala, stepdaughter Gabrielle Conn, of Ocala, and three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Leonard C. "Gus" Marsden, of seven years. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

442. Martin, Betty J. (Obituary No. 442.) 69 Houston - Betty J. Martin, born September 10, 1937, went to be with the Lord on Wednesday January 31, 2007 at the age of 69. Mrs. Martin was born in Glen Rogers, West Virginia and married Marvin R. Martin Sr. of the United States Navy in 1955. As a military family, she and her husband "Docky" raised their three children in numerous locations around the United States and spent four years living in the Panama Canal Zone, before eventually settling in the Houston area in 1982. She is survived by her husband of 51 years "Docky" and their three children and five grandchildren: Son Marvin Martin Jr. and his wife Jenne, son Edward Martin and wife Kathie, daughter Cynthia Sabzevari and husband Mohammad. Betty's grandchildren include Michael, Marika and Melissa Martin and Nicholas and Adam Sabzevari. Betty was preceded in death by her brother Archie Morgan. Betty was a loving and dedicated grandmother, mother and devoted wife and will be dearly missed by those who loved and knew her. SERVICES: Will be held Friday, February 9, 2007 at 1:45 PM at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio, Texas. The family has requested donations to the American Cancer Society in lieu of flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

443. McDonald, Eugene "Mac" M. (Obituary No. 443.) 78 Silver Springs - Eugene "Mac" M. McDonald, age 78, passed away Saturday, February 3, 2007 at his residence. He was born January 15, 1929 and has been a life resident of Ocala. He was a heavy equipment operator, enjoyed farming and his hobbies were hunting and fishing. Mac is survived by his wife Shirley of 51 years, two daughters Jene Reiter, Newberry, FL, Tammy Hogan of Silver Springs, son Stephen McDonald of Ft. McCoy, sister Joyce Godwin of Silver Springs, ten grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Preceded in death by his son Eugene. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 6th, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be 5:00-7:00 p.m. Monday. Interment at Waldena Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

444. O'Neil, Louise H. (Obituary No. 444.) 92 Ocala - Mrs. Louise H. O'Neil, 92, a retired school teacher passed away Friday, February 2, 2007 at the Legacy House. She was a member of the College Road Baptist Church. She is survived by two nieces, Peggy Keeney, and Karen Vaughn and a God child Patty Wilson. May the Angels guide you to your Heavenly Place with
the love you've given to all of us. Funeral Service will be held Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at 2PM at College Road Baptist Church with visitation at the Church from 1-2PM. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers please make donations to Disabled American Veterans. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/3/2007 - 2/4/2007.

445. RAY, JEANETTE (Obituary No. 445.) 77 Ocala - Jeanette Ray, 77, of Ocala, passed away on Friday, Feb. 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She came to Marion County from her native Tidewater, FL in Levy County 65 years ago and was a retired medical parts manufacturer with Becton-Dickinson Medical Supplies in Ocala. Jeanette was also employed in the cafeteria at S. Ocala Elementary and was a CNA in the nursery at Munroe Regional during her life. She was a member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church. Jeanette is survived by her husband of 58 years, Thomas E. Ray of Ocala; daughter Donna Pearsall of Dobson, NC; son Robert Ray of Ocala; grandchildren Wain Rock, Kelli Pearsall, Tyler Fox and great granddaughter Abigail Rock. Jeanette was preceded in death by two sons, Edward Ray and Ralph David Ray and three sisters, Lorecie Smith and twins Nettie and Nellie Maddox. Friends will be received on Monday, Feb. 5th from 12 Noon until 3:00 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where services will be held at 3:00 pm. with Rev. Russell Taylor officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

446. SHANNON, GENA LEE (Obituary No. 446.) 66 Summerfield - Gena Lee Shannon, 66, of Summerfield, passed away on Jan. 31, 2007 at home. A native of Eustis, she moved to Marion County in 1955 and was of the Baptist faith. Gena was a retired waitress and former owner of her own cleaning service in Marion County. She is survived by her daughter Cindy Gallagher and husband Dennis of Larchmont, NY; brother Seaborn Jones, III and wife Diane of Daytona; grandchildren Brian and Elizabeth Gallagher of Larchmont, NY and numerous nieces and nephews. Friends will be received on Tuesday, Feb. 6th from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, where chapel services will be held on Wed., Feb. 7th at 10:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Friends and family of Gena are invited for a repast following interment at 12 noon at the Elks Lodge in Belleview. In lieu of flowers, the family wishes that memorial contributions in Gena's name be made to Marion County/Ocala Humane Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

447. VINCOLI, ANGELA L. (Obituary No. 447.) 72 Hamden, CT - Angela L. Vincoli of Hamden, CT and formerly of Ocala, FL and Greenwich, CT died February 2, 2007 at Connecticut Hospice in Branford, CT. She died after a two year battle with cancer. She was 72 and was born September 5, 1934 in Port Chester to the late Philip and Concetta Porchi. In 1989, she and her husband retired to Ocala, FL where she was a member of the Knitting Club in Meadow Wood Farms creating clothing for needy children and blankets for the elderly and infirm. In Ocala, she was a parishioner of the Saint John the Baptist Church. Her life was blessed with a strong bond of love for her children and grandchildren. She was a loving wife and mother. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, William V. Vincoli of Hamden, CT, two sons Arcangelo M. Vincoli of New Milford, CT, and Philip W. Vincoli of Stamford, CT, two daughters Geri A. Passerelli of Stamford, CT, and Phyllis A. Tomko of Hamden, CT, five grandchildren Donald, Alexandra, Amanda, Mia and Victoria. Angela was predeceased by her
parents, brothers Joseph, Domenick, Philip and Anthony Porchi, and sisters Angela Porchi and Josephine Latella. Visitation will be 4-8 p.m. on Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at CRAFT MEMORIAL HOME, INC., 40 Leicester St., Port Chester, NY. Mass of Christian Burial will be 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at Corpus Christi Church, 136 South Regent St., Port Chester, NY. Interment to follow at Saint Mary's Cemetery, Rye Brook, NY. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Connecticut Hospice, 100 Double Beach Rd., CT 06405. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

448. YETMAN, EDWARD DEWITT (Obituary No. 448.) 82 Ocal - Edward Dewitt Yetman, 82, passed away February 2, 2007 at Summerville at Ocala West. He was born in Sharon, PA, raised in Meadville, PA, and moved to Ocala in 1986 from Conneaut Lake, PA. He was an Electrical Engineer for Shell Oil Co. for 28 years. He graduated from Allegheny College and Carnegie Tech with degrees in Engineering. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran of WWII, was very analytical and loved a good crossword puzzle. He is survived by two daughters Cindy and husband Cary Eckard and Nancy Hollman both of Bakersfield, CA., and a son Edward and wife Kathy Yetman of Fresno, CA, grandsons Evan, Bret, Ryan, Bryce and Zachary, six great grandchildren, a sister Imogene Yetman and brothers Bobby, Bill and Marvin Yetman, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife Faye in 1996. There will be a memorial service on Tuesday, Feb. 6, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

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449. ALFANO, ANN FRANCES (Obituary No. 449.) 70 Ocal - Ann F. Alfano, age 70, of Ocala passed away Saturday, February 3, 2007. She was born on March 10, 1936 in Bridgeport, CT. and came to Ocala 20 years ago. Ann was a homemaker and a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Survivors include her husband of 52 years, Joseph Alfano of Ocala; daughters, Lucie Ann Bennett of CT., Antoinette Marie Alfano of Orlando, Tina Marie Curchard of CT.; one son, Joseph Francis Alfano of Ocala; three sisters, Rita Alteri of CT., Irene McCarthy and Betty Buynak of CT; and four grandchildren. Mass will be 12:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/5/2007 - 2/6/2007.

450. HEINEN, SR., PHILLIP CHARLES “PHIL” (Obituary No. 450.) 67 Ocala - Phillip Charles "Phil" Heinen, Sr., 67, of Ocala, Passed away February 1st. Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, he came to this area in 1963 from Miami. He retired from the Rodeo in 1971 before residing to his farm in Marion County to raise and train horses. He was a lifetime member of the PRCA (Pro Rodeo Cowboy Association), was a 3 time National Finals Rodeo Qualifier and was ranked 7th in the World in 1964. He is survived by his wife, Patricia McCleary Heinen of Ocala; sons, Les P. Heinen, Phillip C. Heinen Jr., and Miles Heinen all of Ocala; daughter, Gena Maselli of Haslett, TX; grandchildren, Chance Heinen, Elianna and Lyric Maselli. He was preceded in death by a grandchild, Cheyenne Heinen. The Family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Friday
451. MARSDEN, GERALDINE C. (Obituary No. 451.) 80 Ocala - Geraldine C. Marsden, age 80, of Ocala, passed away Saturday, February 3, 2007. She was born in Kansas City, KS on December 9, 1926. Mrs. Marsden came to Ocala in 1967, from Kansas City, KS. She was the former owner of "Mr. Z's Record Shop" in Kansas City, MO, member of the Marine Corp. League Auxiliary, and enjoyed reading. She is survived by her brother Richard W. Vassar, of Ocala, stepdaughter Gabrielle Conn, of Ocala, and three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Leonard C. "Gus" Marsden, of seven years. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

452. MARTIN, BETTY J. (Obituary No. 452.) 69 Houston - Betty J. Martin, born September 10, 1937, went to be with the Lord on Wednesday January 31, 2007 at the age of 69. Mrs. Martin was born in Glen Rogers, West Virginia and married Marvin R. Martin Sr. of the United States Navy in 1955. As a military family, she and her husband "Docky" raised their three children in numerous locations around the United States and spent four years living in the Panama Canal Zone, before eventually settling in the Houston area in 1982. She is survived by her husband of 51 years "Docky" and their three children and five grandchildren: Son Marvin Martin Jr. and his wife Jenne, son Edward Martin and wife Kathie, daughter Cynthia Sabzevari and husband Mohammad. Betty's grandchildren include Michael, Marika and Melissa Martin and Nicholas and Adam Sabzevari. Betty was preceded in death by her brother Archie Morgan. Betty was a loving and dedicated grandmother, mother and devoted wife and will be dearly missed by those who loved and knew her. SERVICES: Will be held Friday, February 9, 2007 at 1:45 PM at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio, Texas. The family has requested donations to the American Cancer Society in lieu of flower Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

453. McDONALD, EUGENE "MAC" M. (Obituary No. 453.) 78 Silver Springs - Eugene "Mac" M. McDonald, age 78, passed away Saturday, February 3, 2007 at his residence. He was born January 15, 1929 and has been a life resident of Ocala. He was a heavy equipment operator, enjoyed farming and his hobbies were hunting and fishing. Mac is survived by his wife Shirley of 51 years, two daughters Jene Reiter, Newberry, FL, Tammy Hogan of Silver Springs, son Stephen McDonald of Ft. McCoy, sister Joyce Godwin of Silver Springs, ten grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Preceded in death by his son Eugene. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 6th, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be 5:00-7:00 p.m. Monday. Interment at Waldena Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

454. RAY, JEANETTE (Obituary No. 454.) 77 Ocala - Jeanette Ray, 77, of Ocala, passed away on Friday, Feb. 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She came to Marion County from her native Tidewater, FL in Levy County 65 years ago and was a retired medical parts manufacturer with Becton-Dickinson Medical Supplies in Ocala. Jeanette was also employed in the cafeteria at S. Ocala Elementary and was a CNA in the nursery at Munroe Regional during
her life. She was a member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church. Jeanette is survived by her husband of 58 years, Thomas E. Ray of Ocala; daughter Donna Pearsall of Dobson, NC; son Robert Ray of Ocala; grandchildren Wain Rock, Kelli Pearsall, Tyler Fox and great granddaughter Abbigail Rock. Jeanette was preceded in death by two sons, Edward Ray and Ralph David Ray and three sisters, Lorecie Smith and twins Nettie and Nellie Maddox. Friends will be received on Monday, Feb. 5th from 12 Noon until 3:00 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where services will be held at 3:00 pm. with Rev. Russell Taylor officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

455. ROOF, STANLEY D. (Obituary No. 455.) 80 Ocala - Mr. Stanley Roof, 80, passed away on February 3, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was born in Weedsport, NY on November 2, 1926. He is retired machine operator. He is a US Army Korean war veteran. He moved to Ocala in 1971 from Port Byron, NY. He is survived by two sons, Allan Roof of Moravia, NY and Richard Roof of Auburn, NY; two daughters, Amy Arellano and Lynne Roof both of Ocala, FL.; and eight grandchildren. Send donations to Inner Faith of Ocala. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce East Chapel will be conducting graveside services at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens on Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at 2 p.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce East Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/5/2007 - 2/6/2007.

456. SANDERS, LOUISE MCDANIEL (Obituary No. 456.) 84 Ocala - Louise McDaniel Sanders, 84, died on Sunday, February 04, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Mobile, AL and moved to Ocala in 1974 from Plantation, FL. She was a member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church of Ocala. She is survived by her husband, R.D. Sanders; her daughter, Valerie Foster; her son Wade McDaniel all of Ocala; and her son Keith McDaniel of LaFollette, TN; her sisters, Virginia Toney and Ann Rowe both of Richmond, BA and Jean Albertson of Lakeland; her brother, Kenneth Martin of Richmond; eight grandchildren, and six great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her first husband James A. McDaniel in 1979. Funeral services will be Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Pastor Bob King officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Wednesday at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Wyomina Park Baptist Church, 1411 NE 14th St. Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/5/2007 - 2/6/2007.

457. SHANNON, GENA LEE (Obituary No. 457.) 66 Summerfield - Gena Lee Shannon, 66, of Summerfield, passed away on Jan. 31, 2007 at home. A native of Eustis, she moved to Marion County in 1955 and was of the Baptist faith. Gena was a retired waitress and former owner of her own cleaning service in Marion County. She is survived by her daughter Cindy Gallagher and husband Dennis of Larchmont, NY; brother Seaborn Jones, III and wife Diane of Daytona; grandchildren Brian and Elisabeth Gallagher of Larchmont, NY and numerous nieces and nephews. Friends will be received on Tuesday, Feb. 6th from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, where chapel services will be held on Wed., Feb. 7th at 10:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Friends and family of Gena are invited for a repast following interment at 12 noon at the Elks Lodge in Belleview. In lieu of flowers, the family wishes that memorial contributions in Gena's name be made to Marion County/Ocala Humane Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/6/2007.
VINCOLI, ANGELA L. (Obituary No. 458.) 72 Hamden, CT - Angela L. Vincoli of Hamden, CT and formerly of Ocala, FL and Greenwich, CT died February 2, 2007 at Connecticut Hospice in Branford, CT. She died after a two year battle with cancer. She was 72 and was born September 5, 1934 in Port Chester to the late Philip and Concetta Porchi. In 1989, she and her husband retired to Ocala, FL where she was a member of the Knitting Club in Meadow Wood Farms creating clothing for needy children and blankets for the elderly and infirmed. In Ocala, she was a parishioner of the Saint John the Baptist Church. Her life was blessed with a strong bond of love for her children and grandchildren. She was a loving wife and mother. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, William V. Vincoli of Hamden, CT, two sons Arcangelo M. Vincoli of New Milford, CT, and Philip W. Vincoli of Stamford, CT, two daughters Geri A. Passerelli of Stamford, CT, and Phyllis A. Tomko of Hamden, CT, five grandchildren Donald, Alexandra, Amanda, Mia and Victoria. Angela was predeceased by her parents, brothers Joseph, Domenick, Philip and Anthony Porchi, and sisters Angela Porchi and Josephine Latella. Visitation will be 4-8 p.m. on Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at CRAFT MEMORIAL HOME, INC., 40 Leicester St., Port Chester, NY. Mass of Christian Burial will be 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at Corpus Christi Church, 136 South Regent St., Port Chester, NY. Interment to follow at Saint Mary's Cemetery, Rye Brook, NY. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Connecticut Hospice, 100 Double Beach Rd., CT 06405. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

YETMAN, EDWARD DEWITT (Obituary No. 459.) 82 Ocala - Edward Dewitt Yetman, 82, passed away February 2, 2007 at Summerville at Ocala West. He was born in Sharon, PA, raised in Meadville, PA, and moved to Ocala in 1986 from Conneaut Lake, PA. He was an Electrical Engineer for Shell Oil Co. for 28 years. He graduated from Allegheny College and Carnegie Tech with degrees in Engineering. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran of WWII, was very analytical and loved a good crossword puzzle. He is survived by two daughters Cindy and husband Cary Eckard and Nancy Hollman both of Bakersfield, CA., and a son Edward and wife Kathy Yetman of Fresno, CA, grandsons Evan, Bret, Ryan, Bryce and Zachary, six great grandchildren, a sister Imogene Yetman and brothers Bobby, Bill and Marvin Yetman, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife Faye in 1996. There will be a memorial service on Tuesday, Feb. 6, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/4/2007 - 2/5/2007.

ALFANO, ANN FRANCES (Obituary No. 460.) 70 Ocala - Ann F. Alfano, age 70, of Ocala passed away Saturday, February 3, 2007. She was born on March 10, 1936 in Bridgeport, CT. and came to Ocala 20 years ago. Ann was a homemaker and a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Survivors include her husband of 52 years, Joseph Alfano of Ocala; daughters, Lucie Ann Bennett of CT., Antoinette Marie Alfano of Orlando, Tina Marie Corchard of CT.; one son, Joseph Francis Alfano of Ocala; three sisters, Rita Alteri of CT., Irene McCarthy and Betty Buynak of CT; and four grandchildren. Mass will be 12:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery.
461. BERNARD, MELBA ALENE PEDRICK (Obituary No. 461.) 80 Morriston - Melba Alene Pedrick Bernard, 80 passed away peacefully on February 3, 2007 at Alachua General Hospital after a long battle with Parkinson Disease. Momel, as she was called by her family, was a native of Morriston. She was born August 25, 1926 to Madie Lee Pedrick and Thomas Alfred Pedrick. She taught first grade in Jacksonville for many years until her husband's retirement to their farm in Morriston. She taught first grade at Joyce Bullock Elementary until her retirement in 1990. She attended Florida State College for Women (FSU) and graduated from Jacksonville University. She was a member of the Williston Womens Club, Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority and Morriston Church of Christ. She loved people, playing bridge and had a special love for children. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Andrew Bernard, two sons, Robert of Ponte Vedra Beach, FL. and Geoffrey of Durham, NC, three grandsons, Luke Bernard of Gainesville, FL., Zachary and Stephen Bernard, both of Durham, NC and numerous nephews and nieces and her loving caregivers Marlene Munden and Laurie Moore. Friends will be received from 6PM-8PM, Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at Knauff Funeral Home Chapel-Williston. Services will be held at the Morriston Church of Christ on Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at 11AM. Burial to immediately follow at Pleasant Hills Cemetery, Morriston, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

462. FALLIS, ANNA D. (Obituary No. 462.) 84 Belleview - Anna D. Fallis 84, lost her battle with brain cancer on January 24, 2007 at The Tuscany Hospice House in Summerfield, FL. Anna retired as a Housekeeping Supervisor from St. Francis Hospital and later served there as a volunteer. She was a member of the Miraculous Medal Association, and a parishoner of St. Theresa's Catholic Church. Anna was an avid seamstress, craft maker and cook. She was also a great fan of professional wrestling and Court TV. Daughter of the late Paul and Marie Lagana, sister to her late siblings, Frank Lagana and Rose Calderone, and Grandmother to the late Leeann Powell, she is survived by her sisters Connie Cristello and Nancy Sheetz, daughter Sharon and husband Vincent Giovacchini, son Michael and wife Elizabeth Fallis, daughter Denise Zienowicz and son David Fallis, her grandchildren, Vincent and Danielle Giovacchini, Michael, Christopher and Glen Fallis, Shaun Powell, Joshua Zienowicz, Dana and husband Robert Simonelli, great grandchildren, Anthoni, Ryan and Nicolas Simonelli, and Matthew Getmann. "Grandmom" will be deeply missed by all. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

463. GRIFFITH, CHARLES E. (Obituary No. 463.) 85 Ocala, Palm Cay - Charles E. Griffith died at Ocala Regional Medical Center on January 27, 2007. He was a native of Clarksburg, WV, born on June 25, 1921. Mr. Griffith graduated from high school and then attended Boardman Trade School in New Haven, CT. He retired as a truck driver for Schusters Express (which later became Pilot Express). and was a member of Teamsters Local 443 in Wallington, CT. After retirement, he worked part time as a courier for Carrabetta Real Estate in Meriden, CT. He moved to Ocala 18 years ago from Southington CT. Mr. Griffith was a Sergeant on the ground crew for the US Army Air Corps during WWII. He was a member of VFW Post 4252 in Hernando, FL and a member of Chapter CT 5 of the DAV. He was a member of Meadowbrook Church (formerly Ocala Word of Faith Church). He is survived by his wife, Claire Griffith of
Ocala, FL; sons Charles E. Griffith Jr. of CT, and Gary Griffith of New Britain, CT; daughters Kathleen Ford of Pottstown, PA, Amanda Griffith of Ocala, and Karen Godin of New Britain, CT; brothers, Allen Griffith of San Diego, CA, and Walter Griffith of New Haven, CT; five grandchildren and three great grandchildren. There will be a memorial service at Meadowbrook Church on Wednesday, February 14, 2007 at 11AM with Rev. Ron Howard officiating. Military Honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery at 1PM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON-STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

464. HALL, ALONZA JAMES (Obituary No. 464.) 82 Ocala - Mr. Alonza Hall, 82, passed away on February 3, 2007 in Ocala. He was born in Cordele, GA., on November 7, 1924. He worked for Stuckey's Candy Company as a Development Manager. He is a veteran of WWII, Korea and Vietnam and retired from the US Navy. He is predeceased by his loving wife Mamie of 35 years, his parents Robert and Abbie Hall, and his sister Ernestine Pile. He is survived by two sisters, Louise Tarpley of Warner Robins, GA and Eunice Blankenship (Wayne) of Jacksonville, FL; one brother, Kenneth Hall (Meliniae) of Warner Robbins, GA; a brother-in-law, Sonny Musso (Ann); and many nieces, nephews, great nephews and great nieces. Also Virginia Shelby a long-time companion. He moved to Ocala in 1988 from Jacksonville, FL. Send contributions to your favorite charity. Roberts Bruce West will conducting services at their chapel on Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery afterwards. A viewing will be at the funeral home Tuesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

465. HARNE, BLANCHE V. (Obituary No. 465.) 89 Ocala - Blanche V. Harne, 89, a retired aircraft assembler (Rosie the Riveter during World War II) passed away on Sunday, February 4, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in Hagerstown MD, October 21, 1917 and came to Ocala in 1974. Blanche was a member of the First United Methodist Church. Survivors include daughters Sondra Monroe, Grand Rapids, MI, Laurel "Lolly" Foos, Ocala, Toba Hackett, Ocala and Michael Harne, Germany, 12 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren and 4 great, great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, William Harne, son William Harne Jr., and daughter Beverly Kesselring. Donations may be made to the Salvation Army of Ocala. Information provided by Florida Cremation Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

466. HEINEN, SR., PHILLIP CHARLES “PHIL” (Obituary No. 466.) 67 Ocala - Phillip Charles "Phil" Heinen, Sr., 67, of Ocala, Passed away February 1st. Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, he came to this area in 1963 from Miami. He retired from the Rodeo in 1971 before residing to his farm in Marion County to raise and train horses. He was a lifetime member of the PRCA (Pro Rodeo Cowboy Association), was a 3 time National Finals Rodeo Qualifier and was ranked 7th in the World in 1964. He is survived by his wife, Patricia McCleary Heinen of Ocala; sons, Les P. Heinen, Phillip C. Heinen Jr., and Miles Heinen all of Ocala; daughter, Gena Maselli of Haslett, TX; grandchildren, Chance Heinen, Elianna and Lyric Maselli. He was preceded in death by a grandchild, Cheyenne Heinen. The Family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Friday
(February 9th) from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. A Memorial Service will follow at 7 p.m. with Racetrack Chaplain Bob Miller officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/5/2007 - 2/6/2007.


468. MOLNAR, DOROTHY M. (Obituary No. 468.) 87 Ocala - Commander Dorothy M. Molnar, U.S.N., (ret.), age 87 of Ocala, Fl. died Friday February 2, 2007 in Ocala, Fl. She was born in Fernandina Beach, Fl. She received her Bachelors Degree in Chemistry from the Florida State College for Women in 1939 and her Masters Degree in Biochemistry from the University of Wisconsin in 1947. She served in the United States Navy through three wars, WWII, Korea and Vietnam retiring with the rank of Commander. She worked for many years as a biochemist at Ft. Detrick in Frederick, Md. She was catholic and a member of A.S.C.P. and the Retired Officers Association. The family will receive friends on Thursday February 8, 2007 from 1:00PM until service time at 2:00PM at MILAM FUNERAL HOME Chapel 311 South Main Street Gainesville, Fl. 32601 (352) 376 5361. Interment with military honors will follow at Evergreen Cemetery in Gainesville, Fl. Memorial contributions may be made to Catholic Charities. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

469. ROOF, STANLEY D. (Obituary No. 469.) 80 Ocala - Mr. Stanley Roof, 80, passed away on February 3, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was born in Weedsport, NY on November 2, 1926. He is retired machine operator. He is a US Army Korean war veteran. He moved to Ocala in 1971 from Port Byron, NY. He is survived by two sons, Allan Roof of Moravia, NY and Richard Roof of Auburn, NY; two daughters, Amy Arellano and Lynne Roof both of Ocala, FL.; and eight grandchildren. Send donations to Inner Faith of Ocala. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce East Chapel will be conducting graveside services at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens on Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at 2 p.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce East Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/5/2007 - 2/6/2007.

470. SANDERS, LOUISE MCDANIEL (Obituary No. 470.) 84 Ocala - Louise McDaniel Sanders, 84, died on Sunday, February 04, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Mobile, AL and moved to Ocala in 1974 from Plantation, FL. She was a member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church of Ocala. She is survived by her husband, R.D. Sanders; her daughter, Valerie Foster; her son Wade McDaniel all of Ocala; and her son Keith McDaniel of LaFollette, TN; her sisters, Virginia Toney and Ann Rowe both of Richmond, BA and Jean Albertson of Lakeland; her brother, Kenneth Martin of Richmond; eight grandchildren, and six great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her first husband James A. McDaniel in 1979. Funeral services will be Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Pastor Bob King officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Wednesday at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Wyomina Park Baptist Church, 1411 NE 14th St. Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/5/2007 - 2/6/2007.
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472. TAYLOR-WINGFIELD, PHYLLIS M. (Obituary No. 472.) 64 Ocala - Phyllis M. Taylor-Wingfield, 64, passed away February 1st. Born in Middleburg, FL., she was raised in Dunnellon and later moved to Ocala. She was a retired cashier for Kash N' Karry. She is survived by her husband, Hiram William "Bill" Wingfield; stepchildren Susie Galios of Australia, Bettye Ruth Campbell of CA, Rebecca Campbell of Ocala, William Wingfield of Idaho and Larry Wingfield of WA; father, Troy and stepmother Lola Taylor of FL.; sister, Pam Taylor of Ocala; brother, Neil R. Taylor of AL; step-brother, John Mitchell of FL; step-sister, Roberta Bowling of OK. A Memorial Service will be held at Meadowbrook Church (4741 SW 20th St., Ocala) on Saturday, (February 10th) 2PM) In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Heart Assoc. or your local Hospice. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, February 7, 2007

473. ALLEN, ALICE MAE (Obituary No. 473.) 68 Ocklawaha - Alice Mae Allen, 68, Housewife, passed away on February 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Funeral Service will be held Friday, February 9, 2007 at 11 A.M. at St. Paul M.B. Church, Chandler, FL with Rev. Nathanial Moore, Pastor and Rev. Leonard Scott, Eulogy. Mrs. Allen was born March 6, 1938, Peel City, AL to the late Samuel and Lillie Allen. She is survived by one daughter, Cathy A. Hill, Ocala and two grandchildren. Interment will be in Clearwater Cemetery, Ocklawaha, FL. under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Thursday, February 8, 2007 from 9-7:30 P.M. at the Funeral Home. Friday at the church from 10 AM until service hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

474. BERNARD, MELBA ALENE PEDRICK (Obituary No. 474.) 80 Morriston - Melba Alene Pedrick Bernard, 80 passed away peacefully on February 3, 2007 at Alachua General Hospital after a long battle with Parkinson Disease. Momel, as she was called by her family, was a native of Morriston. She was born August 25, 1926 to Madie Lee Pedrick and Thomas Alfred Pedrick. She taught first grade in Jacksonville for many years until her husband's retirement to their farm in Morriston. She taught first grade at Joyce Bullock Elementary until her retirement in 1990.
She attended Florida State College for Women (FSU) and graduated from Jacksonville University. She was a member of the Williston Women's Club, Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority and Morriston Church of Christ. She loved people, playing bridge and had a special love for children. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Andrew Bernard, two sons, Robert of Ponte Vedra Beach, FL, and Geoffrey of Durham, NC, three grandsons, Luke Bernard of Gainesville, FL, Zachary and Stephen Bernard, both of Durham, NC and numerous nephews and nieces and her loving caregivers Marlene Munden and Laurie Moore. Friends will be received from 6PM-8PM, Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at Knauff Funeral Home Chapel-Williston. Services will be held at the Morriston Church of Christ on Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at 11AM. Burial to immediately follow at Pleasant Hills Cemetery, Morriston, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

475. CARRASQUILLO, BIENVENIDO "BENNY" (Obituary No. 475.) 74 Ocala - Bienvenido "Benny" Carrasquillo, 74, died Tuesday, January 30, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. He was born in Carolina, P.R., and served his country in the army during the Korean War. He was employed for 38 years as a mechanic for Leviton Electrical Mfg. and moved to Ocala in 2001. Survivors are his wife of 39 years, Rose; his son, Benjamin; three daughters: Desiree Aponte, Michelle Carrasquillo, and Denise Elias, all of Ocala; 11 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren; and numerous brothers, sisters, nieces and nephews. Veterans Funeral Care (800)467-7850. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

476. CLIFTON, JR., NORMAN PORTERFIELD (Obituary No. 476.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Norman Porterfield Clifton, Jr., 73 passed away on Monday, February 5, 2007 at The Life Care Center of Ocala. He graduated from Ocala High School in 1951. He went to the University of Florida for two years and then joined the Air Force for two years. After returning from the Air Force he graduated from Florida Southern in 1958. In 1964, he bought Ocala Ford Motors. He started a purebred Angus operation called Greenway Angus in 1969, and sold breeding stock all over the US. He was an avid fan of the University of Florida where he was a member of the Gator Boosters Club. Over the years, his interests have included the Automobile business, land, flying, hunting, fishing, timber, cattle, and mining. He was very proud of the fact that he is from Marion County and had a great love and concern for the land and people of it. In his words, "It is the greatest place in the world to enjoy living and raising a family." He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Mary Jane Clifton of Ocala; a son, Norman Porterfield Clifton III and his wife Katrina of Ocala, and a daughter, Julie Clifton Carter and her husband David of Summerfield. He is also survived by 8 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. He was preceded in death by his daughter Daisy Covington Clifton. Funeral services will be held on Friday, February 9, 2007 at 4PM at Grace Episcopal Church of Ocala. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be held at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. on Thursday, February 8, 2007 from 5-7PM. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Children's Home Society of Florida Attn" Development Office, 1485 S Semoran Boulevard, Suite 1448 Winter Park, Florida 32792. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

477. FALLIS, ANNA D. (Obituary No. 477.) 84 Belleview - Anna D. Fallis, 84, lost her battle with brain cancer on January 24, 2007 at The Tuscany Hospice House in Summerfield, FL. Anna retired as a Housekeeping Supervisor from St. Francis Hospital and later served there as a volunteer. She was a member of the Miraculous Medal Association, and a parishoner of St.
Theresa's Catholic Church. Anna was an avid seamstress, craft maker and cook. She was also a great fan of professional wrestling and Court TV. Daughter of the late Paul and Marie Lagana, sister to her late siblings, Frank Lagana and Rose Calderone, and Grandmother to the late Leeann Powell, she is survived by her sisters Connie Cristello and Nancy Sheetz, daughter Sharon and husband Vincent Giovacchini, son Michael and wife Elizabeth Fallis, daughter Denise Zienowicz and son David Fallis, her grandchildren, Vincent and Danielle Giovacchini, Michael, Christopher and Glen Fallis, Shaun Powell, Joshua Zienowicz, Dana and husband Robert Simonelli, great grandchildren, Anthoni, Ryan and Nicolas Simonelli, and Matthew Getmann. "Grandmom" will be deeply missed by all. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.


478. FORSYTH, JOHN C. (Obituary No. 478.) 87 Salt Springs - John C. Forsyth of Salt Springs, Florida died December 23, 2006 at the age of 87. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, February 9, 2007 in the 1st Baptist Church Salt Springs at 3 p.m. in the afternoon. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Roberts Care Center, Haven Hospice, 6400 St. John's Ave., Palatka, FL 32177. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

479. FRANCIS, JIMMY (Obituary No. 479.) 69 Belleview - Jimmy Francis, 69, died Sunday, February 4, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. He was a native of Carr Creek, KY. Mr. Francis was of Protestant faith and owner and operator of Crossroads Inn in Summerfield for 5 years. Survivors include his wife, Vicki Francis, Summerfield; daughters, Deborah Fugate, Summerfield, Amy Francis, Belleview; son, James Francis, Vero Beach, FL; brothers, Bob Francis, Greeley, CO, Mike Francis. Alpine, CA, Jeff "Bub" Francis, Seattle, WA, sister, Carol Francis, UT; grandchildren, Candace Norton, Wayne Fugate, Erica Fugate; great-granddaughter, Kelsea Norton. Services will be held at 6:30PM Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Belleview, with Chaplain Bob Hart officiating. Visitation will be 30 minutes prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Children Leukemia Society, American Cancer Society, PO Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

480. GRIFFITH, CHARLES E. (Obituary No. 480.), 85 Ocala, Palm Cay - Charles E. Griffith died at Ocala Regional Medical Center on January 27, 2007. He was a native of Clarksburg, WV, born on June 25, 1921. Mr. Griffith graduated from high school and then attended Boardman Trade School in New Haven, CT. He retired as a truck driver for Schusters Express (which later became Pilot Express), and was a member of Teamsters Local 443 in Wallington, CT. After retirement, he worked part time as a courier for Carrabetta Real Estate in Meriden, CT. He moved to Ocala 18 years ago from Southington CT. Mr. Griffith was a Sergeant on the ground crew for the US Army Air Corps during WWII. He was a member of VFW Post 4252 in Hernando, FL and a member of Chapter CT 5 of the DAV. He was a member of Meadowbrook Church (formerly Ocala Word of Faith Church). He is survived by his wife, Claire Griffith of Ocala, FL; sons Charles E. Griffith Jr. of CT, and Gary Griffith of New Britain, CT; daughters Amy Griffith of CT., Kathleen Ford of Pottstown, PA, Amanda Griffith of Ocala, and Karen Godin of New Britain, CT.; brothers, Allen Griffith of San Diego, CA. and Walter Griffith of New Haven, CT; five grandchildren and three great grandchildren. There will be a memorial service at Meadowbrook Church on Wednesday, February 14, 2007 at 11AM with Rev. Ron
Howard officiating. Military Honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery at 1PM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON-STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/8/2007

481. HALL, ALONZA JAMES (Obituary No. 481.) 82 Ocala - Mr. Alonza Hall, 82, passed away on February 3, 2007 in Ocala. He was born in Cordele, GA., on November 7, 1924. He worked for Stuckey's Candy Company as a Development Manager. He is a veteran of WWII, Korea and Vietnam and retired from the US Navy. He is predeceased by his loving wife Mamie of 35 years, his parents Robert and Abbie Hall, and his sister Ernestine Pile. He is survived by two sisters, Louise Tarpole of Warner Robins, GA and Eunice Blankenship (Wayne) of Jacksonville, FL; one brother, Kenneth Hall (Melinia) of Warner Robbins, GA; a brother-in-law, Sonny Musso (Ann); and many nieces, nephews, great nephews and great nieces. Also Virginia Shelby a long-time companion. He moved to Ocala in 1988 from Jacksonville, FL. Send contributions to your favorite charity. Roberts Bruce West will conducting services at their chapel on Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery afterwards. A viewing will be at the funeral home Tuesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

482. HAMES, BERYL BRYANT (Obituary No. 482.) 85 Silver Springs - Beryl Sybella (Bryant) Hames, 85, of Silver Springs, FL., passed away on Wednesday, January 17, 2007. Beryl was born May 3, 1921 in Diss, Norfolk England, the daughter of Ivan and Hilda Bryant. As a war bride, she came to the U.S. on a troop ship arriving in New York City on July 4, 1946. She lived first in Carneys Point, NJ and later moved to Wilmington, DE. Beryl spent the last 20 years of her life in Silver Springs. Beryl will be dearly missed by her companion, Charles Morris Sr. of Silver Springs, FL.; her children, Thomas Hames Jr. & his wife Therressa, Susan Mammele & her husband Jeff, Sheryl Zenel & her husband Chris; two grandsons, Scott Hames and Christopher Mammele, all of Wilmington, DE.; and her sister, Valerie Shimp of Pennsville, NJ. A memorial service celebrating Beryl's life will be held on Saturday, February 10, 2007 at 10 a.m. at St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family suggest donations to St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street, Ocala, FL 34471, or Tuscany House, Hospice of Marion County, 17395 SE 109th Terrace Road, Summerfield, FL 34491. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

483. HARNE, BLANCHE V. (Obituary No. 483.) 89 Ocala - Blanche V. Harne, 89, a retired aircraft assembler (Rosie the Riveter during World War II) passed away on Sunday, February 4, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in Hagerstown MD, October 21, 1917 and came to Ocala in 1974. Blanche was a member of the First United Methodist Church. Survivors include daughters Sondra Monroe, Grand Rapids, MI, Laurel "Lolly" Foos, Ocala, Toba Hackett, Ocala and Michael Harne, Germany, 12 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren and 4 great, great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, William Harne, son William Harne Jr., and daughter Beverly Kesselring. Donations may be made to the Salvation Army of Ocala. Information provided by Florida Cremation Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.
484. HUSON, FLORENCE W. (Obituary No. 484.) 84 Florence W. Huson passed away on February 3, 2007. She was a member of the Eastern Star and Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW. She was the beloved wife of Henry Huson; and mother of son Cory and Jane Juson and family of Dayton, OH; son Dr. Henry and Dr. Bettina Huson and family of Danville, VA; son Peter and Lori Huson and family of Irving, NY; daughter Norene & Rick Grillo and family of Palm City, FL; daughter Dr. Susan Beil and family of Delray Beach, FL; brother Lorne Nelles and family of Buffalo, NY; sister Ethel Colern and family of Orchard Park, NY; good friend and cousin Episcopal Deacon Alice and Dick Turner and family Ellicott, NY. Florence was blessed with 18 grandchildren. She is predeceased by her parents Oscar and Winifred Nelles of Buffalo, NY and sister Norene Nelles. In lieu of flowers donations to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala FL 34478 will be appreciated. Visitation Thursday, February 8, 2007 from 5-7PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Funeral Service on Friday, February 9, 2007 at 9:30AM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge with Fr. Joe Goss officiating. Interment at Florida National Cemetery to follow at 11:30AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

485. JOKS, HELMUT (Obituary No. 485.) 83 Ocala - Helmut Joks, 83 passed away on Friday, January 26, 2007. He was a native of Oberau, Germany until immigrating to Edmonton, Alberta, Canada in 1954 and to South River, NJ in 1958. He is survived by his loving wife of 62 years, Ingrid; his daughter Elke (husband Luke); and his son Det (wife Diana); 9 grandchildren; 17 great grand-children, 3 siblings, Gerhardt; Irma; Rudolph; and several great nephews residing in Germany and Poland. He served as a medic in the German Navy for 4 years, a bricklayer, block mason, plasterer and a trade school instructor. He received a degree from Chicago Technical College in construction supervision. He retired from Miami-Dade County doing artistic restoration work at the world famous Vizcaya Mansion and Gardens Museum. He was a caring and loving husband, father and Opa. He was a Mason and an active member and officer of several Marion County German American Clubs and an entertaining accordion player and Alpine dancer. He will surely be missed by his family and friends. There will be a Gathering at 10AM and a Memorial Service 11AM on Saturday, February 10, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala. Reception to follow. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

486. KING, SHIRLEY (Obituary No. 486.) 80 Silver Springs - Shirley Christopher Lee King, 80, was born to Robert and Mattie Christopher in Brooklyn, NY on June 13, 1926. She graduated from Howard University in 1950 and became a certified social worker in 1958. Mrs. King worked for the New York State Dept of social services as a certified social worker for over thirty years before retiring and relocating to Silver Springs, FL. with her husband James Albert King. Mrs. Shirley King was a member of St. Paul A.M.E. Church in Ocala where she served on the Stewardess Board and was an active member of the Women's Bible Class in church school. Preceding Mrs. King in death were her son Forrest Jay King, Sr. (Feb. 26, 1961-July 27, 1997) and husband, James Albert King (June 23,1922-Feb. 4, 2002). Mrs. King leaves to cherish her memory, daughter and son-in-law Susan Sabrina King-Olive and Alvin Nathaniel Olive; grandson, Forrest Jay King, Jr. and a host of nieces, nephews, great nephews, cousins and special friends. Mrs. Shirley King was an incredible lady, greatly loved and will be sadly missed but forever, indelibly ingrained in our hearts and our memories. Funeral services for Mrs. Shirley King will be held on Thursday, February 8, 2007 at 11AM at St. Paul A.M.E. Church with Pastor
Joy Gallmon presiding. Interment Pinelawn Cemetery, Farmingdale, NY. Family will be receiving family and friends at Cunningham's Funeral Home on Wednesday, February 7, 2007 between 5PM and 7PM. Visitation from 9AM-7PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

487. LEVIN, DELORIS “OLGA” (Obituary No. 487.) 91 Ocala - Deloris "Olga" Levin, age 91, of Ocala, passed away Monday, February 5, 2007. Born in Mesa, AR. April 26, 1915. She came to Ocala in 1974 from Miami, where she was a beautician and cosmetology instructor. She owned beauty salons in Miami and the Silver Springs Beauty Salon. She loved flying her own airplane, sewing, crafts, and creating ceramics. Her greatest joy was her treasured family and holiday gatherings. Olga is survived by her daughter Roberta Harkins (husband Michael) of Ocala, five grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Preceded in death by her husband of 63 years Abraham "Jack" Levin, her brother Robert Thomas and her sister Mary Monk. Graveside services will be 2:00 pm Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by H I E R S F U N E R A L H O M E, 910 SE SILVER SPRINGS BLVD., OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

488. MARTIN, CLYDE DAVID (Obituary No. 488.) 85 Wappapello, MO - David Martin Clyde, 85 died February 4, 2007. He was born August 19, 1921 in Madison, IL to Oliver Perry Martin and Mary Knackstedt. He was employed by Terminal Railroad Association Madison Yards as a yard clerk. He retired in 1983 after 28 years of service. He served in the Army. Mr. Martin attended Little Brushy Baptist Church in Wappapello, MO. and was a member of AMVETS Post 204 and American Legion Post 306. He married Dorothy Berniece Martin on July 14, 1941. Mr. Martin is survived by 4 sons: Clyde David (Marie) Martin Jr., Granite City, IL, "Doc" Jerry Lee (Barbara) Martin, Mountain Home, ID, Donald James Martin, Anna, IL, Ronald Ray (Dawn) Martin, Edwardsville, IL.; 3 daughters, Gloria Jean Barr, Houston, TX., Brenda Elaine (Jerry) Christian, Wappapello, MO. and Mary Annette (Sam) Bass, Kearns, UT., 15 grandchildren: Leroy York, David Martin, Chris Martin, Angela Martin, Samantha Flannery, Summer Barr, Pam (Scott) Dorclak, Mel Martin, Mike Christian, Brian Christian, Ricky Bickers, Timmy Bickers, Veronica Crippen, Leight Coolbaugh, Tarya Coolbaugh, 13 great grandchildren. Preceded in death by both parents and wife, 2 half brothers: Joe Wiley and Odis Wiley, 3 half sisters: Jesse Logan, Nora Maxwell and Leona Wiley. Visitation Wednesday, 5-8PM at Irwin Chapel, 2801 Madison Avenue, Granite City, IL. Services Thursday at Irwin Chapel, 2801 Madison Ave., 12 Noon with Rev. Amos Dees. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis, MO. Contributions may be made to the American Lung Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

490. McALISTER, EMILY YARRINGTON (Obituary No. 490.) 89 Ocala - Mrs. Emily McAlister member of the Pine Street Church of Christ, passed away on Monday, February 5, 2007 in Ocala. She was a native of Neptune, NJ. Emily served as 1st Lt. in WWII with the Army Nurse Corp. in Trinidad, B.W.I., Europe and the United States. After WWII she moved to Ocala, FL, and later retired as a registered nurse. Survivors include 1 daughter, Judith McAlister Lewis (husband Donald) of Jackson, TN., one son-in-law Jack M. Reese of Dyersburgh, TN, one brother Lawrence N. Yarrington of Toms River, NJ, three grandchildren Sheri Lewis Jackson of Jackson, TN, Robert Shay Lewis of Murfreesboro, TN and Robert McAlister "Allster" Reese of Dyersburg, TN. Graveside services will be held at 11AM, Thursday, February 8, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala FL 34478 or The Lymphoma and Leukemia Foundation at 2700 Patriot Blvd., Suite #100 Glenview, IL. 60026-8021. Hiers Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

491. MCQUAY, ALBERTHA (Obituary No. 491.) 92 Dunnellon - Albertha McQuay, 92, Housewife, Funeral Service will be held Saturday, February 10, 2007 at 11 A.M. at First Bethel Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Nathanial Rawls, Pastor and Rev. John Hannibal, Eulogy. Mrs. McQuay was born September 14, 1914 in Perry, FL to the late William Smith & Bertha Croomes. Mrs. McQuay is survived by two daughters: Nellie Anderson Johnson, Dunnellon, FL and Ellen M. Adams, Citrus Springs, FL; one brother Lawrence Smith, Newark, NJ; and nine grandchildren. Interment will be in Dunnellon Community Cemetery under the directions of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday, February 9, 2007 from 9-3P.M. at the Funeral Home. Wake at Beulah M.B. Church from 6 PM until 8PM. Sat. at First Bethel M.B. Church from 10 A.M. until service hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

492. MINNERLY, EDWIN GODFREY (Obituary No. 492.) 36 "FAST EDDIE" Ocala - Mr. Edwin Godfrey Minnerly passed away Saturday, February 3, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center of Ocala. An Ocala, FL. native, he was a 1988 graduate from Forest High School and a 1990 Graduate from CFCC. He was the basketball team manager at Forest High School and CFCC. Member and also Acolyte of Grace Episcopal Church. He worked as a grocery stock clerk for Publix Food Stores for the past 10 years. An avid sports fan which included basketball, NASCAR, and football. Survivors include mother, Frances Minnerly, 3 sisters Elizabeth and Barbara Minnerly of Ocala and Susan Minnerly of Tallahassee, FL. Preceded in death by Father, Nelson Minnerly. A memorial service will be held at 4PM on Monday, February 12, 2007 at Grace Episcopal Church of Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Dale Earnhardt Foundation, 1675 Dale Earnhardt Highway #3, Mooresville, NC, 28115 or The Lymphoma and Leukemia Foundation at 2700 Patriot Boulevard Suite #100, Glenview, IL. 60026-8021. Hiers Funeral Home of Ocala in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

493. MOLNAR, DOROTHY M. (Obituary No. 493.) 87 Ocala - Commander Dorothy M. Molnar, U.S.N., (ret.), age 87 of Ocala, Fl. died Friday February 2, 2007 in Ocala, Fl. She was born in Fernandina Beach, Fl. She received her Bachelors Degree in Chemistry from the Florida State College for Women in 1939 and her Masters Degree in Biochemistry from the University of Wisconsin in 1947. She served in the United States Navy through three wars, WWII, Korea
and Vietnam retiring with the rank of Commander. She worked for many years as a biochemist at Ft. Detrick in Frederick, Md. She was catholic and a member of A.S.C.P. and the Retired Officers Association. The family will receive friends on Thursday February 8, 2007 from 1:00PM until service time at 2:00PM at MILAM FUNERAL HOME Chapel 311 South Main Street Gainesville, Fl. 32601 (352) 376 5361. Interment with military honors will follow at Evergreen Cemetery in Gainesville, Fl. Memorial contributions may be made to Catholic Charities. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

494. PIZZULO, VIVIAN A. (Obituary No. 494.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Vivian A. Pizzulo passed away at her residence on Tuesday, February 6, 2007. A native of Windsor, Ontario, Canada she had made Ocala her home since 1977 coming from Miami, FL. Episcopal in faith. She was a homemaker. Survivors include husband of 60 years Francis Pizzulo of Ocala, 4 daughters, Claudia Pizzulo and Victoria Ferrell of Ocala, Frances Pizzulo of Mobile, AL. and Robin Whitson of Lenoir City, TN. 1 son Patrick A. Pizzulo of Ocala, FL., 6 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Services will be held on Saturday, February 10, 2007 at 11AM, Hiers Funeral Home Ocala. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 9, 2007 from 6-8PM at the funeral home. Burial will be in Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

495. SANCHEZ, LUVENIA FINLEY (Obituary No. 495.) 89 Ocala - Luvenia Finley Sanchez, 89, died Friday, February 2, 2007 at Timber Ridge Nursing Home. A Home Going Service will be held at 12PM Wednesday at Cunningham's Funeral Home Chapel, 434 NW Martin Luther King Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475. The Family will receive friends from 11AM to 12PM at the Funeral Home Chapel on Wednesday. Interment will be at Shady Grove Cemetery, 9225 SW 27th Avenue, Ocala, FL. Born in Ocala to the late Willie and Mary Magdalene Finley, Luvenia graduated from Howard Academy in Ocala and later attended Florida Normal College in St. Augustine, FL. She was married to Washington J. Sanchez (Deceased) of Bonifay, FL. This union produced four lovely children, Colonel (Retired) Washington J. Sanchez, Jr., Adusta Gloria Douglas (Deceased), William Canute Sanchez (Deceased) and Claudia Sanchez Glover. Luvenia worked many years as a nurse's aide, including six years at Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami, FL. She was a member of the South Pine Church of Christ, 3900 South Pine Avenue, Ocala, FL. Survivors include: Son, Colonel Washington J. Sanchez, Jr. (Gloria); daughter, Claudia Sanchez Glover (John); grandchildren, Michael Lamar Douglas, Tiffeny Sanchez-Brown (Reginald), Washington J. Sanchez, III (Thanhia), and Monique Glover-Rucker (Jelani); great grandchildren, Reagan Brown and Maddox Sanchez; brother, Lawrence Finley; sisters, Minnie Ree Kincey and Annie Pearl Hall; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kids Central, Inc., Foster Care Donation Fund, 2117 Hwy 484, Ocala, FL 34473. Visitation at the funeral home Wednesday in chapel from 9AM until service hour. No viewing after eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

496. SUMMERVILLE, RUSSELL M. (Obituary No. 496.) 82 Ocala - Russell M. Summerville, 82, formerly of Niles MI died Sunday, February 4 at his home. Survivors include his wife Betty (Meyer), a son, Earl (Jolene) Summerville of Fort Lauderdale, FL., three daughters, Linda (Iver) Engebretson of Port Orchard, WA., Elaine (David) Dykhuis of Secor, IL, and Karen (Kenneth) Flannery of Ocala, FL. Grandchildren are Ross Flannery, Russell A. Summerville, Christopher
Dykhuis and Alexandra Dykhuis. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Judith Summerville (Kelsheimer). Mr. Summerville was a WWII Veteran and retired after 35 years at WNDU-TV in South Bend, IN. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

497. TAYLOR-WINGFIELD, PHYLLIS M. (Obituary No. 497.) 64 Ocala - Phyllis M. Taylor-Wingfield, 64, passed away February 1st. Born in Middleburg, FL., she was raised in Dunnellon and later moved to Ocala. She was a retired cashier for Kash N' Karry. She is survived by her husband, Hiram William "Bill" Wingfield; stepchildren Susie Galios of Australia, Bettye Ruth Campbell of CA, Rebecca Campbell of Ocala, William Wingfield of Idaho and Larry Wingfield of WA; father, Troy and stepmother Lola Taylor of FL.; sister, Pam Taylor of Ocala; brother, Neil R. Taylor of AL; step-brother, John Mitchell of FL; step-sister, Roberta Bowling of OK. A Memorial Service will be held at Meadowbrook Church (4741 SW 20th St., Ocala) on Saturday, (February 10th) 2PM) In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Heart Assoc. or your local Hospice. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/7/2007.

498. WEIGHT, DONNA MAE V. (Obituary No. 498.) 82 Ocala - Donna Mae V. Weight, 82 went home to be with the Lord on Friday, February 2, 2007. Born in Danzig, ND on Friday, December 26, 1924, she resided in Ocala, FL. and attended Marantha Baptist Church in Marion Oaks, FL. She enjoyed sewing, baking, and gardening. Donna was well known for her hospitality and she always put others first. She is survived by her husband of 521/2 years, LaVane C. Weight of Ocala, FL; daughters, Elizabeth Ann Strong, husband, Paul and their family of The Villages, FL, Stephanie Michelle Lachner, husband, Michael and their family of Fargo, ND. Funeral services will be Wednesday, February 7, 2007, 5PM at Watts Funeral Home, San Mateo, FL with Rev. Howard Cox as officiant. Interment will be at North Dakota Veterans Cemetery in Mandan, ND. Memorials & Condolences may be sent to www.WattsFuneralHomes.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Thursday, February 8, 2007

499. ALLEN, ALICE MAE (Obituary No. 499.) 68 Ocklawaha - Alice Mae Allen, 68, Housewife, passed away on February 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Funeral Service will be held Friday, February 9, 2007 at 11 A.M. at St. Paul M.B. Church, Chandler, FL with Rev. Nathanial Moore, Pastor and Rev. Leonard Scott, Eulogy. Mrs. Allen was born March 6, 1938, Peel City, AL to the late Samuel and Lillie Allen. She is survived by one daughter, Cathy A. Hill, Ocala and two grandchildren. Interment will be in Clearwater Cemetery, Ocklawaha, FL. under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Thursday, February 8, 2007 from 9-7:30 P.M. at the Funeral Home. Friday at the church from 10 AM until service hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

500. CARRASQUILLO, BIENVENIDO "B ENNY" (Obituary No. 500.) 74 Ocala - Bienvenido "Benny" Carrasquillo, 74, died Tuesday, January 30, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. He was born in Carolina, P.R., and served his country in the army during the Korean War. He was employed for 38 years as a mechanic for Leviton Electrical Mfg. and moved to Ocala in 2001.
Survivors are his wife of 39 years, Rose; his son, Benjamin; three daughters: Desiree Aponte, Michelle Carrasquillo, and Denise Elias, all of Ocala; 11 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren; and numerous brothers, sisters, nieces and nephews. Veterans Funeral Care (800)467-7850. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

501. CHESSER, LESSIE MAE (Obituary No. 501.) 76 Ocala - Lessie Mae Chesser, 76 died Monday, February 5, 2007 at MRMC. Lessie was born in Ft.Pierce, FL. and moved to the Ocala area over 50 years ago. Lessie was a retired owner of a produce market. She was a member of the United Pentecostal Church of Ocala. She loved her children and her grand and great grand children. She is survived by son-Freeman "Lewis" Hoover of Montross, VA. 3 Daughters- Diane LaGrand of Ocala, Linda Jones of Bellevue, Carolyn McGukin of Ocala, son- Donald Jones of Englis, FL., son Oral Dale Jones of GA., 2 Brothers-Gene Hilliard of SC and Wesley Jones of NC. 2-Sisters- Sadie Sebastian of Ocala and Bernice Hilliard of FL. 18 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren. Friends may call on the family at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. on Friday, February 9, 2007 from 10AM til 1PM; the graveside service will follow then at 3PM at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Reverend C. Patton Williams conducting the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/8/2007 - 2/9/2007.

502. CLIFTON, JR., NORMAN PORTERFIELD (Obituary No. 502.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Norman Porterfield Clifton, Jr., 73 passed away on Monday, February 5, 2007 at The Life Care Center of Ocala. He graduated from Ocala High School in 1951. He went to the University of Florida for two years and then joined the Air Force for two years. After returning from the Air Force he graduated from Florida Southern in 1958. In 1964, he bought Ocala Ford Motors. He started a purebred Angus operation called Greenway Angus in 1969, and sold breeding stock all over the US. He was an avid fan of the University of Florida where he was a member of the Gator Boosters Club. Over the years, his interests have included the Automobile business, land, flying, hunting, fishing, timber, cattle, and mining. He was very proud of the fact that he is from Marion County and had a great love and concern for the land and people of it. In his words, "It is the greatest place in the world to enjoy living and raising a family." He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Mary Jane Clifton of Ocala; a son, Norman Porterfield Clifton III and his wife Katrina of Ocala, and a daughter, Julie Clifton Carter and her husband David of Summerfield. He is also survived by 8 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. He was preceded in death by his daughter Daisy Covington Clifton. Funeral services will be held on Friday, February 9, 2007 at 4PM at Grace Episcopal Church of Ocala. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be held at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. on Thursday, February 8, 2007 from 5-7PM. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Children's Home Society of Florida Attn" Development Office, 1485 S Semoran Boulevard, Suite 1448 Winter Park, Florida 32792. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

503. FORSYTH, JOHN C. (Obituary No. 503.) 87 Salt Springs - John C. Forsyth of Salt Springs, Florida died December 23, 2006 at the age of 87. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, February 9, 2007 in the 1st Baptist Church Salt Springs at 3 p.m. in the afternoon. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Roberts Care Center, Haven Hospice, 6400 St. John's Ave., Palatka, FL 32177. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.
504. Francis, Jimmy (Obituary No. 504.) 69 Belleview - Jimmy Francis, 69, died Sunday, February 4, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. He was a native of Carr Creek, KY. Mr. Francis was of Protestant faith and owner and operator of Crossroads Inn in Summerfield for 5 years. Survivors include his wife, Vicki Francis, Summerfield; daughters, Deborah Fugate, Summerfield, Amy Francis, Belleview; son, James Francis, Vero Beach, FL; brothers, Bob Francis, Greeley, CO, Mike Francis, Alpine, CA, Jeff "Bub" Francis, Seattle, WA, sister, Carol Francis, UT; grandchildren, Candace Norton, Wayne Fugate, Erica Fugate; great-granddaughter, Kelsea Norton. Services will be held at 6:30PM Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Belleview, with Chaplain Bob Hart officiating. Visitation will be 30 minutes prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Children Leukemia Society, American Cancer Society, PO Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

505. Griffith, Charles E. (Obituary No. 505.) 85 Ocala, Palm Cay - Charles E. Griffith died at Ocala Regional Medical Center on January 27, 2007. He was a native of Clarksburg, WV, born on June 25, 1921. Mr. Griffith graduated from high school and then attended Boardman Trade School in New Haven, CT. He retired as a truck driver for Schusters Express (which later became Pilot Express). and was a member of Teamsters Local 443 in Wallington, CT. After retirement, he worked part time as a courier for Carrabetta Real Estate in Meriden, CT. He moved to Ocala 18 years ago from Southington CT. Mr. Griffith was a Sergeant on the ground crew for the US Army Air Corps during WWII. He was a member of VFW Post 4252 in Hernando, FL and a member of Chapter CT 5 of the DAV. He was a member of Meadowbrook Church (formerly Ocala Word of Faith Church). He is survived by his wife, Claire Griffith of Ocala, FL; sons Charles E. Griffith Jr. of CT, and Gary Griffith of New Britain, CT; daughters Amy Griffith of CT., Kathleen Ford of Pottstown, PA, Amanda Griffith of Ocala, and Karen Godin of New Britain, CT.; brothers, Allen Griffith of San Diego, CA. and Walter Griffith of New Haven, CT; five grandchildren and three great grandchildren. There will be a memorial service at Meadowbrook Church on Wednesday, February 14, 2007 at 11AM with Rev. Ron Howard officiating. Military Honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery at 1PM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON-STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/6/2007 - 2/8/2007.

506. Hames, Beryl Bryant (Obituary No. 506.) 85 Silver Springs - Beryl Sybella (Bryant) Hames, 85, of Silver Springs, FL., passed away on Wednesday, January 17, 2007. Beryl was born May 3, 1921 in Diss, Norfolk England, the daughter of Ivan and Hilda Bryant. As a war bride, she came to the U.S. on a troop ship arriving in New York City on July 4, 1946. She lived first in Carneys Point, NJ and later moved to Wilmington, DE. Beryl spent the last 20 years of her life in Silver Springs. Beryl will be dearly missed by her companion, Charles Morris Sr. of Silver Springs, FL.; her children, Thomas Hames Jr. & his wife Therressa, Susan Mammele & her husband Jeff, Sheryl Zenel & her husband Chris; two grandsons, Scott Hames and Christopher Mammele, all of Wilmington, DE.; and her sister, Valerie Shimp of Pennsville, NJ. A memorial service
celebrating Beryl's life will be held on Saturday, February 10, 2007 at 10 a.m. at St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family suggest donations to St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street, Ocala, FL 34471, or Tuscan House, Hospice of Marion County, 17395 SE 109th Terrace Road, Summerfield, FL 34491. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

507. HIERS, JOHN M. (Obituary No. 507.) 73 Ocala - John M. Hiers, 73, died Tuesday, February 6, 2007 in St. Augustine. He was a native and lifelong resident of Ocala. He was President of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services and Highland Memorial Park. He graduated from Ocala High School, the University of Florida and the New England Institute of Mortuary Science. He also attended Davidson College and served in the US Navy. His memberships included the Ft. King Presbyterian Church where he had served as an elder, Marion-Dunn Lodge No. 19, F&AM, presently serving as a District Director for the Independent Funeral Directors of Florida and serving on the Harbor Pilots Commission for the State of Florida. He was a former member of the State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers. He also was an avid Bridge player. He was preceded in death by his parents J. Miles and Rosa Floyd Hiers. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 10, 2007 at 2PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. James R. Bullock, Jr. officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Friday from 5-7PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/8/2007 - 2/9/2007.

508. HUSON, FLORENCE W. (Obituary No. 508.) 84 Florence W. Huson passed away on February 3, 2007. She was a member of the Eastern Star and Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW. She was the beloved wife of Henry Huson; and mother of son Cory and Jane Juson and family of Dayton, OH; son Dr. Henry and Dr. Bettina Huson and family of Danville, VA; son Peter and Lori Huson and family of Irving, NY; daughter Norene & Rick Grillo and family of Palm City, FL; daughter Dr. Susan Beil and family of Delray Beach, FL; brother Lorne Nelles and family of Buffalo, NY; sister Ethel Colern and family of Orchard Park, NY; good friend and cousin Episcopal Deacon Alice and Dick Turner and family Ellicott, NY. Florence was blessed with 18 grandchildren. She is predeceased by her parents Oscar and Winifred Nelles of Buffalo, NY and sister Norene Nelles. In lieu of flowers donations to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala FL 34478 will be appreciated. Visitation Thursday, February 8, 2007 from 5-7PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Funeral Service on Friday, February 9, 2007 at 9:30AM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge with Fr. Joe Goss officiating. Interment at Florida National Cemetery to follow at 11:30AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

509. JOKS, HELMUT (Obituary No. 509.) 83 Ocala - Helmut Joks, 83 passed away on Friday, January 26, 2007. He was a native of Oberau, Germany until immigrating to Edmonton, Alberta, Canada in 1954 and to South River, NJ in 1958. He is survived by his loving wife of 62 years, Ingrid; his daughter Elke (husband Luke); and his son Det (wife Diana); 9 grandchildren; 17 great grand-children, 3 siblings, Gerhardt; Irma; Rudolph; and several and great nephews residing in Germany and Poland. He served as a medic in the German Navy for 4 years, a
bricklayer, block mason, plasterer and a trade school instructor. He received a degree from Chicago Technical College in construction supervision. He retired from Miami-Dade County doing artistic restoration work at the world famous Vizcaya Mansion and Gardens Museum. He was a caring and loving husband, father and Opa. He was a Mason and an active member and officer of several Marion County German American Clubs and an entertaining accordion player and Alpine dancer. He will surely be missed by his family and friends. There will be a Gathering at 10AM and a Memorial Service 11AM on Saturday, February 10, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala. Reception to follow. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

510. KING, SHIRLEY (Obituary No. 510.) 80 Silver Springs - Shirley Christopher Lee King, 80, was born to Robert and Mattie Christopher in Brooklyn, NY on June 13, 1926. She graduated from Howard University in 1950 and became a certified social worker in 1958. Mrs. King worked for the New York State Dept of social services as a certified social worker for over thirty years before retiring and relocating to Silver Springs, FL. with her husband James Albert King. Mrs. Shirley King was a member of St. Paul A.M.E. Church in Ocala where she served on the Stewardess Board and was an active member of the Women's Bible Class in church school. Preceding Mrs. King in death were her son Forrest Jay King, Sr. (Feb. 26, 1961-July 27, 1997) and husband, James Albert King (June 23, 1922-Feb. 4, 2002). Mrs. King leaves to cherish her memory, daughter and son-in-law Susan Sabrina King-Olive and Alvin Nathaniel Olive; grandson, Forrest Jay King, Jr. and a host of nieces, nephews, great nephews, cousins and special friends. Mrs. Shirley King was an incredible lady, greatly loved and will be sadly missed but forever, indelibly ingrained in our hearts and our memories. Funeral services for Mrs. Shirley King will be held on Thursday, February 8, 2007 at 11AM at St. Paul A.M.E. Church with Pastor Joy Gallmon presiding. Interment Pinelawn Cemetery, Farmingdale, NY. Family will be receiving family and friends at Cunningham's Funeral Home on Wednesday, February 7, 2007 between 5PM and 7PM. Visitation from 9AM-7PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

511. LEVIN, DELORIS "OLGA" (Obituary No. 511.) 91 Ocala - Deloris "Olga" Levin, age 91, of Ocala, passed away Monday, February 5, 2007. Born in Mesa, AR. April 26, 1915. She came to Ocala in 1974 from Miami, where she was a beautician and cosmetology instructor. She owned beauty salons in Miami and the Silver Springs Beauty Salon. She loved flying her own airplane, sewing, crafts, and creating ceramics. Her greatest joy was her treasured family and holiday gatherings. Olga is survived by her daughter Roberta Harkins (husband Michael) of Ocala, five grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Preceeded in death by her husband of 63 years Abraham "Jack" Levin, her brother Robert Thomas and her sister Mary Monk. Graveside services will be 2:00 pm Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE SILVER SPRINGS BLVD., OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

512. MARTIN, CLYDE DAVID (Obituary No. 512.) 85 Wappapello, MO - David Martin Clyde, 85 died February 4, 2007. He was born August 19, 1921 in Madison, IL to Oliver Perry
Martin and Mary Knackstedt. He was employed by Terminal Railroad Association Madison Yards as a yard clerk. He retired in 1983 after 28 years of service. He served in the Army. Mr. Martin attended Little Brushy Baptist Church in Wappapello, MO. and was a member of AMVETS Post 204 and American Legion Post 306. He married Dorothy Berniece Martin on July 14, 1941. Mr. Martin is survived by 4 sons: Clyde David (Marie) Martin Jr., Granite City, IL, "Doc" Jerry Lee (Barbara) Martin, Mountain Home, ID, Donald James Martin, Anna, IL, Ronald Ray (Dawn) Martin, Edwardsville, IL.; 3 daughters, Gloria Jean Barr, Houston, TX., Brenda Elaine (Jerry) Christian, Wappapello, MO. and Mary Annette (Sam) Bass, Kearns, UT., 15 grandchildren: Leroy York, David Martin, Chris Martin, Angela Martin, Samantha Flannery, Summer Barr, Pam (Scott) Dorclak, Mel Martin, Mike Christian, Brian Christian, Ricky Bickers, Tommy Bickers, Veronica Crippen, Leight Coolbaugh, Tarya Coolbaugh, 13 great grandchildren. Preceded in death by both parents and wife, 2 half brothers: Joe Wiley and Odis Wiley, 3 half sisters: Jesse Logan, Nora Maxwell and Leona Wiley. Visitation Wednesday, 5-8PM at Irwin Chapel, 2801 Madison Avenue, Granite City, IL. Services Thursday at Irwin Chapel, 2801 Madison Ave., 12 Noon with Rev. Amos Dees. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis, MO. Contributions may be made to the American Lung Association.


513. McALISTER, EMILY YARRINGTON (Obituary No. 513.) 89 Ocala - Mrs. Emily McAlister member of the Pine Street Church of Christ, passed away on Monday, February 5, 2007 in Ocala. She was a native of Neptune, NJ. Emily served as 1st Lt. in WWII with the Army Nurse Corp. in Trinidad, B.W.I., Europe and the United States. After WWII she moved to Ocala, FL. and later retired as a registered nurse. Survivors include 1 daughter, Judith McAlister Lewis (husband Donald) of Jackson, TN., one son-in-law Jack M. Reese of Dyersburgh, TN, one brother Lawrence N. Yarrington of Toms River, NJ, three grandchildren Sheri Lewis Jackson of Jackson, TN, Robert Shay Lewis of Murfreesboro, TN and Robert McAlister "Allster" Reese of Dyersburg, TN. Graveside services will be held at 11AM, Thursday, February 8, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala FL 34478 or The Lymphoma and Leukemia Foundation at 2700 Patriot Blvd., Suite #100 Glenview, IL. 60026-8021. Hiers Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

514. MCQUAY, ALBERTHA SMITH (Obituary No. 514.) 92 Ocala - Albertha Smith McQuay, 92, retired phosphate mine rock picker will be held Saturday, February 10, 2007 at 11AM at First Bethel Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor and Rev. John Hannibal officiating. Mrs. McQuay was born September 14, 1914 in Perry, FL. to the late William Smith & Bertha Smith. Mrs. McQuay is survived by 2 daughters Nellie & Anderson Johnson, Dunnellon FL and Ellen M. Adams, Citrus Springs, FL., 1 Brother Lawrence Smith, Newark NJ and 2 sisters Emily Myers, St. Stephen, SC and Alicestine Delaney, Detroit, MI. 9 grands, 31 great grands, 25 great great grands. Interment at Dunnellon Community Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" Cunningham's Funeral Home. Visitation Friday February 9, 2007 from 9-3PM at the funeral home, wake at her home church Beulah Missionary Baptist Church where Rev. Warren Hardaway is a pastor Saturday at the First Bethel from

515. MELTON, GUYEULA CUPPLES (Obituary No. 515.) 80 Henderson, TN - Guyeula Cupple Melton, 80, passed away on January 22, 2007 at Jackson General Hospital. She was born in Chester County, the daughter of the late Will and Frances Miller Cupples. She attended school in Chester County and was married to David Melton in October 1945. They moved to Florida in 1947, where they made their home, and retired in 1988. She was a seamstress for Knotlocks Drapery in Ocala, Florida. The family moved back to Henderson in 2001. She was a member of the Central Baptist Church and enjoyed sewing. She is preceded in death by her husband David Melton on September 5, 2004 and also 2 sisters, Iris Ivy and Ethel Davidson, and 2 brothers Mahu (Shorty) Cupples and James Cupples. She is survived by a daughter, Phyllis Melton of Henderson, TN. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on January 25, 2007 at LEON JOHNSON FUNERAL HOME with Rev. Jerry Holland officiating. Interment was in Chester County Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/9/2007.

516. MINNERLY, EDWIN GODFREY (Obituary No. 516.) 36 “FAST EDDIE” Ocala - Mr. Edwin Godfrey Minnerly passed away Saturday, February 3, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center of Ocala. An Ocala, FL. native, he was a 1988 graduate from Forest High School and a 1990 Graduate from CFCC. He was the basketball team manager at Forest High School and CFCC. Member and also Acolyte of Grace Episcopal Church. He worked as a grocery stock clerk for Publix Food Stores for the past 10 years. An avid sports fan which included basketball, NASCAR, and football. Survivors include mother, Frances Minnerly, 3 sisters Elizabeth and Barbara Minnerly of Ocala and Susan Minnerly of Tallahassee, FL. Preceded in death by Father, Nelson Minnerly. A memorial service will be held at 4PM on Monday, February 12, 2007 at Grace Episcopal Church of Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Dale Earnhardt Foundation, 1675 Dale Earnhardt Highway #3, Mooresville, NC, 28115 or The Lymphoma and Leukemia Foundation at 2700 Patriot Boulevard Suite #100, Glenview, IL. 60026-8021. Hiers Funeral Home of Ocala in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

517. PIZZULO, VIVIAN A. (Obituary No. 517.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Vivian A. Pizzulo passed away at her residence on Tuesday, February 6, 2007. A native of Windsor, Ontario, Canada she had made Ocala her home since 1977 coming from Miami, FL. Episcopal in faith. She was a homemaker. Survivors include husband of 60 years Francis Pizzulo of Ocala, 4 daughters, Claudia Pizzulo and Victoria Ferrell of Ocala, Frances Pizzulo of Mobile, AL. and Robin Whitson of Lenoir City, TN. 1 son Patrick A. Pizzulo of Ocala, FL., 6 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Services will be held on Saturday, February 10, 2007 at 11AM, Hiers Funeral Home Ocala. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 9, 2007 from 6-8PM at the funeral home. Burial will be in Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

518. SANCHEZ, LUVENIA FINLEY (Obituary No. 518.) 89 Ocala - Luvenia Finley Sanchez, 89, died Friday, February 2, 2007 at Timber Ridge Nursing Home. A Home Going Service will
be held at 12PM Wednesday at Cunningham's Funeral Home Chapel, 434 NW Martin Luther King Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475. The Family will receive friends from 11AM to 12PM at the Funeral Home Chapel on Wednesday. Interment will be at Shady Grove Cemetery, 9225 SW 27th Avenue, Ocala, FL. Born in Ocala to the late Willie and Mary Magdalene Finley, Luvenia graduated from Howard Academy in Ocala and later attended Florida Normal College in St. Augustine, FL. She was married to Washington J. Sanchez (Deceased) of Bonifay, FL. This union produced four lovely children, Colonel (Retired) Washington J. Sanchez, Jr., Adusta Gloria Douglas (Deceased), William Canute Sanchez (Deceased) and

Claudia Sanchez Glover. Luvenia worked many years as a nurse's aide, including six years at Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami, FL. She was a member of the South Pine Church of Christ, 3900 South Pine Avenue, Ocala, FL. Survivors include: Son, Colonel Washington J. Sanchez, Jr. (Gloria); daughter, Claudia Sanchez Glover (John); grandchildren, Michael Lamar Douglas, Tiffany Sanchez-Brown (Reginald), Washington J. Sanchez, III (Thanhia), and Monique Glover-Rucker (Jelani); great grandchildren, Reagan Brown and Maddox Sanchez; brother, Lawrence Finley; sisters, Minnie Ree Kincey and Annie Pearl Hall; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kids Central, Inc., Foster Care Donation Fund, 2117 Hwy 484, Ocala, FL 34473. Visitation at the funeral home Wednesday in chapel from 9AM until service hour. No viewing after eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

519. SMITH, WALTER D. "DANNY" (Obituary No. 519.) 52 Ocala - Danny Smith, 52 passed away on Sunday, February 4, 2007. He served in the US Army, loved to hunt and was a groundskeeper at the Highland Memorial Park Cemetery. He is survived by his parents, Walter & Anna Smith of Bowling Green, FL and sisters, Virginia Smith of Mulberry, FL and Dorlene Brummett of Bowling Green, FL. Services for Mr. Smith will be held on Thursday, February 8, 2007 at noon at the chapel of Robarts Family Funeral Home, 529 W. Main St., Wauchula, FL. Visitation will be held from 11-noon prior to the service. Interment will follow in the Bowling Green Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/8/2007 - 2/9/2007.

520. SUMMERVILLE, RUSSELL M. (Obituary No. 520.) 82 Ocala - Russell M. Summerville, 82, formerly of Niles MI died Sunday, February 4 at his home. Survivors include his wife Betty (Meyer), a son, Earl (Jolene) Summerville of Fort Lauderdale, FL., three daughters, Linda (Iver) Engebretson of Port Orchard, WA., Elaine (David) Dykhuis of Secor, IL, and Karen (Kenneth) Flannery of Ocala, FL. Grandchildren are Ross Flannery, Russell A. Summerville, Christopher Dykhuis and Alexandra Dykhuis. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Judith Summerville (Kelsheimer). Mr. Summerville was a WWII Veteran and retired after 35 years at WNDU-TV in South Bend, IN. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

521. TOWNS, CHARLETTE ANITA (Obituary No. 521.) 37 Ocala - Funeral Services for Mrs. Towns will be on Saturday, February 10, 2007 11AM at the Ocala Temple Church of God By Faith, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be on Friday from 6 to 8PM at The Ocala Temple Church of God By Faith. Elder Jerome Douglas, Sr. - Eulogist. Burial will be in the Tucker Hill Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/8/2007 - 2/9/2007.
522. WEIGHT, DONNA MAE V. (Obituary No. 522.) 82 Ocala - Donna Mae V. Weight, 82 went home to be with the Lord on Friday, February 2, 2007. Born in Danzig, ND on Friday, December 26, 1924, she resided in Ocala, FL. and attended Marantha Baptist Church in Marion Oaks, FL. She enjoyed sewing, baking, and gardening. Donna was well known for her hospitality and she always put others first. She is survived by her husband of 52 1/2 years, LaVane C. Weight of Ocala, FL.; daughters, Elizabeth Ann Strong, husband, Paul and their family of The Villages, FL, Stephanie Michelle Lachner, husband, Michael and their family of Fargo, ND. Funeral services will be Wednesday, February 7, 2007, 5PM at Watts Funeral Home, San Mateo, FL with Rev. Howard Cox as officiant. Interment will be at North Dakota Veterans Cemetery in Mandan, ND. Memorials & Condolences may be sent to www.WattsFuneralHomes.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/8/2007.

523. WOOLMAN, LeROY R. (Obituary No. 523.) 79 Belleview - LeRoy Woolman, 79 died Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at his residence. A native of Port Huron, MI., he moved to this area from Port Huron, 24 years ago. He was a retired teamster, and enjoyed camping, and bowling. Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Pat Woolman, daughter, Ricki MacDonald of Belleview, and was preceded in death by son Robert Woolman. Survivors also include his brother Robert Woolman of Lewiston, MI, sister Ethel Saunders of Canton, MI, and granddaughters, Kimberly, Lourie and Michelle, and great granddaughters Lindsay, Ashley, Paige, Rachael, Loren, and Sarah. Cremation handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/8/2007 - 2/9/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Friday, February 9, 2007

524. CHESSER, LESSIE MAE (Obituary No. 524.) 76 Ocala - Lessie Mae Chesser, 76 died Monday, February 5, 2007 at MRMC. Lessie was born in Ft.Pierce, FL. and moved to the Ocala area over 50 years ago. Lessie was a retired owner of a produce market. She was a member of the United Pentecostal Church of Ocala. She loved her children and her grand and great grand children. She is survived by son-Freeman "Lewis" Hoover of Montross, VA. 3 Daughters- Diane LaGrand of Ocala, Linda Jones of Belleview, Carolyn McGukin of Ocala, son-Donald Jones of Englis, FL., son Oral Dale Jones of GA., 2 Brothers-Gene Hilliard of SC and Wesley Jones of NC. 2-Sisters- Sadie Sebastian of Ocala and Bernice Hilliard of FL. 18 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren. Friends may call on the family at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. on Friday, February 9, 2007 from 10AM til 1PM; the graveside service will follow then at 3PM at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Reverend C. Patton Williams conducting the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/8/2007 - 2/9/2007.

525. CRISP, TERRI LYN (Obituary No. 525.) 41 Ocala - Terri Lynn Crisp died on Monday, February 5, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. She was a native of Ashland KY, born on June 5, 1965 to parents Millard and Janice Crisp. She moved to Ocala from Ashland in 1978 and was a local convenience store clerk. She was of the Baptist faith. Terri is survived by her parents, Millard and Janice Crisp of Ocala; her two sons, Jared and Jeremy Crisp of Ocala;
brothers Duane Crisp, and wife, Sharon of Ocala, and Brett Crisp and wife Alison of Kusong AFB, South Korea; sister, Debbie Maia and husband, Luis, of Ocala; and nephews, Jonathan Crisp and Jacob and Josh Maia. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8pm on Friday, February 9th at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Funeral services are set for 1PM on Saturday, February 10th at the Funeral Home, with Reverend Randy Goldizen of Lakeland Church of God officiating. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/9/2007 - 2/10/2007.

526. HAMPTON, GEORGIE M (Obituary No. 526.) 83 WEIRSDALE - Georgie M. Hampton, 83, retired Switchboard Operator from the Marion County School Board and a lifelong resident of Marion County. She passed away Wednesday February 7, 2007. Survivors include her son Thomas Hampton and his wife Debbie of Kite, GA; Robert Hampton and his wife Tara of Kite, GA; Daughter Ann Hall and her husband Glenn, Ocala and Daughter Robin Baldeschwieler and her husband Frank, Ocala. Grandchildren, Robie Hampton, Altamonte Springs; Christopher Hampton, Jacksonville; Katie Hollander, Jacksonville; Amanda Hall, Ocala; Joseph Hall, Ocala; Matthew Hampton, Ocala; Eddie Hampton, Ocala; Tammy Robinson, Ocala; Katarina and Kristina Baldeschwieler, Weirsdale. Great Grandchildren: Kirstie, Alyssa and Austin Richardson, Ocala. There will be a private service held at a later date. Contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/9/2007 - 2/10/2007.

527. HAUN, THOMAS "TOMMY" (Obituary No. 527.) 44 Ocala _ Thomas "Tommy" Haun, 44 went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at the Legacy House in Ocala. Tommy was born in Bristol, TN on July 13, 1962 to Sally Stevens Haun and the late Edward (Ed) Haun. He graduated in 1980 from Tennessee High School and attended CFCC and Webster College. He was a member of First Christian Church in Bristol, VA. He is survived by two sons Jon Haun of Orlando, FL and David Haun of Ocala. The mother of his children Debra Abernathy and her husband Bill Abernathy, uncle and aunt, Bruce and Clara Stevens of Bristol, VA and other special cousins. The Memorial Service will be conducted at 6PM Saturday, February 10, 2007 at the First Assembly of God Church in Ocala with the Rev. Drexel T. Brunson officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/9/2007 - 2/10/2007.

528. HIERS, JOHN M. (Obituary No. 528.) 73 Ocala - John M. Hiers, 73, died Tuesday, February 6, 2007 in St. Augustine. He was a native and lifelong resident of Ocala. He was President of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services and Highland Memorial Park. He graduated from Ocala High School, the University of Florida and the New England Institute of Mortuary Science. He also attended Davidson College and served in the US Navy. His memberships included the Ft. King Presbyterian Church where he had served as an elder, Marion-Dunn Lodge No. 19, F&AM, presently serving as a District Director for the Independent Funeral Directors of Florida and serving on the Harbor Pilots Commission for the State of Florida. He was a former member of the State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers. He also was an avid Bridge player. He was preceded in death by his parents J. Miles and Rosa Floyd Hiers. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 10, 2007 at 2PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with

529. HILTON-VOLKMAR, LOIS "JEAN" (Obituary No. 529.) 78 Ocala - Lois "Jean" Hilton-Volkmar, 78, passed away February 7th. Born in Columbus, OH., she cam to this area 28 years ago from Ohio. She was a retired registered nurse and worked for Leesburg Regional Medical Center for 20 years. She was Methodist by faith, and is survived by a son, Keith B. Volkmar of Ocala; daughters, Jennifer A. Volkmar of Ocala and Paula L. Burns of Maroa, IL.; a brother, Nick Hilton of Westerville, OH; 5 grandchildren, Katy, Alison and Morgan Volkmar and Brandon and Cody Burns. She was preceded in death by her husband, Willard J. Volkmar and Son, Eric J. Volkmar. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., 352-622-4141) on Sun (February 11th) from 4-6PM. The Funeral Service will be held at the Funeral Home on Monday (February 12th) at 10AM. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the Family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/9/2007 - 2/10/2007.

530. MCQUAY, ALBERTHA SMITH (Obituary No. 530.) 92 Ocala - Albertha Smith McQuay, 92, retired phosphate mine rock picker will be held Saturday, February 10, 2007 at 11 AM at First Bethel Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor and Rev. John Hannibal officiating. Mrs. McQuay was born September 14, 1914 in Perry, FL. to the late William Smith & Bertha Smith. Mrs. McQuay is survived by 2 daughters Nellie & Anderson Johnson, Dunnellon FL and Ellen M. Adams, Citrus Springs, FL., 1 Brother Lawrence Smith, Newark NJ and 2 sisters Emily Myers, St. Stephen, SC and Alicestine Delaney, Detroit, MI. 9 grands, 31 great grands, 25 great great grands. Interment at Dunnellon Community Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" Cunningham's Funeral Home. Visitation Friday February 9, 2007 from 9-3PM at the funeral home, wake at her home church Beulah Missionary Baptist Church, Dunnellon 5:30-7:30PM where Rev. Warren Hardaway is a pastor Saturday at the First Bethel, Dunnellon from 10AM until service. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/7/2007 - 2/10/2007.

531. MELTON, GUYEULA CUPPLES (Obituary No. 531.) 80 Henderson, TN - Guyeula Cupples Melton, 80, passed away on January 22, 2007 at Jackson General Hospital. She was born in Chester County, the daughter of the late Will and Frances Miller Cupples. She attended school in Chester County and was married to David Melton in October 1945. They moved to Florida in 1947, where they made their home, and retired in 1988. She was a seamstress for Knotlocks Drapery in Ocala, Florida. The family moved back to Henderson in 2001. She was a member of the Central Baptist Church and enjoyed sewing. She is preceded in death by her husband David Melton on September 5, 2004 and also 2 sisters, Iris Ivy and Ethel Davidson, and 2 brothers Mahu (Shorty) Cupples and James Cupples. She is survived by a daughter, Phyllis Melton of Henderson, TN. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on January 25, 2007 at LEON JOHNSON FUNERAL HOME with Rev. Jerry Holland officiating. Interment was in Chester County Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/8/2007 - 2/9/2007.
532. SMITH, WALTER D. “DANNY” (Obituary No. 532.) 52 Ocala - Danny Smith, 52 passed away on Sunday, February 4, 2007. He served in the US Army, loved to hunt and was a groundskeeper at the Highland Memorial Park Cemetery. He is survived by his parents, Walter & Anna Smith of Bowling Green, FL and sisters, Virginia Smith of Mulberry, FL and Dorlene Brummett of Bowling Green, FL. Services for Mr. Smith will be held on Thursday, February 8, 2007 at noon at the chapel of Robarts Family Funeral Home, 529 W. Main St., Wauchula, FL. Visitation will be held from 11-noon prior to the service. Interment will follow in the Bowling Green Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/8/2007 - 2/9/2007.

533. TOWNS, CHARLETTE ANITA (Obituary No. 533.) 37 Ocala - Funeral Services for Mrs. Towns will be on Saturday, February 10, 2007 11AM at the Ocala Temple Church of God By Faith, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be on Friday from 6 to 8PM at The Ocala Temple Church of God By Faith. Elder Jerome Douglas, Sr. - Eulogist. Burial will be in the Tucker Hill Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/8/2007 - 2/9/2007.

534. UPP, CHARLES CLIFTON (Obituary No. 534.) 87 Ocala - Charles Clifton Upp, 87 passed away Friday, February 2nd at his home. Charles was born in Hillsboro, OH., March 17, 1919 to Heber and Mary Upp. After serving his country in the Navy during WWII, he worked for Guilford Dairy in Greensboro, NC. In 1950, he became their first branch General Manager and moved his family to Asheboro where he became honored as "Man of the Year" in 1955 by the Asheboro Jaycees. He later moved to Florida and became a sales manager for TG Lee Foods in Ocala. Charles was an active member of the Silver Springs Lions Club since 1971. He cherished his volunteer time assisting others in getting glasses, arranging for guide dogs for the visually handicapped and is the Co-founder of Unity Place in Ocala. He is survived by daughters, Lindell Lehrer and her husband Steve, Charlene Maresca and her husband John; 3 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A graveside memorial service will be announced at a later date. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions be made to either the Silver Springs Lions Club or your favorite charity. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/9/2007 - 2/10/2007.

535. WOOLMAN, LeROY R. (Obituary No. 535.) 79 Belleview - LeRoy Woolman, 79 died Wednesday, February 7, 2007 at his residence. A native of Port Huron, MI., he moved to this area from Port Huron, 24 years ago. He was a retired teamster, and enjoyed camping, and bowling. Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Pat Woolman, daughter, Ricki MacDonald of Belleview, and was preceded in death by son Robert Woolman. Survivors also include his brother Robert Woolman of Lewiston, MI, sister Ethel Saunders of Canton, MI, and granddaughters, Kimberly, Lourie and MIchelle, and great granddaughters Lindsay, Ashley, Paige, Rachael, Loren, and Sarah. Cremation handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/8/2007 - 2/9/2007.
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536. CRISP, TERRI LYNN (Obituary No. 536.) 41 Ocala - Terri Lynn Crisp died on Monday, February 5, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. She was a native of Ashland KY, born on June 5, 1965 to parents Millard and Janice Crisp. She moved to Ocala from Ashland in 1978 and was a local convenience store clerk. She was of the Baptist faith. Terri is survived by her parents, Millard and Janice Crisp of Ocala; her two sons, Jared and Jeremy Crisp of Ocala; brothers Duane Crisp, and wife, Sharon of Ocala, and Brett Crisp and wife Alison of Kusong AFB, South Korea; sister, Debbie Maia and husband, Luis, of Ocala; and nephews, Jonathan Crisp and Jacob and Josh Maia. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8pm on Friday, February 9th at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Funeral services are set for 1PM on Saturday, February 10th at the Funeral Home, with Reverend Randy Goldizen of Lakeland Church of God officiating. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/9/2007 - 2/10/2007.

537. DAVIS, JEANNETTE L. (Obituary No. 537.) 84 Ocala - Jeannette L. Davis, 84 passed away on Wednesday, February 7, 2007. Mrs. Davis was born in Coaldale, WV and moved to Ocala from Gainesville 27 years ago. She was of Methodist Faith and a big supporter of Disable Veterans of America. She worked at the Pentagon during WWII as a typist and retired as a medical transcriptionist. She loved her garden, photography, and her grandchildren. She is survived by her son, Ron Davis of Silver Springs; daughter, Karen Bennett of Belleview; granddaughters, Leslie Diane Hultberg of Clearwater, Crystal Esposito of Ocala and Tiffany Bennett of Belleview; great grandsons, Tyler Esposito of Ocala and Jacob Hultberg of Clearwater; great granddaughter, Ashley Hultberg of Clearwater; sisters, Elizabeth Pennington of Wichita, KS, Beaulah Tidwell of Sarasota, and Zenith Hale of Lexington, KY.; niece, Joy Dean of Scottsdale, AZ and other nieces and nephews. Services for Mrs. Davis will be held on Monday, February 12, 2007 at 2PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Pastors Wayne Marcus and Ronnie Walker officiating. Burial will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/9/2007 - 2/11/2007.

538. HAMPTON, GEORGIE M (Obituary No. 538.) 83 WEIRSDALE - Georgie M. Hampton, 83, retired Switchboard Operator from the Marion County School Board and a lifelong resident of Marion County. She passed away Wednesday February 7, 2007. Survivors include her son Thomas Hampton and his wife Debbie of Kite, GA; Robert Hampton and his wife Tara of Kite, GA; Daughter Ann Hall and her husband Glenn, Ocala and Daughter Robin Baldeschwieler and her husband Frank, Ocala. Grandchildren, Robie Hampton, Altamonte Springs; Christopher Hampton, Jacksonville; Katie Hollander, Jacksonville; Amanda Hall, Ocala; Joseph Hall, Ocala; Matthew Hampton, Ocala; Eddie Hampton, Ocala; Tammy Robinson, Ocala; Katarina and Kristina Baldeschwieler, Weirsdale. Great Grandchildren: Kirstie, Alyssa and Austin Richardson, Ocala. There will be a private service held at a later date. Contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/9/2007 - 2/10/2007.
539. HAUN, THOMAS “TOMMY” (Obituary No. 539.) 44 Ocala _ Thomas "Tommy" Haun, 44 went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at the Legacy House in Ocala. Tommy was born in Bristol, TN on July 13, 1962 to Sally Stevens Haun and the late Edward (Ed) Haun. He graduated in 1980 from Tennessee High School and attended CFCC and Webster College. He was a member of First Christian Church in Bristol, VA. He is survived by two sons Jon Haun of Orlando, FL and David Haun of Ocala. The mother of his children Debra Abernathy and her husband Bill Abernathy, uncle and aunt, Bruce and Clara Stevens of Bristol, TN, cousins Bill and Jerrie Stevens of Bristol, VA and other special cousins. The Memorial Service will be conducted at 6PM Saturday, February 10, 2007 at the First Assembly of God Church in Ocala with the Rev. Drexel T. Brunson officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/9/2007 - 2/10/2007.

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542. LEWIS, FRANK JAMES (Obituary No. 542.) 63 Lecanto - Frank James Lewis, 63 died February 8, 2007 in Shands at University of Florida Hospital in Gainesville. A native of Meigs, GA., he was born on August 5, 1943 to the late James and Inez Lewis and came to Citrus County in 1978 from Clearwater. He was the founder and former owner and operator of Modern Plumbing Company and of the Protestant Faith. Frank was active in the Civitan Club, a member of the Citrus Co. Home Builder's Association, and was one of the organizers of the plumbers
apprenticeship program in Marion County. Survivors include: his wife of 43 years, Betty Hicks Lewis, Lecanto, one son-James Lewis and his wife, Sirena, Inverness, one daughter-Rebecca DeBusk and her husband, Tracey, Lafayette, LA., four brothers-Lavon Lewis, Crystal River, Ray Lewis, Oldsmar, FL, John Lewis, Roswell GA., Charles Lewis, Largo, FL., five grandchildren-Christopher, Curtis, Chad and David and Jesse, 1 great-grandchild-Cameron. Funeral services will be conducted on Sunday, February 11th at 2PM from the Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home with Pastor Larry Powers of the Inverness Church of God officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Sunday from 1PM until the hour of service. In lieu of flowers, memorials are requested to the Salvation Army Citrus Co. Corps, 3975 Grover Cleveland Blvd., Homosassa, FL. 34446. Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home With Crematory, Inverness. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/10/2007 - 2/11/2007.

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549. NEWMAN, RAYMOND, W. (Obituary No. 549.) 87 Summerfield - Mr. Raymond W. Newman, 87, of Summerfield, FL died Friday, Feb. 9, 2007 at the Tuscany Hospice House. Ray was born in Richland, IN and he moved to Florida in 1980. He was a WW II Army veteran and a member of the Belleview Christian Church. He was a handyman to all his friends whenever he could help them. He was preceded in death by a son Ronnie Newman. He is survived by his wife Lucy Pratt Newman of Summerfield, FL, 7 daughters, Phyllis Schoby of Wabash, IN, Shirley Pearson of New Haven, IN, Marilyn Daniels of Wabash, IN, Janet Ulrey of Wabash, IN, Viola Lane of Wabash, IN, Margaret Grimm of Wabash, IN, Joanne Karr of Ft. Wayne, IN, Jeannie Gaze of IN, Cathy Berger of IN, son Dale Newman of England, 2 brothers, Wilbur Newman and Leroy Newman both of Wabash, IN, sister Donna Copeland of Wabash, IN, 24 grandchildren and 45 great grandchildren and many friends. Services will be held Tuesday, Feb. 13, 2007 at the Belleview Christian Church (7149 SE County Hwy 25A) at 11:00 a.m. Friends may call on the family at the church prior to the service from 9:00-11:00 a.m. Services will be conducted by Pastor Rick Phillips. Burial will follow after the services at Good Shepherd Cemetery. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice in memory of Ray. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/11/2007 - 2/12/2007.

550. PELEHATY, NICHOLAS (Obituary No. 550.) 86 Ocala - Nicholas Pelehaty, 86, died Saturday, February 3, 2007 in Life Care Center of Ocala in Ocala, FL. Born in Trenton, NJ, Mr. Pelehaty was a resident was a resident of Morrisville for over 29 years before moving to Ocala in 1984. Mr. Pelehaty was the former owner and operator of Car Craft, Inc. in Morrisville for over 30 years and retired as a vocational teacher at Bucks County Vocational School in 1984. He also served in the US Navy during World War II. He graduated Trenton Central High School class of 1939 and graduated from Temple University in 1979. He served on the Morrisville Borough Council for over 18 years and was a member of the Pennsylvania State Educational Association, and a member of the National Education Association. Mr. Pelehaty was a past grand knight and a 3rd degree member of the Joseph Gallagher Council #3673 K of C, 3rd degree member of the Holy Family Council in Ocala, 4th degree member of the John Neuman Council K of C and 4th degree member of the John Paul Assembly. He was also a life member of the Morrisville American Post Legion 433, life member of the Pennsylvania at Large V.F.W. and a member of Fairless Hills Elks lodge #2023. He was also a member of Holy Trinity R.C. Church in Morrisville and Our Lady of Springs R.C. Church in Ocala. He is survived by his
loving wife of 66 years Elizabeth (Barksay) Pelehaty; 2 sons and two daughters-in-law, Dennis B. Pelehaty and his wife Maureen, of Lower Makefield, PA; Gary N. Pelehaty, and his wife Eileen, of Shamong, NJ; two sisters, Margaret Mikurak, of Hamilton; Dorothy Bogdan, of Ft. Myers, FL; seven grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Saturday, February 10, 2007. Arrangements were under the direction of J. Allen Hooper Funeral Chapel, 41 W. Trenton Ave., Morrisville, PA, (215) 295-7725. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/11/2007 - 2/12/2007.

551. SCHOLLER, CHARLES (Obituary No. 551.) 77 Ocala - Charles Scholler, 77, of Ocala, FL, went home to be with the Lord on February 8, 2007 while surrounded with love and comfort from his family after a brief illness. He was predeceased by his mother Rosalind Allen and his father Francis Scholler. He was a native son and lifelong resident of Atlantic County until 1998 when he moved to Ocala, Florida to become a snowbird, returning to the beaches of Ocean City in the summer. Charlie played football for Pleasantville High School and after his graduation in 1947, continued to play for the "Joker's", a semi pro team. He then became a football official with the South Jersey Chapter of NFIO. He enjoyed and took pride in working for Atlantic Electric for 42 years, retiring as a substation supervisor. He served honorably in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He was an avid reader and loved classical music, traveled abroad and throughout the United Stated and enjoyed his motor home (his favorite state was always NJ). He loved playing cards, watching sports, especially football and spending time with his family on any occasion. He was known for his hearty laugh and strong desire to win at anything he played. In his later years, he became an expert player of the puzzle game soduko. His favorite hobby was square dancing and he was a member of several clubs in NJ and Florida. He attended Linwood Community Church for many years. His motto was "It's not a game of speed, it's a game of skill." He is survived by his wife, Lois, of 50 years, his three children, William Scholler of EHT, Lorraine Corbett (Luke) of EHT, and Kurt Scholler of Palm Springs, CA; Five grandchildren, Daniel, Melissa and Jeff Scholler and Ben and Aubrey Corbett; and one great granddaughter, Maleigha Hanna. His Funeral Service will be offered Tuesday morning at 11 a.m. from THE GODFREY FUNERAL HOME OF PALERMO, 644 South Shore Road, Palermo, NJ where friends may call from 10 a.m. until the time of service. Interment will follow service in Laurel Memorial Park, Pomona, NJ. The family suggests those who desire send memorial contributions to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105. To email condolences, visit www.godfreyfuneralhome.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/11/2007 - 2/12/2007.

552. WOODS, ETHEL B. (Obituary No. 552.) 64 Ocala - Ethel B. Woods, 64, of Ocala, passed away February 8th. Born in Woodman, Kentucky, she had been a life long resident of the area. She was a Homemaker and a member of Southern Home Old Regular Baptist Church, Citra and is survived by her husband, Jesse Woods, Jr., daughter, Margaret Reaves of Ocala; grandson, David Reaves; brothers, Charles Dotson of Hurley, VA, William Dotson of Herington, KS, Jesse Dotson of Freeburn, KY, Harmon Dotson of Woodman, KY, Eugene Dotson of Toler, KY, Mac Dotson of Woodman, KY and Junior Dotson of Oklahoma City, OK; sisters, Polly Prater of Meader, WV, Laura Belle Dotson of Glen Burnie, MD, Hazel McCoy of Hardy, KY and Elizabeth Philpott of Stephenson, VA. She was preceded in death by a brother, James Dotson.
Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141) on Monday (Feb. 12th) from 12 noon to 2 p.m. The Funeral Cortege will process to Southern Home Old Regular Baptist Church Cemetery (14748 N. Magnolia) where a Graveside Service will be held followed by interment. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/11/2007 - 2/12/2007.

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553. DAVIS, JEANNETTE L. (Obituary No. 553.) 84 Ocala - Jeannette L. Davis, 84 passed away on Wednesday, February 7, 2007. Mrs. Davis was born in Coaldale, WV and moved to Ocala from Gainesville 27 years ago. She was of Methodist Faith and a big supporter of Disabled Veterans of America. She worked at the Pentagon during WWII as a typist and retired as a medical transcriptionist. She loved her garden, photography, and her grandchildren. She is survived by her son, Rod Davis of Silver Springs; daughter, Karen Bennett of Belleview; granddaughters, Leslie Diane Hultberg of Clearwater, Crystal Esposito of Ocala and Tiffany Bennett of Belleview; great grandsons, Tyler Esposito of Ocala and Jacob Hultberg of Clearwater; great granddaughter, Ashley Hultberg of Clearwater; sisters, Elizabeth Pennington of Wichita, KS, Beulah Tidwell of Sarasota, and Zenith Hale of Lexington, KY.; niece, Joy Dean of Scottsdale, AZ and other nieces and nephews. Services for Mrs. Davis will be held on Monday, February 12, 2007 at 2PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Pastors Wayne Marcus and Ronnie Walker officiating. Burial will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/10/2007 - 2/12/2007.

554. HAMPTON, GEORGIE M (Obituary No. 554.) 83 WEIRSDALE - Georgie M. Hampton, 83, retired Switchboard Operator from the Marion County School Board and a lifelong resident of Marion County. She passed away Wednesday February 7, 2007. Survivors include her son Thomas Hampton and his wife Debbie of Kite, GA; Robert Hampton and his wife Tara of Kite, GA; Daughter Ann Hall and her husband Glenn, Ocala and Daughter Robin Baldeschwieler and her husband Frank, Ocala. Grandchildren, Robie Hampton, Altamonte Springs; Christopher Hampton, Jacksonville; Katie Hollandar, Jacksonville; Amanda Hall, Ocala; Joseph Hall, Ocala; Matthew Hampton, Ocala; Eddie Hampton, Ocala; Tammy Robinson, Ocala; Katarina and Kristina Baldeschwieler, Weirsdale. Great Grandchildren: Kirstie, Alyssa and Austin Richardson, Ocala. There will be a private service held at a later date. Contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/9/2007 - 2/12/2007.

555. KINGSLEY, RAYMOND J. “R. J.” (Obituary No. 555.) 84 Ocala - Mr. R.J. Kingsley, 84, of Ocala, died Saturday, February 10, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Citra, Mr. Kingsley was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He served his country in the Army Air Corps during WWII, and was a member of Ft. King Baptist Church. He worked for many years for Main Street Motors in Ocala, and then later retired from Don's Garage. Survivors include his daughter Diane Daniels and her husband Harry, his son Kevin Kingsley and his wife Sherry, and his three grandchildren, Chase Daniels, Jessica Kingsley and Lyndsey Kingsley. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, February 13, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd.
Bld., Ocala, with Rev. Walter Markham officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/12/2007 - 2/13/2007.

556. MACKEY, MARIAN K. (Obituary No. 556.) 88 Ocala - Marian K. Mackey, 88, passed away on Sunday, February 11, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, FL. She was born in Haverstraw, NY where she lived until moving to Ocala in 2005. She is survived by 2 daughters, Dawn Toscano (Angelo) of Ocala, FL, Carole Mackey of Arizona, son, Terrance Mackey, Jr. (Paula) of Oceanside, CA; eleven grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Terrance Mackey, Sr.; parents, Joseph and Kathryn Anges; sister Dorothy Bogert; and brother Walter Anges. Service will be held on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at Central Presbyterian Church in Haverstraw, NY at 10:30 a.m. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 16, 2007 at GEORGE M. HOLT FUNERAL HOME in Haverstraw, NY from 3-7 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/12/2007 - 2/13/2007.

557. MARSICANO, LOUISE GIROUARD P. (Obituary No. 557.) 78 Ocala - Louise Girouard P. Marsicano, 78, died February 3, 2007. Memorial service for Mrs. Marsicano, home nursing care, retired, will be held Tuesday, Feb. 13, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at the Fellowship Baptist Church, 10500 N. US Highway 27. For more information call 352-629-5379. CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME provided information. "Your Friends Who Care" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/12/2007 - 2/13/2007.

558. NEWMAN, RAYMOND, W. (Obituary No. 558.) 87 Summerfield - Mr. Raymond W. Newman, 87, of Summerfield, FL died Friday, Feb. 9, 2007 at the Tuscany Hospice House. Ray was born in Richland, IN and he moved to Florida in 1980. He was a WW II Army veteran and a member of the Bellevue Christian Church. He was a handyman to all his friends whenever he could help them. He was preceded in death by a son Ronnie Newman. He is survived by his wife Lucy Pratt Newman of Summerfield, FL, 7 daughters, Phyllis Schoby of Wabash, IN, Shirley Pearson of New Haven, IN, Marilyn Daniels of Wabash, IN, Janet Ulrey of Wabash, IN, Viola Lane of Wabash, IN, Margaret Grimm of Wabash, IN, Joanne Karr of Ft. Wayne, IN, Jeannie Gaze of IN, Cathy Berger of IN, son Dale Newman of England, 2 brothers, Wilbur Newman and Leroy Newman both of Wabash, IN, sister Donna Copeland of Wabash, IN, 24 grandchildren and 45 great grandchildren and many friends. Services will be held Tuesday, Feb. 13, 2007 at the Bellevue Christian Church (7149 SE County Hwy 25A) at 11:00 a.m. Friends may call on the family at the church prior to the service from 9:00-11:00 a.m. Services will be conducted by Pastor Rick Phillips. Burial will follow after the services at Good Shepherd Cemetery. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice in memory of Ray. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/11/2007 - 2/12/2007.

559. PELEHATY, NICHOLAS (Obituary No. 559.) 86 Ocala - Nicholas Pelehaty, 86, died Saturday, February
3, 2007 in Life Care Center of Ocala in Ocala, FL. Born in Trenton, NJ, Mr. Pelehaty was a resident was a resident of Morrisville for over 29 years before moving to Ocala in 1984. Mr. Pelehaty was the former owner and operator of Car Craft, Inc. in Morrisville for over 30 years and retired as a vocational teacher at Bucks County Vocational School in 1984. He also served in the US Navy during World War II. He graduated Trenton Central High School class of 1939 and graduated from Temple University in 1979. He served on the Morrisville Borough Council for over 18 years and was a member of the Pennsylvania State Educational Association, and a member of the National Education Association. Mr. Pelehaty was a past grand knight and a 3rd degree member of the Joseph Gallagher Council #3673 K of C, 3rd degree member of the Holy Family Council in Ocala, 4th degree member of the John Neuman Council K of C and 4th degree member of the John Paul Assembly. He was also a life member of the Morrisville American Post Legion 433, life member of the Pennsylvania at Large V.F.W. and a member of Fairless Hills Elks lodge #2023. He was also a member of Holy Trinity R.C. Church in Morrisville and Our Lady of Springs R.C. Church in Ocala. He is survived by his loving wife of 66 years Elizabeth (Barksay) Pelehaty; 2 sons and two daughters-in law, Dennis B. Pelehaty and his wife Maureen, of Lower Makefield, PA; Gary N. Pelehaty, and his wife Eileen, of Shamong, NJ; two sisters, Margaret Mikurak, of Hamilton; Dorothy Bogdan, of Ft. Myers, FL; seven grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Saturday, February 10, 2007. Arrangements were under the direction of J. Allen Hooper Funeral Chapel, 41 W. Trenton Ave., Morrisville, PA, (215) 295-7725. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/11/2007 - 2/12/2007.

560. SCHOLLER, CHARLES (Obituary No. 560.) 77 Ocala - Charles Scholler, 77, of Ocala, FL, went home to be with the Lord on February 8, 2007 while surrounded with love and comfort from his family after a brief illness. He was predeceased by his mother Rosalind Allen and his father Francis Scholler. He was a native son and lifelong resident of Atlantic County until 1998 when he moved to Ocala, Florida to become a snowbird, returning to the beaches of Ocean City in the summer. Charlie played football for Pleasantville High School and after his graduation in 1947, continued to play for the "Joker's", a semi pro team. He then became a football official with the South Jersey Chapter of NJFO. He enjoyed and took pride in working for Atlantic Electric for 42 years, retiring as a substation supervisor. He served honorably in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He was an avid reader and loved classical music, traveled abroad and throughout the United Stated and enjoyed his motor home (his favorite state was always NJ). He loved playing cards, watching sports, especially football and spending time with his family on any occasion.

He was known for his hearty laugh and strong desire to win at anything he played. In his later years, he became an expert player of the puzzle game soduko. His favorite hobby was square dancing and he was a member of several clubs in NJ and Florida. He attended Linwood Community Church for many years. His motto was "It's not a game of speed, it's a game of skill." He is survived by his wife, Lois, of 50 years, his three children, William Scholler of EHT, Lorraine Corbett (Luke) of EHT, and Kurt Scholler of Palm Springs, CA; Five grandchildren, Daniel, Melissa and Jeff Scholler and Ben and Aubrey Corbett; and one great granddaughter, Maleigha Hanna. His Funeral Service will be offered Tuesday morning at 11 a.m. from THE GODFREY FUNERAL HOME OF PALERMO, 644 South Shore Road, Palermo, NJ where friends may call from 10 a.m. until the time of service. Interment will follow service in Laurel

561. WOODS, ETHER B. (Obituary No. 561.) 64 Ocala - Ethel B. Woods, 64, of Ocala, passed away February 8th. Born in Woodman, Kentucky, she had been a life long resident of the area. She was a Homemaker and a member of Southern Home Old Regular Baptist Church, Citra and is survived by her husband, Jessee Woods, Jr., daughter, Margaret Reaves of Ocala; grandson, David Reaves; brothers, Charles Dotson of Hurley, VA, William Dotson of Herington, KS, Jesse Dotson of Freeburn, KY, Harmon Dotson of Woodman, KY, Eugene Dotson of Toler, KY, Mac Dotson of Woodman, KY and Junior Dotson of Oklahoma City, OK; sisters, Polly Prater of Meader, WV, Laura Belle Dotson of Glen Burnie, MD, Hazel McCoy of Hardy, KY and Elizabeth Philpott of Stephenson, VA. She was preceded in death by a brother, James Dotson. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141) on Monday (Feb. 12th) from 12 noon to 2 p.m. The Funeral Cortege will process to Southern Home Old Regular Baptist Church Cemetery (14748 N. Magnolia) where a Graveside Service will be held followed by interment. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/11/2007 - 2/12/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, February 13, 2007

562. BUCKNER, JAMES PAUL (Obituary No. 562.) 83 Ocala - James Paul Buckner, 83 former farmer and owner of Buckner's Shell Service died Saturday, February 10, 2007. Born in Onslow, IA., January 19, 1924, son of James Albert Buckner and Wylma Hanna Buckner, he moved here from Anamosa, IA. in January, 1954. Mr. Buckner was a WWII veteran of the 101st Airborne Division of US Army, which he served in several major battles in the European Theater, including the Battle of the Bulge. He especially appreciated family, friends, farming, and automobiles. He was a Methodist. Survivors include his wife of 18 years, Janet V. Giroux Buckner, Ocala; his (and Marion Schneider Nelson's) children: son, James Virgil Buckner (Mary), Ocala, and daughter, Janet L. Buckner Hatch (David), Oviedo; sister, Madalene Buckner Miller, Ocala; granddaughters, Jennifer M. Hatch, Oviedo, and Cayley L. Buckner, Ocala; three stepchildren, four step grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a sister, Florence Jean Buckner, Dearborn. His cremated remains will be interred at his parents' gravesite in Anamosa, IA. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Heart Association, 9900 Dr.MLK, Jr. St.N, St. Petersburg FL 33716-3801 (www.americanheart.org) and/or the American Lung Association, 61 Broadway, New York, NY 10006 (www.lungusa.org). A memorial service will be held Sunday, February 18, 2007 at 1PM at the First United Methodist Church in Ocala, 1126 East Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

563. DAVIS, HARLAN W. (Obituary No. 563.) 81 Vero Beach - Harlan W. Davis, 81 passed away on February
11, 2007, beloved husband of Catherine B. Davis, dear father of Anita P. Davis, Harlan W. Davis, Jr., Mary Catherine Blanks and Chancey E. Davis, dear grandfather of 8 grandchildren. He is also survived by dear sisters Betty Lewis and Joan Krug and many nieces and nephews. After serving four years in the US Navy, he worked as a meteorologist for the National Weather Service in Nome, Alaska, San Juan, Puerto Rico and Miami, Florida. He also worked as a climatologist for the National Frost Service. From 1960 to 1987, he worked as a hurricane meteorologist for NOAA in Miami, Florida and held the world record of 550 hurricane penetrations. He retired to Vero Beach, Florida where he and his wife lived for 20 years. Graveside services will be held at 2PM on Sunday, February 18, 2007 at Dunnellon Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to VNA Hospice of Indian River County. Local arrangements are under the direction of the Thomas S. Lowther Funeral Home, Vero Beach. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

564. GARDNER, MARGARET SLONIKER (Obituary No. 564.) 87 Williston - Margaret Sloniker Gardner, 87, died Saturday, February 10, 2007 at her daughter's home in Micanopy. Mrs. Gardner was born in Grace City, ND and was reared in Santa Barbara, CA. She graduated from the University of Texas in 1943 with a Bachelor's degree in Science of Nursing. Following her marriage in 1946, Mrs. Gardner moved to Williston. She worked for 32 years at Munroe Regional Hospital in Ocala and was Director of Nursing for 25 years before retiring in 1978. Mrs. Gardner was a member of the Florida State Nursing Association and became a charter member of the Florida State Hospital Nursing Service Administration in 1970. She was also very active in the First Baptist Church in Williston and was the Nursery Department Coordinator for several decades. She was preceded in death by her husband of 61 years, Thomas Kimball "T.K." Gardner, and her son, Thomas Wayne Gardner, and her grandson, Evan Matthew Webb. Survivors include her sister, Shirli Wilson of Dallas, TX; her daughters, Dr. Patti Gardner Webb (Roger) of Micanopy and Shirli Gardner Deal (Vic) of Ft. Walton Beach; grandchildren LaBeth Laird (Rich) of Ft. Walton Beach, Amber Patterson (Jerry Payne) of Gainesville, Aaron Deal (Nikki), Kristi Deal and Bethany Deal of Ft. Walton Beach, and Lauren Webb, Austin Webb, Chandler Webb, and Jordan Webb of Micanopy; and great-grandchildren Harleigh Payne of Gainesville and Kristina Laird of Ft. Walton Beach. Visitation will occur at Knauff Funeral Home, 512 E. Noble Ave., Williston from 6-8PM on Friday, February 16th. Graveside services will be conducted by Rev. Tony Clubb and Rev. Don Stark at the Orange Hill Cemetery, Williston, on Saturday, February 17th at 11AM. Family members will greet their friends at Mrs. Gardner's home at 222 NW 7th St., Williston, after the funeral. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, 32606 or the First Baptist Church, 339 E. Noble Ave., Williston, 32696. Arrangements by Knauff Funeral Home in Williston. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.
565. HEATHCOAT, DOYLE LINWOOD (Obituary No. 565.) 64 Orange Springs - Doyle Linwood Heathcoat, 64 died Thursday, February 8, 200 at the Putnam Community Medical Center after a brief illness. Mr. Heathcoat was born in Lawrenceburg, TN, and had lived in Orange Springs for the past 25 years coming from Plant City. He had worked as a truck driver for many years and was employed with RRR Express. He worked hard all his life and enjoyed the time with his family the most. When he wasn't on the road, his favorite time was spent during family cook outs and watching his family enjoy life. He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Gloria C. Heathcoat; sons, Frank E. and John Doyle Heathcoat; daughters Linda Marie Cox and Sherry Lyn Wise; brothers John, Fred, Gene, David, Henry and Joe Heathcoat; 9 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. No services are planned at this time. Master Funeral Home of Palatka is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

566. HILGENBERG, WILLA BILLIE (Obituary No. 566.) 88 Ocala - Mrs. Willa Billie Hilgenberg, 88, passed away on February 11, 2007. She was born in Mountain Grove, MO. on March 10, 1918. She is a retired Office Manager of her heating and air conditioning business. She moved to Ocala in 1984 from Galesburg, IL. She is an avid golfer, bowler, a designer and creator of decorative ceramics. She is a 20 year resident of Rolling Greens Community. She is currently a member of the First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Ocala, FL. and in lieu of flowers send donations to this church. She is survived by her husband of 70 years Roy who lives in Ocala. A daughter Kaye Dawson of Ocala and a son Thomas Hilgenberg of Washington, IL. 5 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. She is predeceased by a grandchild Jeffrey Thomas. Memorial services will be held at the First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) at 1908 SE Ft. King St. in Ocala, FL on February 14, 2007 at 2PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

567. KINGSLEY, RAYMOND J. "R. J" (Obituary No. 567.), 84 Ocala - Mr. R.J. Kingsley, 84, of Ocala, died Saturday, February 10, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Citra, Mr. Kingsley was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He served his country in the Army Air Corps during WWII, and was a member of Ft. King Baptist Church. He worked for many years for Main Street Motors in Ocala, and then later retired from Don's Garage. Survivors include his daughter Diane Daniels and her husband Harry, his son Kevin Kingsley and his wife Sherry, and his three grandchildren, Chase Daniels, Jessica Kingsley and Lyndsey Kingsley. He was preceded in death by his wife Doris in 1995. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, February 13, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Walter Markham officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/12/2007 - 2/14/2007.

568. MACKEY, MARIAN K. (Obituary No. 568.) 88 Ocala - Marian K. Mackey, 88, passed away on Sunday, February 11, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, FL. She was born in Haverstraw, NY where she lived until moving to Ocala in 2005. She is survived by 2 daughters, Dawn Toscano (Angelo) of Ocala, FL, Carole Mackey of Arizona, son, Terrance Mackey, Jr.
(Paula) of Oceanside, CA; eleven grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Terrance Mackey, Sr.; parents, Joseph and Kathryn Anges; sister Dorothy Bogert; and brother Walter Anges. Service will be held on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at Central Presbyterian Church in Haverstraw, NY at 10:30 a.m. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 16, 2007 at GEORGE M. HOLT FUNERAL HOME in Haverstraw, NY from 3-7 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/12/2007 - 2/13/2007.

569. MARSICANO, LOUISE GIROUARD P. (Obituary No. 569.) 78 Ocala - Louise Girouard P. Marsicano, 78, died February 3, 2007. Memorial service for Mrs. Marsicano, home nursing care, retired, will be held Tuesday, Feb. 13, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at the Fellowship Baptist Church, 10500 N. US Highway 27. For more information call 352-629-5379. CUNNINGHAM’S FUNERAL HOME provided information. "Your Friends Who Care" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/12/2007 - 2/13/2007.

570. SPRINGER, MAXINE L. (Obituary No. 570.) 85 Ocala - Maxine L. Springer, 85 passed away January 31, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Detroit, MI. and moved to Florida in 1972 from Oak LAWN, IL. She was a very active member of the First Congregational United Church of Christ, enjoyed world traveling, reading, and was an amateur artist. She is survived by her son Boyd J. Springer of Glenview, IL., and a brother Leland Niles of Michigan. There will be a gathering at 10:30am on February 15, 2007 at the First Congregational United Church of Christ with a memorial service following at 11AM. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the First Congregational United Church of Christ. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

571. TATUM, GARY CHRISTIAN (Obituary No. 571.) 61 Ocala - Gary Christian Tatum, 61, died Sunday, February 11, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House after a prolonged illness. He was born May 27, 1945 in Sanford, FL. He moved here in 1991 from Deltona, FL. Mr. Tatum was a parts salesman for Ocala Freightliner. He was a member of the Baptist faith. He is survived by wife Patricia Tatum of Ocala, Fl., son Brian Tatum of Ocala, FL., 2 daughters Connie Brown of Ponce De Leon, FL., Chris Tatum of Holton, KS., brother Dudley Tatum of Arnold, MO. & 6 grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

572. YONKOSKY, JUDITH A. (nee Murtiff) (Obituary No. 572.) 67 Summerfield - Mrs. Judith A. Yonkosky, 67 (formerly of Buffalo), died February 10, 2007. Devoted wife of 49 years to John A., loving mother to Katherine Szymkowiak; John (Lisa), Michael, David (Mary) Yonkosky. Cherished grandmother to Timothy, David, Jaclyn, John, Nicholas and Jennifer. Sister of (Late Janet) and Anne. Also survived by many nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors. Memorial service will be held on Thursday, February 15th at 1PM from Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, February 14, 2007
573. BUCKNER, JAMES PAUL (Obituary No. 573.) 83 Ocala - James Paul Buckner, 83 former farmer and owner of Buckner's Shell Service died Saturday, February 10, 2007. Born in Onslow, IA., January 19, 1924, son of James Albert Buckner and Wylma Hanna Buckner, he moved here from Anamosa, IA. in January, 1954. Mr. Buckner was a WWII veteran of the 101st Airborne Division of US Army, which he served in several major battles in the European Theater, including the Battle of the Bulge. He especially appreciated family, friends, farming, and automobiles. He was a Methodist. Survivors include his wife of 18 years, Janet V. Giroux Buckner, Ocala; his (and Marion Schneider Nelson's) children: son, James Virgil Buckner (Mary), Ocala, and daughter, Janet L. Buckner Hatch (David), Oviedo; sister, Madalene Buckner Miller, Ocala; granddaughters, Jennifer M. Hatch, Oviedo, and Cayley L. Buckner, Ocala; three stepchildren, four step grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a sister, Florence Jean Buckner, Dearborn. His cremated remains will be interred at his parents' gravesite in Anamosa, IA. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Heart Association, 9900 Dr.MLK, Jr. St.N, St. Petersburg FL 33716-3801 (www.americanheart.org) and/or the American Lung Association, 61 Broadway, New York, NY 10006 (www.lungusa.org). A memorial service will be held Sunday, February 18, 2007 at 1PM at the First United Methodist Church in Ocala, 1126 East Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

574. COFFIN, BERTHA S. (Obituary No. 574.) 98 Dunnellon - Bertha S. Coffin, 98 died February 12, 2007 at The Legacy House Hospice. A native of Richview, IL., she relocated from Conneaut, OH. to the Dunnellon area in 1959. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and had prepared income tax filing for H&R Block. She is survived by a daughter Cheryl Barber and her husband Buddy of High Springs, FL.; son, Rudy Coffin of Clearwater, FL.; sisters, Eula DeSpain of Dayton, OH. and Wilma Manahan and her husband John of Normal, IL.; 4 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Visitation will be at Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon Chapel, February 15, 2007 from 5-8PM. Funeral services will be at the funeral home February 16, 2007 at 10AM with Reverend Eddie Fulford officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/14/2007 - 2/15/2007.

575. DAVIS, HARLAN W., (Obituary No. 575.) 81 Vero Beach - Harlan W. Davis, 81 passed away on February 11, 2007, beloved husband of Catherine B. Davis, dear father of Anita P. Davis, Harlan W. Davis, Jr., Mary Catherine Blanks and Chancey E. Davis, dear grandfather of 8 grandchildren. He is also survived by dear sisters Betty Lewis and Joan Krug and many nieces and nephews. After serving four years in the US Navy, he worked as a meteorologist for the National Weather Service in Nome, Alaska, San Juan, Puerto Rico and Miami, Florida. He also worked as a climatologist for the National Frost Service. From 1960 to 1987, he worked as a hurricane meteorologist for NOAA in Miami, Florida and held the world record of 550 hurricane penetrations. He retired to Vero Beach, Florida where he and his wife lived for 20 years. Graveside services will be held at 2PM on Sunday, February 18, 2007 at
Dunnellon Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to VNA Hospice of Indian River County. Local arrangements are under the direction of the Thomas S. Lowther Funeral Home, Vero Beach. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

576. DEVORE, MARGARET B. (Obituary No. 576.) 87 Ocala - Margaret B. Devore, 87 passed away peacefully on Saturday, February 10, 2007, while surrounded by the love and comfort of her family. She was born in Toronto, Ontario, Canada and moved to Detroit, MI at the age of two. Margaret touched deeply the lives of all she encountered, spending a life of care, love and voluntary service to her family, friends, church and community. She was a founding member of Holy Cross Lutheran Church (Detroit), and joined Our Redeemer Lutheran Church (Ocala) in retirement. Margaret was twice blessed in marriage and is survived by her husband of 36 years, Harry A. Devore, being pre-deceased by her first husband of 30 years, Palmer Bandlow. She leaves behind a large extended family of 4 sons, 3 daughters and 3 stepdaughters, Edward and wife Mayumi Bandlow of Otaru, Japan; Joyce and husband Thomas Neff of Milledgeville, GA; Thomas and wife Lois Bandlow of Waterford, MI; Doloris and husband Henry Tyska of Lake Worth, FL; Leonard and wife Naoe Bandlow of Tucker, GA.; Allen and wife Nadine Lanstra of Grand Blanc, MI.; Sue Perkins of Shelby Township, MI.; Dianna Hlavaty of Angleton, TX.; Rebecca Tedrick of Modesto, CA. And Elizabeth Jacobs of Sebring, FL., in addition, there are (19) grandchildren, (23) great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild and many friends who have been touched by her love and who mourn her passing. Funeral services will be held Friday, February 16, 2007 at 11AM at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, 5200 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL. The family request that those who desire send memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-04860 or the Susan G. Komen for the Cure, 5005 LBJ Freeway, Suite 250, Dallas, TX. 75244. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/14/2007 - 2/15/2007.

577. GARDNER, MARGARET SLONIKER (Obituary No. 577.) 87 Williston - Margaret Sloniker Gardner, 87, died Saturday, February 10, 2007 at her daughter's home in Micanopy. Mrs. Gardner was born in Grace City, ND and was reared in Santa Barbara, CA. She graduated from the University of Texas in 1943 with a Bachelor's degree in Science of Nursing. Following her marriage in 1946, Mrs. Gardner moved to Williston. She worked for 32 years at Munroe Regional Hospital in Ocala and was Director of Nursing for 25 years before retiring in 1978. Mrs. Gardner was a member of the Florida State Nursing Association and became a charter member of the Florida State Hospital Nursing Service Administration in 1970. She was also very active in the First Baptist Church in Williston and was the Nursery Department Coordinator for several decades. She was preceded in death by her husband of 61 years, Thomas Kimball "T.K." Gardner, and her son, Thomas Wayne Gardner, and her grandson, Evan Matthew Webb. Survivors include her sister, Shirli Wilson of Dallas, TX; her daughters, Dr. Patti Gardner Webb (Roger) of Micanopy and Shirli Gardner Deal (Vic) of Ft. Walton Beach; grandchildren LaBeth Laird (Rich) of Ft. Walton Beach, Amber Patterson (Jerry Payne) of Gainesville, Aaron Deal (Nikki), Kristi Deal and Bethany Deal of Ft. Walton Beach, and Lauren Webb, Austin Webb, Chandler Webb, and Jordan Webb of Micanopy; and
great-grandchildren Harleigh Payne of Gainesville and Kristina Laird of Ft. Walton Beach. Visitation will occur at Knauff Funeral Home, 512 E. Noble Ave., Williston from 6-8PM on Friday, February 16th. Graveside services will be conducted by Rev. Tony Clubb and Rev. Don Stark at the Orange Hill Cemetery, Williston, on Saturday, February 17th at 11AM. Family members will greet their friends at Mrs. Gardner's home at 222 NW 7th St., Williston, after the funeral. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, 32606 or the First Baptist Church, 339 E. Noble Ave., Williston, 32696. Arrangements by Knauff Funeral Home in Williston.


578. HEATHCOAT, DOYLE LINWOOD (Obituary No. 578.) 64 Orange Springs - Doyle Linwood Heathcoat, 64 died Thursday, February 8, 200 at the Putnam Community Medical Center after a brief illness. Mr. Heathcoat was born in Lawrenceburg, TN. and had live in Orange Springs for the past 25 years coming from Plant City. He had worked as a truck driver for many years and was employed with RRR Express. He worked hard all his life and enjoyed the time with his family the most. When he wasn't on the road, his favorite time was spent during family cook outs and watching his family enjoy life. He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Gloria C. Heathcoat; sons, Frank E. and John Doyle Heathcoat; daughters Linda Marie Cox and Sherry Lyn Wise; brothers John, Fred, Gene, David, Henry and Joe Heathcoat; 9 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. No services are planned at this time. Master Funeral Home of Palatka is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

579. HILGENBERG, WILLA BILLIE (Obituary No. 579.) 88 Ocala - Mrs. Willa Billie Hilgenberg, 88, passed away on February 11, 2007. She was born in Mountain Grove, MO. on March 10, 1918. She is a retired Office Manager of her heating and air conditioning business. She moved to Ocala in 1984 from Galesburg, IL. She is an avid golfer, bowler, a designer and creator of decorative ceramics. She is a 20 year resident of Rolling Greens Community. She is currently a member of the First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Ocala, FL. and in lieu of flowers send donations to this church. She is survived by her husband of 70 years Roy who lives in Ocala. A daughter Kaye Dawson of Ocala and a son Thomas Hilgenberg of Washington, IL. 5 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. She is predeceased by a grandchild Jeffrey Thomas. Memorial services will be held at the First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) at 1908 SE Ft. King St. in Ocala, FL on February 14, 2007 at 2PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

580. KINGSLEY, RAYMOND J. "R. J." (Obituary No. 580.) 84 Ocala - Mr. R.J. Kingsley, 84, of Ocala, died Saturday, February 10, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Citra, Mr. Kingsley was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He served his country in the Army Air Corps during WWII, and was a member of Ft. King Baptist Church. He worked for many years for Main Street
Motors in Ocala, and then later retired from Don’s Garage. Survivors include his daughter Diane Daniels and her husband Harry, his son Kevin Kingsley and his wife Sherry, and his three grandchildren, Chase Daniels, Jessica Kingsley and Lyndsey Kingsley. He was preceded in death by his wife Doris in 1995. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, February 13, 2007 at HIER S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Walter Markham officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/12/2007 - 2/14/2007.

581. LAMPEL, THOMAS ROGER (Obituary No. 581.) 70 Ocala - Thomas Roger Lampel, 70, passed away on Feb. 2nd at Shands Hospital, University of Florida. He is survived by his beloved wife of 51 years, Sue, (Mary Suzanne Hunt); Daughter, Lori June Lampel (David Cameron) of Gahanna, Ohio; Son, Ted Theodore James Lampel (Colleen) of Jackson, Michigan; Daughter, Jeannie Sue Steele, of Jackson, Michigan. Four grandsons: Travis Lampel, Terence Lampel, Thomas Steele, and Timothy Steele, all of Jackson, Michigan. One sister, Shirley Koebke Williams, of Texas, and several nieces and nephews. Tom was a 1954 graduate of Arthur Hill High School, Saginaw, 1958 graduate of Michigan State University, E. Lansing, where he earned a BA, a Varsity Letter in Track and Field as a pole vaulter, and became a commissioned officer in the United States Air Force. He had been flying aircraft since 1955 and maintained his pilot proficiency for the next 52 years. Tom was a Certified Flight Instructor active in the AOPA and EAA. He enjoyed flying family members, friends, and Young Eagles in his Cessna 182. Upon completion of military service, Tom was employed in the field of Data Processing at Aeroquip Corp., Jackson, Caterpillar Tractor, Peoria, IL., and Kelloggs of Battle Creek. He also loved farming with his International Harvester tractors on his farm in Michigan. In 1997 he retired from employment with the City of West Palm Beach, Florida. Family and friends will be notified of a gathering to be held for the celebration of his life. Interment will be at Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Saginaw, Michigan. Arrangements under the care of Forest Meadows Funeral Home, Cemeteries, and Crematory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/14/2007 - 2/15/2007.

582. SPRINGER, MAXINE L. (Obituary No. 582.) 85 Ocala - Maxine L. Springer, 85 passed away January 31, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Detroit, MI. and moved to Florida in 1972 from Oak Lawn, IL. She was a very active member of the First Congregational United Church of Christ, enjoyed world traveling, reading, and was an amateur artist. She is survived by her son Boyd J. Springer of Glenview, IL., and a brother Leland Niles of Michigan. There will be a gathering at 10:30am on February 15, 2007 at the First Congregational United Church of Christ with a memorial service following at 11AM. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the First Congregational United Church of Christ. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.

583. TATUM, GARY CHRISTIAN (Obituary No. 583.) 61 Ocala - Gary Christian Tatum, 61, died Sunday, February 11, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House after a prolonged illness. He was born May 27, 1945 in Sanford, FL. He moved here in 1991 from Deltona, FL. Mr. Tatum was a parts salesman for Ocala Freightliner. He was a member of the Baptist faith. He is survived by

584. YONKOSKY, JUDITH A (nee Murtiff) (Obituary No. 584.) 67 Summerfield - Mrs. Judith A. Yonkosky, 67 (formerly of Buffalo), died February 10, 2007. Devoted wife of 49 years to John A., loving mother to Katherine Szymkowiak; John (Lisa), Michael, David (Mary) Yonkosky. Cherished grandmother to Timothy, David, Jaclyn, John, Nicholas and Jennifer. Sister of (Late Janet) and Anne. Also survived by many nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors. Memorial service will be held on Thursday, February 15th at 1PM from Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/14/2007.


585. AB BOTT, JOHN DESMOND, (Obituary No. 585.) 76 Ocklawaha - John Desmond Abbott, 76 passed away on February 13, 2007. He was born in Ontario, Canada on September 29, 1930. He is a retired Lithographer and owned Addison Printing company in Ocala. He is a member of St. George Cathedral in Ocala. A member of Ocala Elks and Exchange Clubs. He was a past president of Ocala Civic Theater. He is predeceased by his loving wife of 52 years Katharine Bernice Addison. He is survived by his son Geoffrey of Ocala, FL. Two daughters Christine Davis of Ocklawaha, FL and Sharron Wilhelm of Bonaire, GA. Five grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A Memorial service will be held at St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street, Ocala, FL. on Friday, February 16, 2007 at 10AM with Fr. Art Rushlow officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

586. BOSIER, HERMIE LOUISE (Obituary No. 586.) 85 Weirsdale - Hermie Louise Bosier, 85 passed on February 7, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital, Villages, FL. Mrs. Bosier was born in Panola, SC. She was a retired custodian. Mrs. Bosier leaves to cherish her memories, (sons) Nathaniel Coney (Mary), Weirsdale, FL. James Coney, Sr. (Romell), St. Pete, FL., (daughter) Lenora Mitchell (Lincoln), Anthony, FL. (sister) Sarah Williams, (great uncle & aunt) Jippee & Lucinda Holliad, (9) grandchildren, (18) great grandchildren, (4) great great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Hermie Louise Bosier will be held 11AM on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at Stanton Baptist Church, Rev. Charles Streeter III, Pastor. Interment will follow in the Weirsdale Community Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11AM until 7PM. MRs. Bosier will lie in repose on Saturday at 10AM until time of service. "There will be no viewing after the eulogy" "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

587. BUCKNER, JAMES PAUL (Obituary No. 587.), 83 Ocala - James Paul Buckner, 83 former farmer and owner of Buckner's Shell Service died Saturday, February 10, 2007. Born in Onslow, IA., January 19, 1924, son of James Albert Buckner and Wylma Hanna Buckner, he moved here from Anamosa, IA. in January, 1954. Mr. Buckner was a WWII veteran of the 101st Airborne Division of US Army, which he served in several major battles in the European Theater, including the Battle of the Bulge. He especially appreciated family, friends, farming, and automobiles. He was a Methodist. Survivors include his wife of 18 years, Janet V. Giroux
Buckner, Ocala; his (and Marion Schneider Nelson's) children: son, James Virgil Buckner (Mary), Ocala, and daughter, Janet L. Buckner Hatch (David), Oviedo; sister, Madalene Buckner Miller, Ocala; granddaughters, Jennifer M. Hatch, Oviedo, and Cayley L. Buckner, Ocala; three stepchildren, four step grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a sister, Florence Jean Buckner, Dearborn. His cremated remains will be interred at his parents' gravesite in Anamosa, IA. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Heart Association, 9900 Dr.MLK, Jr. St.N, St. Petersburg FL 33716-3801 (www.americanheart.org) and/or the American Lung Association, 61 Broadway, New York, NY 10006 (www.lungusa.org). A memorial service will be held Sunday, February 18, 2007 at 1PM at the First United Methodist Church in Ocala, 1126 East Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/18/2007.

588. CARTER, ANN KEITH (Obituary No. 588.) 54 Ocala - Ann K. Carter, 54 passed away after a brief illness on Wednesday, February 14, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida. Prior to moving to Ocala 15 years ago, she was a resident of Kentucky. She loved horses, and worked as a thoroughbred horse trainer in Marion County. She is survived by her parents, Keith and Joyce Carter of Louisville, KY.; brother Stephen Carter of Louisville, KY; sister, Nancy Carter of Manhattan, NY; her dogs, Boo and Bear; and a host of friends. She was preceded in death by her brother Jimmy Carter. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 16, 2007 from 5-8PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Services will be held in Frankfort KY on Monday, February 19, 2007. Interment will follow at Frankfort Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

589. CHIARAMONTE, NORMA J. (Obituary No. 589.) 82 Ashtabula, OH - Norma J. Chiaramonte, 82, winter resident of Ocala, FL. died Tuesday, February 13th at home after a lengthy illness. She was born November 24, 1924 in Ashtabula Harbor. She was the daughter of Herman and Wilma (Asuma) Jokinen. Norma graduated in 1942 from Harbor High School and from Dyke Business College in Cleveland, OH. She worked in the New York Central Railroad office where she met her husband, Edward W. Chiaramonte whom she married on June 8, 1946. She is a member of Second Congregation Church; Woman's Club of Ashtabula County; Elks Ladies Association; 40 years member of Order of Eastern Star and a Volunteer of the ACMC Auxiliary. She was proud of her Finnish heritage. Norma had a deep appreciation for a wide range of music including big band, country and top 40, especially Michael Bolton. She played the French horn in the Harbor High School orchestra and marching band. She was a pianist for the Eastern Star. She had various interests in sporting events including watching the Cleveland Indians, football games and attending horse shows. She enjoyed traveling across country including Alaska and Hawaii and spending winters at her home in Ocala, FL. She was a wonderful baker and enjoyed cooking for family gatherings throughout the year. She dedicated her life to being a loving wife, mother and grandmother with her sweet and gentle way. Her family wants her to be remembered as being beautiful on the inside as she was on the outside. Survivors include her husband of 60 years, Edward W. Chiaramonte, daughters, Cheryle J. Chiaramonte of Astabula, Debra L. (Daniel) Hicks of Ocala, FL., a grandson, Dustin Chiaramonte Wolff of Denver, CO.; a brother-in-law,
Col. Robert M. Chiaramonte of Westerville, OH., nieces, Kim (Jay) Sears of Osteen, FL. and Sandra L, Chiaramonte (Russell)
Scholl of Powell, OH. She was preceded in death by her parents, infant brother and sister-in-law Evelyn
Chiaramonte. Funeral services will be Saturday (February 17th) at 11AM at the Second
Congregational Church, 319
Lake Ave., Ashtabula with Rev. Glen Warner officiating. Burial will be in Ridgeview Cemetery
in Ashtabula Twp. Calling hours will be Friday from 4-6PM at the Ashtabula Home of Fleming
& Billman Funeral Directors, 526 W. Prospect Rd., Ashtabula, OH and on Saturday from 10AM
until the time of service at the church. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be
made to the Norma J. Chiaramonte Music Memorial at Lakeside High School in care of Dr.
James Candela, 6600 Sanborn Rd., Ashtabula, OH 44004 or the Second Congregational Church,

590. COFFIN, BERTHA S. (Obituary No. 590.) 98 Dunnellon - Bertha S. Coffin, 98 died
February 12, 2007 at
The Legacy House Hospice. A native of Richview, IL., she relocated from Conneaut, OH. to the
Dunnellon area in 1959. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and had prepared income tax
filing for H&R Block. She is survived by a daughter Cheryl Barber and her husband Buddy of
High Springs, FL.; son, Rudy Coffin of Clearwater, FL.; sisters, Eula DeSpain of Dayton, OH.
and Wilma Manahan and her husband John of Normal, IL.; 4 grandchildren and 2 great
grandchildren. Visitation will be at Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon Chapel, February 15, 2007
from 5-8PM. Funeral services will be at the funeral home February 16, 2007 at 10AM with
Reverend Eddie Fulford officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens,
Ocala, FL. Arrangements by Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-

591. COLON, EDDIE REYNALDO (Obituary No. 591.) 58 Ocala - Eddie Reynaldo Colon, 58
passed away on February 14, 2007 at home. A native Puerto Rico, he moved here in 1998 from
New Jersey. Mr. Colon was employed most of his working life as a truck driver and was a
parishioner of St. Jude's Catholic Church in Marion Oaks. He is survived by his wife of 13 years,
Adaira, of Ocala; sons Daniel and Ricardo of Ocala and daughters Beatriz Ayala
and Tania Hernandez, both of Ocala; brother Jose of Ocala; sister Aida Colon of Puerto Rico and
sister Anna Colon of Ocala; mother Gloria Colon of Puerto Rico; 14 grandchildren and 1 great
grandchild. Eddie was preceded in death by his father, Florencio Colon; a son, the late Reynaldo
Colon (October 20, 2000) and a sister, the late Mercedes Torres (January 23, 2006), Friends will
be received on Friday, February 16th from 10AM to 3PM at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala,
where services will be held at 3PM. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

592. DEVORE, MARGARET B. (Obituary No. 592.) 87 Ocala - Margaret B. Devore, 87 passed
away peacefully on Saturday, February 10, 2007, while surrounded by the love and comfort of
her family. She was born in Toronto, Ontario, Canada and moved to Detroit, MI at the age of
two. Margaret touched deeply the lives of all she
encountered, spending a life of care, love and voluntary service to her family, friends, church and community. She was a founding member of Holy Cross Lutheran Church (Detroit), and joined Our Redeemer Lutheran Church (Ocala) in retirement. Margaret was twice blessed in marriage and is survived by her husband of 36 years, Harry A. Devore, being pre-deceased by her first husband of 30 years, Palmer Bandlow. She leaves behind a large extended family of 4 sons, 3 daughters and 3 stepdaughters, Edward and wife Mayumi Bandlow of Otaru, Japan; Joyce and husband Thomas Neff of Milledgeville, GA; Thomas and wife Lois Bandlow of Waterford, MI; Doloris and husband Henry Tyska of Lake Worth, FL; Leonard and wife Naoe Bandlow of Tucker, GA.; Allen and wife Nadine Lanstra of Grand Blanc, MI.; Sue Perkins of Shelby Township, MI.; Dianna Hlavaty of Angleton, TX.; Rebecca Tedrick of Modesto, CA. And Elizabeth Jacobs of Sebring, FL., in addition, there are (19) grandchildren, (23) great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild and many friends who have been touched by her love and who mourn her passing. Funeral services will be held Friday, February 16, 2007 at 11AM at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, 5200 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL. The family request that those who desire send memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-04860 or the Susan G. Komen for the Cure, 5005 LBJ Freeway, Suite 250, Dallas, TX. 75244. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/14/2007 - 2/15/2007.

593. GARDNER, MARGARET SLONIKER (Obituary No. 593.) 87 Williston - Margaret Sloniker Gardner, 87, died Saturday, February 10, 2007 at her daughter's home in Micanopy. Mrs. Gardner was born in Grace City, ND and was reared in Santa Barbara, CA. She graduated from the University of Texas in 1943 with a Bachelor's degree in Science of Nursing. Following her marriage in 1946, Mrs. Gardner moved to Williston. She worked for 32 years at Munroe Regional Hospital in Ocala and was Director of Nursing for 25 years before retiring in 1978. Mrs. Gardner was a member of the Florida State Nursing Association and became a charter member of the Florida State Hospital Nursing Service Administration in 1970. She was also very active in the First Baptist Church in Williston and was the Nursery Department Coordinator for several decades. She was preceded in death by her husband of 61 years, Thomas Kimball "T.K." Gardner, and her son, Thomas Wayne Gardner, and her grandson, Evan Matthew Webb. Survivors include her sister, Shirli Wilson of Dallas, TX; her daughters, Dr. Patti Gardner Webb (Roger) of Micanopy and Shirli Gardner Deal (Vic) of Ft. Walton Beach; grandchildren LaBeth Laird (Rich) of Ft. Walton Beach, Amber Patterson (Jerry Payne) of Gainesville, Aaron Deal (Nikki), Kristi Deal and Bethany Deal of Ft. Walton Beach, and Lauren Webb, Austin Webb, Chandler Webb, and Jordan Webb of Micanopy; and great-grandchildren Harleigh Payne of Gainesville and Kristina Laird of Ft. Walton Beach. Visitation will occur at Knauff Funeral Home, 512 E. Noble Ave., Williston from 6-8PM on Friday, February 16th. Graveside services will be conducted by Rev. Tony Clubb and Rev. Don Stark at the Orange Hill Cemetery, Williston, on Saturday, February 17th at 11AM. Family members will greet their friends at Mrs. Gardner's home at 222 NW 7th St., Williston, after the funeral. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, 32606 or the First Baptist Church, 339
594. GOLDEN, VICTORIA ANN (Obituary No. 594.) 72 Ocala - Victoria Ann Golden, 72 passed away Tuesday, February 13, 2007. She was born October 7, 1934 in Newark, NJ and moved to Ocala in 1998 from Miramar, FL. Victoria was a graduate of Miami Jackson High School and her greatest joy was spending time with her children and families. She is survived by daughter Tina Whiting (husband Glen) of Ocala, son Johnny Golden (wife Michele A.) of Old Town, Dixie Co., three brother-in-laws Kenneth, Ronald, Eugene, and six sister-in-laws Juanita, Eunice, Ruth, Sharon, Dianne, Yvonne. Preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Marion J. Golden. Services will be 11AM Saturday, February 17, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

595. GUENTHER, NELSON JOHN, (Obituary No. 595.) 88 Summerfield - Nelson John Guenther, 88 died February 11, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. He was born in Buffalo, NY and moved from Eden, NY in 1973 to this area. Mr. Guenther was a member of the First Baptist Church of Summerfield where he was involved in the Men's Prayer Breakfast and helped with drawing up the plans and construction of the church. He was a veteran of WW II serving in the Army Corp of Engineers in the Philippines. He was a bricklayer for A.E. Anderson Construction for 20 years in Buffalo, and then went into business with his cousin at his cousin's sawmill. Mr. Guenther enjoyed fishing, boating, hunting, woodworking, and gardening. He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth Guenther, Summerfield; daughter, Marjorie Owen, Grantham, NH; stepdaughters, Melanie Jacquet, Belleview, Betsy Taylor, Summerfield, Rebecca Kyle and Esther Forville, both of Lafayette, IN.; stepsons, Gary Almgren and Jonathan Almgren, both of Ocala; sister, Evelyn H. Ottley, Hamburg, NY; 2 grandchildren, 16 step-grandchildren, 3 great grandchildren, 5 great step-grandchildren; 3 nephews and 1 niece. Services will be at 2PM, Sunday, February 18, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Summerfield, 14550 SE 65th Court, with Dr. Michael Hunkus officiating. Burial will be in Crum Cemetery. Visitation will be Saturday from 6-8PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Memorial contributions may be made to First Baptist Church of Summerfield Scholarship Fund. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

596. GUNTER, JOYCE (Obituary No. 596.) 42 Ocala - Joyce Gunter, 42, died on February 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Hospital of Ocala, FL. Mrs. Gunter is survived by: 2 daughters: Monica Gunter & Dominique Gunter, Ocala, 3 grandchildren, 2 sisters: Elizabeth Black Gates, Dunnellon, FL., Vivian Scrivens, MI., 3 brothers: Alphonso Council, Ocala FL. and Randolph Cox and Louis Cox, Jr., Dunnellon, FL. Services for Joyce Gunter will be held on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at 11AM at 2nd Bethel in Dunnellon, FL. Burial will follow immediate after services in Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Services are under the direction of Carnegie
Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, FL. 352-493-1857. Visitation Hours will be held on Friday from 6-8PM at 2nd Bethel in Dunnellon. The family is asked to assemble on Saturday at 10AM at (1634 Jay Williams Lane, Dunnellon, FL.) to form the cortege. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.


600. LAMPEL, THOMAS ROGER (Obituary No. 600.) 70 Ocala - Thomas Roger Lampel, 70, passed away on Feb. 2nd at Shands Hospital, University of Florida. He is survived by his beloved wife of 51 years, Sue, (Mary Suzanne Hunt); Daughter, Lori June Lampel (David Cameron) of Gahanna, Ohio; Son, Ted Theodore James Lampel (Colleen) of Jackson, Michigan; Daughter, Jeannie Sue Steele, of Jackson, Michigan. Four grandsons: Travis Lampel, Terence Lampel, Thomas Steele, and Timothy Steele, all of Jackson, Michigan. One sister, Shirley Koebke Williams, of Texas, and several nieces and nephews. Tom was a 1954 graduate of Arthur Hill High School, Saginaw, 1958 graduate of Michigan State University, E. Lansing, where he earned a BA, a Varsity Letter in Track and Field as a pole vaulter, and became a commissioned officer in the United States Air Force. He had been flying aircraft since
1955 and maintained his pilot proficiency for the next 52 years. Tom was a Certified Flight Instructor active in the AOPA and EAA. He enjoyed flying family members, friends, and Young Eagles in his Cessna 182. Upon completion of military service, Tom was employed in the field of Data Processing at Aeroquip Corp., Jackson, Caterpillar Tractor, Peoria, IL., and Kelloggs of Battle Creek. He also loved farming with his International Harvester tractors on his farm in Michigan. In 1997 he retired from employment with the City of West Palm Beach, Florida. Family and friends will be notified of a gathering to be held for the celebration of his life. Interment will be at Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Saginaw, Michigan. Arrangements under the care of Forest Meadows Funeral Home, Cemeteries, and Crematory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/14/2007 - 2/15/2007.


602. McALLISTER, JOHN HENRY (Obituary No. 602.) 73 Ocala - Funeral Services for Mr. John Henry McAllister, 73 will be held on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at 4PM at 8th St. Church of God. Bishop Harvey Robinson, Pastor. Memories will be cherished by wife Hattie Mae McAllister, 9 grandchildren, brother Floyd McAllister, sisters Jessie Henry and Doris McKinnon. Services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. Visitation Friday, February 16, 2007 10-8PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

603. PLUMMER, ALICE E. (Obituary No. 603.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Alice E. Plummer, 80 formerly of East Norwich, NY died Friday, December 29, 2006 at Legacy Hospice House. Her husband James A. Plummer, Jr. of 49 years predeceased her. She is survived by son, James A. Plummer, III; daughter, Lynne P. Zelano; son-in-law John, grandson Peter Van Beek and sister and brother-in-law Elsie and Carl Murray. Memorial Services will be held at Legacy Hospice House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL on February 17, 2007 at 11AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

604. TUCKER, ROY (Obituary No. 604.) 67 Ocala - Funeral Services for Roy Tucker, 61, custodian, retired will be held Saturday, February 17, 2007 at 11AM at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith with Rev. Michael Maewether conducting the service. Mr. Tucker was born in Ocala, FL., June 19, 1939 to the late Joseph N. and Dorothy Smith Tucker. Mr. Tucker was an army veteran. Survivors: wife Rosa Mae Tucker, Ocala, FL., 2 sons, Andre Newmones and Travis Smith, Ocala, FL., 1 sister, Rosetta Tucker, Ocala, FL., 8 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and a host of nieces, cousins, nephews and friends. Interment Florida National
Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" Cunningham's Funeral Home, Visitation: Friday February 16, 2007 from 9:30AM until 7:30PM at the funeral home. Saturday in the Chapel from 10AM until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

605. TYSON, EDITH (Obituary No. 605.) 74 Flemington - Edith Tyson, Age 74, passed away on Thursday, February 8, 2007 at Tacachale in Gainesville, FL. Born in Flemington, FL, Ms. Tyson was a resident of Flemington for 52 years before moving to Gainesville. She is survived by five brothers: Eddie B. Tyson and Freddie Tyson, both of Miami, FL; Otis Tyson (Dorthula), of Lowell, FL; David Tyson, Jr. (Helen), of Neptune, NJ; Calvin Tyson (Lenora) of Flemington, FL, and one sister: Carolyn Tyson Williams of Ft. Lauderdale, FL. She was preceded in death by her mother: Bessie Tyson; father: David Tyson, Sr.; and three sisters: Ruth Tyson, Lila Mae Tyson Winfield, and Beaulah Tyson. Funeral services will be held at 11:00AM on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at Canaan Missionary Baptist Church, 10749 West Hwy 318, Flemington, FL, with Rev. Nathan Sommons officiating. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 16, 2007 at Chestnut Funeral Home, 18 NW 8th Avenue, Gainesville, FL. Arrangements are under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, (352) 372-2537. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

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607. ABBOTT, JOHN DESMOND, (Obituary No. 607.) 76 Ocklawaha - John Desmond Abbott, 76 passed away on February 13, 2007. He was born in Ontario, Canada on September 29, 1930. He is a retired Lithographer and owned Addison Printing company in Ocala. He is a member of St. George Cathedral in Ocala. A member of Ocala Elks and Exchange Clubs. He was a past president of Ocala Civic Theater. He is predeceased by his loving wife of 52 years Katharine Bernice Addison. He is survived by his son Geoffrey of Ocala, FL. Two daughters Christine Davis of Ocklawaha, FL and Sharron Wilhelm of Bonaire, GA. Five grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A Memorial service will be held at St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street, Ocala, FL on Friday, February 16, 2007 at 10AM with Fr. Art Rushlow officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

608. ADAIR, GARY LYNN, (Obituary No. 608.) 55 Greensboro, GA. - Gary Lynn Adair, age 55, of Greensboro, Georgia died Tuesday, February 13, 2007 at his residence. Born in Mingo County, Matewan, West Virginia on July
23, 1952 he was the son of Helen Marie Boyd Hayden of Greensboro, GA and the late Johnny Adair, Sr. He graduated from North Marion High School in Florida and Cummins Diesel Engine School. He was an expert diesel mechanic and worked at several places including Capital City and Pennington Seed in Madison. He loved working with his hand and preaching the Gospel. He enjoyed going to auctions, flea markets and shopping for antiques. He was a founding member of Charity Old Regular Baptist Church where he served as the assistant moderator. In addition to his mother, Helen Hayden and step father Roy Hayden of Greensboro, GA., he survived by his wife Terri Young Adair of Greensboro, GA; four daughters, Nicole Mowery and husband Ricky of Ocala, FL., Nancy Reed and husband Tim of Ocala, FL., and Faith Oliver and husband Billy of Pittsview, AL., and Kayla Adair of Augusta, GA; three sisters, Sue Adair of Skipperville, AL., Nancy Brooks of Vero Beach, FL and Sandy Adair of Ocala, FL; two step sisters, Laurie Guerra of Tampa, FL and April Leda of Tampa, FL; a brother, Johnny Adair Jr., of Greensboro, GA; a step brother, Rick M. Hayden of Flagstaff, AZ; fifteen grandchildren and a number of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Charity Old Regular Baptist Church in Greensboro with Elder William Adair, Sr. and Elder Richard Lowe officiating. Internment services will follow at the church cemetery. Serving as pallbearers are Zachary Adair, Chris Adair, Johnny Adair, Jr., Ryan Almond, Gary Clark and Billy Oliver. The family will receive friends from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday night at Charity Old Regular Baptist Church. McCOMMONS FUNERAL HOME, 109 W. Broad St. Greensboro, GA., (706) 453-2626 is in charge of arrangements. Visit us at www.mccommonsfuneralhome.com to sign the online guest register. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/16/2007 - 2/17/2007.

609. BOSIER, HERMIE LOUISE, (Obituary No. 609.) 85 Weirsdale - Hermie Louise Bosier, 85 passed on February 7, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital, Villages, FL. Mrs. Bosier was born in Panola, SC. She was a retired custodian. Mrs. Bosier leaves to cherish her memories, (sons) Nathaniel Coney (Mary), Weirsdale, FL. James Coney, Sr. (Romell), St. Pete, FL., (daughter) Lenora Mitchell (Lincoln), Anthony, FL. (sister) Sarah Williams, (great uncle & aunt) Jippee & Lucinda Holiday, (9) grandchildren, (18) great grandchildren, (4) great great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Hermie Louise Bosier will be held 11AM on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at Stanton Baptist Church, Rev. Charles Streeter III, Pastor. Interment will follow in the Weirsdale Community Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11AM until 7PM. Mrs. Bosier will lie in repose on Saturday at 10AM until time of service. "There will be no viewing after the eulogy" "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/17/2007.

610. BUCKNER, JAMES PAUL (Obituary No. 610.), 83 Ocala - James Paul Buckner, 83 former farmer and owner of Buckner's Shell Service died Saturday, February 10, 2007. Born in Onslow, IA., January 19, 1924, son of James Albert Buckner and Wylma Hanna Buckner, he moved here from Anamosa, IA. in January, 1954. Mr. Buckner was a WWII veteran of the 101st Airborne Division of US Army, which he served in several major battles in the European Theater, including the Battle of the Bulge. He especially appreciated family, friends, farming, and automobiles. He was a Methodist. Survivors include his wife of 18 years, Janet V. Giroux Buckner, Ocala; his (and Marion Schneider Nelson's) children: son, James Virgil Buckner (Mary), Ocala, and daughter, Janet L. Buckner Hatch (David), Oviedo; sister, Madalene Buckner
Miller, Ocala; granddaughters, Jennifer M. Hatch, Oviedo, and Cayley L. Buckner, Ocala; three stepchildren, four step grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a sister, Florence Jean Buckner, Dearborn. His cremated remains will be interred at his parents' gravesite in Anamosa, IA. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Heart Association, 9900 Dr.MLK, Jr. St.N, St. Petersburg FL 33716-3801 (www.americanheart.org) and/or the American Lung Association, 61 Broadway, New York, NY 10006 (www.lungusa.org). A memorial service will be held Sunday, February 18, 2007 at 1PM at the First United Methodist Church in Ocala, 1126 East Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/18/2007.

611. CARPENTER, SUSAN M., (Obituary No. 611.) 58 Belleview - Susan M. Carpenter, 58, of Belleview, Florida, passed away February 15, 2007 at Tuscany House Hospice in Summerfield, Florida. She was a retired teacher's aid with the Marion County School Systems. She was born in Pontiac, Michigan and came to this area from Hoosick Falls, New York in February 1986. She was a member of the St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Belleview, Florida and also a member of the Alter Guild there. Among her survivors are her husband Neil Carpenter of Belleview, Florida, one son Craig Carpenter of Ocala, Florida, one daughter Megan Sweeting of Ocala, Florida and one granddaughter Alyssa Sweeting of Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/16/2007 - 2/17/2007.

612. CARTER, ANN KEITH, (Obituary No. 612.) 54 Ocala - Ann K. Carter, 54 passed away after a brief illness on Wednesday, February 14, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida. Prior to moving to Ocala 15 years ago, she was a resident of Kentucky. She loved horses, and worked as a thoroughbred horse trainer in Marion County. She is survived by her parents, Keith and Joyce Carter of Louisville, KY.; brother Stephen Carter of Louisville, KY; sister, Nancy Carter of Manhattan, NY; her dogs, Boo and Bear; and a host of friends. She was preceded in death by her brother Jimmy Carter. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 16, 2007 from 5-8PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Services will be held in Frankfort KY on Monday, February 19, 2007. Interment will follow at Frankfort Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

613. CHIARAMONTE, NORMA J., (Obituary No. 613.) 82 Ashtabula, OH - Norma J. Chiaramonte, 82, winter resident of Ocala, FL. died Tuesday, February 13th at home after a lengthy illness. She was born November 24, 1924 in Ashtabula Harbor. She was the daughter of Herman and Wilma (Asuma) Jokinen. Norma graduated in 1942 from Harbor High School and from Dyke Business College in Cleveland, OH. She worked in the New York Central Railroad office where she met her husband, Edward W. Chiaramonte whom she married on June 8, 1946. She is a member of Second Congregation Church; Woman's Club of Ashtabula County; Elks Ladies Association; 40 years member of Order of Eastern Star and a Volunteer of the ACMC Auxiliary. She was proud of her Finnish heritage. Norma had a deep appreciation for a wide range of music including big band, country and top 40, especially Michael Bolton. She played the French horn in the Harbor High School orchestra and marching band. She was a pianist for
the Eastern Star. She had various interests in sporting events including watching the Cleveland Indians, football games and attending horse shows. She enjoyed traveling across country including Alaska and Hawaii and spending winters at her home in Ocala, FL. She was a wonderful baker and enjoyed cooking for family gatherings throughout the year. She dedicated her life to being a loving wife, mother and grandmother with her sweet and gentle way. Her family wants her to be remembered as being beautiful on the inside as she was on the outside. Survivors include her husband of 60 years, Edward W. Chiaramonte, daughters, Cheryle J. Chiaramonte of Astabula, Debra L. (Daniel) Hicks of Ocala, FL., a grandson, Dustin Chiaramonte Wolff of Denver, CO.; a brother-in-law, Col. Robert M. Chiaramonte of Westerville, OH., nieces, Kim (Jay) Sears of Osteen, FL. and Sandra L, Chiaramonte (Russell) Scholl of Powell, OH. She was preceded in death by her parents, infant brother and sister-in-law Evelyn Chiaramonte. Funeral services will be Saturday (February 17th) at 11AM at the Second Congregational Church, 319 Lake Ave., Ashtabula with Rev. Glen Warner officiating. Burial will be in Ridgeview Cemetery in Ashtabula Twp. Calling hours will be Friday from 4-6PM at the Ashtabula Home of Fleming & Billman Funeral Directors, 526 W. Prospect Rd., Ashtabula, OH and on Saturday from 10AM until the time of service at the church. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made to the Norma J. Chiaramonte Music Memorial at Lakeside High School in care of Dr. James Candela, 6600 Sanborn Rd., Ashtabula, OH 44004 or the Second Congregational Church, 319 Lake Ave., Ashtabula, OH. 44004. Guestbook and obituary at fleming-billman.com


614. COLON, EDDIE REYNALDO, (Obituary No. 614.) 58 Ocala - Eddie Reynaldo Colon, 58 passed away on February 14, 2007 at home. A native Puerto Rico, he moved here in 1998 from New Jersey. Mr. Colon was employed most of his working life as a truck driver and was a parishioner of St. Jude's Catholic Church in Marion Oaks. He is survived by his wife of 13 years, Adaira, of Ocala; sons Daniel and Ricardio of Ocala and daughters Beatriz Ayala and Tania Hernandez, both of Ocala; brother Jose of Ocala; sister Aida Colon of Puerto Rico and sister Anna Colon of Ocala; mother Gloria Colon of Puerto Rico; 14 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Eddie was preceded in death by his father, Florencio Colon; a son, the late Reynaldo Colon (October 20, 2000) and a sister, the late Mercedes Torres (January 23, 2006), Friends will be received on Friday, February 16th from 10AM to 3PM at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, where services will be held at 3PM. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

615. GOLDEN, VICTORIA ANN, (Obituary No. 615.) 72 Ocala - Victoria Ann Golden, 72 passed away Tuesday, February 13, 2007. She was born October 7, 1934 in Newark, NJ and moved to Ocala in 1998 from Miramar, FL. Victoria was a graduate of Miami Jackson High School and her greatest joy was spending time with her children and families. She is survived by daughter Tina Whiting (husband Glen) of Ocala, son Johnny Golden (wife Michele A.) of Old Town, Dixie Co., three brother-in-laws Kenneth, Ronald, Eugene, and six sister-in-laws Juanita, Eunice, Ruth, Sharon, Dianne, Yvonne. Preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Marion J. Golden. Services will be 11AM Saturday, February 17, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.
GUENTHER, NELSON JOHN, (Obituary No. 616.) 88 Summerfield - Nelson John Guenther, 88 died February 11, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. He was born in Buffalo, NY and moved from Eden, NY in 1973 to this area. Mr. Guenther was a member of the First Baptist Church of Summerfield where he was involved in the Men's Prayer Breakfast and helped with drawing up the plans and construction of the church. He was a veteran of WW II serving in the Army Corp of Engineers in the Philippines. He was a bricklayer for A.E. Anderson Construction for 20 years in Buffalo, and then went into business with his cousin at his cousin's sawmill. Mr. Guenther enjoyed fishing, boating, hunting, woodworking, and gardening. He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth Guenther, Summerfield; daughter, Marjorie Owen, Grantham, NH; stepdaughters, Melanie Jacquet, Belleview, Betsy Taylor, Summerfield, Rebecca Kyle and Esther Forville, both of Lafayette, IN.; stepsons, Gary Almgren and Jonathan Almgren, both of Ocala; sister, Evelyn H. Ottley, Hamburg, NY; 2 grandchildren, 16 step-grandchildren, 3 great grandchildren, 5 great step-grandchildren; 3 nephews and 1 niece. Services will be at 2PM, Sunday, February 18, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Summerfield, 14550 SE 65th Court, with Dr. Michael Hunkus officiating. Burial will be in Crum Cemetery. Visitation will be Saturday from 6-8PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Memorial contributions may be made to First Baptist Church of Summerfield Scholarship Fund. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

GUNTER, JOYCE, (Obituary No. 617.) 42 Ocala - Joyce Gunter, 42, died on February 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Hospital of Ocala, FL. Mrs. Gunter is survived by: 2 daughters: Monica Gunter & Dominique Gunter, Ocala, 3 grandchildren, 2 sisters: Elizabeth Black Gates, Dunnellon, FL., Vivian Scrivens, MI., 3 brothers: Alphonso Council, Ocala FL. and Randolph Cox and Louis Cox, Jr., Dunnellon, FL. Services for Joyce Gunter will be held on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at 11AM at 2nd Bethel in Dunnellon, FL. Burial will follow immediate after services in Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Services are under the direction of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, FL. 352-493-1857. Visitation Hours will be held on Friday from 6-8PM at 2nd Bethel in Dunnellon. The family is asked to assemble on Saturday at 10AM at( 1634 Jay Williams Lane, Dunnellon, FL.) to form the cortege. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.


JOHNSON, JOE LOUIS, (Obituary No. 619.) 73 Weirsdale - Mr. Joe Louis Johnson, 73 died February 1, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February, 2007 at 2PM at East Lake Weir Baptist Church. Rev. Leonard Scott, Pastor Rev. Howard Gunn Eulogist. To cherish his memories he leaves behind in daughters, Dede Widemond, Jo Juanita Dixon; son Ronnie


622. MATTES, HAROLD R., (Obituary No. 622.) 77 Ocala - Mr. Harold R. Mattes, 77, of Ocala passed away on Thursday, February 15, 2007. Born in Chicago, IL., Mr. Mattes moved to Ocala from Lake Villa, IL., 13 years ago. He served in the US Army and was a retired meat cutter with Eagle Foods in Illinois. He loved motorcycles, race cars and model airplanes. He is survived of his wife of 56 years, Dolores; brother, Ken Mattes; sister, Darlene Miller (Iggy); son Rick Mattes (Jan); daughters, Kim Hathaway (Ty) and Jennifer Darnell (Keith); grandchildren, Bridget, Rebecca, and Bradley; great grandchildren, Vincent and Vicente'; and adopted son Charlie Foy. Memorial services for Mr. Mattes will be held at 5 p.m. on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to the Marion County Humane Society, PO Box 1542, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/16/2007 - 2/17/2007.

623. MCALLISTER, JOHN HENRY, (Obituary No. 623.) 73 Ocala - Funeral Services for Mr. John Henry McAllister, 73 will be held on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at 4PM at 8th St. Church of God. Bishop Harvey Robinson, Pastor. Memories will be cherished by wife Hattie Mae McAllister, 9 grandchildren, brother Floyd McAllister, sisters Jessie Henry and Doris McKinnon. Services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. Visitation Friday, February 16, 2007 10-8PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.
624. PLUMMER, ALICE E., (Obituary No. 624.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Alice E. Plummer, 80 formerly of East Norwich, NY died Friday, December 29, 2006 at Legacy Hospice House. Her husband James A. Plummer, Jr. of 49 years predeceased her. She is survived by son, James A. Plummer, III; daughter, Lynne P. Zelano; son-in-law John, grandson Van Beek and sister and brother-in-law Elsie and Carl Murray. Memorial Services will be held at Legacy Hospice House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL on February 17, 2007 at 11AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/16/2007.

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626. TYLER, NANCY D., (Obituary No. 626.) 67 Ocala - After a long battle with cancer, Nancy D. Tyler passed away at the age of 67 on February 14, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Salisbury, MD., and united in marriage to Alan S. Tyler in 1959. After working as a registered nurse Nancy and her husband retired to Ocala, Fl in 2002. Nancy was a loving wife and devoted mother and is survived by her husband and two daughters, Stephanie L. Czetli of Lancaster, PA., and Leslie A. Doyle of Portland, OR., her two granddaughters, Paige J. Czetli and Lily Q. Doyle, her mother, Sara Disharoon of Salisbury, MD., and her two sisters, Elizabeth Sofocleous of Fairfax, VA., and Christine Disharoon of Salisbury, MD. Nancy chose to donate her body to science, hoping to help in the battle against ovarian cancer, but will ultimately rest in Salisbury, MD. In lieu of sending flowers to the family, donations may be made in her honor to Hospice of Marion County. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/16/2007 - 2/17/2007.

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631. BUCKNER, JAMES PAUL, (Obituary No. 631.) 83 Ocala - James Paul Buckner, 83 former farmer and owner of Buckner's Shell Service died Saturday, February 10, 2007. Born in Onslow, IA., January 19, 1924, son of James Albert Buckner and Wylma Hanna Buckner, he moved here from Anamosa, IA. in January, 1954. Mr. Buckner was a WWII veteran of the 101st Airborne Division of US Army, which he served in several major battles in the European Theater, including the Battle of the Bulge. He especially appreciated family, friends, farming, and automobiles. He was a Methodist. Survivors include his wife of 18 years, Janet V. Giroux Buckner, Ocala; his (and Marion Schneider Nelson's) children: son, James Virgil Buckner (Mary), Ocala, and daughter, Janet L. Buckner Hatch (David), Oviedo; sister, Madalene Buckner Miller, Ocala; granddaughters, Jennifer M. Hatch, Oviedo, and Cayley L. Buckner, Ocala; three stepchildren, four step grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a sister, Florence Jean Buckner, Dearborn. His cremated remains will be interred at his parents' gravesite in Anamosa, IA. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Heart Association, 9900 Dr.MLK, Jr. St.N, St. Petersburg FL 33716-3801 (www.americanheart.org) and/or the American Lung Association, 61 Broadway, New York, NY 10006 (www.lungusa.org). A memorial service will be held Sunday, February 18, 2007 at 1PM at the First United Methodist Church in Ocala, 1126 East Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/13/2007 - 2/18/2007.

632. BUTTERFIELD, NANCY JUNE, (Obituary No. 632.) 76 Ocala - Mrs. Nancy June Butterfield, 76, of Ocala, passed away on Tuesday, February 13, 2007. Mrs. Butterfield was born in Mansfield, OH and moved to Ocala in 1983. She is a retired nurses assistant and was a member of the Order of the Easter Star, the VFW Women's Auxiliary and Cootie Auxiliary of the VFW, Disabled American Veteran Ladies Auxiliary, AMVETS Auxiliary, Fleet Reserve Association Ladies Auxiliary, and a life member of the Noncommissioned Officers Association Auxiliary. She is survived by her husband, Richard S. Butterfield of Ocala; sons, Marc R. Brenneman of Mansfield, OH and Michael E. Miller of Ocala; step-daughters, Jean Mae Logan of Mansfield, OH., Jeri Lynn McGuire of Johnson City, TN., Roberta Marie Cross of Paisley, FL., and Margaret Rose Butterfield of Baltimore, MD.; sister, Kay Simon of Perrysville, OH.; brothers, Jack Brenneman of Apex, NC., and Larry Arthur Brennerman of Mansfield, OH.; and several grandchildren. Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Visitation will be held on Sunday, February 18, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

633. CARPENTER, SUSAN M., (Obituary No. 633.) 58 Belleview - Susan M. Carpenter, 58, of Belleview, Florida, passed away February 15, 2007 at Tuscany House Hospice in Summerfield, Florida. She was a retired teacher's aid with the Marion County School Systems. She was born in Pontiac, Michigan and came to this area from Hoosick Falls, New York in February 1986. She was a member of the St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Belleview, Florida and also a member of
the Alter Guild there. Among her survivors are her husband Neil Carpenter of Belleview, Florida, one son Craig Carpenter of Ocala, Florida, one daughter Megan Sweeting of Ocala, Florida and one granddaughter Alyssa Sweeting of Ocala, Florida. A Memorial Service will be held Friday, February 23, 2007 at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Belleview at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers donations should be made to St. Mary's Building Fund. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/16/2007 - 2/18/2007.

634. DAVIS, WANDA MAE, (Obituary No. 634.) 81 Ocala - Ms. Wanda Mae Davis, 81, passed away on February 14, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Ozona, FL on September 10, 1925. She was a homemaker. She moved to the area in 1962 from Silver Springs, MD. She is a member of Woodside Baptist Church in Ocala. She is survived by a daughter, Alice Wilson; and a son, James Davis both of Crane Hill, AL; two nieces, July Hancock of Ocala and Sharon Arthur of Pensacola, FL; two nephews, Kenneth Parnell of Ocala and Steven Whitcomb of Atlanta, GA; one cousin, Larry Williams of Ocala; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. She is predeceased by her loving husband Walter of 34 years and two children, Gail and Gloria. The family would appreciate contributions to be sent to the American Cancer Society. A visitation will be held on Sunday, February 18, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Services will be Monday, February 19, 2007 at 10 a.m. both at ROBERT FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel at 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

635. HEFLIN, SR., MILTON, (Obituary No. 635.) UNITED STATES VETERAN WWII 79 Ocala - Mr. Milton Heflin Sr., 79, was born on May 9, 1927, in Lineville, Alabama to the late Frank and Maggie Turmon-Heflin. He was united in holy matrimony to Eula Lee McClain-Heflin, on February 27, 1949; eight children were born into this union. He was preceded in death by three daughters, Loretta Heflin-Jackson, Joyce Heflin-High, and Cassandra Heflin (infant); and one son Ralph Heflin, Sr. Mr. Milton Heflin, Sr. departed this life on February 15, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was a World War II Veteran in the Army Air Corp, in 1946 to 1947. He leaves to cherish his memories, his loving wife, Eula Lee McClain-Heflin of Lineville, Alabama; two sons, Royzell Heflin of Reddick, Florida and Milton Heflin, Jr., of Belleview, Florida; three daughters, Janice Heflin of Ocala, Florida, Joanne (Ronald) Heflin-Gillis of Daytona Beach, Florida and Veronica Michelle (Eric) Brown of Philadelphia, PA.; five sisters, Betty Grazes, Elizabeth Commier, Mayester Heflin, Evelyn Walrond, and Joan Heflin, all of Buffalo, New York; four brothers, Joe Herbert Heflin of Belleview, Florida, George Hann, Jr., of Buffalo, New York, Elder McRoy (Dorothy) Maxwell, Sr., of Birmingham, Alabama and Reverend Van Gilmore of Gary, Indiana; one uncle, Luke Turman of Lineville, AL; one aunt, Naomi Woods of Lineville, AL.; he is also survived by 13 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, nieces, nephews and a host of other relatives and friends. Memorial Service for Milton Heflin, Sr., 79, of Belleview, Florida will be Monday at Belleview Church of Christ at 12355 Hwy 441 with Pastor Dan Mann at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

was Catholic. Survivors include daughters; Sara Newhouse, Ocala, FL., Deirdre E. Cerasa, Springfield MA.; sons Michael Hession, RI, William F. Hession, Dallas TX., Thomas J. Hession, VA, thirteen grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/17/2007.

637. HOLT, HARRY W., (Obituary No. 637.) 81 Ocala - Harry W. Holt passed away on Thursday, February 15, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House, after an extended illness. Harry was born on March 22, 1925 in Waycross, Georgia. His parents were Martin B. and Gladys (Farr) Holt. He was a WWII Navy Veteran and was a Purple Heart recipient and a Presidential Citation Honoree. Harry was an Engineer for CSX Family Railroad, stationed in Albany, Georgia, and retired with 38 years of service. Harry was a member of the Valley Scottish Rite, and a member of the Hasan Shrine Temple, all in Albany, GA. He was of the Methodist faith. After retirement, he and Doris moved to Ocala in 1997. Harry was predeceased by his daughter, Suzanne, his brother-in-law, Gene Lawrence, and his sister-in-law, Elizabeth Haskew. He is survived by his wife of 28 years, Doris Holt; stepdaughters, Carolyn Smith and Kathy McClendon of Alabama; sister, Elizabeth Giddens of Fernadina Beach, FL; sister-in-law, Betty Smith and brother-in-law, Ballard Smith of Ocala; sisters-in-law, Linda Rields, Mary Lawrence, and Laverne Simmons and brother-in-law, Sonny Haskew, all of Alabama; numerous nieces and nephew. Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon with Hospice Chaplain Jack Cushman officiating. Military Honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Masonic Orphans Home, 811 Mulberry St., Macon, GA 31201 or Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

638. JEFFERS, RUSSELL W., (Obituary No. 638.) 38 Paducah, KY. - Russell W. Jeffers, 38, of Paducah died Sunday, February 11, 2007 at his home. Mr. Jeffers was a U.S. Navy Veteran of the Gulf War, serving on submarines. He was a devoted father, friend and Florida Gator Fan. Surviving are one daughter, Allison Jeffers of Paducah, KY.; one son, David Jeffers of Chillicothe, OH.; one sister, Brande Jeffers of New York; his stepfather, Marvin Shields of Belleview, FL.; his grandparents, Josephine Allen of Ocala, FL., and Betty Sherman of Pennsylvania; his aunts and uncles, David and Rosemary Allen of Belleview, FL., and Lynn and Earl Lowery of Texas; several nieces and nephews and countless friends. He was preceded in death by his mother, Connie Shields and his grandfathers, Frank Allen and Charles Sherman. No services are scheduled at this time. MILNER AND ORR FUNERAL HOME of Paducah is in charge of arrangements. Expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to the Jeffers Family Memorial Fund, c/o Paducah Bank, PO Box 2600, Paducah, KY. 42002-2600. Tributes may be left online at www.milnerandorr.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

639. KAISER, LADONNA BELL, (Obituary No. 639.) 63 Ocala - Mrs. LaDonna Bell Kaiser, 63, passed away Wednesday, February 15, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in LaPorte, IN and moved to WI with
her husband Randy and children in 1970. Randy and Donna moved to Ocala, FL in 1993 where they currently reside in Marion Oaks. Donna was an active golfer and member of Marion Oaks Women's Golf Association. She enjoyed playing cards with her club and family and loved to knit and crochet. She is survived by her husband Randal L. Kaiser, four daughters Theresa (Bruce); Kelly; Rhonda (Jeff); and Michelle (Travis). She loved her nine grandchildren dearly Chadwick; Nicholas; Samantha; Nathaniel; Mersadie and Michael; two brothers Harry (Susan), William (Diane) and a sister Carol (Pete). She was preceded in death by her sister Sharon. Visitation will be Sunday, February 18, 2007 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. at HIER-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 9695 SW 110th St., TimberRidge. LaDonna was a breast cancer survivor and donations may be made to Breast Cancer Gifts, 111 Forrest Ave. 1R, Narberth, PA 19072. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

640. MATTES, HAROLD R., (Obituary No. 640.) 77 Ocala - Mr. Harold R. Mattes, 77, of Ocala passed away on Thursday, February 15, 2007. Born in Chicago, IL., Mr. Mattes moved to Ocala from Lake Villa, IL., 13 years ago. He served in the US Army and was a retired meat cutter with Eagle Foods in Illinois. He loved motorcycles, race cars and model airplanes. He is survived of his wife of 56 years, Dolores; brother, Ken Mattes; sister, Darlene Miller (Iggy); son Rick Mattes (Jan); daughters, Kim Hathaway (Ty) and Jennifer Darnell (Keith); grandchildren, Bridget, Rebecca, and Bradley; great grandchildren, Vincent and Vicente; and adopted son Charlie Foy. Memorial services for Mr. Mattes will be held at 5 p.m. on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at HIER FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flower the family ask that donations be made to the Marion County Humane Society, PO Box 1542, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/16/2007 - 2/17/2007.

641. MILLER, IDA MAE, (Obituary No. 641.) 81 Dunnellon - Ida Mae Miller, 81, of Dunnellon, passed away February 15, 2007 at her home. She came to this area in 1980 from her native, Niagara Falls, NY. She was a homemaker and Protestant by faith. She was a member of O.E.S. (Order of the Eastern Star) Chapter #582 Niagara Falls, NY and an honorary member of the Ocala Chapter #29. She was also a member of the Riverdale Rebekah Lodge #195 in Lewiston, NY. She is survived by her husband of 62 years, Ottis Miller and daughter, Sarah Ann Miller, both of Dunnellon. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave.) on Saturday, February 17, 2007 from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (1831 SE 18th Ave., Ocala) on Monday, February 19, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens where an Eastern Star Service will also be performed. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/16/2007 - 2/17/2007.

642. PARKER, CECIL EDWARD, (Obituary No. 642.) 25 Silver Springs - Cecil Edward Parker, 25, passed away at his home on Wednesday, February 14, 2007. Mr. Parker of Silver Springs, FL was born in Gainesville, FL and has spent all of his life in Marion County. He worked in the Landscaping Industry and enjoyed Video Games. Survivors include his mother Retha Hensdill of Silver Springs, father Phillip A. Parker of Akron, OH., step-father Jefferson Hensdill of Summerfield, two brothers Coy and Cody Parker both of Silver Springs, sister Shanna McKellar of Pine City, MN., and 4 nephews and 6 nieces. Visitation will be held from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs
643. SCHNEIDER, WILBUR JULIUS, (Obituary No. 643.) 85 Ocala - Wilbur J. Schneider died February 14, 2007 at Hospice of Marion County Legacy House. He was born October 22, 1921 in Massillon, Ohio, the youngest child of Mary and Leo Schneider. He graduated from Massillon's Washington High School. He married the former Joyce Urban of Massillon in 1947. That marriage ended in divorce in 1972. He served with distinction in Europe in World War II as a laboratory technician with the 34th Evacuation Hospital attached to the Third Army. He worked as a laboratory technician with Union Drawn Steel Co. of Massillon until he moved to Clearwater, Florida in 1954. He retired from General Electric Neutron Devices Division in St. Petersburg in 1985 after 28 years as a metallurgical technician. He moved to On Top of the World, Ocala in 1989. He was a member of B.P.O.E., and an active member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife of 29 years, Nancy Graham Schneider; two daughters, Carol Ann Rush (James) of Jacksonville, Florida and Janet M. Toombs of Valrico, Florida; two step-sons, Donald Bearden of Cary, NC., and James Bearden of Babylon, New York; one step-daughter, Anne Bearden Simonson (David) of LaJolla, California; three grandsons, three step-granddaughters, one step-grandson, and 5 great grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be held on Thursday, February 22, 2007 at 1:45 p.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, State Road 200, Ocala. Burial will be at the National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida on Friday, February 23, 2007 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be sent to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34474 in memory of Wilbur J. Schneider. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

644. TYLER, NANCY D., (Obituary No. 644.) 67 Ocala - After a long battle with cancer, Nancy D. Tyler passed away at the age of 67 on February 14, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Salisbury, MD., and united in marriage to Alan S. Tyler in 1959. After working as a registered nurse Nancy and her husband retired to Ocala, Fl in 2002. Nancy was a loving wife and devoted mother and is survived by her husband and two daughters, Stephanie L. Czetli of Lancaster, PA., and Leslie A. Doyle of Portland, OR., her two granddaughters, Paige J. Czetli and Lily Q. Doyle, her mother, Sara Disharoon of Salisbury, MD., and her two sisters, Elizabeth Sofocleous of Fairfax, VA., and Christine Disharoon of Salisbury, MD. Nancy chose to donate her body to science, hoping to help in the battle against ovarian cancer, but will ultimately rest in Salisbury, MD. In lieu of sending flowers to the family, donations may be made in her honor to Hospice of Marion County. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/16/2007 - 2/17/2007.

645. TYSON, EDITH, (Obituary No. 645.) 74 Flemington - Edith Tyson, Age 74, passed away on Thursday, February 8, 2007 at Tacachale in Gainesville, FL. Born in Flemington, FL, Ms. Tyson was a resident of Flemington for 52 years before moving to Gainesville. She is survived by five brothers Eddie B. Tyson and Freddie Tyson, both of Miami, FL; Otis Tyson Dorthula, of Lowell, FL; David Tyson, Jr. Helen, of Neptune, NJ; Calvin Tyson Lenora of Flemington, FL, and one sister Carolyn Tyson Williams of Ft. Lauderdale, FL. She was preceded in death by her mother Bessie Tyson;
father David Tyson, Sr.; and three sisters Ruth Tyson, Lila Mae Tyson Winfield, and Beaulah Tyson. Funeral services will be held at 11 00AM on Saturday, February 17, 2007 at Canaan Missionary Baptist Church, 10749 West Hwy 318, Flemington, FL, with Rev. Nathan Sommons officiating. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 16, 2007 at Chestnut Funeral Home, 18 NW 8th Avenue, Gainesville, FL. Arrangements are under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 352 372-2537. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/15/2007 - 2/17/2007.

646. WEST, BENJAMIN HOWARD, (Obituary No. 646.) 55 Ocala - Mr. West a native of Williamson, West Virginia has made Ocala his home for the past 42 years coming from Chicago, IL. He had worked most of his life as a truck driver. Survived by his Mother, Rosie Strawbridge of Ocala, one sister Willa Simmons of Ocala, and one daughter Lisa M. West. Services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, February 18, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, Ocala. Visitation will be held from Noon until service time at The Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Burial will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens of Ocala. HIERS FUNERAL HOME is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Sunday, February 18, 2007

647. BOWERS, CLAIRE W. "TINY", (Obituary No. 647.) 77 Ocala - Mr. Claire W. "Tiny" Bowers, 77, of Ocala, passed away on February 15, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield. Mr. Bowers came here in 1988 from his native Reading, PA and was a retired sheet metal worker for the Former Luppold Sheet Metal Co. of Reading, PA. During his working life, he was also a truck driver and was a member of Incarnation Lutheran Church in Ocala and served as Usher. Tiny was a member of the Teamster Union in Reading, PA and a member of Local # 19 Sheet Metal Workers Union, Philadelphia, PA; a U.S. Army veteran from 1947 to 1951; a member of VFW Post # 8083 of Belleview, where he served for 15 years on the Honor Guard, and a member of F. & A.M. Lodge # 660, Reading, PA. Claire is survived by his wife of 57 years, Margaret; son Ralph Bowers; daughter Florence Parnham; and sister Delores Andrews all of Ocala. Mr. Bowers was preceded in death by his grandson, Rex Bowers, on October 15, 2006 and two brothers, Charles and Robert. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, February 21, 2007 at 11 a.m. from the Incarnation Lutheran Church, Ocala with Pastor Byron White officiating. Military honors will be rendered by VFW Post # 8083 and inurnment at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell will take place at a later date. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/19/2007.

648. BUCKNER, JAMES PAUL, (Obituary No. 648.) 83 Ocala - James Paul Buckner, 83 former farmer and owner of Buckner's Shell Service died Saturday, February 10, 2007. Born in Onslow, IA., January 19, 1924, son of James Albert Buckner and Wylma Hanna Buckner, he moved here from Anamosa, IA. in January, 1954. Mr. Buckner was a WWII veteran of the 101st Airborne Division of US Army, which he served in several major battles in the European Theater, including the Battle of the Bulge. He especially appreciated family, friends, farming, and automobiles. He was a Methodist. Survivors include his wife of 18 years, Janet V. Giroux Buckner, Ocala; his (and Marion Schneider Nelson's) children: son, James Virgil Buckner (Mary), Ocala, and daughter, Janet L. Buckner Hatch (David), Oviedo; sister, Madalene Buckner Miller, Ocala; granddaughters, Jennifer M. Hatch, Oviedo, and Cayley L. Buckner, Ocala; three
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649. BUTTERFIELD, NANCY JUNE, (Obituary No. 649.) 76 Ocala - Mrs. Nancy June Butterfield, 76, of Ocala, passed away on Tuesday, February 13, 2007. Mrs. Butterfield was born in Mansfield, OH and moved to Ocala in 1983. She is a retired nurses assistant and was a member of the Order of the Easter Star, the VFW Women's Auxiliary and Cootie Auxiliary of the VFW, Disabled American Veteran Ladies Auxiliary, AMVETS Auxiliary, Fleet Reserve Association Ladies Auxiliary, and a life member of the Noncommissioned Officers Association Auxiliary. She is survived by her husband, Richard S. Butterfield of Ocala; sons, Marc R. Brenneman of Mansfield, OH and Michael E. Miller of Ocala; step-daughters, Jean Mae Logan of Mansfield, OH., Jeri Lynn McGuire of Johnson City, TN., Roberta Marie Cross of Paisley, FL., and Margaret Rose Butterfield of Baltimore, MD.; sister, Kay Simon of Perrysville, OH.; brothers, Jack Brenneman of Apex, NC., and Larry Arthur Brennerman of Mansfield, OH.; and several grandchildren. Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Visitation will be held on Sunday, February 18, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

650. CARPENTER, SUSAN M., (Obituary No. 650.) 58 Belleview - Susan M. Carpenter, 58, of Belleview, Florida, passed away February 15, 2007 at Tuscany House Hospice in Summerfield, Florida. She was a retired teacher's aid with the Marion County School Systems. She was born in Pontiac, Michigan and came to this area from Hoosick Falls, New York in February 1986. She was a member of the St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Belleview, Florida and also a member of the Alter Guild there. Among her survivors are her husband Neil Carpenter of Belleview, Florida, one son Craig Carpenter of Ocala, Florida, one daughter Megan Sweeting of Ocala, Florida and one granddaughter Alyssa Sweeting of Ocala, Florida. A Memorial Service will be held Friday, February 23, 2007 at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Belleview at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers donations should be made to St. Mary's Building Fund. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/16/2007 - 2/18/2007.

651. CARR, CLAIRE HALE, (Obituary No. 651.) 85 Ocala - Mrs. Claire Hale Carr, 85, of Ocala, FL. passed away Friday, February 16, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House of Ocala. A native of Williamson, West Virginia she made Ocala her home since 1984. She was a member of The First Baptist Church of Ocala and had been a Homemaker and volunteer at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Preceded in death by her husband, John W. Carr. Survivors include daughter, Cynthia Church of Flatwoods, KY; a son, Paul Carr of Ocala; a sister, Loyce Rutan of Eleanor, WV.; three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL. 34478. Graveside services will be
held at 1 p.m., Monday, February 19, 2007 at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens of Ocala. HIERS FUNERAL HOME is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/19/2007.

652. COLLINS, ROSEMARY (HARDING), (Obituary No. 652.) 77 Ocala - Mrs. Rosemary (Harding) Collins, 77, passed away February 15, 2007. She was born July 9, 1929 in Buffalo, NY, moved to South Florida in 1975 then to Ocala in 1989. Rosemary was a loving wife, mother and dear friend to all. She retired from American Greeting Company after 35 years of service, and was a ceramics and craft teacher in Tonawanda, NY. Rosemary loved quilting, cross-stitching, computer card games, and crossword puzzles. She was a library volunteer and a member of the Oak Run Cribbage Club. Rosemary belonged to Ocala West Methodist Church where her greatest enjoyment was being a bell ringer. Rosemary is survived by her loving husband, Robert of 57 years, daughter, LynnMarie (Montell) Pistoria and sister Ruth Hawthorne of N. Tonawanda, NY. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to American Heart Association, The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, Southern Florida Chapter, or Shriners Hospital for Children, Tampa, FL. Services will be held on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Dr. Ken Kleckner, III officiating. Visitation one hour prior to service at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/19/2007.

653. DAVIS, WANDA MAE, (Obituary No. 653.) 81 Ocala - Ms. Wanda Mae Davis, 81, passed away on February 14, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Ozona, FL on September 10, 1925. She was a homemaker. She moved to the area in 1962 from Silver Springs, MD. She is a member of Woodside Baptist Church in Ocala. She is survived by a daughter, Alice Wilson; and a son, James Davis both of Crane Hill, AL; two nieces, July Hancock of Ocala and Sharon Arthur of Pensacola, FL; two nephews, Kenneth Parnell of Ocala and Steven Whitcomb of Atlanta, GA; one cousin, Larry Williams of Ocala; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. She is predeceased by her loving husband Walter of 34 years and two children, Gail and Gloria. The family would appreciate contributions to be sent to the American Cancer Society. A visitation will be held on Sunday, February 18, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Services will be Monday, February 19, 2007 at 10 a.m. both at ROBERT FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel at 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

654. HEFLIN, SR., MILTON, (Obituary No. 654.) UNITED STATES VETERAN WWII 79 Ocala - Mr. Milton Heftin Sr., 79, was born on May 9, 1927, in Lineville, Alabama to the late Frank and Maggie Turmon-Heftin. He was united in holy matrimony to Eula Lee McClain-Heftin, on February 27, 1949; eight children were born into this union. He was preceded in death by three daughters, Loretta Heftin-Jackson, Joyce Heftin-High, and Cassandra Heftin (infant); and one son Ralph Heftin, Sr. Mr. Milton Heftin, Sr. departed this life on February 15, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was a World War II Veteran in the Army Air Corp, in 1946 to 1947. He leaves to cherish his memories, his loving wife, Eula Lee McClain-Heftin of Lineville, Alabama; two sons, Royzell Heftin of Reddick, Florida and Milton Heftin, Jr., of
Belleview, Florida; three daughters, Janice Heflin of Ocala, Florida, Joanne (Ronald) Heflin-Gillis of Daytona Beach, Florida and Veronica Michelle (Eric) Brown of Philadelphia, PA.; five sisters, Betty Grazes, Elizabeth Commier, Mayester Heflin, Evelyn Walrond, and Joan Heflin, all of Buffalo, New York; four brothers, Joe Herbert Heflin of Belleview, Florida, George Hann, Jr., of Buffalo, New York, Elder McRoy (Dorothy) Maxwell, Sr., of Birmingham, Alabama and Reverend Van Gilmore of Gary, Indiana; one uncle, Luke Turman of Lineville, AL; one aunt, Naomi Woods of Lineville, AL.; he is also survived by 13 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, nieces, nephews and a host of other relatives and friends. Memorial Service for Milton Heflin, Sr., 79, of Belleview, Florida will be Monday at Belleview Church of Christ at 12355 Hwy 441 with Pastor Dan Mann at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

655. HIERS, RACHEL STRAWN, (Obituary No. 655.) 85 Romeo - Mrs. Rachel Strawn Hiers, 85, of Romeo, FL died at her home February 16, 2007. She was born in Tidewater, FL and was a lifetime area residence. She was a homemaker and a member of Romeo Baptist Church. She is survived by her daughters, Betty Ruth (Winston) Britt of Romeo, Sharon (Jerry) Mills of Morriston, Carrie Joe (Bob) Chapin of Brandon, and Debbie (Kelly) Jerrels of Romeo; sons, Buddy (Jodie) Hiers and Carl (Rhonda) Hiers both of Romeo; brother, Frank Strawn of Dunnellon; and sister, Pauline Hiers of Romeo; 18 grandchildren and 27 great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband of 65 years, L.L. "Bo" Hiers. Services will be Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Romeo Baptist Church. Burial will follow in Hickory Springs Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Hiers Residence in Romeo on Monday, February 19, 2007 at 6 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICE OF CHIEFLAND is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/19/2007.

656. HOLT, HARRY W., (Obituary No. 656.) 81 Ocala - Harry W. Holt passed away on Thursday, February 15, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House, after an extended illness. Harry was born on March 22, 1925 in Waycross, Georgia. His parents were Martin B. and Gladys (Farr) Holt. He was a WWII Navy Veteran and was a Purple Heart recipient and a Presidential Citation Honoree. Harry was an Engineer for CSX Family Railroad, stationed in Albany, Georgia, and retired with 38 years of service. Harry was a member of the Valley Scottish Rite, and a member of the Hasan Shrine Temple, all in Albany, GA. He was of the Methodist faith. After retirement, he and Doris moved to Ocala in 1997. Harry was predeceased by his daughter, Suzanne, his brother-in-law, Gene Lawrence, and his sister-in-law, Elizabeth Haskew. He is survived by his wife of 28 years, Doris Holt; stepdaughters, Carolyn Smith and Kathy McClendon of Alabama; sister, Elizabeth Giddens of Fernadina Beach, FL; sister-in-law, Betty Smith and brother-in-law, Ballard Smith of Ocala; sisters-in-law, Linda Riels, Mary Lawrence, and Laverne Simmons and brother-in-law, Sonny Haskew, all of Alabama; numerous nieces and nephew. Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon with Hospice Chaplain Jack Cushman officiating. Military Honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Masonic Orphans Home, 811 Mulberry St., Macon, GA 31201 or Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME
657. **JEFFERS, RUSSELL W.,** (Obituary No. 657.) 38 Paducah, KY. - Russell W. Jeffers, 38, of Paducah died Sunday, February 11, 2007 at his home. Mr. Jeffers was a U.S. Navy Veteran of the Gulf War, serving on submarines. He was a devoted father, friend and Florida Gator Fan. Surviving are one daughter, Allison Jeffers of Paducah, KY.; one son, David Jeffers of Chillicothe, OH.; one sister, Brande Jeffers of New York; his stepfather, Marvin Shields of Belleview, FL.; his grandmothers, Josephine Allen of Ocala, FL., and Betty Sherman of Pennsylvania; his aunts and uncles, David and Rosemary Allen of Belleview, FL., and Lynn and Earl Lowery of Texas; several nieces and nephews and countless friends. He was preceded in death by his mother, Connie Shields and his grandfathers, Frank Allen and Charles Sherman. No services are scheduled at this time. MILNER AND ORR FUNERAL HOME of Paducah is in charge of arrangements. Expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to the Jeffers Family Memorial Fund, c/o Paducah Bank, PO Box 2600, Paducah, KY. 42002-2600. Tributes may be left online at www.milnerandorr.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

658. **KAISER, LADONNA BELL,** (Obituary No. 658.) 63 Ocala - Mrs. LaDonna Bell Kaiser, 63, passed away Wednesday, February 15, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in LaPorte, IN and moved to WI with her husband Randy and children in 1970. Randy and Donna moved to Ocala, FL in 1993 where they currently reside in Marion Oaks. Donna was an active golfer and member of Marion Oaks Women's Golf Association. She enjoyed playing cards with her club and family and loved to knit and crochet. She is survived by her husband Randal L. Kaiser, four daughters Theresa (Bruce); Kelly; Rhonda (Jeff); and Michelle (Travis). She loved her nine grandchildren dearly Chadwick; Nicholas; Samantha; Nathaniel; Mersadie and Michael; two brothers Harry (Susan), William (Diane) and a sister Carol (Pete). She was preceded in death by her sister Sharon. Visitation will be Sunday, February 18, 2007 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 9695 SW 110th St., TimberRidge. LaDonna was a breast cancer survivor and donations may be made to Breast Cancer Gifts, 111 Forrest Ave. 1R, Narberth, PA 19072. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

659. **MILLER, IDA MAE,** (Obituary No. 659.) 81 Dunnellon - Ida Mae Miller, 81, of Dunnellon, passed away February 15, 2007 at her home. She came to this area in 1980 from her native, Niagara Falls, NY. She was a homemaker and Protestant by faith. She was a member of O.E.S. (Order of the Eastern Star) Chapter #582 Niagara Falls, NY and an honorary member of the Ocala Chapter #29. She was also a member of the Riverdale Rebekah Lodge #195 in Lewiston, NY. She is survived by her husband of 62 years, Ottis Miller and daughter, Sarah Ann Miller, both of Dunnellon. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave.) on Saturday, February 17, 2007 from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (1831 SE 18th Ave., Ocala) on Monday, February 19, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens where an Eastern Star Service will also be performed. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.
660. MILLS, HILDA H., (Obituary No. 660.) 93 Ocala - Ms. Hilda H. Mills, 93, passed away Friday, February 16, 2007 at her home. Ms. Mills was a homemaker, she was born in Lacrosse, FL., and she moved to Ocala 60 years ago from Gainesville, FL., she was a member of Central Church of Christ. Hilda is survived by her daughter, Judy Mills Aylward of Ocala, FL.; two sisters, Fay Bishop of Gainesville and Hazel Lester of Dade City, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband Leslie Allen Mills. There will be a graveside Service held at Woodlawn Cemetery at 3 p.m., Tuesday, February 20, 2007. Arrangements are being handled by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. 34470. Those who wish may make contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/19/2007.

661. PARKER, CECIL EDWARD, (Obituary No. 661.) 25 Silver Springs - Cecil Edward Parker, 25, passed away at his home on Wednesday, February 14, 2007. Mr. Parker of Silver Springs, FL was born in Gainesville, FL and has spent all of his life in Marion County. He worked in the Landscaping Industry and enjoyed Video Games. Survivors include his mother Retha Hensdill of Silver Springs, father Phillip A. Parker of Akron, OH., step-father Jefferson Hensdill of Summerfield, two brothers Coy and Cody Parker both of Silver Springs, sister Shanna McKellar of Pine City, MN., and 4 nephews and 6 nieces. Visitation will be held from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

662. REDDING, PEARL ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 662.) 97 Ocala - Mrs. Pearl Elizabeth Redding, 97, died on Friday, February 16, 2007. She was a lifetime resident of Marion County and a member of Memorial Baptist Church. She was a waitress for Purvis' Restaurant for many years. She is survived by her sisters, Pauline Brantley of Belleview and Mattie Ryals of Palatka; her brother, Paul Shaw of Palatka. She is preceded in death by her husband Herbert Redding. Funeral services will be held on Monday, February 19, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Pastor Michael West officiating. Interment will be in Barnes Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers please make contributions to Hospice of Marion County of Memorial Baptist Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/19/2007.

663. SCHNEIDER, WILBUR JULIUS, (Obituary No. 663.) 85 Ocala - Wilbur J. Schneider died February 14, 2007 at Hospice of Marion County Legacy House. He was born October 22, 1921 in Massillon, Ohio, the youngest child of Mary and Leo Schneider. He graduated from Massillon's Washington High School. He married the former Joyce Urban of Massillon in 1947. That marriage ended in divorce in 1972. He served with distinction in Europe in World War II as a laboratory technician with the 34th Evacuation Hospital attached to the Third Army. He worked as a laboratory technician with Union Drawn Steel Co. of Massillon until he moved to Clearwater, Florida in 1954. He retired from General Electric Neutron Devices Division in St. Petersburg in 1985 after 28 years as a metallurgical technician. He moved to On Top of the World, Ocala in 1989. He was a member of B.P.O.E., and an active member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife of 29 years, Nancy Graham Schneider; two daughters, Carol Ann Rush (James) of Jacksonville, Florida and Janet M. Toombs of Valrico,
Florida; two step-sons, Donald Bearden of Cary, NC., and James Bearden of Babylon, New York; one step-daughter, Anne Bearden Simonson (David) of LaJolla, California; three grandsons, three step-granddaughters, one step-grandson, and 5 great grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be held on Thursday, February 22, 2007 at 1:45 p.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, State Road 200, Ocala. Burial will be at the National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida on Friday, February 23, 2007 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be sent to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34474 in memory of Wilbur J. Schneider. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

664. TRIPP, JAMES EDWARD "BIG DADDY", (Obituary No. 664.) 79 Salt Springs, FL - James Edward "Big Daddy" Tripp, age 79 of Salt Springs, FL died Tuesday, February 6, 2007, at the Mountain City and Rehabilitation Center, Mountain City, Tennessee. A Celebration of his life will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Astor, Florida (352-759-2135). Pastor Terry Holland will officiate. Ed was born on July 11, 1927, in Odum, Georgia. He owned Ed Tripp Masonry for over 45 years. Big Daddy enjoyed life to the fullest. He always has a smile and a feisty attitude. He had an amazing will to live. Big Daddy enjoyed spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren and great grandchildren. He loved car racing and raced many years on short tracks all over Florida. Big Daddy is survived by his wife, Betty Tripp; son, Orville Tripp of Bunnell, FL.; daughters, Gail Bracewell of Goose Creek, SC., Colleen Gallagher of Melbourne, FL., Donna Heard of Holly Hill, FL., Rhonda Hudson of Ormond Beach, FL., and Portia Blair of Hickory, NC.; He has 13 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren; one sister, Laura Nell Sauder of Titusville, FL.; two brothers, A.J. Tripp of Holly Hill, FL., and Robert Tripp of Jeffersonville, Indiana. Big Daddy was preceded in death by son-in-laws, Michael Gallagher, David Hudson and one grandchild James Roger Bracewell, Jr. After service Family and Friends are welcome at Rhonda Hudson home in Ormond Beach. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/19/2007.

665. WEST, BENJAMIN HOWARD, (Obituary No. 665.) 55 Ocala - Mr. West a native of Williamson, West Virginia has made Ocala his home for the past 42 years coming from Chicago, IL. He had worked most of his life as a truck driver. Survived by his Mother, Rosie Strawbridge of Ocala, one sister Willa Simmons of Ocala, and one daughter Lisa M. West. Services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, February 18, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, Ocala. Visitation will be held form Noon until service time at The Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Burial will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens of Ocala. HIERS FUNERAL HOME is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/18/2007.

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666. BOWERS, CLAIRE W. "TINY", (Obituary No. 666.) 77 Ocala - Mr. Claire W. "Tiny" Bowers, 77, of Ocala, passed away on February 15, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield. Mr. Bowers came here in 1988 from his native Reading, PA and was a retired sheet metal worker for the Former Luppold Sheet Metal Co. of Reading, PA. During his working life, he was also a truck driver and was a member of Incarnation Lutheran Church in Ocala and served as Usher. Tiny was a member of the Teamster Union in Reading, PA and a member of Local # 19 Sheet Metal Workers Union, Philadelphia, PA; a U.S. Army veteran from 1947 to 1951; a member of VFW Post # 8083 of Belleview, where he served for 15 years on the Honor Guard, and a
member of F. & A.M. Lodge # 660, Reading, PA. Claire is survived by his wife of 57 years, Margaret; son Ralph Bowers; daughter Florence Parnham; and sister Delores Andrews all of Ocala. Mr. Bowers was preceded in death by a grandson, Rex Bowers, on October 15, 2006 and two brothers, Charles and Robert. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, February 21, 2007 at 11 a.m. from the Incarnation Lutheran Church, Ocala with Pastor Byron White officiating. Military honors will be rendered by VFW Post # 8083 and inurnment at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell will take place at a later date. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/19/2007.

667. CARR, CLAIRE HALE, (Obituary No. 667.) 85 Ocala - Mrs. Claire Hale Carr, 85, of Ocala, FL. passed away Friday, February 16, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House of Ocala. A native of Williamson, West Virginia she made Ocala her home since 1984. She was a member of The First Baptist Church of Ocala and had been a Homemaker and volunteer at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Preceded in death by her husband, John W. Carr. Survivors include daughter, Cynthia Church of Flatwoods, KY; a son, Paul Carr of Ocala; a sister, Loyce Rutan of Eleanor, WV.; three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL. 34478. Graveside services will be held at 1 p.m., Monday, February 19, 2007 at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens of Ocala. HIERS FUNERAL HOME is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/19/2007.

668. COLLINS, ROSEMARY (HARDING), (Obituary No. 668.) 77 Ocala - Mrs. Rosemary (Harding) Collins, 77, passed away February 15, 2007. She was born July 9, 1929 in Buffalo, NY, moved to South Florida in 1975 then to Ocala in 1989. Rosemary was a loving wife, mother and dear friend to all. She retired from American Greeting Company after 35 years of service, and was a ceramics and craft teacher in Tonawanda, NY. Rosemary loved quilting, cross-stitching, computer card games, and crossword puzzles. She was a library volunteer and a member of the Oak Run Cribbage Club. Rosemary belonged to Ocala West Methodist Church where her greatest enjoyment was being a bell ringer. Rosemary is survived by her loving husband, Robert of 57 years, daughter, LynnMarie (Montell) Pistoria and sister Ruth Hawthorne of N. Tonawanda, NY. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to American Heart Association, The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, Southern Florida Chapter, or Shriners Hospital for Children, Tampa, FL. Services will be held on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Dr. Ken Kleckner, III officiating. Visitation one hour prior to service at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/20/2007.

669. HIERS, RACHEL STRAWN, (Obituary No. 669.) 85 Romeo - Mrs. Rachel Strawn Hiers, 85, of Romeo, FL died at her home February 16, 2007. She was born in Tidewater, FL and was a lifetime area residence. She was a homemaker and a member of Romeo Baptist Church. She is survived by her daughters, Betty Ruth (Winston) Britt of Romeo, Sharon (Jerry) Mills of Morriston, Carrie Joe (Bob) Chapin of Brandon, and Debbie (Kelly) Jerrels of Romeo; sons, Buddy (Jodie) Hiers and Carl (Rhonda) Hiers both of Romeo; brother, Frank Strawn of Dunnellon; and sister, Pauline Hiers of Romeo; 18 grandchildren and 27 great grandchildren.
She is preceded in death by her husband of 65 years, L.L. "Bo" Hiers. Services will be Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Romeo Baptist Church. Burial will follow in Hickory Springs Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Hiers Residence in Romeo on Monday, February 19, 2007 at 6 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICE OF CHIEFLAND is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/20/2007.

670. KAISER, LADONNA BELL (Obituary No. 670.), 63 Ocala - Mrs. LaDonna Bell Kaiser, 63, passed away Wednesday, February 15, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in LaPorte, IN and moved to WI with her husband Randy and children in 1970. Randy and Donna moved to Ocala, FL in 1993 where they currently reside in Marion Oaks. Donna was an active golfer and member of Marion Oaks Women's Golf Association. She enjoyed playing cards with her club and family and loved to knit and crochet. She is survived by her husband Randal L. Kaiser, four daughters Theresa (Bruce); Kelly; Rhonda (Jeff); and Michelle (Travis). She loved her nine grandchildren dearly Chadwick; Nicholas; Sarah; Jacob; Shawn; Samantha; Nathaniel; Mersadie and Michael; two brothers Harry (Susan), William (Diane) and a sister Carol (Pete). She was preceded in death by her sister Sharon. Visitation was Sunday, February 18, 2007 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 9695 SW 110th St., TimberRidge. LaDonna was a breast cancer survivor and donations may be made to Breast Cancer Gifts, 111 Forrest Ave. 1R, Narberth, PA 19072. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/21/2007.

671. KUEHN, ANDREAS "ANDREW" (Obituary No. 671.), 81 Ocala - Andreas "Andrew" Kuehn, 81, of Ocala, Florida died February 17, 2007 at the TimberRidge Medical Center. Born in Romania. He retired from the Ford Motor Company, Shipping and Handling Dept. He came to Ocala in 1995 from Pompano Beach, FL. Andrew attended the New Testament Baptist Church. Member of the U.A.W., was a master gardener, loved being outdoors and keeping active. Member of the German Club in the Top of the World, and the Inverness German Club. Survived by his devoted wife, Helene Kuehn of 54 years of Ocala; son, Harry Kuehn of Las Vegas, NV; daughter, Karin Wooten of Hendersonville, NC; 3 brothers, Fred Kuehn and Oswald Kuehn both of Canada, and Helmut Kuehn of Germany; sister, Helen Rhode of Canada; 5 grandchildren, Krista, Kayla, Kyle, Crissy, and Janine; 2 great grandchildren, Bailey and Joey; Services will be Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce West Chapel at 11 a.m. Friends may call on the family prior to the service at the funeral home. Reverend Ken Wooten will conduct services. Burial will follow at the service at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW State Road 200. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/19/2007 - 2/20/2007.

672. KUEHN, ANDREAS "ANDREW", (Obituary No. 672.) 81 Ocala - Andreas "Andrew" Kuehn, 81, of Ocala, Florida died February 17, 2007 at the TimberRidge Medical Center. Born in Romania. He retired from the Ford Motor Company, Shipping and Handling Dept. He came to Ocala in 1995 from Pompano Beach, FL. Andrew attended the New Testament Baptist Church. Member of the U.A.W., was a master gardener, loved being outdoors and keeping active. Member of the German Club in the Top of the World, and the Inverness German Club. Survived by his devoted wife, Helene Kuehn of 54 years of Ocala; son, Harry Kuehn of Las
Vegas, NV; daughter, Karin Wooten of Hendersonville, NC; 3 brothers, Fred Kuehn and Oswald Kuehn both of Canada, and Helmut Kuehn of Germany; sister, Helen Rhode of Canada; 5 grandchildren, Krista, Kayla, Kyle, Crissy, and Janine; 2 great grandchildren, Bailey and Joey; Services will be Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce West Chapel at 11 a.m. Friends may call on the family prior to the service at the funeral home. Reverend Ken Wooten will conduct services. Burial will follow at the service at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW State Road 200. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/19/2007 - 2/20/2007.

673. MILLS, HILDA H., (Obituary No. 673.) 93 Ocala - Ms. Hilda H. Mills, 93, passed away Friday, February 16, 2007 at her home. Ms. Mills was a homemaker, she was born in Lacrosse, FL., and she moved to Ocala 60 years ago from Gainesville, FL., she was a member of Central Church of Christ. Hilda is survived by her daughter, Judy Mills Aylward of Ocala, FL.; two sisters, Fay Bishop of Gainesville and Hazel Lester of Dade City, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband Leslie Allen Mills. There will be a graveside Service held at Woodlawn Cemetery at 3 p.m., Tuesday, February 20, 2007. Arrangements are being handled by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. 34470. Those who wish may make contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/19/2007.

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676. CATES, OLIVIA C., (Obituary No. 676.) 80 Fort Wayne, IN - Olivia C. Cates, 80, died Sunday, February 18, 2007 at Parkview Memorial Hospital in Fort Wayne. Born in Miami, FL, she was a homemaker and was a member of First Baptist Church and member of the Diaconate. Survivors include her husband, Rev. James A. Cates, Sr.; son, James A. Cates, Jr.; daughter-in-law, Linda Graham; grandson, Michael Cates; great granddaughter, Kelsae Cates all of Fort Wayne; sister, Norma Crane Alley of Richmond, VA. Memorial Service is 2 p.m. Saturday at First Baptist Church, 2323 Fairfield Ave with calling 1 hour prior. Rev. Charles Lyman officiating. Arrangements by D.O. MCCOMB & SONS MAPLEWOOD PARK FUNERAL HOME, 4017 Maplecrest Rd. Burial in Marion National Cemetery, Marion. Memorials to Matthew 25 Health & Dental Clinic or First Baptist Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/20/2007 - 2/21/2007.

677. COLLINS, ROSEMARY (HARDING), (Obituary No. 677.) 77 Ocala - Mrs. Rosemary (Harding) Collins, 77, passed away February 15, 2007. She was born July 9, 1929 in Buffalo, NY, moved to South Florida in 1975 then to Ocala in 1989. Rosemary was a loving wife, mother and dear friend to all. She retired from American Greeting Company after 35 years of service, and was a ceramics and craft teacher in Tonawanda, NY. Rosemary loved quilting, cross-stitching, computer card games, and crossword puzzles. She was a library volunteer and a member of the Oak Run Cribbage Club. Rosemary belonged to Ocala West Methodist Church where her greatest enjoyment was being a bell ringer. Rosemary is survived by her loving husband, Robert of 57 years, daughter, LynnMarie (Montell) Pistoria and sister Ruth Hawthorne of N. Tonawanda, NY. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to American Heart Association, The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, Southern Florida Chapter, or Shriners Hospital for Children, Tampa, FL. Services will be held on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Dr. Ken Kleckner, III officiating. Visitation one hour prior to service at HIERSBAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/20/2007.

678. CROSBY, WILLIAM J., (Obituary No. 678.) 80 Citra - William J. Crosby, 80, died Saturday, February 17, 2007. He was born in Ocala and had been a lifetime resident of Citra. He was a retired rancher and citrus grower and a member of Citra United Methodist Church, the Citra Improvement Society and Citra Volunteer Fire Dept. He was a graduate of West Point and was a veteran of the Korean War serving in the U.S. Air Force. He was an engineer who enjoyed building projects. His survivors include his wife of 51 years, Joyce R. Crosby of Citra, his daughters and son-in-laws, Jill Ellis (Tommy) and Laurie Ward (Bill) all of Citra, Annie West (Stanton) of Orlando and Mary Lynn Smith (Kitch) of Green Cove Springs; his sisters, Betty C. Stillwell of Havana, FL and Peggy C. Reynolds of Franklin, NC; and his nine grandchildren, Jeremy and Daniel Ellis, Michael and Tyler Ward, Hunter, Ashley and Luke West and Jessica and Victoria Smith. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, February 21, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Citra United Methodist Church with Rev. Jodi Hopkins and Rev. George Holston officiating. Interment will be in Citra Cemetery. Visitation will be Tuesday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS...

679. HIERS, RACHEL STRAWN, (Obituary No. 679.) 85 Romeo - Mrs. Rachel Strawn Hiers, 85, of Romeo, FL died at her home February 16, 2007. She was born in Tidewater, FL and was a lifetime area residence. She was a homemaker and a member of Romeo Baptist Church. She is survived by her daughters, Betty Ruth (Winston) Britt of Romeo, Sharon (Jerry) Mills of Morriston, Carrie Joe (Bob) Chapin of Brandon, and Debbie (Kelly) Jerrels of Romeo; sons, Buddy (Jodie) Hiers and Carl (Rhonda) Hiers both of Romeo; brother, Frank Strawn of Dunnellon; and sister, Pauline Hiers of Romeo; 18 grandchildren and 27 great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband of 65 years, L.L. "Bo" Hiers. Services will be Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Romeo Baptist Church. Burial will follow in Hickory Springs Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Hiers Residence in Romeo on Monday, February 19, 2007 at 6 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICE OF CHIEFLAND is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/20/2007.

680. HOLT, HARRY W., (Obituary No. 680.) 81 Ocala - Harry W. Holt passed away on Thursday, February 15, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House, after an extended illness. Harry was born on March 22, 1925 in Waycross, Georgia. His parents were Martin B. and Gladys (Farr) Holt. He was a WWII Navy Veteran and was a Purple Heart recipient and a Presidential Citation Honoree. Harry was an Engineer for CSX Family Railroad, stationed in Albany, Georgia, and retired with 38 years of service. Harry was a member of the American Legion, a member of the Dougherty Lodge #591 F & MA, a member of the Valley Scottish Rite, and a member of the Hasan Shrine Temple, all in Albany, GA. He was of the Methodist faith. After retirement, he and Doris moved to Ocala in 1997. Harry was predeceased by his daughter, Suzanne, his brother-in-law, Gene Lawrence, and his sister-in-law, Elizabeth Haskew. He is survived by his wife of 28 years, Doris Holt; stepdaughters, Carolyn Smith and Kathy McClendon of Alabama; sister, Elizabeth Giddens of Fernandina Beach, FL; sister-in-law, Betty Smith and brother-in-law, Ballard Smith of Ocala; sisters-in-law, Linda Fields, Mary Lawrence, and Laverne Simmons and brother-in-law, Sonny Haskew, all of Alabama; numerous nieces and nephew. Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon with Hospice Chaplain Jack Cushman officiating. Military Honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Masonic Orphans Home, 811 Mulberry St., Macon, GA 31201 or Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/21/2007.

681. JENNINGS, EILEEN C., (Obituary No. 681.) 69 Ocala - Eileen C. Jennings, 69, of On Top Of The World died Saturday, February 17, 2007 at Legacy House. She was a native of Chicago, ILL. But moved to Ocala from Long Island, New York in 1997. She was a retired medical receptionist. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She is survived by her husband of 47 years, Frank of On Top Of The World; a son and daughter-in-law, Michael and
Janette Jennings and 2 grandchildren, Leslie and Jay Jennings all of Fox Lake, ILL. Family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. HIER-S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICE, TIMBERRIDGE, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/20/2007 - 2/21/2007.

682. KAISER, LADONNA BELL, (Obituary No. 682.) 63 Ocala - Mrs. LaDonna Bell Kaiser, 63, passed away Wednesday, February 15, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in LaPorte, IN and moved to WI with her husband Randy and children in 1970. Randy and Donna moved to Ocala, FL in 1993 where they currently reside in Marion Oaks. Donna was an active golfer and member of Marion Oaks Women's Golf Association. She enjoyed playing cards with her club and family and loved to knit and crochet. She is survived by her husband Randal L. Kaiser, four daughters Theresa (Bruce); Kelly; Rhonda (Jeff); and Michelle (Travis). She loved her nine grandchildren dearly Chadwick; Nicholas; Sarah; Jacob; Shawn; Samantha; Nathaniel; Mersadie and Michael; two brothers Harry (Susan), William (Diane) and a sister Carol (Pete). She was preceded in death by her sister Sharon. Visitation was Sunday, February 18, 2007 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. at HIER-S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 9695 SW 110th St., TimberRidge. LaDonna was a breast cancer survivor and donations may be made to Breast Cancer Gifts, 111 Forrest Ave. 1R, Narberth, PA 19072. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/17/2007 - 2/21/2007.

683. KOHLMAIER, SR., KENNETH STEVEN, (Obituary No. 683.) 57 Ocala - Mr. Kenneth S. Kohlmaier, Sr., 57, of Ocala, passed away on February 13, 2007 at home. A native of Bronx, NY, he came here 21 years ago from Spokane, WA and was a former truck driver and a U.S. Marine Corps veteran, serving in Vietnam with 3rd Marine, 3rd Battalion, 3rd MEDF. His decorations include medals for National Defense, Vietnam Campaign, Vietnam Service, Combat Action and The Gallantry Cross. Ken was of the Christian faith. He is survived by his wife of 37 years, Denise of Ocala; son, Kenneth Jr. of Ocala; son, Keith of Ft. Lauderdale; daughters, Kelli Stover and Kristie Marcum, both of Ocala; son, Cameron of Ocala; father, Frank Kohlmaier of Ft. Lauderdale; sister, Karen Cass of Seaforth, NY; brother, Glen of Texas; brother, Frank of Boise, ID; 14 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. A memorial service will be held on Friday, February 23, 2007 at 4:15 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, OCALA with military honor following at 5 p.m. in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens rendered by the Marion County Memorial Honor Guard. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/20/2007 - 2/21/2007.

684. KUEHN, ANDREAS "ANDREW", (Obituary No. 684.) 81 Ocala - Andreas "Andrew" Kuehn, 81, of Ocala, Florida died February 17, 2007 at the TimberRidge Medical Center. Born in Romania. He retired form the Ford Motor Company, Shipping and Handling Dept. He came to Ocala in 1995 from Pompano Beach, FL. Andrew attended the New Testament Baptist Church. Member of the U.A.W., was a master gardener, loved being outdoors and keeping active. Member of the German Club in the Top of the World, and the Inverness German Club. Survived by his devoted wife, Helene Kuehn of 54 years of Ocala; son, Harry Kuehn of Las Vegas, NV; daughter, Karin Wooten of Hendersonville, NC; 3 brothers, Fred Kuehn and Oswald Kuehn both of Canada, and Helmut Kuehn of Germany; sister, Helen Rhode of Canada; 5 grandchildren, Krista, Kayla, Kyle, Crissy, and Janine; 2 great grandchildren, Bailey and Joey; Services will be Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce West Chapel at 11 a.m. Friends may call on the family prior to the service at the funeral home. Reverend Ken Wooten will conduct services. Burial will follow at the service at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.
685. LUSBY, JOHN THOMAS, (Obituary No. 685.) 80 Ocala - John Thomas Lusby, 80, of Ocala, died February 17, 2007 at Hospice's Tuscany House in Summerfield, FL. A native of Owenton, KY, after graduation, he began work for Parke-Davis Pharmaceuticals, and his career with what is now Warner Lambert, lasted for over 30 years. He retired to Ocala, FL several years ago and is survived by his stepmother, Thelma Keith and half siblings, Carolyn Corbett and Jerry Lusby. He was preceded in death by his father, John T. Lusby Sr., and sister, Juanita Lusby McPherin. Funeral Services and burial will occur in Owenton, Kentucky. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/20/2007 - 2/21/2007.

686. TRIPP, JAMES EDWARD "BIG DADDY", (Obituary No. 686.) 79 Salt Springs, FL - James Edward "Big Daddy" Tripp, age 79 of Salt Springs, FL died Tuesday, February 6, 2007, at the Mountain City and Rehabilitation Center, Mountain City, Tennessee. A Celebration of his life will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Astor, Florida (352-759-2135). Pastor Terry Holland will officiate. Ed was born on July 11, 1927, in Odum, Georgia. He owned Ed Tripp Masonry for over 45 years. Big Daddy enjoyed life to the fullest. He always has a smile and a feisty attitude. He had an amazing will to live. Big Daddy enjoyed spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren and great grandchildren. He loved car racing and raced many years on short tracks all over Florida. Big Daddy is survived by his wife, Betty Tripp; son, Orville Tripp of Bunnell, FL.; daughters, Gail Bracewell of Goose Creek, SC., Colleen Gallagher of Melbourne, FL., Donna Heard of Holly Hill, FL., Rhonda Hudson of Ormond Beach, FL., and Portia Blair of Hickory, NC.; He has 13 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren; one sister, Laura Nell Sauder of Titusville, FL.; two brothers, A.J. Tripp of Holly Hill, FL., and Robert Tripp of Jeffersonville, Indiana. Big Daddy was preceded in death by son-in-laws, Michael Gallagher, David Hudson and one grandchild James Roger Bracewell, Jr. After service Family and Friends are welcome at Rhonda Hudson home in Ormond Beach. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/18/2007 - 2/20/2007.

687. WALKER, KEITH EVAN, (Obituary No. 687.) 72 Popular Grove - Keith Evan Walker, age 72 of Poplar Grove, and formerly of the central Florida area passed away Wednesday, February 14, while in St. Anne Center. Keith was born August 28, 1934, in Mitchell, South Dakota, to Kenneth Ellsworth and Lila Margaret (Scott) Walker. Keith graduated from Mt. Vernon High School where he played basketball and 6-man football and achieved state awards for public speaking and debate. He attended Dakota Wesleyan College in Mitchell and graduated from University of Iowa with a degree in Communication and Theatre in 1957. Keith married Catherine "Kit" Morrison in Rockford. He served in the Army during the Korean Conflict. He won national awards in Toastmaster competitions. He maintained a career in broadcasting and radio station ownership his entire life in Iowa, Illinois and Florida. While living in northern Illinois he worked for WRRR radio, WTVO and WREX television stations. He was the founder of WKWL 104.9 FM radio station (now WXRX). Keith enjoyed being "Pop" to his grandchildren, spending time on beaches with family, farming, and being an avid Florida Gator sports fan. He is survived by his mother of DeLeon Springs, FL; son, Scott (Alison) Walker of Gainesville, FL; and three daughters, Kristi (Jim) Franseen of Poplar Grove, IL, Kim (Keith)
McGuigan of Orlando, FL and Kara (John) Hoblick of DeLeon Springs; grandchildren Catherine "Katie", Sarah, Margaret "Maggie" Franseen; Stewart, Westleigh, Kent Walker, Kevin Spaulding; Johnny, Kyla, and Jake Hoblick; brother, Dennis (Shannon) Walker, of Tolland CT; and mother-in-law Rosemary Morrison. He was preceded in death by his wife of 40 years, Kit, and his father. Cremation rites have been accorded. A public service will be held in Florida at a later date to be determined by the family. Special thanks to A.K. Kilburn, Heartland Hospice, Anam Care, and St. Anne Center. Memorials may be made to Heartland Hospice or Alzheimer's Association. To light a candle or sign the online guestbook visit www.buckwheelerhyland.com


688. WEBB, JAMES WILTON, (Obituary No. 688.) 76 Ocala James Wilton Webb passed away Feb. 18, 2007 in Ocala; Fl. James was born on Jan. 20 1931 in Hahira, Ga. To Byron Glenn and Flonnie Bell (Lee) Webb. Raised in Hahira, he was a master Sergeant in the Army during the Korean War. Lived in Miami, Waynesville, NC and Ocala, Fl. He was a Ferrier by trade. His wife Charlene, his sister Nadine Branch and his brother Byron Ollie Webb predeceased him. He will be missed by his brother, Lossie Everett Webb, his children son- Lester Revels of Ocala, Fl. 3 daughters- Jamie Kubala of Buffalo, NY, Janice (Kyle) Billy and Joyce Hernandez (Arturo) both from Jacksonville, Fl. and his grandchildren Robert Billy, Jillian (Billy) Litchfield, Caitlin Kubala and Arturo Joel Hernandez. Graveside services will be held. Feb.21, 2007 at 1:00 PM at the Good Shepherd Memorial Cemetery. Arrangement by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/20/2007 - 2/21/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, February 21, 2007

689. CATES, OLIVIA C., (Obituary No. 689.) 80 Fort Wayne, IN - Olivia C. Cates, 80, died Sunday, February 18, 2007 at Parkview Memorial Hospital in Fort Wayne. Born in Miami, FL, she was a homemaker and was a member of First Baptist Church and member of the Diaconate. Survivors include her husband, Rev. James A. Cates, Sr.; son, James A. Cates, Jr.; daughter-in-law, Linda Graham; grandson, Michael Cates; great granddaughter, Kelsae Cates all of Fort Wayne; sister, Norma Crane Alley of Richmond, VA. Memorial Service is 2 p.m. Saturday at First Baptist Church, 2323 Fairfield Ave with calling 1 hour prior. Rev. Charles Lyman officiating. Arrangements by D.O. MCCOMB & SONS MAPLEWOOD PARK FUNERAL HOME, 4017 Maplecrest Rd. Burial in Marion National Cemetery, Marion. Memorials to Matthew 25 Health & Dental Clinic or First Baptist Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/20/2007 - 2/21/2007.

690. COBB, ELBRIDGE, V., (Obituary No. 690.) 69 Belleview - Elbridge V. Cobb, 69, of Belleview, FL died February 18, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala. He was born in DeBruce, NY September 16, 1937, son of Elbridge and Minnie (Tremain) Cobb. He was a Process Engineer, a member of Community Baptist Church, Summerfield, FL., enjoyed computers and gardening. Elbridge is survived by his wife of 46 years, Ruth Howland Cobb of Belleview; two sons, Philip J. Cobb of Palmer, Alaska and Brian A. Cobb of Jacksonville, FL; four sisters, Rose Paul of Roscoe, NY, Violet Cornelius of Oneonta, AL., Pansy Peck of Pittsburgh, PA., and Beulah Porter of Winston-Salem, NC. He is also survived by 6 grandchildren, Brittany, Erin, Andrew, Shane, Shannon, and Seth. Visitation will be held on
Friday, February 23rd between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Bruce Chapel East with services beginning at 1 p.m. Officiating will be Pastor Todd Peplinski of Community Baptist Church. Interment will be held in Walton, NY. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to Community Baptist Church, 9525 SE 156th Place, Summerfield, FL 34491. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

691. CRAMER, JUNE LONG, (Obituary No. 691.) 69 Ocala - June Long Cramer, age 69, passed away Saturday, February 17, 2007 at ORMC. She was born in Vandergrift, PA and came to Ocala in 1980 from Hollywood, FL. Mrs. Cramer was executive secretary for Arthur Jones, owner of Jumbolair and the later 10 years a bookkeeper for Dr. Croley, Central Florida Eye Institute. She is survived by husband Ralph I. Cramer of Ocala, daughter Judy Koch of Ocala, three grandchildren Jimmy, Steven and Jenny, two great grandchildren Savannah and Connor. Memorial services be 1 p.m. on Friday, February 23, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

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698. ROUGH, EDWARD ARTHUR, (Obituary No. 698.) 76 Ocala - Edward Arthur Rough, 76, was called home to our Lord on Feb. 13, 2007. A devoted husband for 52 years, he is survived by his loving wife, Romayne R. Rough. Born in Hazleton, PA, he resided in Stroudsburg, PA for 40 years prior to retiring to Ocala, FL in 1995. Mr. Rough was a graduate of Stroudsburg High School, served in the U.S. Army Infantry from 1952 to 1954 and was a member of the Masonic Lodge. Originally employed as an auto mechanic, he changed careers and worked in the construction field as owner of Rough & Evans Construction. Mr. Rough was an accomplished custom furniture designer and craftsman who enjoyed traveling and spending time with his family. The last year of Mr. Rough's life was spent at the Life Care Center of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his mother, Evelyn O. Rough, and his father, Foster E. Rough. In addition to his wife, he is survived by a sister-in-law, Helen G. Yearing, and nieces and nephews: David Yearing, Carol Snyder, Paul Yearing, Alan Yearing, Michelle Schoen, Edmond Yearing, their spouses and children. A memorial service will be held at the Ocala Palms Country Club on Saturday, Feb. 24, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. with Rev. Robert Greaves officiating. Final resting arrangements are being handled by WILLIAM H. CLARK FUNERAL HOME in Stroudsburg, PA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

699. RUTH, JOHANNA M., (Obituary No. 699.) 89 Summerfield - Johanna M. Ruth, 89, of Summerfield, FL., died Monday, February 19, 2007 at Marion House Health Care in Ocala. She was born November 7, 1917 in Berlin, Germany. She moved to Pine Run in 1985 from Miami, FL., then in 1994 Mrs. Ruth moved to Summerfield to be with her daughter. She was a retired Bookkeeper. Mrs. Ruth was of Lutheran Faith and in her spare time she enjoyed gardening and walking. She is survived by two daughters, Monika Soto of Summerfield and Christa Kitzi of Summerfield, FL; 6 grandchildren, Christa Soto, Albert Soto, Jr., Alex Soto, Carlos Vargas, Felipe Vargas, Valeria Palmer; and 3 great grandchildren, Alyssa Soto, Autumn Soto, and Athelina Palmer. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

700. SCHINDEL, "C. W." CHARLES W. (Obituary No. 700.) Ocala - "C. W." Charles W. Schindel, of Ocala passed away Monday, February 12, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, after a brief illness. "C.W." was the son of the late Charles William Schindel, Sr., and Helen (Kirkan) Schindel of Wexford, PA. He is survived by his wife Eve F. Schindel of Ocala, his children Chuckie, Jeffery, Traci, Stephanie, April, Michael and Aubrey-Rose, two grandchildren Bubby and Wyatt, and his sister Sandy Schindel. During his life "C.W." was a
catch for the Kansas City A's, a veteran serving in the US Army, a successful builder of custom homes, a horseman, entrepreneur, and a professional in the gaming industry. He had an open heart and was a benefactor to many people throughout his life. Above all he should be remembered as a generous and honorable man, who will be greatly missed by all who knew him. Private memorial services will be held for family and friends. Memorial contributions may be made in his name to the Boys and Girls Club of Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. phone 352-629-7171 fax 352-867-0325. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

701. SEBES, GERALDINE ANN, (Obituary No. 701.) 78 Ocala - Geraldine Ann Sebes, 78, passed away Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Surry Place. She was born in Duquesne, PA on March 31, 1928 and came to Ocala in 2004 from Cape Coral. She is survived by two daughters, Kathleen Kreuer of Ocala and Cheryl Beckham of Upper Marlboro, MD; and two sons, Gregory Sebes of Plant City, and Brian Sebes of Tampa; 6 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Services will be at 11 a.m. on Friday, February 23, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Visitation will be Thursday, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

702. SPYKER, DARLENE LOUISE WALTER, (Obituary No. 702.) 77 Ocala - Mrs. Darlene Louise Walter Spyker, 77, of Ocala, FL and formerly of Blackstone, VA, passed away Saturday, February 10, 2007. Born June 6, 1929 in Sproul, P A., a daughter of the late George and Ethel Mangus Walter. As a young woman, Mrs. Spyker studied radiology. After marrying, she traveled to Europe several times a military wife, where she taught English and worked as a Red Cross volunteer and was very active in the Army wives club. Mrs. Spyker lived in Blackstone, VA from 1960 until 1974 and always considered Blackstone her home. She was an active member of Crenshaw UMC and Junior Women's Club. Mrs. Spyker was also the Director of the Red Cross in Nottoway, CO. In 1794 she and her husband moved to Florida, where she continued to be very active. She attended Brevard Community College, where she was a member of Phi Delta Kappa and Philanthropic Sorority Epsilon Sigma Alpha. Mrs. Spyker held various jobs in life Pre-K and Kindergarten teacher, office manager and home sales. Surviving are her husband of 58 years, William "Bill" Spyker; two daughters, Stephanie Simon of Ocala, FL and Kimberly Sherman of Misawa, Japan; and six grandchildren. Sadly Mrs. Spyker was preceded in death by her son, William "Chip" Spyker. A celebration of Mrs. Spyker's life will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, February 23, 2007 at Crenshaw United Methodist Church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc. PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or The American Red Cross. HAMMER - MCCMILLIAN FUNERAL HOME, Blackstone is serving the Spyker family. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

703. VALLEJO, JUAN, (Obituary No. 703.) 80 Ocala - Juan Vallejo, 80, passed away February 17, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. He was born in Guantanamo, Cuba. He was a Professional Tenor and Actor in the entertainment industry. He studied Opera singing in Italy and completer his studies in Siena "Chigiana" International Academy of Music. He continued his studies at "Scala" in Milan and in Rome with the well-known conductor, Guiseppe Morelli. He had a wonderful career in Opera Theater, thirty Italian movies, in TV and in many Italian and French movie-magazines. He was living in Marion Landing for the past eleven years where he
was loved and respected. Friday there will be a Celebration of Life in the Marion Landing Club House. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

704. WALKER, KEITH EVAN, (Obituary No. 704.) 72 Popular Grove - Keith Evan Walker, age 72 of Poplar Grove, and formerly of the central Florida area passed away Wednesday, February 14, while in St. Anne Center. Keith was born August 28, 1934, in Mitchell, South Dakota, to Kenneth Ellsworth and Lila Margaret (Scott) Walker. Keith graduated from Mt. Vernon High School where he played basketball and 6-man football and achieved state awards for public speaking and debate. He attended Dakota Wesleyan College in Mitchell and graduated from University of Iowa with a degree in Communication and Theatre in 1957. Keith married Catherine "Kit" Morrison in Rockford. He served in the Army during the Korean Conflict. He won national awards in Toastmaster competitions. He maintained a career in broadcasting and radio station ownership his entire life in Iowa, Illinois and Florida. While living in northern Illinois he worked for WRRR radio, WTVO and WREX television stations. He was the founder of WKWL 104.9 FM radio station (now WXRX). Keith enjoyed being "Pop" to his grandchildren, spending time on beaches with family, farming, and being an avid Florida Gator sports fan. He is survived by his mother of DeLeon Springs, FL; son, Scott (Alison) Walker of Gainesville, FL; and three daughters, Kristi (Jim) Franseen of Poplar Grove, IL, Kim (Keith) McGuigan of Orlando, FL and Kara (John) Hoblick of DeLeon Springs; grandchildren Catherine "Katie", Sarah, Margaret "Maggie" Franseen; Stewart, Westleigh, Kent Walker, Kevin Spaulding; Johnny, Kyla, and Jake Hoblick; brother, Dennis (Shannon) Walker, of Tolland CT; and mother-in-law Rosemary Morrison. He was preceded in death by his wife of 40 years, Kit, and his father. Cremation rites have been accorded. A public service will be held in Florida at a later date to be determined by the family. Special thanks to A.K. Kilburn, Heartland Hospice, Anam Care, and St. Anne Center. Memorials may be made to Heartland Hospice or Alzheimer's Association. To light a candle or sign the online guestbook visit www.buckwheelerhyland.com

705. WEBB, JAMES WILTON, (Obituary No. 705.) 76 Ocala James Wilton Webb passed away Feb. 18, 2007 in Ocala; Fl. James was born on Jan. 20 1931 in Hahira, Ga. To Byron Glenn and Flonnie Bell (Lee) Webb. Raised in Hahira, he was a master Sergeant in the Army during the Korean War. Lived in Miami, Waynesville, NC and Ocala, Fl. He was a Ferrier by trade. His wife Charlene, his sister Nadine Branch and his brother Byron Ollie Webb predeceased him. He will be missed by his brother, Lossie Everett Webb, his children son- Lester Revels of Ocala, Fl. 3 daughters- Jamie Kubala of Buffalo, NY, Janice (Kyle) Billy and Joyce Hernandez (Arturo) both from Jacksonville, Fl. and his grandchildren Robert Billy, Jillian (Billy) Litchfield, Caitlin Kubala and Arturo Joel Hernandez. Graveside services will be held. Feb.21, 2007 at 1:00 PM at the Good Shepherd Memorial Cemetery. Arrangement by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/20/2007 - 2/21/2007.

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706. ANDERS, GENE ARNOLD, (Obituary No. 706.) 63 Etowha, NC - ANDERS, Gene Arnold, 63, passed away on Thursday, October 26, 2006, at his home in Etowah, NC. Gene was
a native of Miami and graduated from New Smyrna Beach High School. He had a successful career in the telecommunications industry and retired from Verizon Data Services. He and his wife, Sue, moved from Tampa, FL to their retirement home in Etowah in September 2006. Gene is survived by his wife Marilyn Suzanne Anders; his three daughters Tamara Hutfilz, April Knisley, and Jennifer Burlett; five grandchildren Laura, Douglas, Steven, Emily and Jessica; his mother Myrtle Anders of Ocala, FL; and his two sisters Frances Dunn and Martha French. Gene was always full of life, laughter and love for his family and will be deeply missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 at Oakcrest Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida on February 24, 2007. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Pituitary Network Association: http://www.pituitary.org/donate/. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

707. ANDERS, MARILYN "SUE" SUZANNE, (Obituary No. 707.) 60 Etowah, NC - ANDERS, Marilyn "Sue" Suzanne, 60, passed away on Monday, December 18, 2006, at her home in Etowah, NC. Sue was a native of Tampa and attended Hillsborough High School. Sue worked in the telecommunications industry for many years, and moved to Etowah, NC in September 2006, after her husband's retirement. She was preceded in death by her husband, Gene Anders, to whom she was married for 43 years. She is survived by her three daughters, Tamara Hutfilz, April Knisley, and Jennifer Burlett; five grandchildren, Laura, Douglas, Stephen, Emily and Jessica; her mother, Vivian Wilcox of Tampa, FL; her sister, Phyllis House and brother, Cecil Wilcox. Sue was a generous and caring person who will be greatly missed by all who knew her. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 at Oakcrest Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida on February 24, 2007. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Feed the Children. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

708. BARNES, DEREK GINLOCK (POOH BEAR), (Obituary No. 708.) 23 Ocala - Derek Ginlock (Pooh Bear) Ginlock, 23, passed away February 14, 2007. Funeral services will be at 4 p.m. at New Zion Baptist Church. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Visitation will be Friday, February 23, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. "Providing A Memory that never fades". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

709. CAUDILL, ROSEOLENE "LYNN", (Obituary No. 709.) 44 Ocala - Roseolene, "Lynn" Caudill, 44 died at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL on Tuesday, February 20, 2007. She was born on August 27, 1962 in Cincinnati, OH. She moved to the Ocala area in 1977 from Cincinnati. Lynn was a homemaker. She was predeceased by her brother, William Elder and sister, Barb Smith. She will be missed by those who survive her including her parents, Morris and Vera Hicks of Dunnellon; her husband, Bruce A. Caudill of Ocala; son, Rusty Cramer of Cleveland, OH; daughters, Cassie Cramer of Dunnellon and Nakita Caudill of Ocala; brothers, Charles Elder of Ocala, James Lacey of Cunningham, TN., and Morris Hicks Jr. of Ocala; sisters, Leona White of Houston, TX and Audrey Elder of Ocala; and six grandchildren. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

710. CHAPMAN, MORIAH, (Obituary No. 710.) 2 Silver Springs Shores - Moriah Chapman, 2, died on February 18, 2007 at MRMD. She was born July 1, 2004 in Ocala, FL. She is survived
by father, Michael Chapman; mother, Julie Anderson; sisters, Jamila Chapman and Kiarra Chapman; brother, Nehemiah Anderson; parental grandparents, Cedric and Ivory Smith; maternal grandmother, Lisa Matino; grandparents, Kathy Harvey and Robert Taylor; great grandmother, Elizabeth White; and great grandfather, Jack Solomon Gavin. Services Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Funeral services to be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 2:30 p.m. at Meadow Brook Church, Rev. James Watts, Pastor. Visitation Friday, February 23, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

711. COBB, ELBRIDGE, V., (Obituary No. 711.) 69 Belleview - Elbridge V. Cobb, 69, of Belleview, FL died February 18, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala. He was born in DeBruce, NY September 16, 1937, son of Elbridge and Minnie (Tremain) Cobb. He was a Process Engineer, a member of Community Baptist Church, Summerfield, FL., enjoyed computers and gardening. Elbridge is survived by his wife of 46 years, Ruth Howland Cobb of Belleview; two sons, Philip J. Cobb of Palmer, Alaska and Brian A. Cobb of Jacksonville, FL; four sisters, Rose Paul of Roscoe, NY, Violet Cornelius of Oneonta, AL., Pansy Peck of Pittsburgh, PA., and Beulah Porter of Winston-Salem, NC. He is also survived by 6 grandchildren, Brittany, Erin, Andrew, Shane, Shannon, and Seth. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 23rd between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Bruce Chapel East with services beginning at 1 p.m. Officiating will be Pastor Todd Peplinski of Community Baptist Church. Interment will be held in Walton, NY. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to Community Baptist Church, 9525 SE 156th Place, Summerfield, FL 34491. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

712. COLEMAN, CLARENCE E., (Obituary No. 712.) 81 Ocala - Funeral Service for Clarence E. Coleman, 81, Assistant Engineer for Marion County Court House - Retired, passed away on February 14, 2007 at his residence. Services will be held Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at the Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church with Dr. G.W. Lee, Pastor, conducting the service. Mr. Coleman was born in Red Level, FL on 5-12-25 to the late John Coleman and Daisy Bell Osey. Mr. Coleman was a US Army veteran and a graduate of Howard Academy and Tuskegee Institute. Survivors: A loving and devoted wife, Ernestine M. Coleman, Ocala, FL, 2 sons, Clarence Coleman, Jr., Buena Park, CA and Kenneth L. Coleman, Ocala, FL, daughter Janice Coleman, Miami, FL, 2 brothers, Cranford Coleman and Altha Coleman, Ocala, FL, 5 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Interment at Chestnut Cemetery. Visitation: Friday, February 23, 2007 from 9 - 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, and Sat. at the church from 10:00 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. "Your Friends Who Care" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

713. CRAMER, JUNE LONG, (Obituary No. 713.) 69 Ocala - June Long Cramer, age 69, passed away Saturday, February 17, 2007 at ORMC. She was born in Vandergrift, PA and came to Ocala in 1980 from Hollywood, FL. Mrs. Cramer was executive secretary for Arthur Jones, owner of Jumbolair and the later 10 years a bookkeeper for Dr. Crole, Central Florida Eye Institute. She is survived by husband Ralph I. Cramer of Ocala, daughter Judy Koch of Ocala, three grandchildren Jimmy, Steven and Jenny, two great grandchildren Savannah and Connor. Memorial services be 1 p.m. on Friday, February 23, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery.
714. DEAN, ROSA LEE, (Obituary No. 714.) 91 Dania - Rosa Lee Dean, 91, of Dania, Florida, transitioned from this life on Thursday, February 15, 2007 at Avante of Charlotte, North Carolina. Mrs. Dean was born in Webster, Florida on February 25, 1916, to Boisy Wright and Marie Edith Wilson-Wright who preceded her in death; she married Avorn Dean, Sr. (deceased) of McIntosh, FL in 1934 and bore three children: Inez Dean Wood Wyche, Helen Dean Cunningham, and Avorn Dean, Jr. (deceased) and held dear seven grandchildren: Donna Wood-McLeod (Rodney), her caregiver (Charlotte, NC), Desinda Wood-Carper (Tallahassee, FL), Albert L. Cunningham, Jr., Algernon B. Cunningham (Ocala, FL), La'Fave Y. Dean (Atlanta, GA), Marcus Brown and Christopher Kelly (Dania, FL). Mrs. Dean resided in Dania, Florida for 85 years where she was the first African-American business owner to secure membership in the Dania Chamber of Commerce. A master cosmetologist earning her degree from the Chicago School of Cosmetology & Barbering, Mrs. Dean owned and operated Rosa Lee's Beauty Salon for over 70 years in Dania, Florida and was a former instructor of Cosmetology at the Sunlight Beauty Culture School, Miami, Florida. Mrs. Dean was a member of many church auxiliaries since matriculating to Dania in 1934. "Mother Dear", as she was so lovingly called, leaves to mourn, Inez Dean Wood Wyche, Helen Dean Cunningham, five grandchildren, ten great grandchildren, three great-great grandchildren, loving family members and a host of cherished friends. A tribute to Mrs. Dean will take place at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, February 23, 2007 at the CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 434 NW Martin Luther Boulevard, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be held Thursday, February 22, 2007 from 9:00-7:30 p.m. at the funeral home and Friday from 9:00 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

715. EDMONDS, GARRETT GENE, (Obituary No. 715.) 66 Ocala - Garrett Gene Edmonds died at Legacy House on Wednesday, February 21, 2007. He was born in Huntington, West Virginia on May 19, 1940. He moved from West Virginia to Ocala in 1984, after retiring as a machinist. He was a member of the Gospel Mission in West Virginia. He was predeceased by his parents, Riley and Rosa Edmonds, and his brother, Keith Edmonds. He is survived by his wife, Mary Edmonds of Ocala; sons, Rick Edmonds and companion, Denise Hill, of Morriston, FL and Keith Edmonds of Ocala; daughter, Sherry Edmonds of Ocala; brothers, David, Ernest, Frank, Donald, and Steven Edmonds; sisters, Sue, Kay, Robin, and Marlene Edmonds; grandchildren, Sheila Patterson, Amber Lloyd, Maryann Edmonds, and Ashley "Dasher" Edmonds; and great grandchildren, Alexis, Kaitlin, and Ashlee Lloyd. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON with Reverend Gordon Maxwell officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Friday evening from 6 to 8 p.m. Interment will be in the Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. 352-489-2429 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

716. HART, LUCINDA COLYER, (Obituary No. 716.) 89 Ocala - Lucinda Colyer Hart, (89) Retired Teacher for the Marion County School System passed away on Saturday, February 17, 2007. She is survived by her son, Everett David Hart of Ocala, Florida; three sisters, Katie Mae
Rice and Pauline Simmons of Flemington, Florida and Mamie Bryant of Miami, Florida; 5 grandchildren; three great grandchildren; A special nephew and caregiver, Rev. Gerald Keith Colyer; a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins. Services will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Stanley Jacobs Sr., Eulogist, Rev. Dr. TL Brooks Presiding. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the at the Greene's residence (430 SW 44 Ave. Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Arrangements provided by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

717. HUGEL, MAX, (Obituary No. 717.) 81 Ocala - Max Hugel, a successful businessman who helped elect Ronald Reagan to the Presidency and went on to serve as Bill Casey's Deputy Director of the Central Intelligence Agency, died Monday, February 19, 2007 at his home in Ocala, Florida. He succumbed after a long battle with cancer and its complications. Mr. Hugel was born on May 23, 1925 in The Bronx, New York. His widowed mother was forced, due to economic reasons, to place him in an orphanage, as she was unable to care for him financially. At the age of 18, Mr. Hugel enlisted in the Army, and was chosen to attend the Military Intelligence School at the University of Michigan, where he became fluent in Japanese. He was subsequently promoted to First Lieutenant in the Military Intelligence section of the Army. Upon his release from the military, Mr. Hugel utilized his considerable talents in the business world. With his knowledge of Japanese, he became the Chief Executive Officer of a small Japanese exporter of sewing machines, Brother International Corporation, and is credited with being one of the driving and guiding forces that ultimately mad Brother a $5 billion consumer giant. This was merely Mr. Hugel's first foray into the world of high finance. Mr. Hugel was the COO of Centronics Data Corporation, until he stepped down to pursue other business ventures. In 1983, Mr. Hugel, and 3 other partners, purchased Rockingham Park, New England's oldest and largest thoroughbred race track, after a devastating fire that destroyed the facility. Through hard work, determination and an incredible "vision" of what it "could" be, Mr. Hugel led the resurrection of Rockingham Park into one of New Hampshire's largest tourist attractions. Never one to be content with past accomplishments, Mr. Hugel pushed further into the business venue, where he became one of the earliest investors in the cellular industry, owned several communications companies, and at his death, was the Vice Chairman of the Carmen Group Incorporated, one of Washington DC's largest and most respected governments affairs firms. Mr. Hugel had a deep passion for this country, and had a firm belief in our political system. California Governor Ronald Reagan recruited Max Hugel first to his 1980 New Hampshire primary effort where Mr. Hugel helped turn in the decisive victory Reagan needed in that early outing. Later, Mr. Hugel chaired the Reagan/Bush National Voters Group division of the general election campaign and was widely credited with forging the pathway for the "Reagan Democrats" to identify with a Republican by being the first to organize farmer, ethnics, small businessmen and women, and more that a hundred other categories of voters by issue interest rather than political affiliation. With the election of President Reagan, Mr. Hugel followed him to Washington, serving in a variety of roles - as head of the Small Business Administration during the transition; later as the Deputy Director of the Central Intelligence Agency for Administration (DDA) and then as Deputy Director of the Central Intelligence Agency for Operations (DDO). As DDO, he was charged by longtime friend and Director Bill Casey with rebuilding the tattered human intelligence function at the CIA. Other public service stints included service as a Member of
President Nixon's Economic Conference on Far Eastern Affairs and as Member of the National Commission on Employment Policy. Mr. Hugel along with his wife and partner, Diane, felt it was his obligation to help those less fortunate. As an example, each Christmas Mr. Hugel would dress up as Santa Claus and deliver Christmas "cheer" at Rockingham Park to the Needy. Mr. Hugel believed that charity was a personal situation and did most of his charitable work anonymously. Mr. Hugel loved the simplicities of life, and took great pleasure in either watching his horses gallop on his farm in Ocala, Florida or playing a round of golf with friends and family. Max's belief in God and Jesus gave him an inner peace until his death. In his own words prior to his death, "My greatest accomplishment during my life has been my love for my friends and family. In the end, nothing else matters". Mr. Hugel had four children, Susan, Richard, David, and Christine, and he and Diane were blessed with 10 grandchildren. Arrangements Entrusted to O.B. SAMUEL FUNERAL HOME. "Dedicated to those we serve". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

718. KINGCADE, CARL W., (Obituary No. 718.) 76 Miami - Carl W. Kingcade, 76 died on February 15, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Liberty Chapel with Rev. Isaiah Jamie conducting the service. He is survived by wife Betty Kingcade; son, Jerome Kingcade; and 4 grandchildren. Service entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Visitation will be on Friday, February 23, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

719. KOZANECKI, EDWARD STEVEN (JACOB) (Obituary No. 719.) Ocala - Edward Steven (Jacob) Kozanecki died February 12, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born June 18, 1924 in Chicago, Illinois and graduated from Loyola University. An Army veteran of World War II, Ed lived his early years in Chicago, IL. He married Isabel Kozanecki on August 24, 1968. Preceded in death by father Louis Kozanecki and mother Margaret (Pauly) Kozanecki; wife, Anita Zasadil Kozanecki; and son, Steven Riebe. Survived by wife, Isabel Kozanecki of Ocala, FL; sister, Carole (Sis) Marano of Chicago, IL; children, Anita Hartmann, PhD of Fairbanks, AK., Kenneth Kozanecki of Red Wing, MN., Margaret Kozanecki Covington of Rea, MO., James Kozanecki of Ft. Worth, TX., Judith Kozanecki Laster of Mission, KS., Sandy Allen and Bruce Riebe of St. Joseph, MO., and Allan Riebe of Siggelcow, WI; He also survived by 12 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Edward has been cremated and his family will celebrate his life in a private service. Arrangements by MEIERHOFFER FUNERAL HOME, St. Joseph, Missouri. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

720. LABRANT, MARGARETHA HOWELL, (Obituary No. 720.) 66 Morriston - Margaretha Howell LaBrant was born on July 16, 1940 and died on February 20, 2007. She was born in St. Petersburg, Florida and lived there until 1997, when she moved to Morristown, Florida. Mr. LaBrant was a member of BETA SIGMA PHI Sorority, SALTY SISTERS, BOCA CIEGA CHAPTER OF DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, COLONIAL DAMES, and UNITED DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY. Past President of North Shore PTA, Board of Directors of Northeast, District 5, and Southern Regional Little League Baseball Programs and was an avid Gator Fan. Survivors include two sons, Donald S. (Trey) LaBrant of St. Petersburg and William H. (Billy) LaBrant of St. Petersburg; a sister, Louise Brennan of Hernando. Funeral services for Mrs. LaBrant will be
Friday, February 23, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Woodlawn Presbyterian Church in St. Petersburg where Rev. William Weaver will be officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to service from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. BETA SIGMA PHI will take part in the services. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED.

Interment will follow at 1 p.m. in Memorial Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations to be made to Haven Hospice Tri County Care Center, 311 NE 9th Street, Chiefland, Florida 32626 or Woodlawn Presbyterian Church in St. Petersburg, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

721. LEHANS, JOSEPH ANTHONY, (Obituary No. 721.) 89 Ocala - Joseph A. Lehans, age 89, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, February 19, 2007 at his residence. He was born December 20, 1917 in Garfield, NJ and came to Ocala 29 years ago from NJ. He retired as Captain, USNR, serving during WWII. Mr. Lehans is survived by his wife of 65 years Audrey A. Lehans of Ocala, son Thomas S. Lehans of Holden, MA, daughter Dara A. Lehans of Epsom, NH, two sisters Ellen Mahady of Washington Crossing, PA, May Weldner of Tinton Falls, NJ and four grandchildren. Memorial service will be held at a date to be announced. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

722. NOXON, GLADYS (HONEY), (Obituary No. 722.) 71 Ocala - Gladys (Honey) Noxon, 71, passed away Monday 19, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Bronx, NY, she came to Ocala from Farmingdale, NY in 1964. She was an optical assistant with Dr. Richard Hughes for many years. Mrs. Noxon was member of Grace Episcopal Church, Ocala. The Ocala Woman's Club and the Episcopal Womens Club. She is survived by two daughters, Donnalee N. Dees, and Bobbi-Jean N. Hamilton, and son-in-law Andy Hamilton both of Ocala; 3 grandchildren, Chelsea Dees, Zachary Long and Miah Hamilton. Preceded in death by her beloved husband Donald C. Noxon. Funeral Services will be Friday, February 23, 2007 at Grace Episcopal Church at 11 a.m. with Father Donald J Curran, Jr., officiating. Visitation will be Thursday 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

723. ONDRA, JEAN I., (Obituary No. 723.) 82 Ocala - Jean I. Ondra, 82, passed away February 20th at Oakhurst Nursing and Rehab. of Ocala. Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, she came to this area in 1978 from Quakertown, PA. She was a retired Insurance Agent and a Catholic by faith. She was preceded in death by her husband, John J. Ondra and is survived by her daughter, MaryLisa Hoffmann and her husband Norbert of Ocala; son, Paul Ondra and his wife Danielle of Westminster, MD; and granddaughter, Lisa Ferrier. In lieu of flowers the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to Marion County Senior Services, 1101 SW 20th Ct., Ocala, FL 34474. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

724. ROUGH, EDWARD ARTHUR, (Obituary No. 724.) 76 Ocala - Edward Arthur Rough, 76, was called home to our Lord on Feb. 13, 2007. A devoted husband for 52 years, he is survived by his loving wife, Romayne R. Rough. Born in Hazleton, PA, he resided in Stroudsburg, PA for 40 years prior to retiring to Ocala, FL in 1995. Mr. Rough was a graduate of Stroudsburg High School, served in the U.S. Army Infantry from 1952 to 1954 and was a member of the Masonic
Lodge. Originally employed as an auto mechanic, he changed careers and worked in the construction field as owner of Rough & Evans Construction. Mr. Rough was an accomplished custom furniture designer and craftsman who enjoyed traveling and spending time with his family. The last year of Mr. Rough's life was spent at the Life Care Center of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his mother, Evelyn O. Rough, and his father, Foster E. Rough. In addition to his wife, he is survived by a sister-in-law, Helen G. Yearing, and nieces and nephews: David Yearing, Carol Snyder, Paul Yearing, Alan Yearing, Michelle Schoen, Edmond Yearing, their spouses and children. A memorial service will be held at the Ocala Palms Country Club on Saturday, Feb. 24, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. with Rev. Robert Greaves officiating. Final resting arrangements are being handled by WILLIAM H. CLARK FUNERAL HOME in Stroudsburg, PA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

725. RUTH, JOHANNA M., (Obituary No. 725.) 89 Summerfield - Johanna M. Ruth, 89, of Summerfield, FL., died Monday, February 19, 2007 at Marion House Health Care in Ocala. She was born November 7, 1917 in Berlin, Germany. She moved to Pine Run in 1985 from Miami, FL., then in 1994 Mrs. Ruth moved to Summerfield to be with her daughter. She was a retired Bookkeeper. Mrs. Ruth was of Lutheran Faith and in her spare time she enjoyed gardening and walking. She is survived by two daughters, Monika Soto of Summerfield and Christa Kitzi of Summerfield, FL; 6 grandchildren, Christa Soto, Albert Soto, Jr., Alex Soto, Carlos Vargas, Felipe Vargas, Valeria Palmer; and 3 great grandchildren, Alyssa Soto, Autumn Soto, and Athelina Palmer. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

726. SCHINDEL, "C.W." CHARLES W. (Obituary No. 726.) Ocala - "C.W." Charles W. Schindel, of Ocala passed away Monday, February 12, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, after a brief illness. "C.W." was the son of the late Charles William Schindel, Sr., and Helen (Kirkan) Schindel of Wexford, PA. He is survived by his wife Eve F. Schindel of Ocala, his children Chuckie, Jeffery, Traci, Stephanie, April, Michael and Aubrey-Rose, two grandchildren Bubby and Wyatt, and his sister Sandy Schindel. During his life "C.W." was a catch for the Kansas City A's, a veteran serving in the US Army, a successful builder of custom homes, a horseman, entrepreneur, and a professional in the gaming industry. He had an open heart and was a benefactor to many people throughout his life. Above all he should be remembered as a generous and honorable man, who will be greatly missed by all who knew him. Private memorial services will be held for family and friends. Memorial contributions may be made in his name to the Boys and Girls Club of Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. phone 352-629-7171 fax 352-867-0325. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

727. SEBES, GERALDINE ANN, (Obituary No. 727.) 78 Ocala - Geraldine Ann Sebes, 78, passed away Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Surry Place. She was born in Duquesne, PA on March 31, 1928 and came to Ocala in 2004 from Cape Coral. She is survived by two daughters, Kathleen Kreuer of Ocala and Cheryl Beckham of Upper Marlboro, MD; and two sons, Gregory Sebes of Plant City, and Brian Sebes of Tampa; 6 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Services will be at 11 a.m. on Friday, February 23, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Visitation will be Thursday, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.
SMOAK, NEIL FULTON, (Obituary No. 728.) 80 Ocala - Neil Fulton Smoak, 80, of Ocala, FL died Feb. 20, 2007 in Port Charlotte, FL. Neil is survived by his wife of 56 years, Norma L. Smoak of Ocala, three children, Lawrence Allen Smoak of Fairfax Station, VA, Teri Smoak Caudle of Hoyt, Kansas, Glen Fulton Smoak of Port Charlotte, FL, 7 grandchildren: Glen W. Smoak, Allen J. Smoak, Brandon Smoak, Brittany Smoak, Jeannine Dow Orr, Danielle Smoak Livingston, Christopher G. Smoak, 3 great-grandchildren: Gregory Smoak, Elizabeth Smoak, Blake Orr, and a brother, Kenneth Smoak. Neil attended Miami Tech. HS where he studied Aircraft Engines. He served in the US Navy during WWII as an Aviation Machinist's Mate and later was employed at Eastern Airlines. He was a member of the Sparr Baptist Church, the Civil Air Patrol, the Airboat Assoc. and the NRA. Funeral Services will be held on Friday, Feb. 23rd at 11:30 a.m. at Sparr Baptist Church. Visitation will be held one hour prior to services. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Sparr Baptist Church or the Berean Baptist Church, 17377 Godwin Ave., Port Charlotte, FL 344948. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

SPYKER, DARLENE LOUISE WALTER, (Obituary No. 729.) 77 Ocala - Mrs. Darlene Louise Walter Spyker, 77, of Ocala, FL and formerly of Blackstone, VA, passed away Saturday, February 10, 2007. Born June 6, 1929 in Sproul, PA., a daughter of the late George and Ethel Mangus Walter. As a young woman, Mrs. Spyker studied radiology. After marrying, she traveled to Europe several times a military wife, where she taught English and worked as a Red Cross volunteer and was very active in the Army wives club. Mrs. Spyker lived in Blackstone, VA from 1960 until 1974 and always considered Blackstone her home. She was an active member of Crenshaw UMC and Junior Women's Club. Mrs. Spyker was also the Director of the Red Cross in Nottoway, CO. In 1794 she and her husband moved to Florida, where she continued to be very active. She attended Brevard Community College, where she was a member of Phi Delta Kappa and Philanthropic Sorority Epsilon Sigma Alpha. Mrs. Spyker held various jobs in life Pre-K and Kindergarten teacher, office manager and home sales. Surviving are her husband of 58 years, William "Bill" Spyker; two daughters, Stephanie Simon of Ocala, FL and Kimberly Sherman of Misawa, Japan; and six grandchildren. Sadly Mrs. Spyker was preceded in death by her son, William "Chip" Spyker. A celebration of Mrs. Spyker's life will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, February 23, 2007 at Crenshaw United Methodist Church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc. PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or The American Red Cross. HAMMER - MCCMILLIAN FUNERAL HOME, Blackstone is serving the Spyker family. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/21/2007 - 2/22/2007.

THOMPSON, STANLEY C., (Obituary No. 730.) 76 Ocala - Stanley C. Thompson, 76, passed away Wednesday, February 21, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Carbondale, PA, he came here from Factoryville, PA in 1979. Mr. Thompson was a retired maintenance electrician and US Army veteran with the 1st Ranger Company in Korea. He enjoyed woodworking, scouting, and was a volunteer fireman. Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Dolores May Thompson (Diane), Summerville, SC, sisters Evleyn Deren, Carbondale, PA, Charlotte Larson, Millington, TN, Naoni Judge, Levittown, PA, Ronna-Gae Calachino, Blakely, PA, grandchildren Sam Archambeault, Jennifer O'Barr, Lisa Wease, and 3 great-grandchildren. The family will receive friends at 11 a.m. Friday, February 23, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver
Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be at a later date in Carbondale, PA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

731. TODD, JR., GEORGE EARL, (Obituary No. 731.) 70 Citrus Springs - Mr. George Earl Todd, Jr., 70, passed away on Monday, February 19, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Warsaw, New York and moved to Dunnellon in 1974 from Rochester, New York. Mr. Todd served with the US Army. He was a member of the VFW Post 4864 in Dunnellon, Dunnellon Moose Lodge and the American Legion Post in Honeoye, New York. He was the owner of the Dunnellon Florist Shop. He is survived by his wife, Vicky Todd of Dunnellon; two sons, Richard Todd of Holder, Florida and Joseph Deats in the US Navy; five daughters, Joanne Hover of Dunnellon, Patricia Malfregeot of Palm City, Florida, Nancy Ezell of Belleview, Florida, Betty Beeker of Dunnellon and Martha Vaughn of Fookville, Tennessee; two brothers, Gerald Todd of Tennessee and John Todd of Ithaca, New York; and two sisters, Gail Carey of Effers, Florida and Gloria Dimora of Tennessee; eighteen grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his older son, George Earl Todd III. Funeral services for Mr. Todd will be Sunday, February 25, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Stewart of the North Oak Baptist Church will be officiating. The visitation will be prior to the service from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery on Monday, February 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

732. TORASSO, ROBERTA "BOBBIE" (nee MONROE), (Obituary No. 732.) 84 Ocala - Roberta "Bobbie" (nee Monroe) Torasso, 84, of Ocala, FL formerly of Haledon, NJ on February 19, 2007 Beloved wife for 51 years to the late Leo Torasso (1993). Devoted mother of Dianne Locascio and her husband Vito of West Orange, NJ, Edward Torasso and his wife Susan of Wayne, NJ. Beloved grandmother of Kristi Zambrana and her husband William of West Orange, NJ. Cousin of Dorothy Daniell of Ocala, FL. Before retiring to Florida, Bobbie was employed by Allied Textile, Terry Shoes and Bill Behrle Associates. She was an active member of the Order of Easter Star since 1958. Bobbie was Past Worthy Matron of Martha Washington Chapter in Paterson, NJ and Past Worthy Matron (2002) of the Ocala Chapter in Ocala, FL. Bobbie was also a devoted member of St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, Ocala where she was a Lector, Choir member and served on the church Vestry. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, 3803 NE 7th St. Ocala. Friends may visit Friday, February 23rd from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala. In lieu of flowers donations to St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, 3803 NE 7th St. Ocala, FL 34470 or The American Diabetes Association would be appreciated. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

733. VALLEJO, JUAN, (Obituary No. 733.) 80 Ocala - Juan Vallejo, 80, passed away February 17, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. He was born in Guantanamo, Cuba. He was a Professional Tenor and Actor in the entertainment industry. He studied Opera singing in Italy and complete his studies in Siena "Chigiana" International Academy of Music. He continued his studies at "Scala" in Milan and in Rome with the well-known conductor, Giuseppe Morelli. He had a wonderful career in Opera Theater, thirty Italian movies, in TV and in many Italian and French movie-magazines. He was living in Marion Landing for the past eleven years where he
was loved and respected. Friday there will be a Celebration of Life in the Marion Landing Club House. Arrangements by HIEGS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

734. WILLIAMSON, JUEL F., (Obituary No. 734.) 90 Ocala - Juel F. Williamson, 90, passed away on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She resided in Ocala since 1940, and was preceded in death by her husband, Leslie H. Williamson in 1965. She was the owner-operator of Juel's Salon of Beauty (formerly known as Marlon Hotel Beauty Shop) and she had a second career in Real Estate. She was of the Lutheran Faith and a member of Easter Star Ocala Chapter and Hillbilly Clan of Ocala Shrine Club. She was an excellent seamstress, was an unselfish and compassionate person, always doing for others. She will be sorely missed. She is survived by her daughter, Patricia J. Spitzer (Garrett) and sons Nicholas and Jacob of Palm Coast; son Richard L. Williamson (Martha Anne) of Ocala and their children and grandchildren; twin-sister, Joyce Fisher of St. Petersburg; and several nieces and nephews. Services will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 2 p.m. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends at her son's home, 942 SE 5th St. following the services. Those who wish may make a contribution to her favorite charity Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

735. WOODS, GILBERTE MARIE, (Obituary No. 735.) 94 Ocala - Gilberthe "Marie" Woods, 94 passed away on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. She was a longtime resident of Ocala after being born in Paris, France. She was a member at Central Baptist Church. Other than love for her family, she considered becoming an American Citizen her greatest achievement. She is survived by her son, William Woods of Ocala; daughter, Julie Daniel of Brooksville; son, Michel Woods of Ocala; 4 grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband of 35 years J.C. Woods. Graveside service will be held on Friday, February 23, 2007 at Barnes Cemetery at 2 p.m. with Dr. Jesse Bloom officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

736. WOODS, MATILDA WEATHERS, (Obituary No. 736.) 54 Reddick - Matilda Weathers Woods, 54, of Reddick, Florida passed on Tuesday, February 13, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was a housewife. Mrs. Woods was born in Ocala, Florida. She is survived by McDaniel Woods (Husband) Reddick, FL; two sons, Errol James Sr. (Tracey) Reddick, FL and Keywon Woods, Blitchton, FL; grandchildren, Errol and Tyrese James, Reddick, FL; brothers, Raymond Weathers (Mercedes) Ocala, FL and Robert Weathers, Reddick, FL; sister, Flora Weathers, Reddick, FL. Funeral services for Mrs. Matilda Weathers Woods will be held 2 p.m. on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at United Missionary Baptist Church, Reddick, FL, Rev. Gregory Pelham, Pastor. Interment will follow in Mt. Zion Memorial Gardens. Wake services will be held 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, February 22, 2007 at Debose Chapel. Rev. Earl Powell, Pastor. Visitation will be held on Friday from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.
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737. AILES, J. EUNICE, (Obituary No. 737.) 81 Ocala - J. Eunice Ailes, 81, of Ocala, FL died February 20, 2007 at her home. A native of York, PA., she relocated to Marion County in 1989. Eunice was a secretary for a freight company, a member of the Eastern Star, an accomplished oil painter and member of the Ocala Porcelain Club. Mrs. Ailes is survived by her son, Charles E. Ailes, Jr. and his wife Carmen of Lancaster, PA; her daughter, Eunice A. Fitzkee of Ocala; two sisters, Thelma Rudisill and Meta Williams; sister-in-law, Mary Terwilliger; two grandchildren, Erin and Benjamin Ailes; a great grandson, MacKenzie Ailes. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Ailes, Sr. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Marion County Public Library @ 2720 Silver Springs, FL 34474 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/23/2007 - 2/24/2007.

738. ANDERS, GENE ARNOLD, (Obituary No. 738.) 63 Etowha, NC - ANDERS, Gene Arnold, 63, passed away on Thursday, October 26, 2006, at his home in Etowah, NC. Gene was a native of Miami and graduated from New Smyrna Beach High School. He had a successful career in the telecommunications industry and retired from Verizon Data Services. He and his wife, Sue, moved from Tampa, FL to their retirement home in Etowah in September 2006. Gene is survived by his wife Marilyn Suzanne Anders; his three daughters Tamara Hutfilz, April Knisley, and Jennifer Burlett; five grandchildren Laura, Douglas, Steven, Emily and Jessica; his mother Myrtle Anders of Ocala, FL; and his two sisters Frances Dunn and Martha French. Gene was always full of life, laughter and love for his family and will be deeply missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 at Oakcrest Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida on February 24, 2007. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Pituitary Network Association: http://www.pituitary.org/donate/. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

739. ANDERS, MARILYN "SUE" SUZANNE, (Obituary No. 739.) 60 Etowah, NC - ANDERS, Marilyn "Sue" Suzanne, 60, passed away on Monday, December 18, 2006, at her home in Etowah, NC. Sue was a native of Tampa and attended Hillsborough High School. Sue worked in the telecommunications industry for many years, and moved to Etowah, NC in September 2006, after her husband's retirement. She was preceded in death by her husband, Gene Anders, to whom she was married for 43 years. She is survived by her three daughters, Tamara Hutfilz, April Knisley, and Jennifer Burlett; five grandchildren, Laura, Douglas, Stephen, Emily and Jessica; her mother, Vivian Wilcox of Tampa, FL; her sister, Phyllis House and brother, Cecil Wilcox. Sue was a generous and caring person who will be greatly missed by all who knew her. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 at Oakcrest Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida on February 24, 2007. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Feed the Children. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

740. BARNES, DEREK GINLOCK (POOH BEAR), (Obituary No. 740.) 23 Ocala - Derek Ginlock (Pooh Bear) Ginlock, 23, passed away February 14, 2007. Funeral services will be at 4 p.m. at New Zion Baptist Church. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Visitation will be Friday, February 23, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. "Providing A Memory that never fades". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.
741. CAUDILL, ROSEOLENE "LYNN", (Obituary No. 741.) 44 Ocala - Roseolene, "Lynn" Caudill, 44 died at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL on Tuesday, February 20, 2007. She was born on August 27, 1962 in Cincinnati, OH. She moved to the Ocala area in 1977 from Cincinnati. Lynn was a homemaker. She was predeceased by her brother, William Elder and sister, Barb Smith. She will be missed by those who survive her including her parents, Morris and Vera Hicks of Dunnellon; her husband, Bruce A. Caudill of Ocala; son, Rusty Cramer of Cleveland, OH; daughters, Cassie Cramer of Dunnellon and Nakita Caudill of Ocala; brothers, Charles Elder of Ocala, James Lacey of Cunningham, TN., and Morris Hicks Jr. of Ocala; sisters, Leona White of Houston, TX and Audrey Elder of Ocala; and six grandchildren. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

742. CHAPMAN, MORIAH, (Obituary No. 742.) 2 Silver Springs Shores - Moriah Chapman, 2, died on February 18, 2007 at MRMD. She was born July 1, 2004 in Ocala, FL. She is survived by father, Michael Chapman; mother, Julie Anderson; sisters, Jamila Chapman and Kiarra Chapman; brother, Nehemiah Anderson; parental grandparents, Cedric and Ivory Smith; maternal grandmother, Lisa Matino; grandparents, Kathy Harvey and Robert Taylor; great grandmother, Elizabeth White; and great grandfather, Jack Solomon Gavin. Services Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Funeral services to be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 2:30 p.m. at Meadow Brook Church, Rev. James Watts, Pastor. Visitation Friday, February 23, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

743. COLEMAN, CLARENCE E., (Obituary No. 743.) 81 Ocala - Funeral Service for Clarence E. Coleman, 81, Assistant Engineer for Marion County Court House - Retired, passed away on February 14, 2007 at his residence. Services will be held Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at the Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church with Dr. G.W. Lee, Pastor, conducting the service. Mr. Coleman was born in Red Level, FL on 5-12-25 to the late John Coleman and Daisy Bell Osey. Mr. Coleman was a US Army veteran and a graduate of Howard Academy and Tuskegee Institute. Survivors: A loving and devoted wife, Ernestine M. Coleman, Ocala, FL, 2 sons, Clarence Coleman, Jr., Buena Park, CA and Kenneth L. Coleman, Ocala, FL, daughter Janice Coleman, Miami, FL, 2 brothers, Cranford Coleman and Altha Coleman, Ocala, FL, 5 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Interment at Chestnut Cemetery. Visitation: Friday, February 23, 2007 from 9 - 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, and Sat. at the church from 10:00 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. "Your Friends Who Care" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

744. DEAN, ROSA LEE, (Obituary No. 744.) 91 Dania - Rosa Lee Dean, 91, of Dania, Florida, transitioned from this life on Thursday, February 15, 2007 at Avante of Charlotte, North Carolina. Mrs. Dean was born in Webster, Florida on February 25, 1916, to Boisly Wright and Marie Edith Wilson-Wright who preceded her in death; she married Avorn Dean, Sr. (deceased) of McIntosh, FL in 1934 and bore three children: Inez Dean Wood Wyche, Helen Dean Cunningham, and Avorn Dean, Jr. (deceased) and held dear seven grandchildren: Donna Wood-McLeod (Rodney), her caregiver (Charlotte, NC), Desinda Wood-Carper (Tallahassee, FL), Albert L. Cunningham, Jr., Algernon B. Cunningham (Ocala, FL), LaFaye Y. Dean (Atlanta,
GA), Marcus Brown and Christopher Kelly (Dania, FL). Mrs. Dean resided in Dania, Florida for 85 years where she was the first African-American business owner to secure membership in the Dania Chamber of Commerce. A master cosmetologist earning her degree from the Chicago School of Cosmetology & Barbersing, Mrs. Dean owned and operated Rosa Lee's Beauty Salon for over 70 years in Dania, Florida and was a former instructor of Cosmetology at the Sunlight Beauty Culture School, Miami, Florida. Mrs. Dean was a member of many church auxiliaries since matriculating to Dania in 1934. "Mother Dear", as she was so lovingly called, leaves to mourn, Inez Dean Wood Wyche, Helen Dean Cunningham, five grandchildren, ten great grandchildren, three great-great grandchildren, loving family members and a host of cherished friends. A tribute to Mrs. Dean will take place at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, February 23, 2007 at the CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 434 NW Martin Luther Boulevard, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be held Thursday, February 22, 2007 from 9:00-7:30 p.m. at the funeral home and Friday from 9:00 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

745. DICKSON, MARTHA EDWARDS, (Obituary No. 745.) 79 McIntosh - Martha Edwards Dickson, 79, was born September 10, 1927 in McIntosh and passed away on February 21, 2007 at Legacy House in Ocala. She was retired from the Irvine Crate & Basket Co. and was secretary to the late Sen. L.K. Edwards, Jr. She was a lifelong resident of McIntosh and member of the First Baptist Church. Martha deeply loved her church and deeply loved her church and served in many positions throughout her lifetime. She was a precious loving wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother and will be deeply missed by all who knew her. She is survived by devoted husband of 59 years, W.B. "Bill" Dickson, daughter Diane Turner (Vernon), Brooksville, granddaughter Molly Knox (Doug) and great granddaughter Lily, Tampa, grandson Mac Turner (Mindy) and great grandson Bailey, Orange Springs and brother Sell Edwards, Waldo. Funeral services will be Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at First Baptist Church of McIntosh with Rev. Larry Pearson and Rev. John M. Dickson officiating. Interment will follow at McIntosh Cemetery. Visitation at the church Saturday at 10 a.m. Memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church Building Fund, PO Box 257, McIntosh, FL 32664. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/24/2007.

746. DUNN, REMONA MAE, (Obituary No. 746.) 71 Belleview - Remona Mae Dunn, 71, of Belleview, passed away on Wednesday, February 21, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Petersburg, IN, she came here in 1971 from Peru, Indiana. Mrs. Dunn was a lifelong homemaker and was of the Baptist faith. She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Harold Dunn of Belleview; son Harold Dunn of Baxter, TN; daughter Terri Varnadoe of Belleview; daughter Susan Furdek of Summerfield; brothers Jerry Austin of Velpen, IN; Jack Austin of Winslow, IN; Paul and Archie Austin, both of Petersburg, IN; sisters Jean Lane of Clarksville, TN and Kay Norrington of Las Vegas, NV; 13 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. Remona was preceded in death by two sons, Edward P Austin (1-7-07) and Phillip Dunn (1964). Friends will be received on Friday, February 23, 2007 from 6:15 to 9:15 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, where services will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 1 p.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/23/2007 - 2/24/2007.
747. EDMONDS, GARRETT GENE, (Obituary No. 747.) 66 Ocala - Garrett Gene Edmonds died at Legacy House on Wednesday, February 21, 2007. He was born in Huntington, West Virginia on May 19, 1940. He moved from West Virginia to Ocala in 1984, after retiring as a machinist. He was a member of the Gospel Mission in West Virginia. He was predeceased by his parents, Riley and Rosa Edmonds, and his brother, Keith Edmonds. He is survived by his wife, Mary Edmonds of Ocala; sons, Rick Edmonds and companion, Denise Hill, of Morriston, FL and Keith Edmonds of Ocala; daughter, Sherry Edmonds of Ocala; brothers, David, Ernest, Frank, Donald, and Steven Edmonds; sisters, Sue, Kay, Robin, and Marlene Edmonds; grandchildren, Sheila Patterson, Amber Lloyd, Maryann Edmonds, and Ashley "Dasher" Edmonds; and great grandchildren, Alexis, Kaitlin, and Ashlee Lloyd. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON with Reverend Gordon Maxwell officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Friday evening from 6 to 8 p.m. Interment will be in the Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. 352-489-2429 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

748. HART, LUCINDA COLYER, (Obituary No. 748.) 89 Ocala - Lucinda Colyer Hart, (89) Retired Teacher for the Marion County School System passed away on Saturday, February 17, 2007. She is survived by her son, Everett David Hart of Ocala, Florida; three sisters, Katie Mae Rice and Pauline Simmons of Flemington, Florida and Mamie Bryant of Miami, Florida; 5 grandchildren; three great grandchildren; A special nephew and caregiver, Rev. Gerald Keith Colyer; a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins. Services will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Stanley Jacobs Sr., Eulogist, Rev. Dr. TL Brooks Presiding. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the the Greene's residence (430 SW 44 Ave. Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Arrangements provided by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

749. HUGEL, MAX, (Obituary No. 749.) 81 Ocala - Max Hugel, a successful businessman who helped elect Ronald Reagan to the Presidency and went on to serve as Bill Casey's Deputy Director of the Central Intelligence Agency, died Monday, February 19, 2007 at his home in Ocala, Florida. He succumbed after a long battle with cancer and its complications. Mr. Hugel was born on May 23, 1925 in The Bronx, New York. His widowed mother was forced, due to economic reasons, to place him in an orphanage, as she was unable to care for him financially. At the age of 18, Mr. Hugel enlisted in the Army, and was chosen to attend the Military Intelligence School at the University of Michigan, where he became fluent in Japanese. He was subsequently promoted to First Lieutenant in the Military Intelligence section of the Army. Upon his release from the military, Mr. Hugel utilized his considerable talents in the business world. With his knowledge of Japanese, he became the Chief Executive Officer of a small Japanese exporter of sewing machines, Brother International Corporation, and is credited with being one of the driving and guiding forces that ultimately made Brother a $5 billion consumer giant. This was merely Mr. Hugel's first foray into the world of high finance. Mr. Hugel was the COO of Centronics Data Corporation, until he stepped down to pursue other business ventures. In 1983, Mr. Hugel, and 3 other partners, purchased Rockingham Park, New England's oldest and largest
thoroughbred race track, after a devastating fire that destroyed the facility. Through hard work, determination and an incredible "vision" of what it "could" be, Mr. Hugel led the resurrection of Rockingham Park into one of New Hampshire's largest tourist attractions. Never one to be content with past accomplishments, Mr. Hugel pushed further into the business venue, where he became one of the earliest investors in the cellular industry, owned several communications companies, and at his death, was the Vice Chairman of the Carmen Group Incorporated, one of Washington DC's largest and most respected governments affairs firms. Mr. Hugel had a deep passion for this country, and had a firm belief in our political system. California Governor Ronald Reagan recruited Max Hugel first to his 1980 New Hampshire primary effort where Mr. Hugel helped turn in the decisive victory Reagan needed in that early outing. Later, Mr. Hugel chaired the Reagan/Bush National Voters Group division of the general election campaign and was widely credited with forging the pathway for the "Reagan Democrats" to identify with a Republican by being the first to organize farmer, ethnics, small businessmen and women, and more that a hundred other categories of voters by issue interest rather than political affiliation. With the election of President Reagan, Mr. Hugel followed him to Washington, serving in a variety of roles - as head of the Small Business Administration during the transition; later as the Deputy Director of the Central Intelligence Agency for Administration (DDA) and then as Deputy Director of the Central Intelligence Agency for Operations (DDO). As DDO, he was charged by longtime friend and Director Bill Casey with rebuilding the tattered human intelligence function at the CIA. Other public service stints included service as a Member of President Nixon's Economic Conference on Far Eastern Affairs and as Member of the National Commission on Employment Policy. Mr. Hugel along with his wife and partner, Diane, felt it was his obligation to help those less fortunate. As an example, each Christmas Mr. Hugel would dress up as Santa Claus and deliver Christmas "cheer" at Rockingham Park to the Needy. Mr. Hugel believed that charity was a personal situation and did most of his charitable work anonymously. Mr. Hugel loved the simplicities of life, and took great pleasure in either watching his horses gallop on his farm in Ocala, Florida or playing a round of golf with friends and family. Max's belief in God and Jesus gave him an inner peace until his death. In his own words prior to his death, "My greatest accomplishment during my life has been my love for my friends and family. In the end, nothing else matters". Mr. Hugel had four children, Susan, Richard, David, and Christine, and he and Diane were blessed with 10 grandchildren. Arrangements Entrusted to O.B. SAMUEL FUNERAL HOME. "Dedicated to those we serve". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

750. KINGCADE, CARL W., (Obituary No. 750.) 76 Miami - Carl W. Kingcade, 76 died on February 15, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Liberty Chapel with Rev. Isaiah Jamie conducting the service. He is survived by wife Betty Kingcade; son, Jerome Kingcade; and 4 grandchildren. Service entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Visitation will be on Friday, February 23, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

751. KOZANECKI, EDWARD STEVEN (JACOB) (Obituary No. 751.) Ocala - Edward Steven (Jacob) Kozanecki died February 12, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born June 18, 1924 in Chicago, Illinois and graduated from Loyola University. An Army veteran of World War II, Ed lived his early years in Chicago, IL. He married Isabel Kozanecki on August 24, 1968. Preceded
in death by father Louis Kozanecki and mother Margaret (Pauly) Kozanecki; wife, Anita Zasadil Kozanecki; and son, Steven Riebe. Survived by wife, Isabel Kozanecki of Ocala, FL; sister, Carole (Sis) Marano of Chicago, IL; children, Anita Hartmann, PhD of Fairbanks, AK., Kenneth Kozanecki of Red Wing, MN., Margaret Kozanecki Covington of Rea, MO., James Kozanecki of Ft. Worth, TX., Judith Kozanecki Laster of Mission, KS., Sandy Allen and Bruce Riebe of St. Joseph, MO., and Allan Riebe of Siggelcow, WI; He also survived by 12 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Edward has been cremated and his family will celebrate his life in a private service. Arrangements by MEIERHOFFER FUNERAL HOME, St. Joseph, Missouri. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

752. LABRANT, MARGARETHA HOWELL, (Obituary No. 752.) 66 Morriston - Margaretha Howell LaBrant was born on July 16, 1940 and died on February 20, 2007. She was born in St. Petersburg, Florida and lived there until 1997, when she moved to Morristown, Florida. Mr. LaBrant was a member of BETA SIGMA PHI Sorority, SALTY SISTERS, BOCA CIEGA CHAPTER OF DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, COLONIAL DAMES, and UNITED DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY. Past President of North Shore PTA, Board of Directors of Northeast, District 5, and Southern Regional Little League Baseball Programs and was an avid Gator Fan. Survivors include two sons, Donald S. (Trey) LaBrant of St. Petersburg and William H. (Billy) LaBrant of St. Petersburg; a sister, Louise Brennan of Hernando. Funeral services for Mrs. LaBrant will be Friday, February 23, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Woodlawn Presbyterian Church in St. Petersburg where Rev. William Weaver will be officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to service from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. BETA SIGMA PHI will take part in the services. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Interment will follow at 1 p.m. in Memorial Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations to be made to Haven Hospice Tri County Care Center, 311 NE 9th Street, Chiefland, Florida 32626 or Woodlawn Presbyterian Church in St. Petersburg, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

753. LEHANS, JOSEPH ANTHONY, (Obituary No. 753.) 89 Ocala - Joseph A. Lehans, age 89, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, February 19, 2007 at his residence. He was born December 20, 1917 in Garfield, NJ and came to Ocala 29 years ago from NJ. He retired as Captain, USNR, serving during WWII. Mr. Lehans is survived by his wife of 65 years Audrey A. Lehans of Ocala, son Thomas S. Lehans of Holden, MA, daughter Dara A. Lehans of Epsom, NH, two sisters Ellen Mahady of Washington Crossing, PA, May Weldner of Tinton Falls, NJ and four grandchildren. Memorial service will be held at a date to be announced. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

754. NOXON, GLADYS (HONEY), (Obituary No. 754.) 71 Ocala - Gladys (Honey) Noxon, 71, passed away Monday 19, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Bronx, NY, she came to Ocala from Farmingdale, NY in 1964. She was an optical assistant with Dr. Richard Hughes for many years. Mrs. Noxon was member of Grace Episcopal Church, Ocala. The Ocala Woman's Club and the Episcopal Womens Club. She is survived by two daughters, Donnalee N. Dees, and Bobbi-Jean N. Hamilton, and son-in-law Andy Hamilton both of Ocala; 3 grandchildren, Chelsea Dees, Zachary Long and Miah Hamilton. Preceded in death by her beloved husband Donald C. Noxon.
Funeral Services will be Friday, February 23, 2007 at Grace Episcopal Church at 11 a.m. with Father Donald J Curran, Jr., officiating. Visitation will be Thursday 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

755. ONDRA, JEAN I., (Obituary No. 755.) 82 Ocala - Jean I. Ondra, 82, passed away February 20th at Oakhurst Nursing and Rehab. of Ocala. Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, she came to this area in 1978 from Quakertown, PA. She was a retired Insurance Agent and a Catholic by faith. She was preceded in death by her husband, John J. Ondra and is survived by her daughter, MaryLisa Hoffmann and her husband Norbert of Ocala; son, Paul Ondra and his wife Danielle of Westminster, MD; and granddaughter, Lisa Ferrier. In lieu of flowers the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to Marion County Senior Services, 1101 SW 20th Ct., Ocala, FL 34474. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

756. ROWE, SARAH SIRCY, (Obituary No. 756.) 88 Madison - Sarah Sircy Rowe, age 88, went to be with the Lord after a long illness Tuesday, February 20, 2007 in Madison. Funeral services will be held Friday, February 23, 2007, at 11:00 AM at First Baptist Church in Madison, with burial to follow in Oak Ridge Cemetery, Madison. The family will receive friends Thursday, February 22, from 5-7 PM at BEGGS FUNERAL HOME. Donations may be made to First Baptist Church Building Fund, PO Box 307, Madison, Florida 32340. She was born in Madison, Florida, and was the daughter of John Franklin and Anne Margaret Stubbs Sircy. Her husband, Judson Talmadge Rowe, preceded her in death in 1976. She taught school during WWII at Cherry Lake and retired from Madison County Memorial Hospital as the Insurance Specialist. She was a life-long and faithful member of the First Baptist Church, where she was active in Sunday School, Women's Missionary Union, Nita McCullough Circle, Senior Adult Ministry, worked with the Baptist Training Union youth group, and was a devout student of the Bible. Also, she was a member and officer of the Madison Woman's Club, Garden Club, Pink Ladies' Auxiliary, Madison County Historical Society, and was the Worthy Matron of the Madison Chapter Eastern Star. A Guardian Membership was given in her honor to the Treasures of Madison County. She was an enthusiastic member of the Monday Bridge Club, Pine Tree Quilters Club and enjoyed crocheting. She excelled in baking her specialities, Sour Cream Pound, and ten-layer Chocolate Cake. She is survived by two daughters: Sircy Rowe Maxwell and (husband Robert) of Ocala; Martha Rowe Beggs and (husband Ashley) of Madison; Four Grandchildren: Marcy Maxwell Mellucci of Ocala; Sarah Ashley Maxwell Schroeder and (husband Don) of Ocala; Ansley Beggs Rogers and (husband Lee) of Madison; and Judson Talmadge Beggs, of Madison; Four Great-Grandchildren: Austin Mellucci, Sarah Ann Schroeder of Ocala, Ashlyn Elizabeth Rogers and Riley Parramaore Beggs of Madison. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/24/2007.

Blake Orr, and a brother, Kenneth Smoak. Neil attended Miami Tech. HS where he studied Aircraft Engines. He served in the US Navy during WWII as an Aviation Machinist's Mate and later was employed at Eastern Airlines. He was a member of the Sparr Baptist Church, the Civil Air Patrol, the Airboat Assoc. and the NRA. Funeral Services will be held on Friday, Feb. 23rd at 11:30 a.m. at Sparr Baptist Church. Visitation will be held one hour prior to services. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Sparr Baptist Church or the Berean Baptist Church, 17377 Godwin Ave., Port Charlotte, FL 344948. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

758. STEWART, VIOLET E., (Obituary No. 758.) 85 Severna Park, MD - Violet E. Stewart passed away at Sunrise Assisted Living in Severna Park, MD on February 19, 2007. She was 85 years old. Mrs. Stewart was born on October 14, 1921 to the late Erick John and Agnes Erickson in Valparaiso, Indiana. She enjoyed her family, bowling, and arts and crafts. Mrs. Stewart is survived by her son, John "Jack" Stewart V of Exton, PA; daughter, Susan Denvir of Arnold, MD; sister, Jean Brown of Inverness, FL; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. Mrs. Stewart is predeceased by her husband, John "Jack" Stewart IV. Funeral services and interment will be private. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice of the Chesapeake, 445 Defense Highway, Annapolis, MD 21401. Arrangements made by Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Cremation And Funeral Care, P.A., Annapolis MD See www.fhnfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/23/2007 - 2/24/2007.

759. THOMPSON, STANLEY C., (Obituary No. 759.) 76 Ocala - Stanley C. Thompson, 76, passed away Wednesday, February 21, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Carbondale, PA, he came here from Factoryville, PA in 1979. Mr. Thompson was a retired maintenance electrician and US Army veteran with the 1st Ranger Company in Korea. He enjoyed woodworking, scouting, and was a volunteer fireman. Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Dolores May Thompson, Summerville, SC, daughter Lynda Archambeault, son David Thompson (Diane), Summerville, SC, sisters, Evleyn Deren, Carbondale, PA, Charlotte Larson, Millington, TN, Naoni Judge, Levittown, PA, Ronna-Gae Calachino, Blakely, PA, grandchildren Sam Archambeault, Jennifer O'Barr, Lisa Wease, and 3 great-grandchildren. The family will receive friends at 11 a.m. Friday, February 23, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be at a later date in Carbondale, PA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/24/2007.

760. TODD, JR., GEORGE EARL, (Obituary No. 760.) 70 Citrus Springs - Mr. George Earl Todd, Jr., 70, passed away on Monday, February 19, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Warsaw, New York and moved to Dunnellon in 1974 from Rochester, New York. Mr. Todd served with the US Army. He was a member of the VFW Post 4864 in Dunnellon, Dunnellon Moose Lodge and the American Legion Post in Honeoye, New York. He was the owner of the Dunnellon Florist Shop. He is survived by his wife, Vicky Todd of Dunnellon; two sons, Richard Todd of Holder, Florida and Joseph Deats in the US Navy; five daughters, Joanne Hover of Dunnellon, Patricia Malfreget of Palm City, Florida, Nancy Ezell of Belleview, Florida, Betty Beeker of Dunnellon and Martha Vaughn of Fookville, Tennessee; two brothers, Gerald Todd of Tennessee and John Todd of Ithaca, New York; and two sisters, Gail Carey of Effers, Florida and Gloria Dimora of Tennessee; eighteen grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his older son, George Earl Todd III. Funeral services for Mr. Todd will be
Sunday, February 25, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Stewart of the North Oak Baptist Church will be officiating. The visitation will be prior to the service from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery on Monday, February 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

761. TORASSO, ROBERTA “B OBBIE” (NEE MONROE), (Obituary No. 761.) 84 Ocala - Roberta "Bobbie" (nee Monroe) Torasso, 84, of Ocala, FL formerly of Haledon, NJ on February 19, 2007 Beloved wife for 51 years to the late Leo Torasso (1993). Devoted mother of Dianne Locascio and her husband Vito of West Orange, NJ, Edward Torasso and his wife Susan of Wayne, NJ. Beloved grandmother of Kristi Zambrana and her husband William of West Orange, NJ. Cousin of Dorothy Daniell of Ocala, FL. Before retiring to Florida, Bobbie was employed by Allied Textile, Terry Shoes and Bill Behrle Associates. She was an active member of the Order of Easter Star since 1958. Bobbie was Past Worthy Matron of Martha Washington Chapter in Paterson, NJ and Past Worthy Matron (2002) of the Ocala Chapter in Ocala, FL. Bobbie was also a devoted member of St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, Ocala where she was a Lector, Choir member and served on the church Vestry. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, 3803 NE 7th St. Ocala. Friends may visit Friday, February 23rd from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala. In lieu of flowers donations to St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, 3803 NE 7th St. Ocala, FL 34470 or The American Diabetes Association would be appreciated. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

762. WILLIAMSON, JUEL F., (Obituary No. 762.) 90 Ocala - Juel F. Williamson, 90, passed away on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She resided in Ocala since 1940, and was preceded in death by her husband, Leslie H. Williamson in 1965. She was the owner-operator of Juel's Salon of Beauty (formerly known as Marlon Hotel Beauty Shop) and she had a second career in Real Estate. She was of the Lutheran Faith and a member of Easter Star Ocala Chapter and Hillbilly Clan of Ocala Shrine Club. She was an excellent seamstress, was an unselfish and compassionate person, always doing for others. She will be sorely missed. She is survived by her daughter, Patricia J. Spitzer (Garrett) and sons Nicholas and Jacob of Palm Coast; son Richard L. Williamson (Martha Anne) of Ocala and their children and grandchildren; twin-sister, Joyce Fisher of St. Petersburg; and several nieces and nephews. Services will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 2 p.m. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends at her son's home, 942 SE 5th St. following the services. Those who wish may make a contribution to her favorite charity Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/24/2007.

763. WOODS, GILBERTE MARIE, (Obituary No. 763.) 94 Ocala - Gilberte “Marie” Woods, 94 passed away on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. She was a longtime resident of Ocala after being born in Paris, France. She was a member at Central Baptist Church. Other than love for her family, she considered becoming an American Citizen her greatest achievement. She is survived by her son, William Woods of Ocala; daughter, Julie Daniel of Brooksville; son, Michel Woods of Ocala; 4 grandchildren. She was preceded in death
by her husband of 35 years J.C. Woods. Graveside service will be held on Friday, February 23, 2007 at Barnes Cemetery at 2 p.m. with Dr. Jesse Bloom officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

764. WOODS, MATILDA WEATHERS, (Obituary No. 764.) 54 Reddick - Matilda Weathers Woods, 54, of Reddick, Florida passed on Tuesday, February 13, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was a housewife. Mrs. Woods was born in Ocala, Florida. She is survived by McDaniel Woods (Husband) Reddick, FL; two sons, Errol James Sr. (Tracey) Reddick, FL and Keywon Woods, Blitchton, FL; grandchildren, Errol and Tyrese James, Reddick, FL; brothers, Raymond Weathers (Mercedes) Ocala, FL and Robert Weathers, Reddick, FL; sister, Flora Weathers, Reddick, FL. Funeral services for Mrs. Matilda Weathers Woods will be held 2 p.m. on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at United Missionary Baptist Church, Reddick, FL, Rev. Gregory Pelham, Pastor. Interment will follow in Mt. Zion Memorial Gardens. Wake services will be held 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, February 22, 2007 at Debose Chapel. Rev. Earl Powell, Pastor. Visitation will be held on Friday from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/23/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Saturday, February 24, 2007

765. AILES, J. EUNICE, (Obituary No. 765.) 81 Ocala - J. Eunice Ailes, 81, of Ocala, FL died February 20, 2007 at her home. A native of York, PA., she relocated to Marion County in 1989. Eunice was a secretary for a freight company, a member of the Eastern Star, an accomplished oil painter and member of the Ocala Porcelain Club. Mrs. Ailes is survived by her son, Charles E. Ailes, Jr. and his wife Carmen of Lancaster, PA; her daughter, Eunice A. Fitzkee of Ocala; two sisters, Thelma Rudisill and Meta Williams; sister-in-law, Mary Terwilliger; two grandchildren, Erin and Benjamin Ailes; a great grandchild, MacKenzie Ailes. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Ailes, Sr. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Marion County Public Library @ 2720 Silver Springs, FL 34474 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/23/2007 - 2/24/2007.

766. DICKSON, MARTHA EDWARDS, (Obituary No. 766.) 79 McIntosh - Martha Edwards Dickson, 79, was born September 10, 1927 in McIntosh and passed away on February 21, 2007 at Legacy House in Ocala. She was retired from the Irvine Crate & Basket Co. and was secretary to the late Sen. L.K. Edwards, Jr. She was a lifelong resident of McIntosh and member of the First Baptist Church. Martha deeply loved her church and deeply loved her church and served in many positions throughout her lifetime. She was a precious loving wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother and will be deeply missed by all who knew her. She is survived by devoted husband of 59 years, W.B. "Bill" Dickson, daughter Diane Turner (Vernon), Brooksville, granddaughter Molly Knox (Doug) and great granddaughter Lily, Tampa, grandson Mac Turner (Mindy) and great grandson Bailey, Orange Springs and brother Sell Edwards, Waldo. Funeral services will be Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at First Baptist Church of McIntosh with Rev. Larry Pearson and Rev. John M. Dickson officiating. Interment will follow at McIntosh Cemetery. Visitation at the church Saturday at 10 a.m. Memorial contributions may
be made to the First Baptist Church Building Fund, PO Box 257, McIntosh, FL 32664.

767. DUNN, REMONA MAE, (Obituary No. 767.) 71 Belleview - Remona Mae Dunn, 71, of Belleview, passed away on Wednesday, February 21, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Petersburg, IN, she came here in 1971 from Peru, Indiana. Mrs. Dunn was a lifelong homemaker and was of the Baptist faith. She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Harold Dunn of Belleview; son Harold Dunn of Baxter, TN; daughter Terri Varnadoe of Belleview; daughter Susan Furdek of Summerfied; brothers Jerry Austin of Velpen, IN; Jack Austin of Winslow, IN; Paul and Archie Austin, both of Petersburg, IN; sisters Jean Lane of Clarksville, TN and Kay Norrington of Las Vegas, NV; 13 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. Remona was preceded in death by two sons, Edward P Austin (1-7-07) and Phillip Dunn (1964). Friends will be received on Friday, February 23, 2007 from 6:15 to 9:15 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, where services will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 1 p.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/23/2007 - 2/24/2007.

768. EDISON, ANNIE RAE YOUNG, (Obituary No. 768.) 87 Romeo - Annie Rae Young Edison, age 87, passed away on February 22, 2007 at her home in Romeo. She was a 4th generation of Marion County, born October 28, 1919. She retired from Marion County School Board after over 30 years as a School bus driver and Cafeteria Manager in Dunnellon. She was a member of Romeo Baptist Church for 67 years. She was preceded in death by her husband of 62 years. J.C. Edison. She was one of nine daughters of William D. and Annie Folks Young, who preceded her. Her greatest love were her family and cooking; some of her specialties were chicken 'n dumplings, cornbread and sour cream cake. She is survived by sons, John (Pat) in Romeo, Bill (Pat) from Bainbridge, Georgia, Edward (Janice) from Ocala and Jeffrey (Teri) from Chiefland, Daughters, Judith Markley from Romeo, Gail (Jay) Faircloth from Chiefland, Linda (Dick) Hasson from Gainesville, 22 Grandchildren and 18 Great Grandchildren. Also surviving are sisters, Esther Preston from Lecanto, Janet Knapp from Hiawassee, Georgia, Frances Hulsizer from Dunnellon and Sue Godwin from Opelika, Alabama. Memorial Service will be held Monday, February 26, 2007 at 11:00 AM at the Romeo Baptist Church. Rev. Shawn Cutshall will be officiating. Visitation will be Sunday from 5:00 - 7:00 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4850, Ocala, 71 34478 or Romeo Baptist Church Building Fund. 20545 SW 5th Place, Dunnellon 34431. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

769. HEATH, RICHARD C. (DICK), (Obituary No. 769.) 87 Ocala - Richard C. (Dick) Heath, 87, died at his home Friday, February 23, 2007 after a lengthy illness. He was born June 25, 1919 in Gardner, FL to the late Hume C. and Beulah S. Heath and moved to Bartow, FL. at an early age. Upon graduation from the University of Florida in 1946, he was employed as a hydrologist for the US Geological Survey until his retirement in 1979 He is a former Commander of the Ocala Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol for which he flew numerous search and rescue missions. He was an active member of First Baptist Church of Ocala where he served
as a Deacon. He was an avid fisherman and a single engine commercial pilot. He was a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, the Florida Engineering Society and the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Maxine, his two daughters and their spouses, Carol and Byron Hinson of Thomasville, GA and Joan and Bobby Stark of Ocala. He was blessed with grandchildren, Johanna Lee Stark, Ocala, Brad and Bree Hinson, Thomasville, GA., Karen and Sonny Forehand, Thomasville, GA., Jeff and Michelle Hinson, Stuart, FL. His great grandchildren include Hunter Moore and Gracen Elizabeth Hinson, Thomasville, GA., Henry Heath Forehand, Thomasville, GA., Billy Roberts and Eric Hinson, Stuart, FL. He is also survived by his sister Mrs. Peggy Barnett of Tallahassee, FL. along with nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held on Monday, February 26, 2007 at 11AM at First Baptist Church of Ocala with Dr. Edward D. Johnson officiating. A private interment will precede the service at Highland Memorial Park. A visitation will be held on Sunday from 4-6PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

770. MacKENZIE, KENNETH "MACK", (Obituary No. 770.) 81 Ocala - Kenneth F. "Mack" MacKenzie, 81, passed away on February 21, 2007 at home. A native of Everett, MA., he came here from McClain, MS. five years ago and was a retired sheet metal mechanic in the aerospace industry. His career was spent in the Washington, D.C. area and his work even led him to employment with manufacturers of satellites, including Mariner 7. Mack was of the Catholic faith and a member of the VFW, American Legion and Disabled American Veterans. He served in the United States Marine Corps in WWII. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Margaret L. MacKenzie of Ocala; son Michael F. MacKenzie of Ocala; daughter Michele F. McLeod of McClain, MS. and two grandchildren. Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

771. PAVLAK, VINCENT W. "VINNY", (Obituary No. 771.) 80 Ocala - Mr. Vincent W. "Vinny" Pavlak, 80 died Wednesday, February 21, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. He was born in North Union, PA. and moved to Ocala in 2005 from Dania Beach, FL. He served in the US Army during WWII and was a Life Member of Disabled American Vets, Louis Paul Proy Chapter #20, Lorain, OH; the VFW Post #4781 of Ocala, FL and the BPOE Chapter #2365 of Hollywood, FL. He was Catholic by faith. He retired after 12 years service with the Lorain County Health Department, Lorain, OH. Vinny's favorite past time was playing cards. He is survived by his loving wife of (39) years, Phyllis M. Pavlak of Ocala, FL.; his (2) step-daughters, Sheila Steele of Suwanee, GA. and Valorice Rauch of San Antonio, TX.; his (2) grandchildren and (1) great-grandson; also several nieces and nephews. Mass will be celebrated on Monday, February 26, 2007 at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Entombment to follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Sunday, February 25, 2007, from 2 until 4PM at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR200, Ocala, FL. where a wake service will be recited at 2PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

772. RAPACZ, RAYMOND, (Obituary No. 772.) 80 Ocala - Raymond Rapacz died February 20, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House of Ocala, Florida. He was born in St. Johnsville, New York, son of Michael and Julia Rapacz. He served in the US Navy and later graduated from Albany
State University in 1951. Mr. Rapacz was an inventor, mathematician, engineer, and later in life a trader in securities. He greatly enjoyed playing Bridge, and the comradery of On Top of the World neighbors. He is survived by his wife of 54 years Eleanor Adams Rapacz; a sister Anna Politylo and husband Michael, a brother Richard Rapacz and wife Mary Ann and numerous nieces and nephews. A Memorial Mass will be held Monday, March 5, 2007 at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida with full military honors. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., PO Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478-4860. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

773. ROWE, SARAH SIRCY, (Obituary No. 773.) 88 Madison - Sarah Sircy Rowe, age 88, went to be with the Lord after a long illness Tuesday, February 20, 2007 in Madison. Funeral services will be held Friday, February 23, 2007, at 11:00 AM at First Baptist Church in Madison, with burial to follow in Oak Ridge Cemetery, Madison. The family will receive friends Thursday, February 22, from 5-7 PM. at BEGGS FUNERAL HOME. Donations may be made to First Baptist Church Building Fund, PO Box 307, Madison, Florida 32340. She was born in Madison, Florida, and was the daughter of John Franklin and Anne Margaret Stubbs Sir cy. Her husband, Judson Talmadge Rowe, preceded her in death in 1976. She taught school during WWII at Cherry Lake and retired from Madison County Memorial Hospital as the Insurance Specialist. She was a life-long and faithful member of the First Baptist Church, where she was active in Sunday School, Women's Missionary Union, Nita McCullough Circle, Senior Adult Ministry, worked with the Baptist Training Union youth group, and was a devout student of the Bible. Also, she was a member and officer of the Madison Woman's Club, Garden Club, Pink Ladies' Auxiliary, Madison County Historical Society, and was the Worthy Matron of the Madison Chapter Eastern Star. A Guardian Membership was given in her honor to the Treasures of Madison County. She was an enthusiastic member of the Monday Bridge Club, Pine Tree Quilters Club and enjoyed crocheting. She excelled in baking her specialties, Sour Cream Pound, and ten-layer Chocolate Cake. She is survived by two daughters: Sir cy Rowe Maxwell and (husband Robert) of Ocala; Martha Rowe Beggs and (husband Ashley) of Madison; Four Grandchildren: Mar cy Maxwell Mellucci of Ocala; Sarah Ashley Maxwell Schroeder and (husband Don) of Ocala; Ansley Beggs Rogers and (husband Lee) of Madison; and Judson Talmadge Beggs, of Madison; Four Great-Grandchildren: Austin Mellucci, Sarah Ann Schroeder of Ocala, Ashlyn Elizabeth Rogers and Riley Parramaore Beggs of Madison. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/23/2007 - 2/24/2007.

774. SCHILD, MARIAN L., (Obituary No. 774.) 78 Ocala - Marian L. Schild, 78, passed away at her residence on February 20, 2007. A native of Staten Island, NY, she came to this area in 1994 from Whiting, NJ. She was a member of TimberRidge Community Church. She is survived by her husband of 58 years Gordon L. Schild of Ocala; a daughter Linda Efstathiou of Ocala and three grandchildren, Eric, Paul, and Amber. Preceded in death by a son, Gordon L. Schild II. Funeral Services will be held on Monday, February 26, 2007 at 10:30AM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-TimberRidge, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. with Rev. G.T. Alles officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at 1:30PM on Monday, February 26, 2007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.
775. STEWART, VIOLET E., (Obituary No. 775.) 85 Severna Park, MD - Violet E. Stewart passed away at Sunrise Assisted Living in Severna Park, MD on February 19, 2007. She was 85 years old. Mrs. Stewart was born on October 14, 1921 to the late Erick John and Agnes Erickson in Valparaiso, Indiana. She enjoyed her family, bowling, and arts and crafts. Mrs. Stewart is survived by her son, John "Jack" Stewart V of Exton, PA; daughter, Susan Denvir of Arnold, MD; sister, Jean Brown of Inverness, FL; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. Mrs. Stewart is predeceased by her husband, John "Jack" Stewart IV. Funeral services and interment will be private. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice of the Chesapeake, 445 Defense Highway, Annapolis, MD 21401. Arrangements made by Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Cremation And Funeral Care, P.A., Annapolis MD See www.fhnfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/23/2007 - 2/24/2007.

776. THOMPSON, STANLEY C., (Obituary No. 776.) 76 Ocala - Stanley C. Thompson, 76, passed away Wednesday, February 21, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Carbondale, PA, he came here from Factoryville, PA in 1979. Mr. Thompson was a retired maintenance electrician and US Army veteran with the 1st Ranger Company in Korea. He enjoyed woodworking, scouting, and was a volunteer fireman. Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Dolores May Thompson, Summerville, SC, daughter Lynda Archambeault, son David Thompson (Diane), Summerville, SC, sisters, Evleyn Deren, Carbondale, PA, Charlotte Larson, Millington, TN, Naoni Judge, Levittown, PA, Ronna-Gae Calachino, Blakely, PA, grandchildren Sam Archambeault, Jennifer O'Barr, Lisa Wease, and 3 great-grandchildren. The family will receive friends at 11 a.m. Friday, February 23, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be at a later date in Carbondale, PA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/24/2007.

777. THOMPSON, STANLEY C., (Obituary No. 777.) 76 Ocala - Stanley C. Thompson, 76, passed away Wednesday, February 21, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Carbondale, PA, he came here from Factoryville, PA in 1979. Mr. Thompson was a retired maintenance electrician and US Army veteran with the 1st Ranger Company in Korea. He enjoyed woodworking, scouting, and was a volunteer fireman. Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Dolores May Thompson, Ocala, daughter Lynda Archambeault, Ocala, son David Thompson (Diane), Summerville, SC, sisters, Evleyn Deren, Carbondale, PA, Charlotte Larson, Millington, TN, Naoni Judge, Levittown, PA, Ronna-Gae Calachino, Blakely, PA, grandchildren Sam Archambeault, Jennifer O'Barr, Lisa Wease, and 3 great-grandchildren. Hiers Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala in charge of local arrangements. Funeral services will be at a later date in Carbondale, PA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

778. TODD, JR., GEORGE EARL, (Obituary No. 778.) 70 Citrus Springs - Mr. George Earl Todd, Jr., 70, passed away on Monday, February 19, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Warsaw, New York and moved to Dunnellon in 1974 from Rochester, New York. Mr. Todd served with the US Army. He was a member of the VFW Post 4864 in Dunnellon, Dunnellon Moose Lodge and the American Legion Post in Honeoye, New York. He was the owner of the Dunnellon Florist Shop. He is survived by his wife, Vicky Todd of Dunnellon; two sons, Richard Todd of Holder, Florida and Joseph Deats in the US Navy; five daughters, Joanne Hover of Dunnellon, Patricia Malfregeot of Palm City, Florida, Nancy Ezell of Belleview, Florida, Betty
Baker of Dunnellon and Martha Vaughn of Cookville, Tennessee; two brothers, Gerald Todd of Tennessee and John Todd of Ithaca, New York; and two sisters, Gail Carey of Effers, Florida and Gloria Dimora of Tennessee; eighteen grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his older son, George Earl Todd III. Funeral services for Mr. Todd will be Sunday, February 25, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Stewart of the North Oak Baptist Church will be officiating. The visitation will be prior to the service from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery on Monday, February 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

TROUT, GRACE, (Obituary No. 779.) 91 Ocala - Grace Trout, 91, homemaker died February 22, 2007 at Oakhurst Nursing Home. A native of Ackley, Iowa, she relocated to Marion County in 1967 from O'Fallon, Illinois. Grace was a homemaker, a 40 year member of the Order of the Eastern Star, where she served as a Worthy Matron. She was an accomplished Quilt maker and a Methodist in faith. Mrs. Trout is survived by her son, Charles R. Trout and his wife Carol of Ocala, FL., three grandchildren, Keith B. Trout and his wife Tina, of Ocala, Charlotte A. Trout of Gainesville and Charles A.P. Trout of Ocala. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles P. Trout and three daughters. Funeral Services will be held on Sunday, February 25th at 2PM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East with visitation two hours prior too. Interment with additional service and interment will be held in Illinois. In lieu of flowers, donations may made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/24/2007.

WILLIAMSON, JUEL F., (Obituary No. 780.) 90 Ocala - Juel F. Williamson, 90, passed away on Tuesday, February 20, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She resided in Ocala since 1940, and was preceded in death by her husband, Leslie H. Williamson in 1965. She was the owner-operator of Juel's Salon of Beauty (formerly known as Marlon Hotel Beauty Shop) and she had a second career in Real Estate. She was of the Lutheran Faith and a member of Easter Star Ocala Chapter and Hillbilly Clan of Ocala Shrine Club. She was an excellent seamstress, was an unselfish and compassionate person, always doing for others. She will be sorely missed. She is survived by her daughter, Patricia J. Spitzer (Garrett) and sons Nicholas and Jacob of Palm Coast; son Richard L. Williamson (Martha Anne) of Ocala and their children and grandchildren; twin-sister, Joye Fisher of St. Petersburg; and several nieces and nephews. Services will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Saturday, February 24, 2007 at 2 p.m. Intermont will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends at her son's home, 942 SE 5th St. following the services. Those who wish may make a contribution to her favorite charity Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/24/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Sunday, February 25, 2007

BENEDICT, EUGENE V., (Obituary No. 781.) 85 Dunnellon - Eugene V. Benedict died at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala on Thursday, February 22, 2007. Mr. Benedict was a native of Chagrin Falls, Ohio, born on August 3, 1921. His parents were Lloyd and Iva Bell (Gardner) Benedict. He was a service engineer for Reliance/Rockwell and retired there after 25 years. He was a member of the Franklin Lodge # 14 F & AM in Troy, Ohio. He moved to
Dunnellon in 1984 from Columbus, Indiana and became an active member of Rainbow Lakes Estates United Methodist Church. He was known to be a giving person and even in death, he chose to give by being an organ and tissue donor. He is survived by his sons, Eugene V. Benedict, Jr. of Cedar Key, FL, and Phil Pickens of Columbus, IN; daughter Barbara Pickens of Columbus, IN; granddaughters, Karen Voss and husband, Clint, Melanie Benedict, and Gail Pickens; and great grandchildren, Rachael, Molly, and Josh Voss. Funeral Services will be at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 27, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, with Rev. Jon Stewart officiating. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Monday evening, Feb. 26th. The Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, in Ocala. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/25/2007 - 2/26/2007.

782. EDISON, ANNIE RAE YOUNG, (Obituary No. 782.) 87 Romeo - Annie Rae Young Edison, age 87, passed away on February 22, 2007 at her home in Romeo. She was a 4th generation of Marion County, born October 28, 1919. She retired from Marion County School Board after over 30 years as a School bus driver and Cafeteria Manager in Dunnellon. She was a member of Romeo Baptist Church for 67 years. She was preceded in death by her husband of 62 years. J.C. Edison. She was one of nine daughters of William D. and Annie Folks Young, who preceded her. Her greatest love were her family and cooking; some of her specialties were chicken 'n dumplings, cornbread and sour cream cake. She is survived by sons, John (Pat) in Romeo, Bill (Pat) from Bainbridge, Georgia, Edward (Janice) from Ocala and Jeffrey (Teri) from Chiefland, Daughters, Judith Markley from Romeo, Gail (Jay) Faircloth from Chiefland, Linda (Dick) Hasson from Gainesville, 22 Grandchildren and 18 Great Grandchildren. Also surviving are sisters, Esther Preston from Lecanto, Janet Knapp from Hiawassee, Georgia, Frances Hulsizer from Dunnellon and Sue Godwin from Opelika, Alabama. Memorial Service will be held Monday, February 26, 2007 at 11:00 AM at the Romeo Baptist Church. Rev. Shawn Cutshall will be officiating. Visitation will be Sunday from 5:00 - 7:00 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4850, Ocala, 71 34478 or Romeo Baptist Church Building Fund. 20545 SW 5th Place, Dunnellon 34431. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

783. HEATH, RICHARD C. (DICK), (Obituary No. 783.) 87 Ocala - Richard C. (Dick) Heath, 87, died at his home Friday, February 23, 2007 after a lengthy illness. He was born June 25, 1919 in Gardner, FL to the late Hume C. and Beulah S. Heath and moved to Bartow, FL. at an early age. Upon graduation from the University of Florida in 1946, he was employed as a hydrologist for the US Geological Survey until his retirement in 1979 He is a former Commander of the Ocala Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol for which he flew numerous search and rescue missions. He was an active member of First Baptist Church of Ocala where he served as a Deacon. He was an avid fisherman and a single engine commercial pilot. He was a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, the Florida Engineering Society and the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Maxine, his two daughters and their spouses, Carol and Byron Hinson of Thomasville, GA and Joan and Bobby Stark of Ocala. He was blessed with grandchildren, Johanna Lee Stark, Ocala, Brad and
Bree Hinson, Thomasville, GA., Karen and Sonny Forehand, Thomasville, GA., Jeff and Michelle Hinson, Stuart, FL. His great grandchildren include Hunter Moore and Gracen Elizabeth Hinson, Thomasville, GA., Henry Heath Forehand, Thomasville, GA., Billy Roberts and Eric Hinson, Stuart, FL. He is also survived by his sister Mrs. Peggy Barnett of Tallahassee, FL, along with nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held on Monday, February 26, 2007 at 11AM at First Baptist Church of Ocala with Dr. Edward D. Johnson officiating. A private interment will precede the service at Highland Memorial Park. A visitation will be held on Sunday from 4-6PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

784. LEHANS, JOSEPH ANTHONY (Obituary No. 784.), 89 Ocala - Joseph A. Lehans, age 89, of Ocala, passed away Monday, February 19, 2007 at his residence. He was born December 30, 1917 in Garfield, NJ and came to Ocala 29 years ago from NJ. He retired as Captain, USNR, serving during WWII. Mr. Lehans is survived by his wife of 65 years Audrey A. Lehans of Ocala, son Thomas S. Lehans of Holden, MA, daughter Dara A. Lehans of Epsom, NH, two sisters Ellen Mahady of Washington Crossing, PA, May Weldner of Tinton Falls, NJ and four grandchildren. Memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 1, 2007 at Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church. Inurnment will be Wednesday, March 28, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/28/2007.

785. MacKENZIE, KENNETH "MACK", (Obituary No. 785.) 81 Ocala - Kenneth F. "Mack" MacKenzie, 81, passed away on February 21, 2007 at home. A native of Everett, MA., he came here from McClain, MS. five years ago and was a retired sheet metal mechanic in the aerospace industry. His career was spent in the Washington, D.C, area and his work even led him to employment with manufacturers of satellites, including Mariner 7. Mack was of the Catholic faith and a member of the VFW, American Legion and Disabled American Veterans. He served in the United States Marine Corps in WWII. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Margaret L. MacKenzie of Ocala; son Michael F. MacKenzie of Ocala; daughter Michele F. McLeod of McClain, MS. and two grandchildren. Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

786. PAVLAK, VINCENT W. "VINNY", (Obituary No. 786.) 80 Ocala - Mr. Vincent W. "Vinny" Pavlak, 80 died Wednesday, February 21, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. He was born in North Union, PA. and moved to Ocala in 2005 from Dania Beach, FL. He served in the US Army during WWII and was a Life Member of Disabled American Vets, Louis Paul Proy Chapter #20, Lorain, OH; the VFW Post #4781 of Ocala, FL and the BPOE Chapter #2365 of Hollywood, FL. He was Catholic by faith. He retired after 12 years service with the Lorain County Health Department, Lorain, OH. Vinny's favorite past time was playing cards. He is survived by his loving wife of (39) years, Phyllis M. Pavlak of Ocala, FL.; his (2) step-daughters, Sheila Steele of Suwanee, GA. and Valorice Rauch of San Antonio, TX.; his (2) grandchildren and (1) great-grandson; also several nieces and nephews. Mass will be celebrated on Monday, February 26, 2007 at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Entombment to follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Sunday, February 25, 2007, from 2 until 4PM at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241
SW SR200, Ocala, FL. where a wake service will be recited at 2PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

787. PUGLIESE, TERESA, (Obituary No. 787.) 80 Orange Springs - Teresa Pugliese, 80, of Orange Springs, died Thursday, February 22, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, following an extended illness. She was born in New York City, New York and had been a resident of Orange Springs for the past 15 years coming from Miami. She retired as a shipper from the Twin Packing Company in Miami after 30 years of service. She enjoyed playing bingo every Wednesday at the V.F.W. Retirement Home in Fort McCoy. She also enjoyed playing poker. She was preceded in death by her brother, Frank Ferrara, her mother, Mary Ferrara and one grandson, Wade Locke. Surviving are one daughter, Lucille M. Locke, of Orange Springs; one son, Bobby Pugliese of Orange Springs; one sister, Mary Manning of New York City, NY; one sister-in-law, Genevieve Ferrara; two grandchildren, Jack Locke, Jr. of Ocala and Dawn Morgan of Orange Springs and five great-grandchildren, Joshua Locke, Samantha Locke, Russell Locke, Brianna Locke and Nina Marie Morgan. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Monday, February 26, 2007 at MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF INTERLACHEN. Interment will follow in the Orange Springs Cemetery. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the services. Masters Funeral Home of Interlachen is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/25/2007 - 2/26/2007.

788. RAPACZ, RAYMOND, (Obituary No. 788.) 80 Ocala - Raymond Rapacz died February 20, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House of Ocala, Florida. He was born in St. Johnsville, New York, son of Michael and Julia Rapacz. He served in the US Navy and later graduated from Albany State University in 1951. Mr. Rapacz was an inventor, mathematician, engineer, and later in life a trader in securities. He greatly enjoyed playing Bridge, and the comradery of On Top of the World neighbors. He is survived by his wife of 54 years Eleanor Adams Rapacz; a sister Anna Politylo and husband Michael, a brother Richard Rapacz and wife Mary Ann and numerous nieces and nephews. A Memorial Mass will be held Monday, March 5, 2007 at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida with full military honors. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., PO Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478-4860. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

789. SCHILD, MARIAN L., (Obituary No. 789.) 78 Ocala - Marian L. Schild, 78, passed away at her residence on February 20, 2007. A native of Staten Island, NY, she came to this area in 1994 from Whiting, NJ. She was a member of TimberRidge Community Church. She is survived by her husband of 58 years Gordon L. Schild of Ocala; a daughter Linda Efstathiou of Ocala and three grandchildren, Eric, Paul, and Amber. Preceded in death by a son, Gordon L. Schild II. Funeral Services will be held on Monday, February 26, 2007 at 10:30AM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-TimberRidge, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. with Rev. G.T. Alles officiating. Visitations will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at 1:30PM on Monday, February 26, 2007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.
790. THOMPSON, MARVIN C., (Obituary No. 790.) 79 Ocala - Marvin C. Thompson, 79, of Ocala, FL passed away on Feb. 22, 2007 at Estelle's House in Ocala. A native of Kellysfield, WV, he moved here from Lynchburg, VA upon his retirement as a forklift operator with Celanese Plant of Narrows, VA. His employment there spanned 41 years. Marvin was a member of First Nazarene Church, Ocala and was a WWII U.S. Navy and Army Veteran. Mr. Thompson is survived by his wife of 56 years, Pauline V. Thompson of Ocala, FL; five sisters: Maxine Nunn of Knoxville, TN; Wilmouth Owens of Peterstown, WV; Nadine Hypes of Rich Creek, VA; Hazel Meadows and Helen Neely, both of Oakvale, WV. Friends will be received on Monday, Feb. 26th from 6-8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL, where services will be held on Tues., Feb. 27th at 3:00 p.m. with Rev. Barry Dunlap officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with military honors. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/25/2007 - 2/26/2007.

791. THOMPSON, STANLEY C., (Obituary No. 791.) 76 Ocala - Stanley C. Thompson, 76, passed away Wednesday, February 21, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Carbondale, PA, he came here from Factoryville, PA in 1979. Mr. Thompson was a retired maintenance electrician and US Army veteran with the 1st Ranger Company in Korea. He enjoyed woodworking, scouting, and was a volunteer fireman. Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Dolores May Thompson, Ocala, daughter Lynda Archambeault, Ocala, son David Thompson (Diane), Summerville, SC, sisters, Evleyn Deren, Carbondale, PA, Charlotte Larson, Millington, TN, Naoni Judge, Levittown, PA, Ronna-Gae Calachino, Blakely, PA, grandchildren Sam Archambeault, Jennifer O'Barr, Lisa Wease, and 3 great-grandchildren. Hiers Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala in charge of local arrangements. Funeral services will be at a later date in Carbondale, PA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/25/2007.

792. TODD, JR., GEORGE EARL, (Obituary No. 792.) 70 Citrus Springs - Mr. George Earl Todd, Jr., 70, passed away on Monday, February 19, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Warsaw, New York and moved to Dunnellon in 1974 from Rochester, New York. Mr. Todd served with the US Army. He was a member of the VFW Post 4864 in Dunnellon, Dunnellon Moose Lodge and the American Legion Post in Honeoye, New York. He was the owner of the Dunnellon Florist Shop. He is survived by his wife, Vicky Todd of Dunnellon; two sons, Richard Todd of Holder, Florida and Joseph Deats in the US Navy; five daughters, Joanne Hower of Dunnellon, Patricia Malfregeot of Palm City, Florida, Nancy Ezell of Belleview, Florida, Betty Baker of Dunnellon and Martha Vaughn of Cookville, Tennessee; two brothers, Gerald Todd of Tennessee and John Todd of Ithaca, New York; and two sisters, Gail Carey of Effers, Florida and Gloria Dimora of Tennessee; eighteen grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his older son, George Earl Todd III. Funeral services for Mr. Todd will be Sunday, February 25, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Stewart of the North Oak Baptist Church will be officiating. The visitation will be prior to the service from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery on Monday, February 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/25/2007.

793. TROUT, GRACE, (Obituary No. 793.) 91 Ocala - Grace Trout, 91, homemaker died February 22, 2007 at Oakhurst Nursing Home. A native of Ackley, Iowa, she relocated to
Marion County in 1967 from O'Fallon, Illinois. Grace was a homemaker, a 40 year member of the Order of the Eastern Star, where she served as a Worthy Matron. She was an accomplished Quilt maker and a Methodist in faith. Mrs. Trout is survived by her son, Charles R. Trout and his wife Carol of Ocala, FL., three grandchildren, Keith B. Trout and his wife Tina, of Ocala, Charlotte A. Trout of Gainesville and Charles A.P. Trout of Ocala. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles P. Trout and three daughters. Funeral Services will be held on Sunday, February 25th at 2PM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East with visitation two hours prior too. Interment with additional service and interment will be held in Illinois. In lieu of flowers, donations may made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/24/2007 - 2/25/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Monday, February 26, 2007

794. BENEDICT, EUGENE V., (Obituary No. 794.) 85 Dunnellon - Eugene V. Benedict died at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala on Thursday, February 22, 2007. Mr. Benedict was a native of Chagrin Falls, Ohio, born on August 3, 1921. His parents were Lloyd and Iva Bell (Gardner) Benedict. He was a service engineer for Reliance/Rockwell and retired there after 25 years. He was a member of the Franklin Lodge # 14 F & AM in Troy, Ohio. He moved to Dunnellon in 1984 from Columbus, Indiana and became an active member of Rainbow Lakes Estates United Methodist Church. He was known to be a giving person and even in death, he chose to give by being an organ and tissue donor. He is survived by his sons, Eugene V. Benedict, Jr. of Cedar Key, FL, and Phil Pickens of Columbus, IN; daughter Barbara Pickens of Columbus, IN; granddaughters, Karen Voss and husband, Clint, Melanie Benedict, and Gail Pickens; and great grandchildren, Rachael, Molly, and Josh Voss. Funeral Services will be at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 27, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, with Rev. Jon Stewart officiating. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Monday evening, Feb. 26th. The Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, in Ocala. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/25/2007 - 2/26/2007.

795. CARPER, SR., CHARLES E. "BUSTER", (Obituary No. 795.) 82 Ocala - Charles E. "Buster" Carper, Sr., age 82, passed away Friday, February 16, 2007 at Malcolm Randall VA Medical Center, Gainesville. He was born in Bluefield, W. VA. on November 4, 1924 and moved to Ocala in 1958 from New Jersey. He was a disabled WWII veteran and Purple Heart recipient. Mr. Carper was a former coal miner and semi-pro football player who enjoyed following local high school sporting events and fishing. "Buster" is survived by his wife, Joyce Carper of Ocala, sister Kay Bryant of PA, his children Ann Vanderhoff and Tom Lukawitz of Ocala, Charlie Carper of Port Orange, Kenny Carper and Sheryl Transkey of PA, and Evelyn Russell of NJ. He was affectionately know as "Poppy" to his 11 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren, and one great-great grandson. A memorial service will be held at 6 p.m. on Thursday, March 1, 2007 at the VFW Post 4209 in Ocala. Military Honors will be presented at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/26/2007 - 2/27/2007.
LEHANS, JOSEPH ANTHONY (Obituary No. 796.), 89 Ocala - Joseph A. Lehans, age 89, of Ocala, passed away Monday, February 19, 2007 at his residence. He was born December 30, 1917 in Garfield, NJ and came to Ocala 29 years ago from NJ. He retired as Captain, USNR, serving during WWII. Mr. Lehans is survived by his wife of 65 years Audrey A. Lehans of Ocala, son Thomas S. Lehans of Holden, MA, daughter Dara A. Lehans of Epsom, NH, two sisters Ellen Mahady of Washington Crossing, PA, May Weldner of Tinton Falls, NJ and four grandchildren. Memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 1, 2007 at Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church. Inurnment will be Wednesday, March 28, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/28/2007.

PUGLIESE, TERESA, (Obituary No. 797.) 80 Orange Springs - Teresa Pugliese, 80, of Orange Springs, died Thursday, February 22, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, following an extended illness. She was born in New York City, New York and had been a resident of Orange Springs for the past 15 years coming from Miami. She retired as a shipper from the Twin Packing Company in Miami after 30 years of service. She enjoyed playing bingo every Wednesday at the V.F.W. Retirement Home in Fort McCoy. She also enjoyed playing poker. She was preceded in death by her brother, Frank Ferrara, her mother, Mary Ferrara and one grandson, Wade Locke. Surviving are one daughter, Lucille M. Locke, of Orange Springs; one son, Bobby Pugliese of Orange Springs; one sister, Mary Manning of New York City, NY; one sister-in-law, Genevieve Ferrara; two grandchildren, Jack Locke, Jr. of Ocala and Dawn Morgan of Orange Springs and five great-grandchildren, Joshua Locke, Samantha Locke, Russell Locke, Brianna Locke and Nina Marie Morgan. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Monday, February 26, 2007 at MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF INTERLACHEN. Interment will follow in the Orange Springs Cemetery. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the services. Masters Funeral Home of Interlachen is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/25/2007 - 2/26/2007.

THOMPSON, MARVIN C., (Obituary No. 798.) 79 Ocala - Marvin C. Thompson, 79, of Ocala, FL passed away on Feb. 22, 2007 at Estelle's House in Ocala. A native of Kellysfield, WV, he moved here from Lynchburg, VA upon his retirement as a forklift operator with Celanese Plant of Narrows, VA. His employment there spanned 41 years. Marvin was a member of First Nazarene Church, Ocala and was a WWII U.S. Navy and Army Veteran. Mr. Thompson is survived by his wife of 56 years, Pauline V. Thompson of Ocala, FL; five sisters: Maxine Nunn of Knoxville, TN; Wilmouth Owens of Peterstown, WV; Nadine Hypes of Rich Creek, VA; Hazel Meadows and Helen Neely, both of Oakvale, WV. Friends will be received on Monday, Feb. 26th from 6-8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL, where services will be held on Tues., Feb. 27th at 3:00 p.m. with Rev. Barry Dunlap officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with military honors. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/25/2007 - 2/26/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, February 27, 2007

ALLEN, ROBERT F., (Obituary No. 799.) 74 Ocala - Robert F. Allen, age 74, passed away Monday, February 26, 2007 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Tampa, FL. He was born in Rochester,
NY October 10, 1932 and has been a resident of Ocala since 1972. Robert owned and operated an apple farm and excavating company in up state New York. He was a member of several Regional Appaloosa Clubs in Florida and New York. Robert was a life member of the American Horse Show Association, and judge from 1964-1997, judging in many world and national shows for the Appaloosa Horse Club. A veteran of the US Army serving in Korea from 1954-56, and he was a member of Masonic Lodge #660 F&AM in Rochester, NY for over 50 years. He is survived by his wife of 50 years Shirley Allen of Ocala, and a half sister Beverly Jerzak of Rochester, NY. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday, March 1, 2007 at Hiers FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be prior from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Service and interment will be in Alblan, NY at a later date. Memorial contributions to the Appaloosa Horse Club Youth Scholarship Fund or a charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/27/2007 - 2/28/2007.

800. CARPER, SR., CHARLES E. "BUSTER", (Obituary No. 800.) 82 Ocala - Charles E. "Buster" Carper, Sr., age 82, passed away Friday, February 16, 2007 at Malcolm Randall VA Medical Center, Gainesville. He was born in Bluefield, W. VA. on November 4, 1924 and moved to Ocala in 1958 from New Jersey. He was a disabled WWII veteran and Purple Heart recipient. Mr. Carper was a former coal miner and semi-pro football player who enjoyed following local high school sporting events and fishing. "Buster" is survived by his wife, Joyce Carper of Ocala, sister Kay Bryant of PA, his children Ann Vanderhoff and Tom Lukawitz of Ocala, Charlie Carper of Port Orange, Kenny Carper and Sheryl Transkey of PA, and Evelyn Russell of NJ. He was affectionately known as "Poppy" to his 11 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren, and one great-great grandson. A memorial service will be held at 6 p.m. on Thursday, March 1, 2007 at the VFW Post 4209 in Ocala. Military Honors will be presented at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/26/2007 - 2/27/2007.

801. LEHANS, JOSEPH ANTHONY, (Obituary No. 801.) 89 Ocala - Joseph A. Lehans, age 89, of Ocala, passed away Monday, February 19, 2007 at his residence. He was born December 30, 1917 in Garfield, NJ and came to Ocala 29 years ago from NJ. He retired as Captain, USNR, serving during WWII. Mr. Lehans is survived by his wife of 65 years Audrey A. Lehans of Ocala, son Thomas S. Lehans of Holden, MA, daughter Dara A. Lehans of Epsom, NH, two sisters Ellen Mahady of Washington Crossing, PA, May Weldner of Tinton Falls, NJ and four grandchildren. Memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 1, 2007 at Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church. Inurnment will be Wednesday, March 28, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/22/2007 - 2/28/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Thursday, February 28, 2007

802. ALLEN, ROBERT F., (Obituary No. 802.) 74 Ocala - Robert F. Allen, age 74, passed away Monday, February 26, 2007 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Tampa, FL. He was born in Rochester, NY October 10, 1932 and has been a resident of Ocala since 1972. Robert owned and operated an apple farm and excavating company in up state New York. He was a member of several Regional Appaloosa Clubs in Florida and New York. Robert was a life member of the American
Horse Show Association, and judge from 1964-1997, judging in many world and national shows for the Appaloosa Horse Club. A veteran of the US Army serving in Korea from 1954-56, and he was a member of Masonic Lodge #660 F&AM in Rochester, NY for over 50 years. He is survived by his wife of 50 years Shirley Allen of Ocala, and a half sister Beverly Jerzak of Rochester, NY. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday, March 1, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be prior from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Service and interment will be in Alblan, NY at a later date. Memorial contributions to the Appaloosa Horse Club Youth Scholarship Fund or a charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/27/2007 - 2/28/2007.

803. CALVERLEY, THOMAS A., (Obituary No. 803.) 78 PORT ST LUCIE, FL - Thomas A. Calverley formerly of Dunnellon, died at his residence on Sunday, February 25, 2007. He was born in Queens, NY on April 6, 1928. His parents were Edward and Eleanor (James) Calverley. He was a member of the Merchant Marines and was the medical purser for his ship. Mr. Calverley was a veteran of both the U.S. Navy and the Marine Corps, having served during WWII. He was a retired New York City Building inspector and was assigned to Mayor Koch's Task Force. He was a Life member of Masonic Lodge #1057 in Springfield Gardens, NY. He moved to Dunnellon in 1990, from Ozone Park, NY. After moving to Dunnellon, he became very active in Rainbow Lakes Estates and the surrounding community. He designed the RLE Community Center shuffleboard court. He was a Hospital Association volunteer, a member of the RLE advisory board, volunteer ambulance and BUT, ran the RLE medical transport van, ran the RLE loan closet and was a lay leader for RLE United Methodist Church. He joined the Marion County Sheriffs posse and revived and saved the life of a MTRA rider while on trails. He taught classes at the Florida School of the Blind. He ran the Bingo nights on Saturdays at the Bingo Center in Dunnellon. He obtained a private investigators license. He also joined Hernando United Methodist Church. He is predeceased by his first wife, Catherine Calverley. He is survived by his wife Donna Rhodes Calverley of Port St Lucie, FL; daughter, Kathryn J. Colomb of Hernando, FL; brother, Ronald Calverley of Bay Shore, NY; 2 grandchildren, 2 great grandchildren; also, nieces, nephews and stepchildren. Funeral services will be held at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon on Thursday, March 1, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. The family will receive friends from 4-8 pm on Tuesday, 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. Wednesday. Interment will follow the services at Florida National Cemetery with military honors. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Port St Lucie or Marion County Sheriffs Posse. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

804. LEHANS, JOSEPH ANTHONY, (Obituary No. 804.) 89 Ocala - Joseph A. Lehans, age 89, of Ocala, passed away Monday, February 19, 2007 at his residence. He was born December 30, 1917 in Garfield, NJ and came to Ocala 29 years ago from NJ. He retired as Captain, USNR, serving during WWII. Mr. Lehans is survived by his wife of 65 years Audrey A. Lehans of Ocala, son Thomas S. Lehans of Holden, MA, daughter Dara A. Lehans of Epsom, NH, two sisters Ellen Mahady of Washington Crossing, PA, May Weldner of Tinton Falls, NJ and four grandchildren. Memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 1, 2007 at Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church. Inurnment will be Wednesday, March 28, 2007 at Florida
805. LENWELL, ROBERT D. (Obituary No. 805.) Belleview - Robert D. Lenwell, a retired Chief Photographer and Engineer for Tropical Circuits of Fort Lauderdale, FL left this world on Friday, February 23, 2007. Mr. Lenwell was a native of Terre Haute, IN but was a 37 year resident of Florida. He moved to Belleview from Margate, FL in 1994. A member of the Prairieton Masonic Lodge No. 178 F&AM, Goodyear Blimp Club, Polar Bear Club, order of Artic Adventurous, Royal Order of Shellbacker, a former Member of Professional Photographers of Indiana and America. Mr. Lenwell attended Indiana State University and was a past member of the Navy Reserve. During World War II, Mr. Lenwell served in the U.S. Coast Guard as a Petty Officer in the Engine Room on the USS Admiral E.W. Eberle AP123. During 104,000 miles of sea duty, Mr. Lenwell earned six medals and one Battle Star. Survivors include the love of his life for 63 years, his wife Betty W. Lenwell, son Larry Lenwell, six grandchildren, eight great grandchildren, special grand daughter Angela Strandberg, and niece Cathy L. Wilson. Mr. Lenwell will be buried with full military honors in the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Friday, March 23, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

806. LITTLE, JAMES H. "JIM", (Obituary No. 806.) 78 Ocala - James H. (Jim) Little, 78, died February 27, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House of Ocala. He was born in Pontiac, Michigan and moved to Florida in 1980 via North Carolina and Maryland. He received his Masters Degree from the University of Michigan and located for 13 years at NC State University teaching and coaching track. He then turned his full attention to horses. After operating a large riding stable near Washington, D. C., he became active in the Thoroughbred Industry, breeding and training race horses. Survivors include his loving wife of 50 years, Faye Williamson Little, Ocala, Florida, son James Little, Anchorage, Ak, daughter Brooke Little, Orlando, Fl, a sister Leah Schroeder of Michigan, and a brother Colby Little of Florida. An informal memorial visitation will be held at their home 7600 NW 21st Street, Ocala, on Saturday, March 3, 2007 from 1 to 3 p.m. No flowers please. Remembrances to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860, Ocala, Fl 34478 appreciated. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

807. PARKER, STEPHEN VINCENT, (Obituary No. 807.) 55 Morriston - Steve V. Parker, age 55, passed away Saturday, February 24, 2007 at MRMC. He was born April 16, 1951 in Asheville, NC and came to Ocala 10 years ago from Lubbock, TX. Before working at Highland Memorial Park, Steve was an electrician with Florida Power & Light for 20 years. He had a wonderful Southern politeness in his nature, and was a jack-of-all trades. He enjoyed video games, old cowboy movies, and woodworking. Steve is survived by his mother, Gladys Lynn Parker-Thomas of Morriston. Funeral services will be at 6 p.m. on Thursday, March 1, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Doug Green officiating. Visitation will be prior from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Cremation will follow. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

808. PHENES, LEROY "CHUCK", (Obituary No. 808.) 79 Summerfield - Leroy (Chuck) Phenes passed away February 25, 2007. He is survived by his loving wife, Clara; sisters, Peggy
Drake and Helen (Pete) Lucier; brother, Les; sons, Preston (Tina), Wayne (Donna); daughters, Sandra (Gary) Faucett, Lavonne Lenox; stepdaughters Dora (Thomas) Massing, Cheri Sizemore and many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. He was an avid sportsman, enjoyed woodworking, and spending time with his family and friends. He was a retired Navy veteran of 20 years and worked at several factories in Elmira, NY. Chuck was a member of the American Legion, VFW and Moose Club. Memorial services will be held on March 1, 2007 at 10 am at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. A gathering of family and friends will be held one hour prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

809. PUCHINSKY, DAVID A., (Obituary No. 809.) 54 Summerfield - David A. Puchinsky, 54, of Summerfield, FL passed away at the Tuscany House Hospice, Summerfield, FL on February 20, 2007 of natural causes. Born in Racine, Wisconsin and a local resident since 1998, when he moved here from Orlando, FL; he was a service technician in the construction field and a United States Marine Corps Veteran serving during the Vietnam War. Preceded in death by his parents, Walter Puchinsky and mother and step-father Evelyn and Robert Rogers. David is survived by his son, Daniel of Burlington, Wisconsin; a daughter, Leah Puchinsky of Shorewood, Wisconsin; two sister, Mary Sprague and husband Mick of Lecanto, FL and Sandra Gray of Punta Gorda, FL; and one grandchild. Full military honors and funeral services are 2:30 p.m., Friday, March 2, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with the United States Marine Corps Detachment # 708 Honor and Ceremonial Team, officiating. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE - CLEARWATER, FL 727-467-0922. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

810. WATSON, GEORGE WASHINGTON, (Obituary No. 810.) 89 Belleview - George Washington Watson, 89, of Belleview, Florida, passed away February 25, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Chincoteague, Virginia, retired from Eastern Airlines, and a Veteran of the US Navy. He was a member of the VFW. Among his survivors are one son Tom Watson of Belleview, Florida; three daughters, Joyce Ann Linton of Saxis, Virginia, Deborah Leigh Watson of Oakhail, Virginia and Deanie Marie Johnson of Ocklawaha, Florida; three brothers, Ernie Watson of Maryland, Franklin Watson and Calvin Watson both of Virginia; 9 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Opal Watson. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner Thursday, March 1, 2007

811. BLAIR, REV. HELEN MARGARET, (Obituary No. 811.) 96 Leesburg - Rev. Helen Margaret Blair, 96, passed away on February 23, 2007 in Leesburg, Florida. She was born in Florida, Alabama. She moved to this area in 1969 from Tallahassee. Rev. Blair was ordained in 1950 and Pastored for 37 years. In 1950 Rev. Blair founded the Full Gospel Tabernacle in Tallahassee, Florida. She also was the founder of Mother Refuge in Tallahassee for retired mothers. Rev. Blair also founded and pastored the Four Square Church in Belleview. Rev. Blair is survived by two daughters, Marie Schumacher of Summerfield, Florida and Darlene Sale of Tallahassee, Florida; one son, Charles Blair of Leesburg, Florida. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Lake-Sumter County Hospice in memory of Rev. Blair. Visitation will be at Roberts Downtown Chapel Friday, March 2, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Services will be at
812. BOYLES, MARY, (Obituary No. 812.) 82 Ocala - Mary Boyles, 82, passed away peacefully on February 21, 2007 at Oakwood Nursing Center. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, March 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Temple of Grace, Rev. Willie Kingcade conducting the service. Survived by 3 daughters, Addie Nelson, Jeannette Boyles and Rosia Boyles; 2 sons, George McFadden and Benjamin Boyles; 24 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory that will Never Fade". Visitation will be Friday, March 2, 2007 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

813. CALVERLEY, THOMAS A., (Obituary No. 813.) 78 PORT ST LUCIE, FL - Thomas A. Calverley formerly of Dunnellon, died at his residence on Sunday, February 25, 2007. He was born in Queens, NY on April 6, 1928. His parents were Edward and Eleanor (James) Calverley. He was a member of the Merchant Marines and was the medical purser for his ship. Mr. Calverley was a veteran of both the U.S. Navy and the Marine Corps, having served during WWII. He was a retired New York City Building inspector and was assigned to Mayor Koch's Task Force. He was a Life member of Masonic Lodge #1057 in Springfield Gardens, NY. He moved to Dunnellon in 1990, from Ozone Park, NY- After moving to Dunnellon, he became very active in Rainbow Lakes Estates and the surrounding community. He designed the RLE Community Center shuffleboard court. He was a Hospital Association volunteer, a member of the RLE advisory board, volunteer ambulance and BUT, ran the RLE medical transport van, ran the RLE loan closet and was a lay leader for RLE United Methodist Church. He joined the Marion County Sheriffs posse and revived and saved the life of a MTRA rider while on trails. He taught classes at the Florida School of the Blind. He ran the Bingo nights on Saturdays at the Bingo Center in Dunnellon. lie obtained a private investigators license. He also joined Hernando United Methodist Church. He is predeceased by his first wife, Catherine Calverley. He is survived by his wife Donna Rhodes Calverley of Port St Lucie, FL; daughter, Kathryn J. Colomb of Hernando, FL; brother, Ronald Calverley of Bay Shore, NY; 2 grandchildren, 2 great grandchildren; also, nieces, nephews and stepchildren. Funeral services will be held at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon on Thursday, March 1, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. The family will receive friends from 4-8 pm on Tuesday, 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. Wednesday. Interment will follow the services at Florida National Cemetery with military honors. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Port St Lucie or Marion County Sheriffs Posse. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

814. CRAVEN, DIANE W., (Obituary No. 814.) 65 Middleburg, FL - Diane W. Craven, 65, died on Friday, February 23, 2007, surrounded by her family. Diane was born February 6, 1942, in Winona, Miss. In childhood, her family moved to Hollywood, FL. She later moved to Pedro, FL and then to Hopkinsville, KY, but returned after several years to Belleview, FL, where she lived and worked for 20+ years. She recently moved to Middleburg, FL to be near her daughter. Diane will live on in the hearts and memories of her children - Charles Allen Craven (Ilene), Pedro; Joseph Daniel Craven, Salem, KY; and Kandi Dee LaVoie (Ronald), Middleburg; her
grandchildren - Louis Craven, Michelle Craven, Courtney Craven, Laura Craven, Kyle LaVoie and Corey LaVoie; her great-grandchildren - Shawnnah and Serenity; her brothers and sisters - David Webb (Nancy), Lady Lake; Patricia Knotts (James), Belleview; Louis Glore (Kathy), Ocala; Rebecca Obermark (Eugene), Belleview; and Frank Glore (Crystal), St Petersburg; and her many cousins, nieces and nephews, their families, and a wealth of friends. She was preceded in death by her parents, Louis and Erma Glore, and her sister, Theresa Glenney. A memorial service will be held at Pedro Baptist Church, at 11 a.m. on March 3rd. In lieu of flowers you may wish to make a donation in Diane's name to the Belleview Public Library, Belleview, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

815. DALDINE, ERMALINDA CECELIA, (Obituary No. 815.) 85 Summerfield - Ermalinda Cecelia Daldine, 85, passed away on February 27, 2007 in The Villages, Florida. She was born in Mt. Clemens, Michigan. She was an operator and line assigner with the telephone company. She moved here in 1980 from Michigan, was a member of St. Theresa's Catholic Church of Belleview, past member of The Orange Blossom Square Dance Club in The Villages. She is survived by her husband of 49 years, Bernard Daldine of Summerfield, Florida; five sons, Bernard J. Daldine of Ocala, Florida, David J. Daldine of Shelby Township, Michigan, Kenneth Daldine of Roseville, Michigan, Dennis Martin of Copernish, Michigan and James Francis of Michigan; four daughters, Diann Dew of Roseville, Michigan, Carol Bastress of Dunnellon, Florida, Donna Blanchette of Summerfield, Florida, and Susan Sinclair of Loxahatchee, Florida; nine grandchildren and six great grandchildren. She is predeceased by a son, Charles T. Daldine. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Cerebral Palsy in memory of Mrs. Daldine. Visitation will be Thursday, March 1, 2007 at Roberts Downtown Chapel from 5 - 7 p.m. with a Rosary at 6:30 p.m. Services will be Friday, March 2, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2 Avenue, Ocala, Florida at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

816. FLORY, LENA MAE, (Obituary No. 816.) 93 Ocala - Mrs. Lena Mae Flory, 93, of Ocala, FL., died February 25, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. A native of Platte City, MO. She worked as an Administrative Assistant with Avon in NYC and Chicago, with Kingsley, Michigan School District and the MSU Biology Dept. In Palm Coast, FL she was a member of the United Methodist Church, the Rotary Partners, Women's Club, a Lifetime member of the Garden Club, the Co-founder of the Floral Design Group. She was also a member of the Arrangers Guild and the Florida Federation of Garden Clubs as well as Palm Harbour Golf Club. Mrs. Flory is survived by her nephews and nieces, Charles W. Robertson, Judith K. Horner, Bruce J. Robertson, Lenora Sanders, Joann Hillyer, Walter Wade; sister-in-law, Mary Glen Robertson; cousin, Helen; and many grand nieces & nephews & great-grandniece & nephews. Lena was preceded in death by her husband Maurice J. Flory, brother Charles W. Robertson and her sister Mary E. Wade. Visitation will be held on Sunday, March 4th between the hours of 3 - 7 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East. Funeral Services have been scheduled for Tuesday, March 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Palm Coast United Methodist Church. Interment will follow at Volusia Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

817. HARTZELL, LOWELL E., (Obituary No. 817.) 82 Anthony - Lowell E. Hartzell passed away February 18, 2007 at ORMC Ocala. He was born in Miamisburg, Ohio. Moved to Ocala in
December 1969. He was an auto mechanic in his early teen and served in the Navy for over 5 years during WWII. He worked shortly on the drawing board. Retired as a heavy equipment operator for Ohio Operating Engineers. He is survived by his wife, Linda Hartzell; sister, Nancy Soder; sister-in-law, Goldie Hartzell; nephews and nieces, Don, Bobby, Bill, David, Donnie Mike, Amy, Sandy, Becky, Vicky, Sharon, Jim, Jeff, Vicky and Sabrina. Memorial Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Church on 5 SE 17th Street Ocala on March 2, 2007 at 2 p.m. with Fr. Pat Sheedy officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

818. IRVING, GLADYS DELORISE WISE, (Obituary No. 818.) 71 Ocala - Funeral Service for Gladys Delorise Wise Irving, 71, cook for Marion County Public School, retired, passed away February 26, 2007 at Sylvia's House will be held Saturday, March 3, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. G. W. Lee, Pastor conducting the service. Ms. Irving was born January 20, 1936 in Ocala, Florida to the late Horace Williams and Artice Mitchell. She graduated from Howard Academy and attended Florida A & M University. Survivors: 3 sons, Ronald D. Wise, Altamonte Springs, FL., Garrett A. Wise, Jr., Ocala, FL., and Michael Irving, Silver Spring, FL., 1 daughter, Sylvia Mchelen, Silver Spring, FL., 1 sister, Bernice Lott, Ocala, FL., 10 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Interment in National Veteran Cemetery Bushnell, FL Monday, March 5, 2007 under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday, March 2, 2007 from 9 - 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home. Saturday at the Church from 1 p.m. until service. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

819. KINGSLEY, SR., WAYMAN WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 819.) 65 Plant City, FL - Wayman William Kingsley, Sr., 65, of Plant City, FL., died February 28, 2007 at Palm Terrace Hospice House of Lakeland. Wayman was a retired Firefighter with Jacksonville, N.A.S. He is survived by his 2 sons, Wayman W. Kingsley, Jr. and William P. Kingsley; daughter-in-law, Robin Kingsley; brother, Culbert G. Kingsley; sister, Sharon Ray; 2 grandchildren, Wayman W. Kingsley, III and Cayla R. Kingsley; and niece Tracy Ray. Friends may call on family Saturday, March 3, 2007 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. with a funeral service to be conducted at 1 p.m. by Reverend Roger Worten at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL with burial to follow at Forest Lawn cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

820. LENWELL, ROBERT D. (Obituary No. 820.) Belleview - Robert D. Lenwell, a retired Chief Photographer and Engineer for Tropical Circuits of Fort Lauderdale, FL left this world on Friday, February 23, 2007. Mr. Lenwell was a native of Terre Haute, IN but was a 37 year resident of Florida. He moved to Belleview from Margate, FL in 1994. A member of the Prairieton Masonic Lodge No. 178 F&AM, Goodyear Blimp Club, Polar Bear Club, order of Artic Adventurous, Royal Order of Shellbacker, a former Member of Professional Photographers of Indiana and America. Mr. Lenwell attended Indiana State University and was a past member of the Navy Reserve. During World War II, Mr. Lenwell served in the U.S. Coast Guard as a Petty Officer in the Engine Room on the USS Admiral E.W. Eberle AP123. During 104,000 miles of sea duty, Mr. Lenwell earned six medals and one Battle Star. Survivors include the love of his life for 63 years, his wife Betty W. Lenwell, son Larry Lenwell, six grandchildren, eight great grandchildren, special grand daughter Angela Strandberg, and niece Cathy L. Wilson. Mr.
Lenwell will be buried with full military honors in the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Friday, March 23, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/2/2007.

821. LITTLE, JAMES H. "JIM", (Obituary No. 821.) 78 Ocala - James H. (Jim) Little, 78, died February 27, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House of Ocala. He was born in Pontiac, Michigan and moved to Florida in 1980 via North Carolina and Maryland. He received his Masters Degree from the University of Michigan and located for 13 years at NC State University teaching and coaching track. He then turned his full attention to horses. After operating a large riding stable near Washington, D. C., he became active in the Thoroughbred Industry, breeding and training race horses. Survivors include his loving wife of 50 years, Faye Williamson Little, Ocala, Florida, son James Little, Anchorage, Ak, daughter Brooke Little, Orlando, FL, a sister Leah Schroeder of Michigan, and a brother Colby Little of Florida. An informal memorial visitation will be held at their home 7600 NW 21st Street, Ocala, on Saturday, March 3, 2007 from 1 to 3 p.m. No flowers please. Remembrances to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 appreciated. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

822. MYERS, LEO KEITH, "MUSCLES, BUDDY", (Obituary No. 822.) 94 Ocala - Leo "Muscles, Buddy" Myers, age 94, of Ocala, passed away January 31, 2007. Born in Hart, MI., August 13, 1912. Graduated from Montague HS in 1932. Put out to pasture at Irish Acres Farm of Ocala 1981. He spent 3 decades of his life as an assistant to the late equine veterinarian Dr. William O. Reed. Prior to that, he worked with thoroughbred racehorses at racetracks across the Midwest, Northwest, and Southeast. He loved his job taking care of horses. He enjoyed spending time with friends, family and sharing racetrack tales. He was a member of the Florida Farm Managers. Proceeded in death by his parents, Earnest and Ida Myers of Montague, MI., and his 9 siblings, George, Phillip, Charlie, Carl, Verna Houston, Donna Eilers, Maxine Martan, Willet Mead and Ruth Osborne. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 3, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation, PO Box 3387, Saratoga Springs, New York, 12866 or www.trfinc.org Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

823. PARKER, STEPHEN VINCENT, (Obituary No. 823.) 55 Morriston - Steve V. Parker, age 55, passed away Saturday, February 24, 2007 at MRMC. He was born April 16, 1951 in Asheville, NC and came to Ocala 10 years ago from Lubbock, TX. Before working at Highland Memorial Park, Steve was an electrician with Florida Power & Light for 20 years. He had a wonderful Southern politeness in his nature, and was a jack-of-all trades. He enjoyed video games, old cowboy movies, and woodworking. Steve is survived by his mother, Gladys Lynn Parker-Thomas of Morriston. Funeral services will be at 6 p.m. on Thursday, March 1, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Doug Green officiating. Visitation will be prior from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Cremation will follow. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

824. PHENES, LEROY "CHUCK", (Obituary No. 824.) 79 Summerfield - Leroy (Chuck) Phenes passed away February 25, 2007. He is survived by his loving wife, Clara; sisters, Peggy
Drake and Helen (Pete) Lucier; brother, Les; sons, Preston (Tina), Wayne (Donna); daughters, Sandra (Gary) Faucett, Lavonne Lenox; stepdaughters Dora (Thomas) Massing, Cheri Sizemore and many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. He was an avid sportsman, enjoyed woodworking, and spending time with his family and friends. He was a retired Navy veteran of 20 years and worked at several factories in Elmira, NY. Chuck was a member of the American Legion, VFW and Moose Club. Memorial services will be held on March 1, 2007 at 10 am at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. A gathering of family and friends will be held one hour prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

825. PUCHINSKY, DAVID A., (Obituary No. 825.) 54 Summerfield - David A. Puchinsky, 54, of Summerfield, FL passed away at the Tuscany House Hospice, Summerfield, FL on February 20, 2007 of natural causes. Born in Racine, Wisconsin and a local resident since 1998, when he moved here from Orlando, FL; he was a service technician in the construction field and a United States Marine Corps Veteran serving during the Vietnam War. Preceded in death by his parents, Walter Puchinsky and mother and step-father Evelyn and Robert Rogers. David is survived by his son, Daniel of Burlington, Wisconsin; a daughter, Leah Puchinsky of Shorewood, Wisconsin; two sister, Mary Sprague and husband Mick of Lecanto, FL and Sandra Gray of Punta Gorda, FL; and one grandchild. Full military honors and funeral services are 2:30 p.m., Friday, March 2, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with the United States Marine Corps Detachment # 708 Honor and Ceremonial Team, officiating. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE - CLEARWATER, FL 727-467-0922. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

826. RAOUX, MARIE VOLTAGGIO, (Obituary No. 826.) 96 Ocala - Marie Voltaggio Raoux, 96 died Monday, February 26, 2007. She was born October 8, 1910 in Newark, NJ and moved to Belleview in 1953. She and her late husband, Edmond, owned and operated Edmond's Hairstylist in Ocala in 1968. She was a Christian Scientist. She is survived by her daughters Janine Griggs (Les Couillas) and Patti Alena both of Ocala; her son John Raoux (Joanne Wojtyto) of Orlando; her grandchildren Clay Griggs, Stuart Griggs (Gwen Hutcheson), Jeanine Alena, Elizabeth Alena, Jennifer deMalignon, Katherine Raoux and John August Raoux; eight great grandchildren and one more great grandchild expected in April. She was preceded in death by her husband Edmond and her grandson Craig Griggs. Funeral services will be held on Friday, March 2, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Friday at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County at P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

827. SHOWALTER, JULIA T., (Obituary No. 827.) 89 Leesburg - Mrs. Julia T. Showalter, 89, of Leesburg, FL passed away on February 23, 2007 at her home. A native of Long Island, NY. She was a Homemaker, a loving wife, mother, and grandmother. Mrs. Showalter is survived by a daughter Carol Dlouhy; three sons Gary, Pete and Mark; 7 grandchildren Nathaniel, Jonathon, Samuel and Rose Showalter, Jerry, Chris and Tim Vaughan; and 5 great grandchildren Kayla, Brandon, Reyna, Rachel and Cary Vaughn. She was preceded in death by her husband, Russell H. Showalter. A Mass of Resurrection will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.
828. TSON, SAMUEL LEE, (Obituary No. 828.) 34 Gainesville - Mr. Tyson, Age 34, Director of Operations/Juvenile Justice, 1990 Graduate of Forest High School (Ocala, FL), and Graduate of South Carolina State University (Charlotte, SC), died February 22, 2007, at Blake Medical Center (Bradenton, FL). Services will be held 11:00AM Saturday, March 3, 2007, at the Tabernacle of Deliverance Outreach Ministries (Ocala, FL) where Pastor Rozella Brown is Pastor with Pastor Ernest White delivering the Eulogy. Burial will follow at the Lincoln Memorial Cemetery (Ocala, FL). Mr. Tyson will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday (2:00-8:00PM) - At the Church on Saturday 30 minutes prior to the Service - And with the Processional. The Procession will form at the residence of his Parents. Sammie & Ann Tyson, 1329 SW 5th St, Ocala, FL at 10:30AM. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

829. WATSON, GEORGE WASHINGTON, (Obituary No. 829.) 89 Belleview - George Washington Watson, 89, of Belleview, Florida, passed away February 25, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Chincoteague, Virginia, retired from Eastern Airlines, and a Veteran of the US Navy. He was a member of the VFW. Among his survivors are one son Tom Watson of Belleview, Florida; three daughters, Joyce Ann Linton of Saxis, Virginia, Deborah Leigh Watson of Oakhall, Virginia and Deanie Marie Johnson of Ocklawaha, Florida; three brothers, Ernie Watson of Maryland, Franklin Watson and Calvin Watson both of Virginia; 9 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Opal Watson. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/1/2007.

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830. BLAIR, REV. HELEN MARGARET, (Obituary No. 830.) 96 Leesburg - Rev. Helen Margaret Blair, 96, passed away on February 23, 2007 in Leesburg, Florida. She was born in Florida, Alabama. She moved to this area in 1969 from Tallahassee. Rev. Blair was ordained in 1950 and Pastored for 37 years. In 1950 Rev. Blair founded the Full Gospel Tabernacle in Tallahassee, Florida. She also was the founder of Mother Refuge in Tallahassee for retired mothers. Rev. Blair also founded and pastored the Four Square Church in Belleview. Rev. Blair is survived by two daughters, Marie Schumacher of Summerfield, Florida and Darlene Sale of Tallahassee, Florida; one son, Charles Blair of Leesburg, Florida. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Lake-Sumter County Hospice in memory of Rev. Blair. Visitation will be at Roberts Downtown Chapel Friday, March 2, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday, March 2, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2 Avenue, Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

831. BOYLES, MARY, (Obituary No. 831.) 82 Ocala - Mary Boyles, 82, passed away peacefully on February 21, 2007 at Oakwood Nursing Center. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, March 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Temple of Grace, Rev. Willie Kingcade conducting the service. Survived by 3 daughters, Addie Nelson, Jeannette Boyles and Rosia Boyles; 2 sons, George McFadden and Benjamin Boyles; 24 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory that will Never Fade".
Visitation will be Friday, March 2, 2007 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

832. COUGILL, ISAIAH WARREN, (Obituary No. 832.) 7 days old Ocala - Isaiah Warren Cougill, 7 days old, passed over on Tuesday, February 27, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida. He was a strong fighter who is survived by his parents, Thomas and Christina Cougill of Ocala; brothers, Austin and Andrew Cougill of Ocala; grandparents, David and Sheryl Sloas, Chuck and Karla Gaston, Carol and Danny Steelman, and Tom and Lisa Cougill; great-grandparents, Jim and Judy Wise, Warren and Mildred Gaston, Florence Samuels and Walter Orr; aunts, Robyn Gaston, Holly Wingate, Danielle Steelman, Casey Steelman, and Brandi Steelman; cousins, Timothy, Robbie, Isabelle, and Jade. A Celebration of Life Service will be held at Highlands Baptist Church on Saturday, March 3, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. with Rev. Jeff Rountree officiating. Interment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

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836. HAMBLEN, MARY "PAT", (Obituary No. 836.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Hamblen of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, February 28, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center of Ocala. She had lived most of her life in Charleston, SC before moving to Marion County from Miami in 1958. A Homemaker. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and also a past member of The Catholic Women's Club, Past President of The Leesburg Art Group and was a member of The Ocala Art Group. Wrote in the Neighbors addition of the Star Banner for almost 10 years. She was preceded in death by husband, Herbert Alan Hamblen, Jr. Survivors include a daughter, Ellen Costello of Belleview; 4 sons, Herbert A. Hamblen, III of Lake City, FL., Bill Hamblen of Ocala, Michael Hamblen, Sr. of Summerfield and Joseph Hamblen of Augusta, GA.; brother, Edward Fredrick Conner of Maine; 9 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. Mass will be held at 1 p.m. on Monday, March 5, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be held 1 hour prior to service at the Church. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park of Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

837. HARTZELL, LOWELL E., (Obituary No. 837.) 82 Anthony - Lowell E. Hartzell passed away February 18, 2007 at ORMC Ocala. He was born in Miamisburg, Ohio. Moved to Ocala in December 1969. He was an auto mechanic in his early teen and served in the Navy for over 5 years during WWII. He worked shortly on the drawing board. Retired as a heavy equipment operator for Ohio Operating Engineers. He is survived by his wife, Linda Hartzell; sister, Nancy Soder; sister-in-law, Goldie Hartzell; nephews and nieces, Don, Bobby, Bill, David, Donnie Mike, Amy, Sandy, Becky, Vicky, Sharon, Jim, Jeff, Vicky and Sabrina. Memorial Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Church on 5 SE 17th Street Ocala on March 2, 2007 at 2 p.m. with Fr. Pat Sheedy officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.
838. IRVING, GLADYS DELORISE WISE, (Obituary No. 838.) 71 Ocala - Funeral Service for Gladys Delorise Wise Irving, 71, cook for Marion County Public School, retired, passed away February 26, 2007 at Sylvia's House will be held Saturday, March 3, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. G. W. Lee, Pastor conducting the service. Ms. Irving was born January 20, 1936 in Ocala, Florida to the late Horace Williams and Artice Mitchell. She graduated from Howard Academy and attended Florida A & M University. Survivors: 3 sons, Ronald D. Wise, Altamonte Springs, FL., Garrett A. Wise, Jr., Ocala, FL., and Michael Irving, Silver Spring, FL., 1 daughter, Sylvia Mchelen, Silver Spring, FL., 1 sister, Bernice Lott, Ocala, FL., 10 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Interment in National Veteran Cemetery Bushnell, FL Monday, March 5, 2007 under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday, March 2, 2007 from 9 - 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home. Saturday at the Church from 1 p.m. until service. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

839. KINGSLEY, SR., WAYMAN WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 839.) 65 Plant City, FL - Wayman William Kingsley, Sr., 65, of Plant City, FL., died February 28, 2007 at Palm Terrace Hospice House of Lakeland. Wayman was a retired Firefighter with Jacksonville, N.A.S. He is survived by his 2 sons, Wayman W. Kingsley, Jr. and William P. Kingsley; daughter-in-law, Robin Kingsley; brother, Culbert G. Kingsley; sister, Sharon Ray; 2 grandchildren, Wayman W. Kingsley, III and Cayla R. Kingsley; and niece Tracy Ray. Friends may call on family Saturday, March 3, 2007 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. with a funeral service to be conducted at 1 p.m. by Reverend Roger Worten at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL with burial to follow at Forest Lawn cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

840. LENWELL, ROBERT D. (Obituary No. 840.) Belleview - Robert D. Lenwell, a retired Chief Photographer and Engineer for Tropical Circuits of Fort Lauderdale, FL left this world on Friday, February 23, 2007. Mr. Lenwell was a native of Terre Haute, IN but was a 37 year resident of Florida. He moved to Belleview from Margate, FL in 1994. A member of the Prairieton Masonic Lodge No. 178 F&AM, Goodyear Blimp Club, Polar Bear Club, order of Artic Adventurous, Royal Order of Shellbacker, a former Member of Professional Photographers of Indiana and America. Mr. Lenwell attended Indiana State University and was a past member of the Navy Reserve. During World War II, Mr. Lenwell served in the U.S. Coast Guard as a Petty Officer in the Engine Room on the USS Admiral E.W. Eberle AP123. During 104,000 miles of sea duty, Mr. Lenwell earned six medals and one Battle Star. Survivors include the love of his life for 63 years, his wife Betty W. Lenwell, son Larry Lenwell, six grandchildren, eight great grandchildren, special grand daughter Angela Strandberg, and niece Cathy L. Wilson. Mr. Lenwell will be buried with full military honors in the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Friday, March 23, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 2/28/2007 - 3/2/2007.

841. MANTZ, NETTA MAE CAMPBELL BURGAN, (Obituary No. 841.) 75 Dunnellon - Netta Mae Mantz, 75, of Dunnellon, FL., formerly of Ft. Pierce and Tequesta, died February 27, 2007. Netta was born in Bell County, KY on May 30, 1931 to Ethel Holt Campbell and William Campbell. In addition to being a wonderful Mother and wife, she was also a bookkeeper and enjoyed gardening in her spare time. Netta, the youngest of five children, is survived by her
sister, Pauline Tilton of Baltimore, MD and brother, Charles Oscar Campbell of Oak Ridge, TN. Netta leaves her children, Earlene Burgan Hucks of Charlotte, NC, Robert Lee Burgan of London, KY, Gregory Scott Mantz of Montgomery, AL and stepchildren, Donna Mantz English of Port Charlotte, Drew Mantz of Port Charlotte, and Douglas Mantz of Jackson, MS as well as ten grandchildren and six great grandchildren. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her. Visitation will be held on Saturday, March 3 from 3:30 - 5:30 p.m. with services to follow immediately at FERO FUNERAL HOME in Dunnellon, FL. 352-465-1464. Flowers may be sent to the funeral home or donations made to the National Cancer Coalition at http://nationalcancer.org/. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

842. MYERS, LEO KEITH, "MUSCLES, BUDDY", (Obituary No. 842.) 94 Ocala - Leo "Muscles, Buddy" Myers, age 94, of Ocala, passed away January 31, 2007. Born in Hart, MI., August 13, 1912. Graduated from Montague HS in 1932. Put out to pasture at Irish Acres Farm of Ocala 1981. He spent 3 decades of his life as an assistant to the late equine veterinarian Dr. William O. Reed. Prior to that, he worked with thoroughbred racehorses at racetracks across the Midwest, Northwest, and Southeast. He loved his job taking care of horses. He enjoyed spending time with friends, family and sharing racetrack tales. He was a member of the Florida Farm Managers. Proceeded in death by his parents, Earnest and Ida Myers of Montague, MI., and his 9 siblings, George, Phillip, Charlie, Carl, Verna Houston, Donna Eilers, Maxine Martan, Willet Mead and Ruth Osborne. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 3, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation, PO Box 3387, Saratoga Springs, New York, 12866 or www.trfinc.org Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/3/2007.

843. ORDIWAY, JR., WILLIAM F. "BILLY", (Obituary No. 843.) 44 Eureka - William F. Ordiway, Jr., age 44 passed away December 27, 2006. He was born May 2, 1962, and worked in the concrete masonry business. His hobby's were boating riding 4 wheeler, and hanging out with Jim Beam. Preceded in death by his father, William Ordiway, Sr. Survived by his mother, Pauline Campbell, Andover, NY.; sisters, Sue Rogers, Andover, NY., Janice Lewis, Andover, NY., April Campbell, Andover, NY.; brothers, Robert Ordiway, Andover, NY., Thomas Ordiway, Andover, NY.; two step-daughters, Melissa Hutchinson & Cristina Harris and Fianc?e Alysyn King. Billy enjoyed life to the fullest. He will be missed dearly by his family and friends. A lakeside service will be held at Lake Kerr "Moorehead Park", Saturday, March 3, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

844. RAOUX, MARIE VOLTAGGIO, (Obituary No. 844.) 96 Ocala - Marie Voltaggio Raoux, 96 died Monday, February 26, 2007. She was born October 8, 1910 in Newark, NJ and moved to Belleview in 1953. She and her late husband, Edmond, owned and operated Edmond's Hairstylist in Ocala in 1968. She was a Christian Scientist. She is survived by her daughters Janine Griggs (Les Couillas) and Patti Alena both of Ocala; her son John Raoux (Joanne Wojtyto) of Orlando; her grandchildren Clay Griggs, Stuart Griggs (Gwen Hutcheson), Jeanine Alena, Elizabeth Alena, Jennifer deMalignon, Katherine Raoux and John August Raoux; eight great grandchildren and one more great grandchild expected in April. She was preceded in death by her husband Edmond and her grandson Craig Griggs. Funeral services will be held on Friday, March 2, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment
will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Friday at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County at P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.


845. SHOWALTER, JULIA T., (Obituary No. 845.) 89 Leesburg - Mrs. Julia T. Showalter, 89, of Leesburg, FL passed away on February 23, 2007 at her home. A native of Long Island, NY. She was a Homemaker, a loving wife, mother, and grandmother. Mrs. Showalter is survived by a daughter Carol Dlouhy; three sons Gary, Pete and Mark; 7 grandchildren Nathaniel, Jonathon, Samuel and Rose Showalter, Jerry, Chris and Tim Vaughan; and 5 great grandchildren Kayla, Brandon, Reyna, Rachel and Cary Vaughn. She was preceded in death by her husband, Russell H. Showalter. A Mass of Resurrection will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/2/2007.

846. SIMMONS, BESSIE MAE, (Obituary No. 846.) 61 Ocala - Mrs. Simmons, Age 61, Homemaker, (of 838 NW 7th Street, Ocala, FL), died Monday, February 26, 2007, at Shands @ Alachua General Hospital. Services will be held on 2:30PM Sunday, March 4, 2007, at Mount Ellah Baptist Church (Evinson, FL) with Rev. Jonathan D. Mosley officiating. Burial will follow at Mount Olive A.M.E. Cemetery. Mrs. Simmons will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Saturday (2:00-8:00PM) - At the Church on Sunday 30 minutes prior to the Services And with the Processional. The Procession will form at the residence of her Sister & Brother-In-Law - Elnora (& Henry) Jones, 21391 NW 59th Ave, Boardman Community/McIntosh at 2:00PM. Ms. Simmons is locally survived by: Fiancé - Willie Thomas; Children Roosevelt McCray (& Tashia), Beverly Stokes, Jacqueline Leverett, Karen Neil (& Desmond), Sabrina Dean (& James) and Saprina Simmons, Vernon "Lorenzo" Simmons and Veronica Simmons; Sisters - Luvenia Coe (& LC), Elnora Jones (& Henry) and Flora Little (& Eugene); Brothers - Clifton Scott. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

847. TYSON, SAMUEL LEE, (Obituary No. 847.) 34 Gainesville - Mr. Tyson, Age 34, Director of Operations/Juvenile Justice, 1990 Graduate of Forest High School (Ocala, FL), and Graduate of South Carolina State University (Charlotte, SC), died February 22, 2007, at Blake Medical Center (Bradenton, FL). Services will be held 11:00AM Saturday, March 3, 2007, at the Tabernacle of Deliverance Outreach Ministries (Ocala, FL) where Pastor Rozella Brown is Pastor with Pastor Ernest White delivering the Eulogy. Burial will follow at the Lincoln Memorial Cemetery (Ocala, FL). Mr. Tyson will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday (2:00-8:00PM) - At the Church on Saturday 30 minutes prior to the Service - And with the Processional. The Procession will form at the residence of his Parents. Sammie & Ann Tyson, 1329 SW 5th St, Ocala, FL at 10:30AM. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/3/2007.

848. YONGE, SCOTLAND R., (Obituary No. 848.) 95 Ocklawaha - Mrs. Scotland R. Yonge, 95, of Ocklawaha went to be with the Lord on Wed, Feb. 28, 2007, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Yonge was born in Providence, FL and moved to Ocklawaha from Jacksonville in 1964. She was a member of the St. John's Episcopal Church in Jacksonville, a past member of the Jacksonville Women's Club, a homemaker, and loved gardening and flowers. Survivors
include her sons, Laurie W. Yonge, Jr., and C. Richard Yonge of Ocala; daughters, Scottie May Harden of Orlando, Barbara Y. Willis of Alexander City, AL, Charlotte Y. Willis of Ft. Lauderdale, and Mary Lynn Loomis of Bluffdale, TX; 18 grandchildren, and 32 great-grandchildren. She is predeceased by her husband, Laurie W Yonge, Sr. Graveside Services for Mrs. Yonge will be held on Sat, March 3, 2007 at 11:30am at Oaklawn Cemetery in Jacksonville, FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the charity of your choice. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd, Belleview is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Saturday, March 3, 2007

849. BERRYANN, LINDA HUNTER (Obituary No. 849.), 63 Ocala - Linda Hunter Berryann, 63, died Saturday, February 24, 2007. She was born August 25, 1943 in Ocala, FL. She spent her life as a Care Giver. She was a member of Jehovah's Witness, Dunnellon, FL. She leaves to cherish her precious memories: her brothers Robert M. Hunter, (Frances) of Dunnellon, FL., Wayne Hunter, (Linda) of Tampa, FL., Dennis Williams, (Deloris) of Ben Harbor, MI., Robert Jefferies (Ellen) of Dunnellon, FL., her sisters, Mildred Bostick of Tampa, FL., Ruby Solomon (Sammy), Deland, FL., her Aunt Shirley Blandford, Dunnellon, FL., her devoted nieces, Rhonda Pryor of Dunnellon and Whitney Gates, of Ocala. Her Special Family friend Robert McIntyre (Alice) of Dunnellon. Linda will be missed by all her brothers and sisters at Kingdom Hall and the Staff at Timberridge Nursing Home. We will miss your love, Kindness and gracious presence. A memorial service will be held at Kingdom Hall, Dunnellon FL. on C-39, Saturday, March 3, 2007 at 2PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.

850. BLAIR, REV. HELEN MARGARET (Obituary No. 850.), 96 Leesburg - Rev. Helen Margaret Blair, 96, passed away on February 23, 2007 in Leesburg, Florida. She was born in Florida, Alabama. She moved to this area in 1969 from Tallahassee. Rev. Blair was ordained in 1950 and Pastored for 37 years. In 1950 Rev. Blair founded the Full Gospel Tabernacle in Tallahassee, Florida. She also was the founder of Mother Refuge in Tallahassee for retired mothers. Rev. Blair also founded and pastored the Four Square Church in Belleview. Rev. Blair is survived by two daughters, Marie Schumacher of Summerfield, Florida and Darlene Sale of Tallahassee, Florida; one son, Charles Blair of Leesburg, Florida. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Lake-Sumter County Hospice in memory of Rev. Blair. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2 Avenue, Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/4/2007.

851. CHARD, ROBERT WILLIAM (Obituary No. 851.), 87 Spartanburg, SC - Mr. Robert William Chard, 87 died February 28, 2007. He was a former resident of Rochester, NY, Austin TX, Ocala FL., and Spartanburg, SC. Mr. Chard was a US Navy veteran WWII. He was a member of St. George's Anglican Church, VFW Post #4209 in Ocala, FL. and was retired Bausch & Lomb. He is survived by his wife Ann Claire (McStravick) Chard, four sons, Thomas Chard and his wife Carol, William Chard and his wife Connie, Gary Chard, Alan Chard and his wife Tina, 11 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. A Memorial service will be held in Rochester, NY. SEAWRIGHT FUNERAL HOMES & CREMATOR, Inman, SC. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.
852. COUGILL, ISAIAH WARREN (Obituary No. 852.), 7 days old Ocala - Isaiah Warren Cougill, 7 days old, passed over on Tuesday, February 27, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida. He was a strong fighter who is survived by his parents, Thomas and Christina Cougill of Ocala; brothers, Austin and Andrew Cougill of Ocala; grandparents, David and Sheryl Sloas, Chuck and Karla Gaston, Carol and Danny Steelman, and Tom and Lisa Cougill; great-grandparents, Jim and Judy Wise, Warren and Mildred Gaston, Florence Samuels and Walter Orr; aunts, Robyn Gaston, Holly Wingate, Danielle Steelman, Casey Steelman, and Brandi Steelman; cousins, Timothy, Robbie, Isabelle, and Jade. A Celebration of Life Service will be held at Highlands Baptist Church on Saturday, March 3, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. with Rev. Jeff Rountree officiating. Interment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

853. CREAMER, JOHN E. (Obituary No. 853.), 73 Dunnellon - John E. Creamer, 73, passed away Saturday, February 24, 2007. He served the Dunnellon and Ocala area for 35 years and worked with the Dunnellon Lions Club. He is survived by his wife, Frances, three daughters, Cindy Riesen and husband Steve, Linda Davidson and husband Mark, Annette Siver and husband Kevin, a sister, Frances Phillips, four brothers, Walter, Richard, Darryl, Clarence, 9 grandchildren, 1 great grandson, many nieces, nephews, friends and relatives. Funeral services will be held Monday, March 5, 2007 at 10:30AM at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, 415 NE 41st Ave., Ocala, Fl. followed by interment in Riverside Memorial Park, 7242 Normandy Blvd., Jacksonville, FL. The family will receive friends at the church from 9:30AM until service time. FRASER FUNERAL HOME, 8168 Normandy Blvd., Jacksonville, FL., (904) 781-4314 in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.

854. HAMBLEN, MARY "PAT" (Obituary No. 854.), 80 Ocala - Mrs. Hamblen of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, February 28, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center of Ocala. She had lived most of her life in Charleston, SC before moving to Marion County from Miami in 1958. A Homemaker. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and also a past member of The Catholic Women's Club, Past President of The Leesburg Art Group and was a member of The Ocala Art Group. Wrote in the Neighbors addition of the Star Banner for almost 10 years. She was preceded in death by husband, Herbert Alan Hamblen, Jr. Survivors include a daughter, Ellen Costello of Belleview; 4 sons, Herbert A. Hamblen, III of Lake City, FL., Bill Hamblen of Ocala, Michael Hamblen, Sr. of Summerfield and Joseph Hamblen of Augusta, GA.; brother, Edward Fredrick Conner of Maine; 9 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. Mass will be held at 1 p.m. on Monday, March 5, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be held 1 hour prior to service at the Church. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park of Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

855. HERSHEY, JANE SIEBERT (Obituary No. 855.), 73 Ocala - Jane Siebert Hershey, 73, native of Hamilton, NY and long time resident of Penfield, NY and Ocala died peacefully in her home on Wednesday, February 28, 2007. She is survived by her caring husband of 50 years, Robert L. Hershey and her loving daughters, Lynda (Eric) Spalding, Tina (Joe) Katsarsky, Karen (Jorge) Morrell, her sister, Betty Libera, and six grandchildren, Rob, Julie, Kristen, Alex, Lindsey, and Ben. She will always be remembered for her warm friendships, giving spirit and zest for life. Memorial service will be held on Sunday, March 4 at Ocala Palms. Burial Service
held Saturday April 7 in Penfield, NY. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the
American Cancer Society. Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala in charge of

856. HOLLIS, HELEN M (Obituary No. 856.). 84 Ocala - Helen M. Hollis, 84, passed away
March 1, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Woegufka, AL and Sylacauga
AL., Mrs. Hollis moved here with her husband in 1963 from Rome, GA. She received her
Bachelor's Degree from Auburn University, was a retired social worker with the state of Florida
H.R.S. She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Ocala. Helen was also a wonderful
cook and enjoyed gardening. She is survived by her husband of 61 years Alton B. Hollis and
son-in-law David Morrill, Winter Springs, one granddaughter Ashley. A memorial service will
be 11AM, Wednesday March 7, 2007 in the First United Methodist Church Chapel with Dr. John
F. Few and Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 -

857. MANTZ, NETTA MAE CAMPBELL BURGAN (Obituary No. 857.) 75 Dunnellon -
Netta Mae Mantz, 75, of Dunnellon, FL., formerly of Ft. Pierce and Tequesta, died February 27,
2007. Netta was born in Bell County, KY on May 30, 1931 to Ethel Holt Campbell and William
Campbell. In addition to being a wonderful Mother and wife, she was also a bookkeeper and
enjoyed gardening in her spare time. Netta, the youngest of five children, is survived by her
sister, Pauline Tilton of Baltimore, MD and brother, Charles Oscar Campbell of Oak Ridge, TN.
Netta leaves her children, Earlene Burgan Hucks of Charlotte, NC, Robert Lee Burgan of
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immediately at FERO FUNERAL HOME in Dunnellon, FL. 352-465-1464. Flowers may be sent
to the funeral home or donations made to the National Cancer Coalition at

858. McGRATH, JAMES EDWARD (Obituary No. 858.), 80 Milford, MA - James Edward
McGrath, 80, of Ocala, FL. died Thursday, March 1, 2007 at the Blair House in Milford, MA.
Born in Ohio, he was the son of the late Ruth (Bishop) and George McGrath. A veteran of WWII
in the Coastguard and a member of the Elks, he was a 17 year resident of Ocala, FL. and
formerly a resident of Ohio. He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Mary, 1 son; Michael
McGrath and his wife Karen of Hopkinson, MA., a daughter-in-law; Gail McGrath of New
Brunswick, NJ, 2 sisters; Bev and Pat and 3 grandchildren; Jason, Erin, and Tim. He is
predeceased by 1 son; Pat McGrath who passed away in 1998. Donations may be made in his
memory to the The Jimmy Fund, Dana Farber Cancer Institute, 10 Brookline Place West 6th
Floor Brookline, MA 02445 or to the Blair House Activities Fund, 20 Claflin Ave., Milford,

859. MYERS, LEO KEITH, "MUSCLES, BUDDY" (Obituary No. 859.), 94 Ocala - Leo
"Muscles, Buddy" Myers, age 94, of Ocala, passed away January 31, 2007. Born in Hart, MI.,
August 13, 1912. Graduated from Montague HS in 1932. Put out to pasture at Irish Acres Farm
of Ocala 1981. He spent 3 decades of his life as an assistant to the late equine veterinarian Dr.
William O. Reed. Prior to that, he worked with thoroughbred racehorses at racetracks across the Midwest, Northwest, and Southeast. He loved his job taking care of horses. He enjoyed spending time with friends, family and sharing racetrack tales. He was a member of the Florida Farm Managers. Proceeded in death by his parents, Earnest and Ida Myers of Montague, MI., and his 9 siblings, George, Phillip, Charlie, Carl, Verna Houston, Donna Eilers, Maxine Martan, Willet Mead and Ruth Osborne. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 3, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation, PO Box 3387, Saratoga Springs, New York, 12866 or www.trfinc.org Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/3/2007.

860. ORDIWAY, JR., WILLIAM F. "BILLY" (Obituary No. 860.), 44 Eureka - William F. Ordiway, Jr., age 44 passed away December 27, 2006. He was born May 2, 1962, and worked in the concrete masonry business. His hobby's were boating riding 4 wheeler, and hanging out with Jim Beam. Preceded in death by his father, William Ordiway, Sr. Survived by his mother, Pauline Campbell, Andover, NY.; sisters, Sue Rogers, Andover, NY., Janice Lewis, Andover, NY., April Campbell, Andover, NY.; brothers, Robert Ordiway, Andover, NY., Thomas Ordiway, Andover, NY.; two step-daughters, Melissa Hutchinson & Cristina Harris and Fianc?e Alysyn King. Billy enjoyed life to the fullest. He will be missed dearly by his family and friends. A lakeside service will be held at Lake Kerr "Moorehead Park", Saturday, March 3, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

861. SIMMONS, BESSIE MAE (Obituary No. 861.), 61 Ocala - Mrs. Simmons, Age 61, Homemaker, (of 838 NW 7th Street, Ocala, FL), died Monday, February 26, 2007, at Shands @ Alachua General Hospital. Services will be held on 2:30PM Sunday, March 4, 2007, at Mount Ellah Baptist Church (Evinston, FL) with Rev. Jonathan D. Mosley officiating. Burial will follow at Mount Olive A.M.E. Cemetery. Mrs. Simmons will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Saturday (2:00-8:00PM) - At the Church on Sunday 30 minutes prior to the Services And with the Processional. The Procession will form at the residence of her Sister & Brother-In-Law - Elnora (& Henry) Jones, 21391 NW 59th Ave, Boardman Community/McIntosh at 2:00PM. Ms. Simmons is locally survived by: Fianc? - Willie Thomas; Children Roosevelt McCray (& Tashia), Beverly Stokes, Jacqueline Leverett, Karen Neil (& Desmond), Sabrina Dean (& James) and Saprina Simmons, Vernon "Lorenzo" Simmons and Veronica Simmons; Sisters - Luvenia Coe (& LC), Elnora Jones (& Henry) and Flora Little (& Eugene); Brothers - Clifton Scott. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

862. SMITH, EARL L. (Obituary No. 862.), 44 Ocala - Earl L. Smith, 44, passed away on Thursday, March 1, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Earl graduated from Fort Campbell, Kentucky High School in 1980. He attended the Nashville Diesel College, and graduated in 1981. He came to Ocala in 1985 and worked as a Diesel Technician. He joined Raney's Truck Company in 1996 as Service Manager for the company. He is survived by his mother and father, James and Lorrie Smith; fiance', Edith Fondren; and daughter Jessica Smith. Earl was an avid motorcycle enthusiast and enjoyed the sport in and around the Central Florida area including Daytona Beach. He was the best Son and Dad. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be

863. SWANGER, EDNA R. (Obituary No. 863.), 90 Ocala - Edna R. Swanger, 90 passed away March 2nd. Born in Swarthmore, England, she came to this area in 1991 from Bradenton, FL. She was a retired accountant and a member of St. John's United Methodist Church, Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 66 years, Herbert L. Swanger; a son, James Earl Swanger and his wife Nancy of Ocala; grandchildren, James E. Swanger of Sarasota, Lonnie W. Swanger of Lebanon, PA., David C. Swanger of Williston and Kenneth H. Swanger of Columbus GA., 6 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Sunday (March 4th) from 4-6PM. A Funeral Service will be held at the Good Shepherd Mausoleum Chapel (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala 237-2212) on Monday (March 5th) at 11AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/5/2007.

864. TYSON, SAMUEL LEE (Obituary No. 864.), 34 Gainesville - Mr. Tyson, Age 34, Director of Operations/Juvenile Justice, 1990 Graduate of Forest High School (Ocala, FL), and Graduate of South Carolina State University (Charlotte, SC), died February 22, 2007, at Blake Medical Center (Bradenton, FL). Services will be held 11:00AM Saturday, March 3, 2007, at the Tabernacle of Deliverance Outreach Ministries (Ocala, FL) where Pastor Rozella Brown is Pastor with Pastor Ernest White delivering the Eulogy. Burial will follow at the Lincoln Memorial Cemetery (Ocala, FL). Mr. Tyson will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday (2:00-8:00PM) - At the Church on Saturday 30 minutes prior to the Service - And with the Processional. The Procession will form at the residence of his Parents. Sammie & Ann Tyson, 1329 SW 5th St, Ocala, FL at 10:30AM. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/1/2007 - 3/3/2007.

865. YONGE, SCOTLAND R. (Obituary No. 865.), 95 Ocklawaha - Mrs. Scotland R. Yonge, 95, of Ocklawaha went to be with the Lord on Wed, Feb. 28, 2007, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Yonge was born in Providence, FL and moved to Ocklawaha from Jacksonville in 1964. She was a member of the St. John's Episcopal Church in Jacksonville, a past member of the Jacksonville Women's Club, a homemaker, and loved gardening and flowers. Survivors include her sons, Laurie W. Yonge, Jr., and C. Richard Yonge of Ocala; daughters, Scottie May Harden of Orlando, Barbara Y. Willis of Alexander City, AL, Charlotte Y. Willis of Ft. Lauderdale, and Mary Lynn Loomis of Bluffdale, TX; 18 grandchildren, and 32 great-grandchildren. She is predeceased by her husband, Laurie W Yonge, Sr. Graveside Services for Mrs. Yonge will be held on Sat, March 3, 2007 at 11:30am at Oaklawn Cemetery in Jacksonville, FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the charity of your choice. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd, Belleview is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/2/2007 - 3/3/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Sunday, March 4, 2007

866. BERRYANN, LINDA HUNTER, (Obituary No. 866.) 63 Ocala - Linda Hunter Berryann, 63, died Saturday, February 24, 2007. She was born August 25, 1943 in Ocala, FL. She spent her
life as a Care Giver. She was a member of Jehovah's Witness, Dunnellon, FL. She leaves to cherish her precious memories: her brothers Robert M. Hunter, (Frances) of Dunnellon, FL., Wayne Hunter, (Linda) of Tampa, FL., Dennis Williams, (Deloris) of Ben Harbor, MI., Robert Jefferies (Ellen) of Dunnellon, FL., her sisters, Mildred Bostick of Tampa, FL., Ruby Solomon (Sammy), Deland, FL., her Aunt Shirley Blandford, Dunnellon, FL., her devoted nieces, Rhonda Pryor of Dunnellon and Whitney Gates, of Ocala. Her Special Family friend Robert McIntyre (Alice) of Dunnellon. Linda will be missed by all her brothers and sisters at Kingdom Hall and the Staff at Timberridge Nursing Home. We will miss your love, Kindness and gracious presence. A memorial service will be held at Kingdom Hall, Dunnellon FL. on C-39, Saturday, March 3, 2007 at 2PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.

867. BLAIR, REV. HELEN MARGARET (Obituary No. 867.), 96 Leesburg - Rev. Helen Margaret Blair, 96, passed away on February 23, 2007 in Leesburg, Florida. She was born in Florida, Alabama. She moved to this area in 1969 from Tallahassee. Rev. Blair was ordained in 1950 and Pastored for 37 years. In 1950 Rev. Blair founded the Full Gospel Tabernacle in Tallahassee, Florida. She also was the founder of Mother Refuge in Tallahassee for retired mothers. Rev. Blair also founded and pastored the Four Square Church in Bellevue. Rev. Blair is survived by two daughters, Marie Schumacher of Summerfield, Florida and Darlene Sale of Tallahassee, Florida; one son, Charles Blair of Leesburg, Florida. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Lake-Sumter County Hospice in memory of Rev. Blair. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2 Avenue, Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.

868. CHARD, ROBERT WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 868.) 87 Spartanburg, SC - Mr. Robert William Chard, 87 died February 28, 2007. He was a former resident of Rochester, NY, Austin TX, Ocala FL., and Spartanburg, SC. Mr. Chard was a US Navy veteran WWII. He was a member of St. George's Anglican Church, VFW Post #4209 in Ocala, FL. and was retired Bausch & Lomb. He is survived by his wife Ann Claire (McStravick) Chard, four sons, Thomas Chard and his wife Carol, William Chard and his wife Connie, Gary Chard, Alan Chard and his wife Tina, 11 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. A Memorial service will be held in Rochester, NY. SEAWRIGHT FUNERAL HOMES & CREMATOR, Inman, SC. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.

869. CREAMER, JOHN E., (Obituary No. 869.) 73 Dunnellon - John E. Creamer, 73, passed away Saturday, February 24, 2007. He served the Dunnellon and Ocala area for 35 years and worked with the Dunnellon Lions Club. He is survived by his wife, Frances, three daughters, Cindy Riesen and husband Steve, Linda Davidson and husband Mark, Annette Siver and husband Kevin, a sister, Frances Phillips, four brothers, Walter, Richard, Darryl, Clarence, 9 grandchildren, 1 great grandson, many nieces, nephews, friends and relatives. Funeral services will be held Monday, March 5, 2007 at 10:30AM at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, 415 NE 41st Ave., Ocala, Fl. followed by interment in Riverside Memorial Park, 7242 Normandy Blvd., Jacksonville, FL. The family will receive friends at the church from 9:30AM until service time. FRASER FUNERAL HOME, 8168 Normandy Blvd., Jacksonville, FL., (904) 781-4314 in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.
870. HEISE, LEE H., (Obituary No. 870.) 76 Belleview - Lee. H. Heise, 76, passed away on March 2, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Heise moved to Belleview from Miami in 1969. Lee was an Electrician Member of the local 349 Electrical Union and he also enjoyed working in his garage. Mr. Heise is survived by his wife Alma Heise, Belleview; son Carl and his wife Kathy, Ocala; son David and his wife Shirley, Belleview; son Roger and his wife Angela, Chintilly, VA; daughter Cindy Spiller, Miami; sister Mary Morgan, Miami; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470 on Tuesday, March 6, 2007 at 4:00 p.m. with Pastor Blaine Whitt officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/4/2007 - 3/5/2007.

871. HERSHEY, JANE SIEBERT, (Obituary No. 871.) 73 Ocala - Jane Siebert Hershey, 73, native of Hamilton, NY and long time resident of Penfield, NY and Ocala died peacefully in her home on Wednesday, February 28, 2007. She is survived by her caring husband of 50 years, Robert L. Hershey and her loving daughters, Lynda (Eric) Spalding, Tina (Joe) Katsarsky, Karen (Jorge) Morrell, her sister, Betty Libera, and six grandchildren, Rob, Julie, Kristen, Alex, Lindsey, and Ben. She will always be remembered for her warm friendships, giving spirit and zest for life. Memorial service will be held on Sunday, March 4 at Ocala Palms. Burial Service held Saturday April 7 in Penfield, NY. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala in charge of local arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.

872. HOLLIS, HELEN M. (Obituary No. 872.) 84 Ocala - Helen M. Hollis, 84, passed away March 1, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Woegufka, AL and Sylacauga AL., Mrs. Hollis moved here with her husband in 1963 from Rome, GA. She received her Bachelor's Degree from Auburn University, was a retired social worker with the state of Florida H.R.S, She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Ocala. Helen was also a wonderful cook and enjoyed gardening. She is survived by her husband of 61 years Alton B. Hollis, Ocala, her daughter Kimothy (Kim) Hollis-Morrill and son-in-law David Morrill, Winter Springs, one granddaughter Ashley. A memorial service will be 11AM, Wednesday March 7, 2007 in the First United Methodist Church Chapel with Dr. John F. Few and Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.

873. HOLLIS, HELEN M. (Obituary No. 873.) 84 Ocala - Helen M. Hollis, 84, passed away March 1, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Woegufka, AL and Sylacauga AL., Mrs. Hollis moved here with her husband in 1963 from Rome, GA. She received her Bachelor's Degree from Auburn University, was a retired social worker with the state of Florida H.R.S, She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Ocala. Helen was also a wonderful cook and enjoyed gardening. She is survived by her husband of 61 years Alton B. Hollis, Ocala, her daughter Kimothy (Kim) Hollis-Morrill and son-in-law David Morrill, Winter Springs, one granddaughter Ashley. A memorial service will be 11AM, Wednesday March 7, 2007 in the First United Methodist Church Chapel with Dr. John F. Few and Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/5/2007.

874. McGrath, James Edward, (Obituary No. 874.) 80 Milford, MA - James Edward McGrath, 80, of Ocala, FL. died Thursday, March 1, 2007 at the Blair House in Milford, MA. Born in Ohio, he was the son of the late Ruth (Bishop) and George McGrath. A veteran of WWII
in the Coastguard and a member of the Elks, he was a 17 year resident of Ocala, FL. and formerly a resident of Ohio. He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Mary, 1 son; Michael McGrath and his wife Karen of Hopkinton, MA., a daughter-in-law; Gail McGrath of New Brunswick, NJ, 2 sisters; Bev and Pat and 3 grandchildren; Jason, Erin, and Tim. He is predeceased by 1 son; Pat McGrath who passed away in 1998. Donations may be made in his memory to the The Jimmy Fund, Dana Farber Cancer Institute, 10 Brookline Place West 6th Floor Brookline, MA 02445 or to the Blair House Activities Fund, 20 Claflin Ave., Milford, MA. 01757. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.

875. RHODES, LARRY W. "SHORTY", (Obituary No. 875.) 62 Summerfield - Larry W. "Shorty" Rhodes, 62, of Summerfield, FL, died Friday, March 2, 2007. Born in Georgia, he moved to Florida in 1968 and was a longtime resident of Lake County. He was a US Army and Navy Veteran and he worked as a drywall installer. Survivors include: wife Joyce Rhodes of Summerfield, FL; daughter Melissa "Missy" Teston of Morristown, TN; son Mark Rhodes of Summerfield, FL; brother Wendell Rhodes of Tampa, FL; Paul Rhodes of Lenox, GA; sister, Carolyn Miller of Port St. Lucie, FL, Jane Hall of Moultrie, GA; and seven grandchildren. Funeral Services for Larry W. "Shorty" Rhodes will be held at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, March 4, 2007 at BEYERS FUNERAL HOME with Rev. Randy Ford officiating. Family and friends may call at the funeral home Sunday, March 4, 2007 from 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME - Leesburg, FL (352) 787-4343. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/4/2007 - 3/5/2007.

876. SMITH, EARL L., (Obituary No. 876.) 44 Ocala - Earl L. Smith, 44, passed away on Thursday, March 1, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Earl graduated from Fort Campbell, Kentucky High School in 1980. He attended the Nashville Diesel College, and graduated in 1981. He came to Ocala in 1985 and worked as a Diesel Technician. He joined Raney's Truck Company in 1996 as Service Manager for the company. He is survived by his mother and father, James and Lorrie Smith; fiance', Edith Fondren; and daughter Jessica Smith. Earl was an avid motorcycle enthusiast and enjoyed the sport in and around the Central Florida area including Daytona Beach. He was the best Son and Dad. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society, PO Box 22718 Oklahoma City, OK 73123. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/4/2007.

877. SWANGER, EDNA R., (Obituary No. 877.) 90 Ocala - Edna R. Swanger, 90 passed away March 2nd. Born in Swarthmore, England, she came to this area in 1991 from Bradenton, FL. She was a retired accountant and a member of St. John's United Methodist Church, Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 66 years, Herbert L. Swanger; a son, James Earl Swanger and his wife Nancy of Ocala; grandchildren, James E. Swanger of Sarasota, Lonnie W. Swanger of Lebanon, PA., David C. Swanger of Williston and Kenneth H. Swanger of Columbus GA., 6 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Sunday (March 4th) from 4-6PM. A Funeral Service will be held at the Good Shepherd Mausoleum Chapel (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala 237-2212) on Monday (March 5th) at 11AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/3/2007 - 3/5/2007.
878. WELCH, JR., HENLEY F., (Obituary No. 878.) 62 Ocala - Funeral Service for Henley F. Welch, Jr., 62, retired truck driver, will be held Monday, March 5, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith with Chaplin Joe Regnier conducting the service. Mr. Welch was born Dec. 3, 1944 in Monroe, Michigan to Luella and Henley F. Welch, Sr. He's a member of the Moose Lodge of Dunnellon, FL. Survivors: wife, Susan E. Welch of Ocala, FL; son, Larry Burns of Toledo, OH; three daughters: Toni Haines of Wauseon, OH; Tonya Mack of Delta, OH; and Requel Welch of Ocala, FL; two brothers, Chuck Welch and Bill Welch of Monroe, MI; five sisters, Rosie Hamon of Lamberville, MI; Donne Parker of Toledo, OH; Jo Ann Mentel of Monroe, MI; Debbie Sullivan of Toledo, OH; Lillian Vanripe of Monroe, MI; and six grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday March 5, 2007 at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith, 434 NW MLK, Jr. Ave. from 11:00 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after eulogy. Service entrusted to CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. "Your Friends Who Care." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/4/2007 - 3/5/2007.

879. WILLIAMS, NELLIE L., (Obituary No. 879.) 92 Dunnellon - Mrs. Nellie L. Williams, of Dunnellon, passed away March 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A life long resident of Dunnellon, Mrs. Williams was a Marion County School Bus Driver for many years and she was a member of St. Johns United Methodist Church at Cotton Plant. She was predeceased by her husband, Dennis J. Williams and is survived by a son, Hubert Williams of Dunnellon, Florida; sister, Dorothy Camper of Ocala, Florida; three grandchildren, John M. Williams and Robert Williams, both of Dunnellon, Florida and Karen Taylor of Lake City, Florida, and by eight great-grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Williams will be conducted Tuesday, March 6, at 10:30 a.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, with the Rev. Russ Randall of the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon officiating. The family will receive friends Monday evening from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. and request that in lieu of flowers, please contribute to the St. John United Methodist Church at Cotton Plant, 12390 W. Hwy 328, Ocala, Florida 34482. Information provided by ROBERTS OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED.

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880. CRABTREE, GLENNA "JACKIE", (Obituary No. 880.) 75 Silver Springs - Glenna Jackie Crabtree age 75, passed away Saturday, March 3, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House. She was born February 13, 1932 in Rome, GA and came to Marion County 50 years ago from Floral City. She was of the Baptist faith, and retired from the food service profession, and enjoyed her hobbies of sewing and cooking. Jackie is survived by three daughters, Bobbie Bannister of Ocala, MaeDean Crabtree of Silver Springs, Mary Ann Pitts of Ashland, AL, two sons, Wes Crabtree of Anthony, Allen Crabtree of Ocala, seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Proceeded in death by her husband Harold "Bob" Crabtree, and granddaughter, Lindsey Faye Crabtree. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860, Ocala, 34478-4860. A private family service will be held at a later date. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/5/2007 - 3/6/2007.

881. HEISE, LEE H., (Obituary No. 881.) 76 Belleview - Lee. H. Heise, 76, passed away on March 2, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Heise moved to Belleview from Miami in 1969. Lee was an
Electrician Member of the local 349 Electrical Union and he also enjoyed working in his garage. Mr. Heise is survived by his wife Alma Heise, Belleview; son Carl and his wife Kathy, Ocala; son David and his wife Shirley, Belleview; son Roger and his wife Angela, Chintilly, VA; daughter Cindy Spiller, Miami; sister Mary Morgan, Miami; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470 on Tuesday, March 6, 2007 at 4:00 p.m. with Pastor Blaine Whitt officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/4/2007 - 3/5/2007.

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883. POWELL, CAROL, (Obituary No. 883.) 71 Ocala - Carol Powell, 71, passed away March 3, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in South Amboy, NJ., and moved to Ocala in 1995 from Old Bridge, NJ. She was a member of the Anthony Quilting Club. She is survived by her husband Courtney Powell of Ocala, sons Bernard Fleming of Barnegat, NJ., Robert Fleming of Little Egg Harbor, NJ., Patrick Fleming of Old Bridge NJ., daughters Christine Muller of Freehold NJ., Carol Sereda of Old Bridge, NJ., and Jacqulin Audis of Santa Clarita, CA., stepdaughters Deborah Powell of River Edge, NJ., Karen Powell of Eureka, CA., Lorraine and Catherine Powell both of San Francisco, CA., 19 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren, and a brother Richard Tier and niece Robin Tier of Morganville, NJ. There will be a memorial service at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, March 6, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL., with Rev. Jay Schmidt officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE WEST CHAPEL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/5/2007 - 3/6/2007.

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885. SEILER, LOUISE "DOLLY", (Obituary No. 885.) 92 Salt Springs - Louise Stevens "Dolly" Seller, 92, passed away Saturday, March 3, 2007 in Ocala. A lifelong resident, she was born at Conner in East Marion County where her pioneer family settled in the early 1800's. Mrs. Seller attended both the Baptist Church and the Christian Church in Salt Springs. She is survived by daughters, Lois W. Scott, Trenton, Lottie J. Barrington, Greer, SC., Hattie Mae Keeling, Vero Beach, Nina L. Leak, Ocala, Laverne F. Hoover, Meridian, MS., and son, Walton N. Seiler, Salt Springs, stepson, Norman Seiler, Aiken, SC., 12 grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren, and 2 great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph E. Seiler, Sr., and step-sons, Winston and Ralph Seiler, Jr. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 6, 2007 in the First Baptist Church, Salt Springs with Dr. Robert Hines and Rev. Walt Miller, officiating. Visitation will be at the church prior to the service. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/5/2007 - 3/6/2007.

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889. ANNATONE, JOYCE ANN "JOY", (Obituary No. 889.) 74 Ocala - Joyce Ann "Joy" Annatone, 74, of Ocala passed away March 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Raceland, KY., she moved to this area in 1973. Joy was a retired cosmetologist. She is survived by her husband of 13 years, Dominic Annatone; a daughter, Terry Sadusky and husband Don of Waycross, GA; two sons, Stephen Ockerman and wife Tina of Port St. Lucie, FL., and Randall Ockerman and wife Linda of Glennville, GA; a stepson, Michael Annatone and wife Stephanie of Brentwood, CA; a stepdaughter, Theresa Dougherty of Ocala, FL; two sisters, Mary Smith of Ocala, FL., and Patricia Preece and husband Les of Raleigh, NC; two brothers, Randall Burchett and wife Ann of Salt Springs, FL., and Conrad "Bill" Burchett and wife Carol of Bethesda, OH; 17 grandchildren, 29 great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. A private memorial service will be held. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/6/2007 - 3/7/2007.

890. CRABTREE, GLENNA "JACKIE", (Obituary No. 890.) 75 Silver Springs - Glenna Jackie Crabtree, age 75, passed away Saturday, March 3, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House. She was born February 13, 1932 in Rome, GA and came to Marion County 50 years ago from Floral City. She was of the Baptist faith, and retired from the food service profession, and enjoyed her hobbies of sewing and cooking. Jackie is survived by three daughters, Bobbie Bannister of Ocala, MaeDean Crabtree of Silver Springs, Mary Ann Pitts of Ashland, AL., two sons, Wes Crabtree of Anthony, Allen Crabtree of Ocala, seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Proceeded in death by her husband Harold "Bob" Crabtree, and granddaughter, Lindsey Faye Crabtree. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860, Ocala, 34478-4860. A private family service will be held at a later date. Arrangements by HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/5/2007 - 3/6/2007.

891. HARRIS, DAVID R., (Obituary No. 891.) 77 Belleview - David R. "Dave" Harris, 77, of Belleview, passed away March 2, 2007, peacefully at his home. Born in 1929 in Overland, MO, the only child of Robert H. Harris and Irene A. Ledbetter-Harris, Dave was an Army veteran serving in the Korean Conflict. Shortly thereafter he adopted Normandy, MO, as his hometown where he owned and operated Dave Harris Standard Filling station and Towing for more that 20 years. Dave and his family moved to the Ocala area in 1979 where he was a salesman for Bi-Lo Auto Parts and Big Truck Parts. He loved his family, his friends, NASCAR racing, and perhaps most of all any animal he came in contact with. He never met a dog or donut he didn't like. David's love, humor and kindness will always remain with his surviving family: his wife, Theresa M. "Terry" Harris, his two daughters, Michele M. Harris and Shari L. Oglesby (all of
Terry Harris Insurance, Belleview), son-in-law, Jeffrey Oglesby, his grandchildren Brock Oglesby and Cierra Oglesby Lester, wife of Jason Lester. Burial will be in St. Louis, MO. The family would appreciate a note recollecting your memory of Dave in lieu of flowers or donations. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/6/2007 - 3/7/2007.

892. HASTER, JOHN SIDNEY, (Obituary No. 892.) 83 Ocala - Mr. John Sidney Haster, age 83, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Wednesday, February 28, 2007 at M.R.M.C. at Timberridge Emergency Room. He was born in Omaha, Nebraska and moved to Oak Run in Ocala, Florida in 1988 from Seattle, Washington. He retired as Chief Petty Officer with U.S. Navy following 20 years service during WWII, the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam War. Following his retirement he owned and operated several businesses in the Seattle area. John also served as an officer with the King County Corrections Facility in Seattle, from 1971 until he retired in 1986. He is a member of the Fleet Reserve Association #186, of Hernando, FL. At Oak Run, John was an active member and was the originator of the Annual Golf Cart Christmas Parade. He is survived by his loving wife of 35 years, Shirley A. of Ocala, FL; his son, Patrick Haster of Coupeville, WA; his daughter, Terri Ann Akers of Enumclaw, WA; his 3 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 7, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476. The family will receive friends at the Funeral home one hour prior to service time. A private family committal service will follow at Florida National Cemetery. The family request donations may be made to the Friendship Volunteer Fire Department, 7777 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34481 or a charity of your choice, in memory of John Sidney Haster. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/6/2007 - 3/7/2007.

893. POWELL, CAROL, (Obituary No. 893.) 71 Ocala - Carol Powell, 71, passed away March 3, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in South Amboy, NJ., and moved to Ocala in 1995 from Old Bridge, NJ. She was a member of the Anthony Quilting Club. She is survived by her husband Courtney Powell of Ocala, sons Bernard Fleming of Barnegat, NJ., Robert Fleming of Little Egg Harbor, NJ., Patrick Fleming of Old Bridge NJ., daughters Christine Muller of Freehold NJ., Carol Sereda of Old Bridge, NJ., and Jacqulin Audis of Santa Clarita, CA., stepdaughters Deborah Powell of River Edge, NJ., Karen Powell of Eureka, CA., Lorraine and Catherine Powell both of San Francisco, CA., 19 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren, and a brother Richard Tier and niece Robin Tier of Morganville, NJ. There will be a memorial service at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, March 6, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL., with Rev. Jay Schmidt officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE WEST CHAPEL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/5/2007 - 3/6/2007.

894. SEILER, LOUISE "DOLLY", (Obituary No. 894.) 92 Salt Springs - Louise Stevens "Dolly" Seller, 92, passed away Saturday, March 3, 2007 in Ocala. A lifelong resident, she was born at Conner in East Marion County where her pioneer family settled in the early 1800's. Mrs. Seller attended both the Baptist Church and the Christian Church in Salt Springs. She is survived by daughters, Lois W. Scott, Trenton, Lottie J. Barrington, Greer, SC., Hattie Mae Keeling, Vero Beach, Nina L. Leak, Ocala, Laverne F. Hoover, Meridian, MS., and son, Walton N. Seiler, Salt Springs, stepson, Norman Seiler, Aiken, SC., 12 grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren, and 2
great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph E. Seiler, Sr., and step-sons, Winston and Ralph Seiler, Jr. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 6, 2007 in the First Baptist Church, Salt Springs with Dr. Robert Hines and Rev. Walt Miller, officiating. Visitation will be at the church prior to the service. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/5/2007 - 3/6/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, March 7, 2007

895. ANNATONE, JOYCE ANN "JOY", (Obituary No. 895.) 74 Ocala - Joyce Ann "Joy" Annatone, 74, of Ocala passed away March 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Raceland, KY., she moved to this area in 1973. Joy was a retired cosmetologist. She is survived by her husband of 13 years, Dominic Annatone; a daughter, Terry Sadusky and husband Don of Waycross, GA; two sons, Stephen Ockerman and wife Tina of Port St. Lucie, FL., and Randall Ockerman and wife Linda of Glennville, GA; a stepson, Michael Annatone and wife Stephanie of Brentwood, CA; a stepdaughter, Theresa Dougherty of Ocala, FL; two sisters, Mary Smith of Ocala, FL., and Patricia Preece and husband Les of Raleigh, NC; two brothers, Randall Burchett and wife Ann of Salt Springs, FL., and Conrad "Bill" Burchett and wife Carol of Bethesda, OH; 17 grandchildren, 29 great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. A private memorial service will be held. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/6/2007 - 3/7/2007.

896. BEAN, MARY M., (Obituary No. 896.) 89 Valla Rica, GA - Mary M Bean died Friday, March 2, after a long, happy, healthy life. Born in Decatur Indiana on November 24th, 1917, the eldest of 10 children, she quickly finished her nurses training, joined the US Army, and went to war in the Pacific. There she met and later married Carl Bean, a career military man from Brooksville. She lead a very busy life, raising two sons, moving all over the world and still managed to practice her profession of nursing. Her love of life and inspirational "spunk" kept all around her on their toes. Mary spent the final years of her life enjoying her family and spending time with her dearest friend in Texas who she met during the war. She was the family matriarch and will truly be missed by all. Surviving is her eldest son Sam Bean and his wife Mary of Douglasville, Ga., her youngest son Joe Bean from Villa Rica, GA., her grandchildren Danielle, Nathan, Michelle, Jessica, and 5 great grandchildren. Friends may call on the at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala Thursday, March 8, 2007 from 7:00 - 9:00 PM. There will be a funeral mass at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Friday March 9, 2007 at 9:00 AM, with a Graveside service to follow at 1:00 PM at Lake Lindsey Cemetery in Brooksville. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/6/2007 - 3/8/2007.

897. COFFEY, NORMA JEAN, (Obituary No. 897.) 51 Belleview - Ms. Norma Jean Coffey, 51, passed away on March 5, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Indianapolis, IN., on January 5, 1956. She is a member of the United Pentecostal Church in Ocala. She is predeceased by her parents Harley and Mary Jane Coffey. She moved to Belleview in 2002 from Indiana. She is survived by her four sisters, Carol Thomas, Mary L. Coffey, Rosella J. Coffey, and Princess E. Coffey all of Belleview, FL; a brother-in-law, Michael Thomas of Belleview, FL; two nephews and five nieces. A viewing will be at Roberts Downtown Chapel from 5 - 7 p.m. Thursday, March 8. Services will be at the United Pentecostal Church in Ocala. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN
898. COLEMAN, PAUL THOMAS, (Obituary No. 898.) 80 Ocala - Paul T. Coleman, age 80, of Ocala passed away Thursday, March 1, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Erie, PA., on May 3, 1926. Paul was a devoted Roman Catholic and altar boy who ultimately graduated from (Bishop) Gannon University in 1952. He served in German in WWII and was a proud veteran and life-long civil servant. Most of his career was dedicated to the US Army where he specialized in Personnel and Labor Relations. He worked at the Pentagon, Ft. Monmouth, NJ; in Vietnam, Okinawa, and at the 21st Support CMD in Germany, where he retired after 35 years in 1982. Paul had many friends and loved reading, was an avid golfer, loved all sports, history, classical music and Seinfeld. His kindness, generosity, high ethics and integrity will be missed by all who knew him. Paul was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, and a Life Member of the VFW. Predeceased in death by his first wife, Paula J., son Charles E. and Thomas L. and sister Margaret M. Nieman. He is survived by his beloved wife, Rosemarie Franzel Coleman of Rodalben, Germany, three sons, Robert G. of Levittown, PA., Patrick C. of Ocala, and Casey of Allentown, PA.; five daughters, Catherine M. Coleman of Tiburon, CA., Mary J. Coleman of Howell, NJ., Margaret B. Brill of Lansdale, PA., Anne E. Branett of Levittown, PA., and Susan E. Ashcroft of Richboro, PA.; Three step-children of Rodalben, Germany, Walter, Marion and Susanne. Paul is also survived by numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren. Memorial Services will be 11 a.m. Friday, March 9, 2007 at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Memorial contributions may be made to Veteran's of Foreign Wars at www.vfw.org Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

899. GRAEFE, JULIE HATHORN, (Obituary No. 899.) 67 Ocala - Julie Hathorn Graefe, 67, passed away on Monday, March 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Native of Anniston, AL she had made Ocala her home for the past 6 years coming from Alabama. She had worked in Miami, FL for Burger King Corp. office as a Human Resource Officer before moving to Anniston, AL and working at Parker Industry. Survivors include son, James Ellison of High Springs, FL; daughter, Cindy Robinson (Darren) of Port St. Lucy, FL; brother, Bill Russell of Gainesville, FL; sister Suzane Russell Marshall of Deland, FL; brother David Russell on Military Tour in Iraq; brother, Wayne Browning of Newberry, FL; sister, Mary Browning of Miami, FL; brother, Tim Browning of Archer, FL; sister Vicki Hawthorn of West Jefferson, NC; and the light of her life granddaughter, Dakota Rose Robinson. HIERS FUNERAL HOME in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

900. HARRIS, DAVID R., (Obituary No. 900.) 77 Belleview - David R. "Dave" Harris, 77, of Belleview, passed away March 2, 2007, peacefully at his home. Born in 1929 in Overland, MO, the only child of Robert H. Harris and Irene A. Ledbetter-Harris, Dave was an Army veteran serving in the Korean Conflict. Shortly thereafter he adopted Normandy, MO, as his hometown where he owned and operated Dave Harris Standard Filling station and Towing for more than 20 years. Dave and his family moved to the Ocala area in 1979 where he was a salesman for Bi-Lo Auto Parts and Big Truck Parts. He loved his family, his friends, NASCAR racing, and perhaps most of all any animal he came in contact with. He never met a dog or donut he didn't like. David's love, humor and kindness will always remain with his surviving family: his wife,
Theresa M. "Terry" Harris, his two daughters, Michele M. Harris and Shari L. Oglesby (all of Terry Harris Insurance, Belleview), son-in-law, Jeffrey Oglesby, his grandchildren Brock Oglesby and Cierra Oglesby Lester, wife of Jason Lester. Burial will be in St. Louis, MO. The family would appreciate a note recollecting your memory of Dave in lieu of flowers or donations. Arrangements under the direction of HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/6/2007 - 3/7/2007.

901. HASTER, JOHN SIDNEY, (Obituary No. 901.) 83 Ocala - Mr. John Sidney Haster, age 83, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Wednesday, February 28, 2007 at M.R.M.C. at Timberridge Emergency Room. He was born in Omaha, Nebraska and moved to Oak Run in Ocala, Florida in 1988 from Seattle, Washington. He retired as Chief Petty Officer with U.S. Navy following 20 years service during WWII, the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam War. Following his retirement he owned and operated several businesses in the Seattle area. John also served as an officer with the King County Corrections Facility in Seattle, from 1971 until he retired in 1986. He is a member of the Fleet Reserve Association #186, of Hernando, FL. At Oak Run, John was an active member and was the originator of the Annual Golf Cart Christmas Parade. He is survived by his loving wife of 35 years, Shirley A. of Ocala, FL; his son, Patrick Haster of Coupeville, WA; his daughter, Terri Ann Akers of Enumclaw, WA; his 3 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 7, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476. The family will receive friends at the Funeral home one hour prior to service time. A private family committal service will follow at Florida National Cemetery. The family request donations may be made to the Friendship Volunteer Fire Department, 7777 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34481 or a charity of your choice, in memory of John Sidney Haster. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/6/2007 - 3/7/2007.

902. HOOPER, GEORGE WILLIAM "BILL", (Obituary No. 902.) 77 Dunnellon - George William "Bill" Hooper, age 77, passed away on Saturday, March 3, 2007 at Legacy House. He was born in Chattanooga, Tennessee and moved to Dunnellon from Miami, Florida in 1980. He was retired from the City of Miami Fire Department. Mr. Hooper served in US Airforce. He is survived by two sons, Mark A. Hooper and Cyndi from Loxahatchee, Florida; Chris W. Hooper and Holly from Tallahassee. One brother, Edgar D. Hooper, Jr., from Marchall, Texas; three grandchildren, Gary Hooper from Loxahatchee, Florida, Zach Hooper from Tallahassee and Morgan Hooper form Tallahassee. Memorial Service will be Thursday, March 8, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon. Rev. Matt Hall of Canopy Roads Baptist Church in Tallahassee will be officiating. Cremains will be buried at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME IN DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

903. KRATKIEWICZ, LEO R., (Obituary No. 903.) 85 Ocala - Leo R. Kratkiewicz, 85, of Ocala, FL., passed away Saturday, March 3, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. Mr. Kratkiewicz was born in Everson, PA. And grew up in Hamtramck, MI. He served six years in the US Army during WWII, receiving the Bronze Star Medal and a Purple Heart. After the war he attended the University of Michigan, and subsequently worked at Chrysler/General Dynamics for 32 years in financial planning. While residing in Madison Heights, MI with his family, he
coached several championship youth baseball teams. Upon retirement, he moved to Ocala where he has resided for the last 17 years. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Virginia Kratkiewicz of Ocala, FL; son and daughter-in-law, Gary and Kendra Kratkiewicz of MA; son Brian Kratkiewicz of AR; granddaughter Arcadia Kratkiewicz (12); grandson Carter Kratkiewicz (9) of MA; grandson, Jackson Kratkiewicz (11); grandson Shanon Kratkiewicz (7) of CA. Memorial service will be held Saturday, March 10, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE, 9698 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Memorial donations may be made to Parkinson's Disease Foundation, 1359 Broadway, Suite 1509, New York, NY., 10018, or online at http://www.pdf.org Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

904. MCVAY, RUTH ANN, (Obituary No. 904.) 86 Ocala - Ruth Ann McVay passed away to the Lord's house on Friday, March 2, 2007 in Tuscany House Hospice, Summerfield, FL. She was born April 10, 1920 in Trimble, Athens County, Ohio to the late Guy Earl McVay and Mary Dena Heffken McVay. She was a 1937 graduate of Harriettsville High School, Harriettsville, OH. She attended Ohio University, graduated in 1941 with a RN degree form Good Samaritan Hospital of Nursing in Cincinnati, OH and worked at Aultman Hospital in Canton, OH. She received her Bachelor of Science from Ohio State University and worked as the Director, School of Nursing, at Massillon City Hospital, Massillon, OH. She then worked as an RN at Pittsburgh Hospital in 1957 and continued to receive her Master's in Education form Columbia Teacher's College in New York City. After receiving her Masters, she taught Specialized Psychiatric Nursing Program in Flint, MI. She moved to Ocala, FL to assist in opening a new hospital, Marion Community Hospital (known now as Ocala Regional Medical Center) and worked as a surgical RN until her retirement in 1985. She lived and cared for her mother Mary from 1968 until her death in 1990 where they both resided in FL. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church (USA) in Marion Oaks, Ocala, FL. She volunteered from 2000-2006 as Neighborhood Crime Patrol for Marion County Sheriff Dept. The greatest joy of her life and what she cherished most was the time she spent with her family, her career, traveling, family dogs through the years and gardening. She is survived by her close friend and co-worker for many years in Ocala, Lillian Jenkins; her nieces, Dora J. (Gene) Lafferre of Ocala, FL., Mary E. (Elvin) Miracle of Marietta, OH; nephew, William M. Mallett of Ocala, FL; great nieces, Barbara (Doyle) Rausch of Marysville, OH., Jennifer (Dennis) Sturm of Marietta, OH; great nephews, Joe Lafferre of Columbus, OH., Bruce Miracle of Parkersburg, WV., Samuel (Amy) Miracle of Marietta, OH; great-great nieces, Ariana (Casey) Myers, Alyssa Sturm, Kaylina Laffere, Ruth and Josie Miracle; and great-great nephews, Trevor Lowe, Dorian Lafferre, Dillon Sturm and Wyatt Miracle. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her only sister, Lois M. McVay Mallett and great-great nephew Colby L. Miracle. Burial and private graveside services will be at Stafford Cemetery, Stafford, OH at the convenience of the family. Memorial contributions in her honor can be mad to a charity of the donor's choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

905. PERKINS, MATTIE S., (Obituary No. 905.) 107 Weirsdale, FL - Mrs. Mattie S. Perkins, age 107, passed away on Monday, March 5, 2007 at Ocala Health and Rehabilitation, Ocala. A native of Russellville, Alabama, she had made Marion County her home since 1921. She was a member of the Church of Christ, and enjoyed baby sitting, sewing, and time with her family. She was preceded in death by husband, Walter O. Perkins, Sr. Survivors include her son, Walter O. Perkins, Jr., Ocklawaha, FL., granddaughter, Kathy Ann Kuhns, Ocala, FL., two great

906. VAUGHN, ROBERT JAMES, (Obituary No. 906.) 38 Ocala - Vaughn, Robert James, 38 of Ocala passed away on February 25th. Robert was born on June 16th 1968 in Dayton, OH. He worked for All American Air & Electric in Ocala for 9 years. Rob is survived by his Mother, Sharon Lutz; Daughter, Heather Vaughn; Brother Keith Vaughn & sister and brother -in-law Angela & Dana Newcomer. A memorial service will be held at Living Hope Community Church in Ocala on Thursday March 8th at 4 P.M. located at 2111 N.E. 36th Ave, Ocala FL 34470. "You will always be in our hearts". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Thursday, March 8, 2007

907. BEAN, MARY M., (Obituary No. 907.) 89 Valla Rica, GA - Mary M Bean died Friday, March 2, after a long, happy, healthy life. Born in Decatur Indiana on November 24th, 1917, the eldest of 10 children, she quickly finished her nurses training, joined the US Army, and went to war in the Pacific. There she met and later married Carl Bean, a career military man from Brooksville. She lead a very busy life, raising two sons, moving all over the world and still managed to practice her profession of nursing. Her love of life and inspirational "spunk" kept all around her on their toes. Mary spent the final years of her life enjoying her family and spending time with her dearest friend in Texas who she met during the war. She was the family matriarch and will truly be missed by all. Surviving is her eldest son Sam Bean and his wife Mary of Douglasville, Ga., her youngest son Joe Bean from Villa Rica, GA., her grandchildren Danielle, Nathan, Michelle, Jessica, and 5 great grandchildren. Friends may call on the at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala Thursday, March 8, 2007 from 7:00 - 9:00 PM. There will be a funeral mass at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Friday March 9, 2007 at 9:00 AM, with a Graveside service to follow at 1:00 PM at Lake Lindsey Cemetery in Brooksville. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

908. BELL, SR., ALONZO, (Obituary No. 908.) 64 Ocala - Mr. Alonzo Bell, Sr., 64, of Ocala, FL pass away Sunday, March 4, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Bell was a detailer for Sullivan Cadillac, Retired. Funeral service will be held Saturday, March 10, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith. He was born in Ocala, FL on October 30, 1942 to the late Joe Bell and Alice Williams. He attended public school in Marion County. Survivors include 2 sons, Alonzo Bell, Jr., Norfolk, VA., and James Bell, Ocala, FL., 3 daughter, Alana Bell and Cola Bradshaw, both of Ocala, FL., and Alicia Bell, Orlando, FL., 15 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Interment will be at Mt. Peiler Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, March 9, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday in the chapel from 9 a.m. until service hour, no viewing after the eulogy, Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.
909. COFFEY, NORMA JEAN, (Obituary No. 909.) 51 Belleview - Ms. Norma Jean Coffey, 51, passed away on March 5, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Indianapolis, IN., on January 5, 1956. She is a member of the United Pentecostal Church in Ocala. She is predeceased by her parents Harley and Mary Jane Coffey. She moved to Belleview in 2002 from Indiana. She is survived by her four sisters, Carol Thomas, Mary L. Coffey, Rosella J. Coffey, and Princess E. Coffey all of Belleview, FL; a brother-in-law, Michael Thomas of Belleview, FL; two nephews and five nieces. A viewing will be at Roberts Downtown Chapel from 5 - 7 p.m. Thursday, March 8. Services will be at the United Pentecostal Church in Ocala. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. will be handling services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

910. COLEMAN, PAUL THOMAS, (Obituary No. 910.) 80 Ocala - Paul T. Coleman, age 80, of Ocala passed away Thursday, March 1, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Erie, PA., on May 3, 1926. Paul was a devoted Roman Catholic and altar boy who ultimately graduated from (Bishop) Gannon University in 1952. He served in German in WWII and was a proud veteran and life-long civil servant. Most of his career was dedicated to the US Army where he specialized in Personnel and Labor Relations. He worked at the Pentagon, Ft. Monmouth, NJ; in Vietnam, Okinawa, and at the 21st Support CMD in Germany, where he retired after 35 years in 1982. Paul had many friends and loved reading, was an avid golfer, loved all sports, history, classical music and Seinfeld. His kindness, generosity, high ethics and integrity will be missed by all who knew him. Paul was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, and a Life Member of the VFW. Predeceased in death by his first wife, Paula J., son Charles E. and Thomas L. and sister Margaret M. Nieman. He is survived by his beloved wife, Rosemarie Franzel Coleman of Rodalben, Germany, three sons, Robert G. of Levittown, PA., Patrick C. of Ocala, and Casey of Allentown, PA.; five daughters, Catherine M. Coleman of Tiburon, CA., Mary J. Coleman of Howell, NJ., Margaret B. Brill of Lansdale, PA., Anne E. Branett of Levittown, PA., and Susan E. Ashcroft of Richboro, PA.; Three step-children of Rodalben, Germany, Walter, Marion and Susanne. Paul is also survived by numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren. Memorial Services will be 11 a.m. Friday, March 9, 2007 at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Memorial contributions may be made to Veteran's of Foreign Wars at www.vfw.org Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

911. COLLINS, JR., ARCHIE "SONNY", (Obituary No. 911.) 62 Belleview - Archie "Sonny" Collins Jr., 62 passed away on February 27 in San Antonio, Texas. Born in Sontag, Mississippi and spent most of his life in the Belleview-Santos community. He leaves to cherish precious memories his son Milton Collins Jacksonville, Florida and his daughter Katina Collins Robinson. One sister Mary Johnson San Antonio, Texas and seven Grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Collins will be at the Calvary Baptist Church Santos, FL with Rev DJ Berry presiding. Interment will be in the Mt Pleasant Cemetery under the direction of SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Public visitation will be on Friday 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Snow's Funeral Ministry "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

912. DOWNS, JOHN "JACK", (Obituary No. 912.) 87 Ocklawaha - Mr. John "Jack" Downs, 87, of Ocklawaha, FL died March 5, 2007 at New Horizon Rehab. A native of Miami, Fl. he relocated to Marion County in 1968 from Dade County. He was a retired Realtor, a parishioner at
St. Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church, a member of the Electra Vol. Fire Dept., a member of the Actors Guild and an U.S. Navy Veteran. He acted and directed over eighty plays at the Ocala Civic Theater, the Melon Patch Theater in Leesburg, where he served on the board of Directors, and at CFCC. Several newspaper articles were written on his accomplishments. He received numerous awards, portraying Henry Fonda "On Golden Pond", "Father Knows Best" to name a few. He also ran a Dinner Theatre in Ft. McCoy. He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Jeanette B. Downs of Ocklawaha, two sons, John T. Downs of Rumney, NH., and Donald R. Downs of Nashville, TN., daughters, Janice Tesch and Laurie Downs both of Miami, step-daughter, Bonnie Rae Barker of Ocala, brother, Robert Downs of W. Allis, WI and several grandchildren and numerous great grandchildren. Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday, March 9, 2007 at 1 p.m. at St. Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church with visitation one hour prior too. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Joseph of the Forest. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

913. GARDNER, ELLA MARGENE, (Obituary No. 913.) 106 Orange Springs - Ms. Ella Margene Gardner, 106, passed away on March 4, 2007. She leaves to cherish her memory two daughters, Elouise Gardner-Eason, Ocala, FL., Evelyn Gardner, Orange Springs, FL.; 6 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren, and 11 great-great grandchildren. Services for Ms. Gardner will be held on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at 11 a.m., New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL., Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks - Eulogist. Burial will be in Orange Springs Cemetery. No viewing following the eulogy. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mrs. Elouise Eason (163 Almond Road) Ocala, FL. at 10 a.m. on Saturday to form the cortege. "A Sellers Services Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

914. GRAEFE, JULIE HATHORN, (Obituary No. 914.) 67 Ocala - Julie Hathorn Graefe, 67, passed away on Monday, March 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Native of Anniston, AL she had made Ocala her home for the past 6 years coming from Alabama. She had worked in Miami, FL for Burger King Corp. office as a Human Resource Officer before moving to Anniston, AL and working at Parker Industry. Survivors include son, James Ellison of High Springs, FL; daughter, Cindy Robinson (Darren) of Port St. Lucy, FL; brother, Bill Russell of Gainesville, FL; sister Suzane Russell Marshall of Deland, FL; brother David Russell on Military Tour in Iraq; brother, Wayne Browning of Newberry, FL; sister, Mary Browning of Miami, FL; brother, Tim Browning of Archer, FL; sister Vicki Hawthorn of West Jefferson, NC; and the light of her life granddaughter, Dakota Rose Robinson. HIERS FUNERAL HOME in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

915. HERLIHY, ALMA C., (Obituary No. 915.) 94 Citra - Alma C. Herlihy, 94 passed away on Monday, February 12, 2007 at Marion Healthcare Center. She made her home in Citra for the past 9 years coming from Jupiter, FL. Before retirement she worked for Roods Landscaping as a bookkeeper. She was preceded in death by her husband William J. Herlihy, her mother Wilhelmina Roth and father Abraham Benn. She is survived by her son, Hugh and his wife Shirley of Fort White, FL; her daughter Alma H. Gibson and her husband Robert of Citra, FL; and her three grandchildren Donna, Barry and Tracey. Services to be held at First Baptist
916. HOOPER, GEORGE WILLIAM "BILL", (Obituary No. 916.) 77 Dunnellon - George William "Bill" Hooper, age 77, passed away on Saturday, March 3, 2007 at Legacy House. He was born in Chattanooga, Tennessee and moved to Dunnellon from Miami, Florida in 1980. He was retired from the City of Miami Fire Department. Mr. Hooper served in US Airforce. He is survived by two sons, Mark A. Hooper and Cyndi from Loxahatchee, Florida; Chris W. Hooper and Holly from Tallahassee. One brother, Edgar D. Hooper, Jr., from Marshall, Texas; three grandchildren, Gary Hooper from Loxahatchee, Florida, Zach Hooper from Tallahassee and Morgan Hooper from Tallahassee. Memorial Service will be Thursday, March 8, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon. Rev. Matt Hall of Canopy Roads Baptist Church in Tallahassee will be officiating. Cremains will be buried at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. In lieu of flowers, Please contribute to the Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME IN DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/9/2007.

917. KRATKIEWICZ, LEO R., (Obituary No. 917.) 85 Ocala - Leo R. Kratkiewicz, 85, of Ocala, FL., passed away Saturday, March 3, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. Mr. Kratkiewicz was born in Everson, PA. and grew up in Hamtramck, MI. He served six years in the US Army during WWII, receiving the Bronze Star Medal and a Purple Heart. After the war he attended the University of Michigan, and subsequently worked at Chrysler/General Dynamics for 32 years in financial planning. While residing in Madison Heights, MI with his family, he coached several championship youth baseball teams. Upon retirement, he moved to Ocala where he has resided for the last 17 years. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Virginia Kratkiewicz of Ocala, FL; son and daughter-in-law, Gary and Kendra Kratkiewicz of MA; son Brian Kratkiewicz of AR; granddaughter Arcadia Kratkiewicz (12); grandson Carter Kratkiewicz (9) of MA; grandson, Jackson Kratkiewicz (11); grandson Shanon Kratkiewicz (7) of CA. Memorial service will be held Saturday, March 10, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIEARS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIDGE, 9698 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Memorial donations may be made to Parkinson's Disease Foundation, 1359 Broadway, Suite 1509, New York, NY., 10018, or online at http://www.pdf.org. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

918. MATNEY, WAYNE A., (Obituary No. 918.) 68 Ocala - Wayne A. Matney, 68, passed away peacefully at his home on March 4, 2007 after battling lung cancer for 2½ years. He moved to Ocala in 1942 from Miami Springs, FL. He was a builder contractor and a member of NAHB. He was a member of the St. Marks Methodist Church. He served in the Army Reserves, was a member of the Inverness Elks Lodge and Lions Club. He was also a private pilot, avid hunter, fisherman, certified diver and had a love for Alaska. He is survived by Soul Mate, Sandra Harton, son, Wade Matney, daughter, Molisa D’ Haeseleer, grandchildren, Brandon, Alecia and Will, sisters, Dolly Pendergrass and Betty Lou Waters and numerous nieces, nephews and friends. Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at the Ocala Elks Lodge. Service begins at 10:30 a.m. Memorial gifts may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.
919. MCGEE, ROBERT A. "BOB", (Obituary No. 919.) 66 Ocala - Robert (Bob) A. McGee, age 66, departed this life on March 5, 2007, at his home in Ocala. He moved to Ocala in 1968 from his birthplace, Ottawa, Canada. He is survived by his wife, Beverley McGee, his son Mike McGee of Atlanta, GA., his daughter Karen Abernathy and two grandchildren, Jarrod and Lauren Abernathy of Ocoee, FL. Bob was retired from the beverage industry. The memorial service will take place at Grace Episcopal Church on Friday, March 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Father Jonathon French presiding. Reception to follow. Donations to the American Heart Association are preferred in lieu of flowers. Arrangements by ROBERT FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

920. MCQUARRIE, JINA FRONTELA, (Obituary No. 920.) 42 Ocala - Jina Frontela McQuarrie, 42, of Ocala, went home to be with her Lord on February 1, 2007. She is survived by her father, Jose and her son, Zachary. A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, with Dr. Phillip E. Hanes officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made to the McQuarrie Trust Fund for her son Zachary at any AmSouth Bank. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

921. MCVAY, RUTH ANN, (Obituary No. 921.) 86 Ocala - Ruth Ann McVay passed away to the Lord's house on Friday, March 2, 2007 in Tuscany House Hospice, Summerfield, FL. She was born April 10, 1920 in Trimble, Athens County, Ohio to the late Guy Earl McVay and Mary Dena Heffken McVay. She was a 1937 graduate of Harriettsville High School, Harriettsville, OH. She attended Ohio University, graduated in 1941 with a RN degree form Good Samaritan Hospital of Nursing in Cincinnati, OH and worked at Aultman Hospital in Canton, OH. She received her Bachelor of Science from Ohio State University and worked as the Director, School of Nursing, at Massillon City Hospital, Massillon, OH. She then worked as an RN at Pittsburgh Hospital in 1957 and continued to receive her Master's in Education form Columbia Teacher's College in New York City. After receiving her Masters, she taught Specialized Psychiatric Nursing Program in Flint, MI. She moved to Ocala, FL to assist in opening a new hospital, Marion Community Hospital (known now as Ocala Regional Medical Center) and worked as a surgical RN until her retirement in 1985. She lived and cared for her mother Mary from 1968 until her death in 1990 where they both resided in FL. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church (USA) in Marion Oaks, Ocala, FL. She volunteered from 2000-2006 as Neighborhood Crime Patrol for Marion County Sheriff Dept. The greatest joy of her life and what she cherished most was the time she spent with her family, her career, traveling, family dogs through the years and gardening. She is survived by her close friend and co-worker for many years in Ocala, Lillian Jenkins; her nieces, Dora J. (Gene) Lafferre of Ocala, FL., Mary E. (Elvin) Miracle of Marietta, OH; nephew, William M. Mallett of Ocala, FL; great nieces, Barbara (Doyle) Rausch of Marysville, OH., Jennifer (Dennis) Sturm of Marietta, OH; great nephews, Joe Lafferre of Columbus, OH., Bruce Miracle of Parkersburg, WV., Samuel (Amy) Miracle of Marietta, OH; great-great nieces, Ariana (Casey) Myers, Alyssa Sturm, Kaylina Laffere, Ruth and Josie Miracle; and great-great nephews, Trevor Lowe, Dorian Lafferre, Dillon Sturm and Wyatt Miracle. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her only sister, Lois M. McVay Mallett and great-great nephew Colby L. Miracle. Burial and private graveside services will be at Stafford Cemetery, Stafford, OH at the convenience of the family. Memorial contributions in her
honor can be made to a charity of the donor's choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

922. PERKINS, MATTIE S., (Obituary No. 922.) 107 Weirsdale, FL - Mrs. Mattie S. Perkins, age 107, passed away on Monday, March 5, 2007 at Ocala Health and Rehabilitation, Ocala. A native of Russellville, Alabama, she had made Marion County her home since 1921. She was a member of the Church of Christ, and enjoyed baby sitting, sewing, and time with her family. She was preceded in death by husband, Walter O. Perkins, Sr. Survivors include her son, Walter O. Perkins, Jr., Ocklawaha, FL., granddaughter, Kathy Ann Kuhns, Ocala, FL., two great granddaughters, Amy Roberts, Ashville, NC., and Lindsay Leeds, Boca Raton, FL., and 1 great-great grandchild, Logan Roberts, Ashville, NC. Services will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation one hour prior to services at the funeral home. Burial at Woodlawn Cemetery, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

923. VAUGHN, ROBERT JAMES, (Obituary No. 923.) 38 Ocala - Vaughn, Robert James, 38 of Ocala passed away on February 25th. Robert was born on June 16th 1968 in Dayton, OH. He worked for All American Air & Electric in Ocala for 9 years. Rob is survived by his Mother, Sharon Lutz; Daughter, Heather Vaughn; Brother Keith Vaughn & sister and brother-in-law Angela & Dana Newcomer. A memorial service will be held at Living Hope Community Church in Ocala on Thursday March 8th at 4 P.M. located at 2111 N.E. 36th Ave, Ocala FL 34470. "You will always be in our hearts". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/8/2007.

924. WILLIS, WILLIAM A. "ANDY", (Obituary No. 924.) 38 Salt Springs, FL - William A. "Andy" Willis, 38, of Salt Springs, died Tuesday March 6, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice of Marion County in Ocala. He was a native of Albany, GA and had been a resident of Salt Springs for the past 19 years coming from Jacksonville. He was a graduate of the Broach School in Jacksonville. Andy had been employed as a draftsman at Larry Willis and Associates, Inc. in Jacksonville. He was christened as a Presbyterian. He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents; maternal grandparents and one brother, Jason A. Willis. Surviving are his father, Lawrence B. "Larry" Willis and step-mother, Barbara Willis of Jacksonville; his mother, Judy C. Willis of Salt Springs and loving friend, Lynda Willis Dixon of Salt Springs. His ashes will be scattered. Memorial gifts may be sent to Hospice of Marion County Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

925. WILSON, MAZA M. (Obituary No. 925.), 86 Ocala - Ms. Maza M. Wilson, 86, passed away on March 6, 2007 in Ocala, FL. She was born in Rockingham County, VA in June 26, 1920. She is a retired Forms Manager with Bell Atlantic Telephone Co. after 43 years of service. She moved into the area in 1985 from Potomac, MD. She is a Protestant. She is survived by her loving husband, Doyle of Ocala, FL; one brother, Ray William Berry of San Diego, CA; and a sister, Eva Hughes of Potomac, MD. Also many nieces, nephew, grand nieces and nephews. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala is handling services. Burial will be at a later date in Suitland, MD. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.
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926. BELL, SR., ALONZO, (Obituary No. 926.) 64 Ocala - Mr. Alonzo Bell, Sr., 64, of Ocala, FL pass away Sunday, March 4, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Bell was a detailer for Sullivan Cadillac, Retired. Funeral service will be held Saturday, March 10, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith. He was born in Ocala, FL on October 30, 1942 to the late Joe Bell and Alice Williams. He attended public school in Marion County. Survivors include 2 sons, Alonzo Bell, Jr., Norfolk, VA., and James Bell, Ocala, FL., 3 daughter, Alana Bell and Cola Bradshaw, both of Ocala, FL., and Alicia Bell, Orlando, FL., 15 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Interment will be at Mt. Peiler Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, March 9, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday in the chapel from 9 a.m. until service hour, no viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

927. COFFEY, NORMA JEAN, (Obituary No. 927.) 51 Belleview - Ms. Norma Jean Coffey, 51, passed away on March 5, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Indianapolis, IN., on January 5, 1956. She is a member of the United Pentecostal Church in Ocala. She is predeceased by her parents Harley and Mary Jane Coffey. She moved to Belleview in 2002 from Indiana. She is survived by her four sisters, Carol Thomas, Mary L. Coffey, Rosella J. Coffey, and Princess E. Coffey all of Belleview, FL; a brother-in-law, Michael Thomas of Belleview, FL; two nephews and five nieces. A viewing will be at Roberts Downtown Chapel from 5 - 7 p.m. Thursday, March 8. Services will be at 11 a.m. at the United Pentecostal Church, 5011 NW Gainesville Road, in Ocala with Pastor C. Patton Williams officiating. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL will be handling services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/10/2007.

928. COLLINS, JR., ARCHIE "SONNY", (Obituary No. 928.) 62 Belleview - Archie "Sonny" Collins Jr., 62 passed away on February 27 in San Antonio, Texas. Born in Sontag, Mississippi and spent most of his life in the Belleview-Santos community. He leaves to cherish precious memories his son Milton Collins Jacksonville, Florida and his daughter Katina Collins Robinson. One sister Mary Johnson San Antonio, Texas and seven Grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Collins will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at the Calvary Baptist Church Santos, FL with Rev DJ Berry presiding. Interment will be in the Mt Pleasant Cemetery under the direction of SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Public visitation will be on Friday 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Snow's Funeral Ministry "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade” Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/10/2007.

929. DOWNS, JOHN "JACK", (Obituary No. 929.) 87 Ocklawaha - Mr. John "Jack" Downs, 87, of Ocklawaha, FL died March 5, 2007 at New Horizon Rehab. A native of Miami, Fl. he relocated to Marion County in 1968 from Dade County. He was a retired Realtor, a parishioner at St. Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church, a member of the Electra Vol. Fire Dept., a member of the Actors Guild and an U.S. Navy Veteran. He acted and directed over eighty plays at the Ocala Civic Theater, the Melon Patch Theater in Leesburg, where he served on the board of Directors, and at CFCC. Several newspaper articles were written on his accomplishments. He received numerous awards, portraying Henry Fonda "On Golden Pond", "Father Knows Best" to name a few. he also ran a Dinner Theatre in Ft. McCoy. he is survived by his wife of 38 years, Jeanette
B. Downs of Ocklawaha, two sons, John T. Downs of Rumney, NH., and Donald R. Downs of Nashville, TN., daughters, Janice Tesch and Laurie Downs both of Miami, step-daughter, Bonnie Rae Barker of Ocala, brother, Robert Downs of W. Allis, WI and several grandchildren and numerous great grandchildren. Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday, March 9, 2007 at 1 p.m. at St. Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church with visitation one hour prior too. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Joseph of the Forest. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

930. GARDNER, ELLA MARGENE, (Obituary No. 930.) 106 Orange Springs - Ms. Ella Margene Gardner, 106, passed away on March 4, 2007. She leaves to cherish her memory two daughters, Elouise Gardner-Eason, Ocala, FL., Evelyn Gardner, Orange Springs, FL.; 6 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren, and 11 great-great grandchildren. Services for Ms. Gardner will be held on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at 11 a.m., New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL., Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks - Eulogist. Burial will be in Orange Springs Cemetery. No viewing following the eulogy. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mrs. Elouise Eason (163 Almond Road) Ocala, FL. at 10 a.m. on Saturday to form the cortege. "A Sellers Services Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/10/2007.


932. HARRIS, AUDREY REGISTER, (Obituary No. 932.) 79 Ocala - Audrey Register Harris, 79, of Ocala, FL died Saturday, March 3, 2007. She was born on September 14, 1927 in Ray City, GA to the late Lewis and Linnie Crews Register. Mrs. Harris was a homemaker and a member of Christ Church of Marion County, FL. She is survived by her husband, Edward "Buddy" Harris of Ocala, FL, two daughters and sons in law, Judy and Marple Lewis of Beverly Hills, FL and Patsy and John Batsch of Ocala, FL, grandsons, Jim Cash of Atlanta, Scott Batsch and his wife, Janice of Jacksonville, FL, Shawn Batsch and his wife, Nicole of Tuscon, AZ, Chris Batsch and his wife Nikki of Long Beach, CA., and great grandson Colby Batsch of Jacksonville, FL. Memorial services will be held Saturday, March 10, 2007 at 1 p.m. in the chapel of the Martin McLane Funeral Home in Hahira with Reverend Marple Lewis officiating. The family will receive friends from 12:30 until 1 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P. O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Conolences to the family may be expressed online at mclanefuneralservices.com MARTIN
933. HERLIHY, ALMA C., (Obituary No. 933.) 94 Citra - Alma C. Herlihy, 94 passed away on Monday, February 12, 2007 at Marion Healthcare Center. She made her home in Citra for the past 9 years coming from Jupiter, FL. Before retirement she worked for Roods Landscaping as a bookkeeper. She was preceded in death by her husband William J. Herlihy, her mother Wilhelmina Roth and father Abraham Benn. She is survived by her son, Hugh and his wife Shirley of Fort White, FL; her daughter Alma H. Gibson and her husband Robert of Citra, FL; and her three grandchildren Donna, Barry and Tracey. Services to be held at First Baptist Church, Citra on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

934. HOOPER, GEORGE WILLIAM "BILL", (Obituary No. 934.) 77 Dunnellon - George William "Bill" Hooper, age 77, passed away on Saturday, March 3, 2007 at Legacy House. He was born in Chattanooga, Tennessee and moved to Dunnellon from Miami, Florida in 1980. He was retired from the City of Miami Fire Department. Mr. Hooper served in US Airforce. He is survived by two sons, Mark A. Hooper and Cyndi from Loxahatchee, Florida; Chris W. Hooper and Holly from Tallahassee. One brother, Edgar D. Hooper, Jr., from Marchall, Texas; three grandchildren, Gary Hooper from Loxahatchee, Florida, Zach Hooper from Tallahassee and Morgan Hooper form Tallahassee. Memorial Service will be Thursday, March 8, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon. Rev. Matt Hall of Canopy Roads Baptist Church in Tallahassee will be officiating. Cremains will be buried at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. In lieu of flowers, Please contribute to the Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME IN DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/9/2007.

935. KELLEY, JOSEPH WILLIS, (Obituary No. 935.) 78 Ocala - Joseph Willis Kelley, 78, of Ocala, Florida, died Wednesday, March 7, 2007 at Legacy House. He was born August 3, 1928 in East Pennsauken, New Jersey. He moved here in 1984 from Ft. Lauderdale. He had made his home in Ocala for the last 22 years. he was a retired owner/operator of a lawn care service in Ocala. Mr. Kelley was of the Methodist Faith. He had also served in the US Army. He is survived by his wife Barbara Kelley of 54 years who resides in Ocala, son, Jeff Kelley of Hollywood, FL., two daughters, Eileen Henry of Hooversville, PA., and Susan Smith of North Pole, AK., 5 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/9/2007 - 3/10/2007.

936. MATHIS, TATIANA S., (Obituary No. 936.) 10 Ocala - Tatiana Mathis, 10 years old, student, died February 27, 2007 at Munroe Region Medical Center (Ocala, Florida). Survivors include mother Janicka Grimsley, father Kina Mathis, brothers Jemell, Kevin, Dyvonte Samuel, Jaquei, Zakias Cannon and Kina Mathis, Jr., grandparents Cecil and Bettyle Grimsley, and Patricia and Euster Brown. Visitation Friday, March 9, 2007 at United Theological Seminary from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. Funeral Service for Tatiana S. Mathis, will be held Saturday, March 10, 2007 at St. John Baptist Church at 3 p.m. in Ocala, FL. Family and friends will gather at 617 NW 1st Street, Ocala, FL. One hour prior to the funeral service for the procession to the church.
937. MATNEY, WAYNE A., (Obituary No. 937.) 68 Ocala - Wayne A. Matney, 68, passed away peacefully at his home on March 4, 2007 after battling lung cancer for 21/2 years. He moved to Ocala in 1942 from Miami Springs, FL. He was a builder contractor and a member of NAHB. He was a member of the St. Marks Methodist Church. He served in the Army Reserves, was a member of the Inverness Elks Lodge and Lions Club. He was also a private pilot, avid hunter, fisherman, certified diver and had a love for Alaska. He is survived by Soul Mate, Sandra Harton, son, Wade Matney, daughter, Molisa D' Haeseleer, grandchildren, Brandon, Alecia and Will, sisters, Dolly Pendergrass and Betty Lou Waters and numerous nieces, nephews and friends. Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at the Ocala Elks Lodge. Service begins at 10:30 a.m. Memorial gifts may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

938. MCGEE, ROBERT A. "BOB", (Obituary No. 938.) 66 Ocala - Robert (Bob) A. McGee, age 66, departed this life on March 5, 2007, at his home in Ocala. He moved to Ocala in 1968 from his birthplace, Ottawa, Canada. He is survived by his wife, Beverley McGee, his son Mike McGee of Atlanta, GA., his daughter Karen Abernathy and two grandchildren, Jarrod and Lauren Abernathy of Ocoee, FL. Bob was retired from the beverage industry. The memorial service will take place at Grace Episcopal Church on Friday, March 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Father Jonath on French presiding. Reception to follow. Donations to the American Heart Association are preferred in lieu of flowers. Arrangements by ROBERT FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/10/2007.

939. MCQUARRIE, JINA FRONTELA, (Obituary No. 939.) 42 Ocala - Jina Frontela McQuarrie, 42, of Ocala, went home to be with her Lord on February 1, 2007. She is survived by her father, Jose and her son, Zachary. A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, with Dr. Phillip E. Hanes officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made to the McQuarrie Trust Fund for her son Zachary at any AmSouth Bank. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

940. RAMELLI, ROSE M., (Obituary No. 940.) 92 Sugarloaf Shores, FL - Rose Ramelli passed away in the early morning hours of 2 March 2007 at her home in Sugarloaf Shores, Florida. Rose, born in Westerly, Rhode Island to Migel Angelo and Immacolata (Calpabo) Algieri, met and married her husband of 49 years Americo "Tony" Ramelli, a Navy Chief at the time. Tony's duty assignment to Naval Air Station Key West brought them to the Florida Keys in 1946 where they made their home, owned Tony's Auto Body Shop on Greene Street until retiring in 1989, making their home on Cudjoe Key, and vowed that "if it got colder here, they would have to go further south." Rose is survived by two children, Donna (Ramelli) Dye and husband Darrell of Key West and son, Michael Ramelli and LouAnn Soldano of Dunellion, FL. She was predeceased in death by her parents, husband Tony and two younger brothers John Algier and Paul Algiers. Before owning the paint shop, Rose had some unique employments, always as an inspector. First, as an inspector at a chocolate factory (must have been where she got her
chocolate addiction), inspector at a life-savor factory and most enjoyment was as an inspector of aircraft propeller hubs during WWII. Rose thrived on the love of her church, her family, community involvement, and enjoyment raising plants. Her picture appeared in the Key West Citizen numerous times displaying her green-thumb for her prolific vegetable gardens. Beside raising a family, managing a business, Rose found time to care for elderly friends, act as chauffeur for her children with all there events, volunteer efforts with the Catholic Daughters of America, St. Peter Ladies Guild and support her husband's civic involvement with the Easter Seals and Veterans of Foreign Wars. She was continually recognized for the raising the most donations, selling thousands of Easter Lilies and Red Poppies) during those fundraisers. Over the last 10 years, her mission in life was to make rosaries for the missions, making thousands that were sent all over the world. Her generous heart, infectious smile and loving ways will always be remembered. Celebration of her life will be held Monday March 12th at St. Peter Catholic Church, Big Pine Key, FL at 6:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to St. Peter Catholic Church Memorial Fund 31300 Overseas Highway Big Pine Key, Florida 33043 in memory of Rose M. Ramelli. DEAN-LOPEZ FUNERAL HOME Key West, FL in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/9/2007 - 3/10/2007.

941. VON TESMAR, CHARLES HENRY, (Obituary No. 941.) 85 Ocala - Mr. Charles Henry von Tesmar, 85, passed away on March 5, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was born in Chicago, IL. on June 4, 1921. He is a retired plastic manufacturing plant manager. He moved to the area in 1991 from Schenectady, NY. He is a Presbyterian. He is a Sigma Chi Fraternity Alumni of Bradley University in Peoria, IL. He is a former City Commissioner of Ashtabula, OH. During WWII he was an Army Air Force pilot instructor. He was passionate about sailing and guitar playing. He was a member of the American Radio Relay League CB club of Ocala. He is survived by his loving wife Elizabet Royalty von Tesmar of Ocala; two sons, James Royalty von Tesmar of Ashtabula, OH., and Robert Arthur von Tesmar of Genevia, OH. Two daughters, Nancy Elizabeth Watson of Los Angeles, CA., and Cynthia Royalty von Tesmar of Houston, TX; and 6 grandchildren. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/9/2007 - 3/10/2007.

942. WALKER, MABEL STARLING, (Obituary No. 942.) 84 Ocala - Mabel Starling Walker, 84, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, March 6, 2007. She was born in Glenn St. Mary, FL., to James & Mary (Griffis) Starling, January 19, 1923. Mabel was a devoted wife, Mom, and Grandmother. Predeceased in death by a daughter Elizabeth Walker and son Murdlin Walker, Husband Fred Walker and Brothers, Ira, Ellery, Elvan, and Earl Starling, stepdaughter Kathy Rollings. She is survived by two daughters Eula Lee (Walker) Harward of Ocala, and Mary Ann Garrity of Charleston, S.C.; three sons James Don Walker, Fred Nolen Walker and Andy Rudy Walker all of Ocala. She is also survived by three sisters Myrtle Gorv and Eleanor Lyons of McClenny, FL., and Nadine Thorton of Starke, FL.; 15 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren and 5 great-great grandchildren; significant companion J.T. Rollings of Ocala; and stepson Ernie Rollings of AL. Mabel retired from the Marion County School System Food Services Division, Vanguard High School. (Thank you Mrs. Campbell) Friends may call on the family Friday, March 9, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Services will be Saturday, March 10, 2007 at the Candler Baptist Church at 10 a.m. Following the services the family will conduct graveside services at Fellowship

943. WILLIS, WILLIAM A. "ANDY", (Obituary No. 943.) 38 Salt Springs, FL - William A. "Andy" Willis, 38, of Salt Springs, died Tuesday March 6, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice of Marion County in Ocala. He was a native of Albany, GA and had been a resident of Salt Springs for the past 19 years coming from Jacksonville. He was a graduate of the Broach School in Jacksonville. Andy had been employed as a draftsman at Larry Willis and Associates, Inc. in Jacksonville. He was christened as a Presbyterian. He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents; maternal grandparents and one brother, Jason A. Willis. Surviving are his father, Lawrence B. "Larry" Willis and step-mother, Barbara Willis of Jacksonville; his mother, Judy C. Willis of Salt Springs and loving friend, Lynda Willis Dixon of Salt Springs. His ashes will be scattered. Memorial gifts may be sent to Hospice of Marion County Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

944. WILSON, MAZA M., (Obituary No. 944.) 86 Ocala - Ms. Maza M. Wilson, 86, passed away on March 6, 2007 in Ocala, FL. She was born in Rockingham County, VA in June 26, 1920. She is a retired Forms Manager with Bell Atlantic Telephone Co. after 43 years of service. She moved into the area in 1985 from Potomac, MD. She is a Protestant. She is survived by her loving husband, Doyle of Ocala, FL; one brother, Ray William Berry of San Diego, CA; and a sister, Eva Hughes of Potomac, MD. Also many nieces, nephew, grand nieces and nephews. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala is handling services. Burial will be at a later date in Suitland, MD. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/9/2007.

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945. COFFEY, NORMA JEAN, (Obituary No. 945.) 51 Belleview - Ms. Norma Jean Coffey, 51, passed away on March 5, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Indianapolis, IN., on January 5, 1956. She is a member of the United Pentecostal Church in Ocala. She is predeceased by her parents Harley and Mary Jane Coffey. She moved to Belleview in 2002 from Indiana. She is survived by her four sisters, Carol Thomas, Mary L. Coffey, Rosella J. Coffey, and Princess E. Coffey all of Belleview, FL; a brother-in-law, Michael Thomas of Belleview, FL; two nephews and five nieces. A viewing will be at Roberts Downtown Chapel from 5 - 7 p.m. Thursday, March 8. Services will be at 11 a.m. at the United Pentecostal Church, 5011 NW Gainesville Road, in Ocala with Pastor C. Patton Williams officiating. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. will be handling services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/7/2007 - 3/10/2007.

946. COLLINS, JR., ARCHIE "SONNY", (Obituary No. 946.) 62 Belleview - Archie "Sonny" Collins Jr., 62 passed away on February 27 in San Antonio, Texas. Born in Sontag, Mississippi and spent most of his life in the Belleview-Santos community. He leaves to cherish precious memories his son Milton Collins Jacksonville, Florida and his daughter Katina Collins Robinson. One sister Mary Johnson Jacksonville, Texas and seven grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Collins will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at the Calvary Baptist Church Santos, FL
with Rev DJ Berry presiding. Interment will be in the Mt Pleasant Cemetery under the direction of SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Public visitation will be on Friday 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Snow's Funeral Ministry "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/10/2007.

947. CRON, MORRIS, (Obituary No. 947.) 79 Citra - Morris Cron, 79 passed away on Thursday, March 8, 2007 at home. A native of Towanda, PA., he came here in 1981 from Ulster, PA. and was a retired truck driver and former metal scrapyard owner. Mr. Cron was a WWII US Navy veteran. He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Pearl Lena Cron of Citra, FL., sons Bruce and Robert of Citra; son Jesse of Ulster, PA; daughters Kathy Cron and Anne Berkley, both of New Albany, PA; daughter Gloria Potter of Towanda, PA; daughter Hope Cordell of Citra, FL., sister June Rockwell of Barton, NY; sister Naomi Dolan of Deland, FL.; sister Martha Bouse of Towanda, PA; sister Janice Nelson of Athens, PA., brother David Campbell of Athens, PA.; 22 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Morris was preceded in death by his parents, Benjamin Cron, Sr. and Bernice Campbell Cron; and brother Benjamin Cron, Jr. Graveside services will be held on Sunday, March 11th at 2:30PM from Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala with Chaplain Warren Thompson officiating. Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/11/2007.

948. DUERMEIER, DUANE EDWARD, (Obituary No. 948.) 70 Valdosta, GA - Duane Edward Duermeier, 70 died Thursday, March 8, 2007 at South Georgia Medical Center. He was born on July 3, 1936 in LaCrosse, WI and had lived in Valdosta for six years and was a former resident of Ocala, FL. He was a member of the Lavonia United Methodist Church in Lavonia, GA. and a veteran of the United States Marines. Mr. Duermeier was an automotive salesman, a former member of the Stone Creek Golf Association and the Elks Club. Survivors include his wife, Betty Duermeier of Valdosta, four daughters, Kelly Johnson of Ocala, FL., Kim Duermeier of Winthrop Harbor, IL., Kerry Duermier of Frisco, TX. and Kiara Lee of San Raphael, CA., stepchildren and their spouses, Dawn and Mickey Pierce of Jacksonville, FL. and Ernie and Kathi Reiter of Longwood, FL., eight grandchildren, Rachel Torres, Lyndsay Rou, Molly Rhodes, Daniel Johnson, Hunter Pierce, Caroline Pierce, Stefanie Reiter and Mitchell Reiter, aunt, Jean Duermeier of WI. and his beloved maltese, Joey. A visitation will be held on Saturday, March 10, 2007 from 5-7pm at the Carson McLane Funeral Home. In accordance with Mr. Duermeier requests he will be cremated following the visitation and no formal services will be held. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Haven, New Covenant Church or the charity of your choice. Condolences to the family may be conveyed online at www.mclanefuneralservices.com. Carson McLane Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/11/2007.

949. FOUCHE, GEORGE H., (Obituary No. 949.) 95 Woodbridge, VA - George H. Fouche, 95 died on Wednesday, February 21, 2007 at Summerville in Prince William. Beloved husband of the late Pauline T. Fouche. He lived and raised his family in Falls Church, VA. He is survived by three sons, Thomas H. Fouche of Ocala, FL., Paul A. Fouche of Clifton, VA. and Calvin F. Fouche of Stockton, CA. Four grandchildren, Jonathan, Jason, Kevin & David, also his sister Betty Fouche Simpson Bines of Sterling, VA., along with a host of other relatives and friends. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 11AM and Money & King Funeral Home, 171 W. Maple Ave., Vienna, VA. Burial will follow at National Memorial Park.
in Falls Church, VA. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Capital Hospice, 6565 Arlington Blvd., #501, Falls Church, VA 22042. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/11/2007.

950. GARDNER, ELLA MARGENE, (Obituary No. 950.) 106 Orange Springs - Ms. Ella Margene Gardner, 106, passed away on March 4, 2007. She leaves to cherish her memory two daughters, Elouise Gardner-Eason, Ocala, FL., Evelyn Gardner, Orange Springs, FL.; 6 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren, and 11 great-great grandchildren. Services for Ms. Gardner will be held on Saturday, March 10, 2007 at 11 a.m., New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL., Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks - Eulogist. Burial will be in Orange Springs Cemetery. No viewing following the eulogy. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mrs. Elouise Eason (163 Almond Road) Ocala, FL. at 10 a.m. on Saturday to form the cortege. "A Sellers Services Defines Quality and Satisfaction”. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/10/2007.


952. HARRIS, AUDREY REGISTER, (Obituary No. 952.) 79 Ocala - Audrey Register Harris, 79, of Ocala, FL died Saturday, March 3, 2007. She was born on September 14, 1927 in Ray City, GA to the late Lewis and Linnie Crews Register. Mrs. Harris was a homemaker and a member of Christ Church of Marion County, FL. She is survived by her husband, Edward "Buddy" Harris of Ocala, FL, two daughters and sons in law, Judy and Marple Lewis of Beverly Hills, FL and Patsy and John Batsch of Ocala, FL, grandsons, Jim Cash of Atlanta, Scott Batsch and his wife, Janice of Jacksonville, FL, Shawn Batsch and his wife, Nicole of Tuscon, AZ, Chris Batsch and his wife Nikki of Long Beach, CA., and great grandson Colby Batsch of Jacksonville, FL. Memorial services will be held Saturday, March 10, 2007 at 1 p.m. in the chapel of the Martin McLane Funeral Home in Hahira with Reverend Marple Lewis officiating. The family will receive friends from 12:30 until 1 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P. O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Condolences to the family may be expressed online at mclanefuneralservices.com MARTIN McLANE FUNERAL HOME, Hahira, GA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/9/2007 - 3/10/2007.

953. KELLEY, JOSEPH WILLIS, (Obituary No. 953.) 78 Ocala - Joseph Willis Kelley, 78, of Ocala, Florida, died Wednesday, March 7, 2007 at Legacy House. He was born August 3, 1928
in East Pennsauken, New Jersey. He moved here in 1984 from Ft. Lauderdale. He had made his home in Ocala for the last 22 years. He was a retired owner/operator of a lawn care service in Ocala. Mr. Kelley was of the Methodist Faith. He had also served in the US Army. He is survived by his wife Barbara Kelley of 54 years who resides in Ocala, son, Jeff Kelley of Hollywood, FL., two daughters, Eileen Henry of Hooversville, PA., and Susan Smith of North Pole, AK., 5 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/9/2007 - 3/10/2007.

954. LOFTON, JOAN B., (Obituary No. 954.) 64 Ocala - Joan B. Lofton, 64 passed away on March 7, 2007 at MRMC. She was born May 26, 1943 in Bradenton, FL to the late Leroy and Ruby Jackson. She was a member of the Meadowbrook Church in Ocala, FL. She attended school at Lincoln Memorial in Palmetto, FL and Howard Academy in Ocala, FL. She leaves to cherish sweet memories, three brothers: Charlie Rawls, Bradenton, FL, Willie Jay Jackson, Brandon, FL The Late Clifton Rawls. Five daughters: Constance Tyler, Ocala, FL, Wanda Mars, Tampa, FL, Tabitha Baker, Dallas, TX, Ruby Cox, Tampa, FL, Marie Lofton, Philadelphia, PA. Two sons: Joseph Hagins & Kevin Williams both of Ocala, FL. 13 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Visitation will be held March 12, 2007 at Cunningham Funeral Home from 6-8PM. In lieu of flowers please make all donations to Marion County Medical Society (We Care Program) 201 SW 17th Street, Ocala, Florida 34471 (352)732-9235. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/11/2007.

955. MATHIS, TATIANA S., (Obituary No. 955.) 10 Ocala - Tatiana Mathis, 10 years old, student, died February 27, 2007 at Munroe Region Medical Center (Ocala, Florida). Survivors include mother Janicka Grimsley, father Kina Mathis, brothers Jemell, Kevin, Dyvonte Samuel, Jaquei, Zikias Cannon and Kina Mathis, Jr., grandparents Cecil and Bettyle Grimsley, and Patricia and Euster Brown. Visitation Friday, March 9, 2007 at United Theological Seminary from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. Funeral Service for Tatiana S. Mathis, will be held Saturday, March 10, 2007 at St. John Baptist Church at 3 p.m. in Ocala, FL. Family and friends will gather at 617 NW 1st Street, Ocala, FL. One hour prior to the funeral service for the procession to the church. Arrangements by WRIGHT FUNERAL HOME, 15332 NW 7th Avenue, Miami, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/9/2007 - 3/10/2007.

956. MCGEE, ROBERT A. "BOB", (Obituary No. 956.) 66 Ocala - Robert (Bob) A. McGee, age 66, departed this life on March 5, 2007, at his home in Ocala. He moved to Ocala in 1968 from his birthplace, Ottawa, Canada. He is survived by his wife, Beverley McGee, his son Mike McGee of Atlanta, GA., his daughter Karen Abernathy and two grandchildren, Jarrod and Lauren Abernathy of Ocoee, FL. Bob was retired from the beverage industry. The memorial service will take place at Grace Episcopal Church on Friday, March 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Father Jonathon French presiding. Reception to follow. Donations to the American Heart Association are preferred in lieu of flowers. Arrangements by ROBERT FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/8/2007 - 3/10/2007.

957. RAMELLI, ROSE M., (Obituary No. 957.) 92 Sugarloaf Shores, FL - Rose Ramelli passed away in the early morning hours of 2 March 2007 at her home in Sugarloaf Shores, Florida. Rose, born in Westerly, Rhode Island to Migel Angelo and Immacolata (Calpabo) Algiere, met
and married her husband of 49 years Americo "Tony" Ramelli, a Navy Chief at the time. Tony's duty assignment to Naval Air Station Key West brought them to the Florida Keys in 1946 where they made their home, owned Tony's Auto Body Shop on Greene Street until retiring in 1989, making their home on Cudjoe Key, and vowed that "if it got colder here, they would have to go further south." Rose is survived by two children, Donna (Ramelli) Dye and husband Darrell of Key West and son, Michael Ramelli and LouAnn Soldano of Dunnellion, FL. She was predeceased in death by her parents, husband Tony and two younger brothers John Algier and Paul Algiers. Before owning the paint shop, Rose had some unique employments, always as an inspector. First, as an inspector at a chocolate factory (must have been where she got her chocolate addiction), inspector at a life-savor factory and most enjoyment was as an inspector of aircraft propeller hubs during WWII. Rose thrived on the love of her church, her family, community involvement, and enjoyment raising plants. Her picture appeared in the Key West Citizen numerous times displaying her green-thumb for her prolific vegetable gardens. Beside raising a family, managing a business, Rose found time to care for elderly friends, act as chauffeur for her children with all there events, volunteer efforts with the Catholic Daughters of America, St. Peter Ladies Guild and support her husband's civic involvement with the Easter Seals and Veterans of Foreign Wars. She was continually recognized for the raising the most donations, selling thousands of Easter Lilies and Red Poppies) during those fundraisers. Over the last 10 years, her mission in life was to make rosaries for the missions, making thousands that were sent all over the world. Her generous heart, infectious smile and loving ways will always be remembered. Celebration of her life will be held Monday March 12th at St. Peter Catholic Church, Big Pine Key, FL at 6:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to St. Peter Catholic Church Memorial Fund 31300 Overseas Highway Big Pine Key, Florida 33043 in memory of Rose M. Ramelli. DEAN-LOPEZ FUNERAL HOME Key West, FL in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/9/2007 - 3/10/2007.

958. VON TESMAR, CHARLES HENRY, (Obituary No. 958.) 85 Ocala - Mr. Charles Henry von Tesmar, 85, passed away on March 5, 2007. He was born in Chicago, IL on June 4, 1921. He is a retired plastic manufacturing plant manager. He moved to the area in 1991 from Schnectady, NY. He was a Presbyterian. He was a Sigma Chi Fraternity Alumni of Bradley University in Peoria, IL. He was a former city councilman of Ashtabula, OH. During WWII he was an Army Air Force pilot instructor. He was passionate about sailing and guitar playing. He was a member of the American Radio Relay League CB club of Ocala. He is survived by his loving wife Elizabeth Royalty von Tesmar of Ocala. Two sons James Royalty von Tesmar of Ashtabula, OH. and Robert Arthur von Tesmar of Genevia, OH. Two daughters Elizabeth Watson of Los Angeles, CA. and Cynthia Royalty von Tesmar of Houston TX., also 6 grandchildren. Memorial service will be held Saturday, March 10, 2007 at the 1st Presbyterian Church, 511 SE Third Street.

959. WALKER, MABEL STARLING, (Obituary No. 959.) 84 Ocala - Mabel Starling Walker, 84, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, March 6, 2007. She was born in Glenn St. Mary, FL., to James & Mary (Griffis) Starling, January 19, 1923. Mabel was a devoted wife, Mom, and Grandmother. Predeceased in death by a daughter Elizabeth Walker and son Murdlin Walker, Husband Fred Walker and Brothers, Ira, Ellery, Elvan, and Earl Starling, stepdaughter Kathy Rollings. She is survived by two daughters Eula Lee (Walker) Harward of Ocala, and Marry Ann Garrity of Charleston, S.C.; three sons James Don Walker, Fred Nolen Walker and Andy Rudy
Walker all of Ocala. She is also survived by three sisters Myrtle Gorves and Eleanor Lyons of McClenny, FL., and Nadine Thorton of Starke, FL.; 15 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren and 5 great-great grandchildren; significant companion J.T. Rollings of Ocala; and stepson Ernie Rollings of AL. Mabel retired from the Marion County School System Food Services Division, Vanguard High School. (Thank you Mrs. Campbell) Friends may call on the family Friday, march 9, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Services will be Saturday, March 10, 2007 at the Candler Baptist Church at 10 a.m. Following the services the family will conduct graveside services at Fellowship Baptist Church Cemetery. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the charity of you choice in memory of Mabel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/9/2007 - 3/10/2007.

960. WICHERT, VINCENT L., (Obituary No. 960.) 90 Panama City - Vincent L. Wichert, 90, passed away on Tuesday, March 6, 2007 at the Gulf Coast Medical Center in Panama City. He moved to Ocala in 1988 from Jacksonville, NC. He loved to fish and he spent a lot of time on the Ocklawaha River. He served in the United States Navy and was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He worked as a photograph engraver. He is survived by his daughter, Winifred "Winnie" Donahue of Maplewood, NJ; son Wayne Whichert of Stamford, CT., sister Lillie Stafford of Bayonne, NJ; and 2 grandchildren. Hiers Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/11/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Sunday, March 11, 2007

961. BANHAM, JR., HERBERT GEORGE, (Obituary No. 961.) 75 Dunnellon - Captain Herbert G. Banham died on Friday, March 9, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was a native of Cambridge, Massachusetts, born on February 6, 1932. His parents were Herbert George Sr. and Charlotte "Lottie" (Bishop) Banham. He attended and graduated from Tufts University in Medford, MA. He was a retired Captain in the U.S. Navy and served his country during the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam War. After his retirement, he took a second career as a Real Estate Appraiser. He lived in Reston, VA for approximately 20 years, then moved to Dunnellon eight years ago. He was a member of the Citrus Genealogical Society and he was an avid fan of the Boston/Atlanta Braves. He is survived by his wife, Nancy Banham of Dunnellon; son, Herbert George Branham III and wife, Debra of Hampstead, MD; daughter, Cynthia Fitzgerald and husband, Larry of Hernando Bch, FL; son, Michael Banham and wife, Carmen of Suwannee, GA; Matthew Branham of Jackson, NH; Laura Wilton of Sterling, VA; 17 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/12/2007.

962. CRON, MORRIS, (Obituary No. 962.) 79 Citra - Morris Cron, 79 passed away on Thursday, March 8, 2007 at home. A native of Towanda, PA., he came here in 1981 from Ulster, PA. and was a retired truck driver and former metal scrapyard owner. Mr. Cron was a WWII US Navy veteran. He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Pearl Lena Cron of Citra, FL., sons Bruce and Robert of Citra; son Jesse of Ulster, PA; daughters Kathy Cron and Anne Berkley, both of New Albany, PA; daughter Gloria Potter of Towanda, PA; daughter Hope Cordell of Citra, FL.; sister June Rockwell of Barton, NY; sister Naomi Dolan of Deland, FL.; sister Martha Bouse of Towanda, PA; sister Janice Nelson of Athens, PA., brother David Campbell of Athens, PA.; 22 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Morris was preceded
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963. DUERMEIER, DUANE EDWARD, (Obituary No. 963.) 70 Valdosta, GA - Duane Edward Duermeier, 70 died Thursday, March 8, 2007 at South Georgia Medical Center. He was born on July 3, 1936 in LaCrosse, WI and had lived in Valdosta for six years and was a former resident of Ocala, FL. He was a member of the Lavonia United Methodist Church in Lavonia, GA. and a veteran of the United States Marines. Mr. Duermeier was an automotive salesman, a former member of the Stone Creek Golf Association and the Elks Club. Survivors include his wife, Betty Duermeier of Valdosta, four daughters, Kelly Johnson of Ocala, FL., Kim Duermeier of Winthrop Harbor, IL., Kerry Duermeier of Frisco, TX. and Kiara Lee of San Raphael, CA., stepchildren and their spouses, Dawn and Mickey Pierce of Jacksonville, FL. and Ernie and Kathi Reiter of Longwood, FL., eight grandchildren, Rachel Torres, Lyndsay Rou, Molly Rhodes, Daniel Johnson, Hunter Pierce, Caroline Pierce, Stefanie Reiter and Mitchell Reiter, aunt, Jean Duermeier of WI. and his beloved maltese, Joey. A visitation will be held on Saturday, March 10, 2007 from 5-7pm at the Carson McLane Funeral Home. In accordance with Mr. Duermeier requests he will be cremated following the visitation and no formal services will be held. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Haven, New Covenant Church or the charity of your choice. Condolences to the family may be conveyed online at www.mclanefuneralservices.com. Carson McLane Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/11/2007.

964. FOUCHÉ, GEORGE H., (Obituary No. 964.) 95 Woodbridge, VA - George H. Fouche, 95 died on Wednesday, February 21, 2007 at Summerville in Prince William. Beloved husband of the late Pauline T. Fouche. He lived and raised his family in Falls Church, VA. He is survived by three sons, Thomas H. Fouche of Ocala, FL., Paul A. Fouche of Clifton, VA. and Calvin F. Fouche of Stockton, CA. Four grandchildren, Jonathan, Jason, Kevin & David, also his sister Betty Fouche Simpson Bines of Sterling, VA., along with a host of other relatives and friends. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 11AM and Money & King Funeral Home, 171 W. Maple Ave., Vienna, VA. Burial will follow at National Memorial Park in Falls Church, VA. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Capital Hospice, 6565 Arlington Blvd., #501, Falls Church, VA 22042. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/11/2007.

965. GRAEFE, JULIE HATHORN, (Obituary No. 965.) 67 Ocala - Julie Hathorn Graef, 67 passed away on Monday, March 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Native of Anniston, AL she had made Ocala her home for the past 6 years coming from Alabama. She had worked in Miami, FL for Burger King Corp. Office as a Human Resources officer before moving to Anniston, AL and working at Parker Industry. Survivors include son, James Ellison of High Springs, FL., daughter Cindy Robinson (Darren) of Port St. Lucy, FL., brother Bill Russell of Gainesville, FL., sister Suzanne Russell Marshall of Deland, FL., brother David Russell on Military Tour in Iraq, brother Wayne Browning of Newberry, FL., sister Mary Browning of Miami, FL., brother Tim Browning of Archer, FL., sister Vicki Hathorn of West Jefferson, NC.

966. HARRIS, ARLENE CLAIRE, (Obituary No. 966.) 74 Ocklawaha - Arlene Claire Harris, 74, of Ocklawaha, went to be with the Lord on March 8th. She passed away unexpectedly in the home. Born in Hinsdale, Illinois, she came to this area in 1993 from Titusville, FL. She was a homemaker and attended Moss Bluff Baptist Church. She is survived by her husband, George Brian Harris of Ocklawaha; daughter, Patricia Ann Boggs and her husband, David Lee, of Mims, FL; sons, George Robert Harris and his wife Sharon Ruth of Mims, FL and Joseph William and his wife Martha Ann of Mims, FL, daughter-in-law, Cathy Harris of Sanford, FL; sister, Myrle Noble Doolittle and her husband Timothy of Hickory, NC; brother, Rembrant William Noble and his wife Mamie of Memphis, TN, 14 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son, Brian Charles Harris and brothers, Howard and Robert Noble. A Memorial Service will be held at the Mims Church of God in Mims, FL on Saturday (March 17th) at 1 p.m. with Pastor Phil Keaton Officiating. In lieu of flowers the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to the American Heart Assoc. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. (352-622-4141). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/12/2007.

967. LEWIS, MARILYN SCHARRER, (Obituary No. 967.) 77 Jacksonville - Mrs. Marilyn Scharrer Lewis, age 77, of Jacksonville, Florida, the beloved mother, grandmother and friend to all, departed this life on Wednesday, March 7, 2007 at Orange Park Medical Center, Orange Park, FL, following a brief illness. She was born in Erie, Pennsylvania on June 20, 1929 to Michael and Loretta Scharrer. Marilyn moved to Ocala, Florida in 1973 where she was a Title Clerk with Homestead Title Company until retiring in 1992. She moved to Jacksonville in 2002 to be closer to her family. Marilyn was an avid Gator Fan, loved spending time with her family and enjoyed playing bridge and pinochle with her friends at the Weigel Center in Middleburg, FL and the Lane-Wiley Center in Jacksonville. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Jacksonville. She was preceded in death by her son, Gary Allison and her parents. She is survived by her daughter, Linda and husband Don Farmer of Orange Park, FL; her grandson, Jamie Farmer of Middleburg, FL; her granddaughter, Melissa and husband Kelley Crews of Green Cove Springs, FL; her (3) great-grandchildren, Justin Farmer, Alexis and Allyssa Crews; her brother, Jack Scharrer of Erie, PA and several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services will be at 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, March 13, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL, 34471 with interment to follow in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home on Monday, March 12, 2007 from 2:00 until 7:00 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, Ocala, Florida provided this information. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/12/2007.

968. LOFTON, JOAN B., (Obituary No. 968.) 64 Ocala - Joan B. Lofton, 64 passed away on March 7, 2007 at MRMC. She was born May 26, 1943 in Bradenton, FL to the late Leroy and Ruby Jackson. She was a member of the Meadowbrook Church in Ocala, FL. She attended school at Lincoln Memorial in Palmetto, FL and Howard Academy in Ocala, FL. She leaves to cherish sweet memories, three brothers: Charlie Rawls, Bradenton, FL, Willie Jay Jackson, Brandon, FL The Late Clifton Rawls. Five daughters: Constance Tyler, Ocala, FL, Wanda Mars,
Tampa, FL, Tabitha Baker, Dallas, TX, Ruby Cox, Tampa, FL, Marie Lofton, Philadelphia, PA. Two sons: Joseph Hagins & Kevin Williams both of Ocala, FL. 13 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Visitation will be held March 12, 2007 at Cunningham Funeral Home from 6-8PM. In lieu of flowers please make all donations to Marion County Medical Society (We Care Program) 201 SW 17th Street, Ocala, Florida 34471 (352)732-9235. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/11/2007.

969. PIECZUL, LEO W., (Obituary No. 969.) 67 Ocala - Leo W. Pieczul, 67, passed away on Thursday, March 8, 2007, at his daughter's home in Malabar, FL after a courageous battle with cancer. Mr. Pieczul was born August 21, 1939 in Boston, MA to the late Leo Stanley and Sophie Tomaszewska Pieczul. He was a retired machinist, a Navy veteran and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Marion Oaks. Mr. Pieczul is survived by his daughter, Juliann Kacin and her husband Christopher; his mother, Sophie Pieczul and his grandchildren Brenton Hengy, Nicholas Kacin and Michael Kacin. Calling hours will be held Friday, March 16, 2007 from 12:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at PALM BAY FUNERAL HOME, 950 Malabar Road SE, Palm Bay. A Funeral Mass will follow the visitation at 4:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, 300 Malabar Road SE, Palm Bay. Memorial contributions can be made the American Cancer Society, 1260 US Highway 1, Suite 201, Rockledge, FL 32955. Arrangements are entrusted to PALM BAY FUNERAL HOME, Palm Bay 321-724-2224. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/12/2007.

970. RIKE, MAVIS CATHERINE, (Obituary No. 970.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Mavis Catherine Rike died on Friday, March 9, 2007 at her residence in Ocala, under the loving care of her family and Hospice. She was a native of Rocky Head, Alabama and was born on November 21, 1926. She was the daughter of proud parents, George W. and Lera (Baker) Pipkins. She lived in Rocky Head until she met and married Walter Pike, of Ocala, 64 years ago, and moved to Ocala. She and Walter owned and operated Ocala Plumbing Co. from 1957 until 1978. She was a member of Fellowship Baptist Church. She is survived by her husband, Walter Pike of Ocala; sons, Walter Kyle Pike and wife, Carol, Kenneth Wayne Pike and wife, Julie, and James Delton Pike and wife, Sue, all of Ocala; daughter, Deboraha Trammell and husband, Thomas of Ocala; sister, Joyce Thompson of Brundidge, AL; brother, Irvin Pipkins of Rocky Head, AL; sister, Elizabeth Cotton of Ozark, AL; nine grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Rike will be held at the Fellowship Baptist Church on Wednesday, March 14 at 2:00 p.m. Viewing will be at the church on Tuesday, March 13th from 6 to 8 p.m. Interment will be in the Fellowship Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/12/2007.

971. SETLAK, ESTHER BROSTMAN, (Obituary No. 971.) 88 Ocala - Esther Brostman Setlak, 88, passed away on Friday, March 9, 2007 at the Ocala Regional Medical Center. She moved to Ocala from Miami in 1972. She leaves behind a legacy of family, friends, and a love for helping other people. She was a member of the Knights of Columbus Auxiliary. She also loved working on crossword puzzles. She is survived by her husband of 64 years Henry Setlak of Ocala and her son Anthony Setlak (Terri) of Jacksonville. A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, March 13, 2007 at 9:00 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. A visitation will be held on Monday, March 12, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/12/2007.
972. VON TESMAR, CHARLES HENRY, (Obituary No. 972.) 85 Ocala - Mr. Charles Henry von Tesmar, 85, passed away on March 5, 2007. He was born in Chicago, IL on June 4, 1921. He is a retired plastic manufacturing plant manager. He moved to the area in 1991 from Schenectady, NY. He was a Presbyterian. He was a Sigma Chi Fraternity Alumni of Bradley University in Peoria, IL. He was a former city councilman of Ashtabula, OH. During WWII he was an Army Air Force pilot instructor. He was passionate about sailing and guitar playing. He was a member of the American Radio Relay League CB club of Ocala. He is survived by his loving wife Elizabeth Royalty von Tesmar of Ocala. Two sons James Royalty von Tesmar of Ashtabula, OH. and Robert Arthur von Tesmar of Genevia, OH. Two daughters Elizabeth Watson of Los Angeles, CA. and Cynthia Royalty von Tesmar of Houston TX., also 6 grandchildren. Memorial service will be held Saturday, March 10, 2007 at the 1st Presbyterian Church, 511 SE Third Street. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/9/2007 - 3/11/2007.

973. WATKINS, VILLIS ETHEL, (Obituary No. 973.) 92 Dunnellon - Villis Ethel Watkins, 92, died March 6, 2007. A native of Grand Island, NE, she moved to Dunnellon, FL from Shoshoni, WY in 1973. She was a charter member of the Order of the Eastern Star in Riverton, WY, active in the Kalif Shrine Temple of Sheridan, WY and retired as a school bus driver for The Shoshoni School in 1973. She was an accomplished hunter and enjoyed deep sea fishing. She was active in various Rainbow Lakes Estates social events and appreciated the friendship and fellowship of Rainbow Lakes United Methodist Church. Predeceased by her husband, Dale, in 1977, she is survived by her daughter Martha Jane Schulz and husband Gary, Dunnellon, FL; granddaughter Jodi Lurie Schulz, Ocala; grandson Scott Dale Schulz and wife Karen, Brooksville; great grandchildren, Carson Dale Schulz and Cassidy Marie Schulz, Brooksville. A Memorial Service will be held at Rainbow Lakes United Methodist Church, March 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. with inurnment to follow in Riverton, WY. Memorial contributions may be made to the Kalif Shrine Center, Crippled Children's Fund, 145 W. Loucks St., Sheridan, WY 82801. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/12/2007.

974. WICHERT, VINCENT L., (Obituary No. 974.) 90 Panama City - Vincent L. Wichert, 90, passed away on Tuesday, March 6, 2007 at the Gulf Coast Medical Center in Panama City. He moved to Ocala in 1988 from Jacksonville, NC. He loved to fish and he spent a lot of time on the Ocklawaha River. He served in the United States Navy and was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He worked as a photograph engraver. He is survived by his daughter, Winifred "Winnie" Donahue of Maplewood, NJ; son Wayne WIchert of Stamford, CT., sister Lillie Stafford of Bayonne, NJ; and 2 grandchildren. Hiers Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/11/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Monday, March 12, 2007

975. BANHAM, JR., HERBERT GEORGE, (Obituary No. 975.) 75 Dunnellon - Captain Herbert G. Banham died on Friday, March 9, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was a native of Cambridge, Massachusetts, born on February 6, 1932. His parents were Herbert George Sr. and Charlotte "Lottie" (Bishop) Banham. He attended and graduated from Tufts University in Medford, MA. He was a retired Captain in the U.S. Navy and served his country during the
Korean Conflict and the Vietnam War. After his retirement, he took a second career as a Real Estate Appraiser. He lived in Reston, VA for approximately 20 years, then moved to Dunnellon eight years ago. He was a member of the Citrus Genealogical Society and he was an avid fan of the Boston/Atlanta Braves. He is survived by his wife, Nancy Banham of Dunnellon; son, Herbert George Branham III and wife, Debra of Hampstead, MD; daughter, Cynthia Fitzgerald and husband, Larry of Hernando Bch, FL; son, Michael Banham and wife, Carmen of Suwannee, GA; Matthew Branham of Jackson, NH; Laura Wilton of Sterling, VA; 17 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/12/2007.

976. FOUCHE, GEORGE H. (Obituary No. 976.), 95 Woodbridge, VA - The funeral service for George Fouche has been set for March 17, 2007 at 11 a.m., and will take place at MONEY AND KING VIENNA FUNERAL HOME in Vienna, Virginia. The address for the funeral home is 171 Maple Ave W, Vienna, VA 22180, and the phone number is (703) 938-7440. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Mt. Hope Baptist Church's Building Program to: Mt. Hope Baptist Church, Attn. Lora Wortman, Finance Chairman, 42507 Mt. Hope Road, Ashburn, VA 20148. Please visit www.GeorgeFouche.com to view all of the family photos. George Fouche is survived by his sister, Elizabeth Fouche Simpson Bines of Potomac Falls, Virginia, his three sons, Thomas Fouche of Ocala, Florida, Paul Fouche of Clifton, Virginia, and Calvin Fouche of Stockton, California, as well as his four grandsons, Kevin, David, Jason, and Jonathan. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/15/2007.

977. GRIFFIN, JOYCE LEE, (Obituary No. 977.) 77 Ocala - Mrs. Joyce Lee Griffin, age 77, of Ocala, Florida died Friday, March 9, 2007 at her home, with her loving family at her side. She moved to Ocala, Florida in 1966 from her native, Miami, Florida. She was a homemaker and Baptist by Faith. She is survived by her loving husband of (60) years, Kenneth Lee Griffin, Sr., of Ocala, FL.; (3) sons, Kenneth Lee, Jr. and Timothy Lee "Tim" Griffin of Ocala, FL., and Terrance Lee "Terry" Griffin of Belleview, FL.; (2) daughter, Linda Lee Lorick and Cynthia Lee "Cindy" Wilson, both of Ocala, FL.; (18) grandchildren; (18) great-grandchildren and (2) brothers and (2) sisters. The family has requested a Private Family Service and Committal on Tuesday, March 13, 2007 at Good Shepard Memorial Garden Cemetery, under the direction of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/12/2007 - 3/13/2007.

978. HARRIS, ARLENE CLAIRE, (Obituary No. 978.) 74 Ocklawaha - Arlene Claire Harris, 74, of Ocklawaha, went to be with the Lord on March 8th. She passed away unexpectedly in the home. Born in Hindsdale, Illinois, she came to this area in 1993 from Titusville, FL. She was a homemaker and attended Moss Bluff Baptist Church. She is survived by her husband, George Brian Harris of Ocklawaha; daughter, Patricia Ann Boggs and her husband, David Lee, of Mims, FL; sons, George Robert Harris and his wife Sharon Ruth of Mims, FL and Joseph William and his wife Martha Ann of Mims, FL, daughter-in-law, Cathy Harris of Sanford, FL; sister, Myrle Noble Doolittle and her husband Timothy of Hickory, NC; brother, Rembrant William Noble and his wife Mamie of Memphis, TN, 14 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son, Brian Charles Harris and brothers, Howard and Robert Noble. A Memorial Service will be held at the Mims Church of God in Mims, FL on Saturday (March 17th) at 1 p.m. with Pastor Phil Keaton Officiating. In lieu of flowers the family requests that

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980. PIECZUL, LEO W., (Obituary No. 980.) 67 Ocala - Leo W. Pieczul, 67, passed away on Thursday, March 8, 2007, at his daughter's home in Malabar, FL after a courageous battle with cancer. Mr. Pieczul was born August 21, 1939 in Boston, MA to the late Leo Stanley and Sophie Tomaszeewksa Pieczul. He was a retired machinist, a Navy veteran and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Marion Oaks. Mr. Pieczul is survived by his daughter, Juliann Kacin and her husband Christopher; his mother, Sophie Pieczul and his grandchildren Brenton Hengy, Nicholas Kacin and Michael Kacin. Calling hours will be held Friday, March 16, 2007 from 12:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at PALM BAY FUNERAL HOME, 950 Malabar Road SE, Palm Bay. A Funeral Mass will follow the visitation at 4:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, 300 Malabar Road SE, Palm Bay. Memorial contributions can be made the American Cancer Society, 1260 US Highway 1, Suite 201, Rockledge, FL 32955. Arrangements are entrusted to PALM BAY FUNERAL HOME, Palm Bay 321/724-2224. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/12/2007.

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Kyle Rike and wife, Carol, Kenneth Wayne Rike and wife, Julie, and James Delton Rike and wife, Sue, all of Ocala; daughter, Deboraha Trammell and husband, Thomas of Ocala; sister, Joyce Thompson of Brundidge, AL; brother, Irvin Pipkins of Rocky Head, AL; sister, Elizabeth Cotton of Ozark, AL; nine grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Rike will be held at the Fellowship Baptist Church on Wednesday, March 14th at 2:00 p.m. Viewing will be at the church on Tuesday, March 13th from 6 to 8 p.m. Interment will be in the Fellowship Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/13/2007.

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983. WATKINS, VILLIS ETHEL, (Obituary No. 983.) 92 Dunnellon - Villis Ethel Watkins, 92, died March 6, 2007. A native of Grand Island, NE, she moved to Dunnellon, FL from Shoshoni, WY in 1973. She was a charter member of the Order of the Eastern Star in Riverton, WY, active in the Kalif Shrine Temple of Sheridan, WY and retired as a school bus driver for The Shoshoni School in 1973. She was an accomplished hunter and enjoyed deep sea fishing. She was active in various Rainbow Lakes Estates social events and appreciated the friendship and fellowship of Rainbow Lakes United Methodist Church. Predeceased by her husband, Dale, in 1977, she is survived by her daughter Martha Jane Schulz and husband Gary, Dunnellon, FL; granddaughter Jodi Lurie Schulz, Ocala; grandson Scott Dale Schulz and wife Karen, Brooksville; great grandchildren, Carson Dale Schulz and Cassidy Marie Schulz, Brooksville. A Memorial Service will be held at Rainbow Lakes United Methodist Church, March 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. with inurnment to follow in Riverton, WY. Memorial contributions may be made to the Kalif Shrine Center, Crippled Children's Fund, 145 W. Loucks St., Sheridan, WY 82801. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/12/2007.

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Herbert George Banham III and wife, Debra of Hampstead, MD; daughter, Cynthia Fitzgerald and husband, Larry of Hernando Bch, FL; son, Michael Banham and wife, Carmen of Suwannee, GA; Matthew Banham of Jackson, NH; Laura Wilton of Sterling, VA; 17 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/14/2007.

985. BELCHER, DAVID W., (Obituary No. 985.) 53 Summerfield - Mr. David W. Belcher, age 53, of Summerfield, died March 10, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House in Summerfield, FL. He was a painter. He is survived by his wife Susan Belcher of Summerfield; daughter Vicki Greeninger of Jacksonville; son Vince Jackson of San Diego, CA.; sisters Sarah Burleson and Karen Olds both of Stevensville, MD.; brothers Fred Belcher of Maryland and Neil Belcher of Ocean City, MD.; mother-in-law Ruth Sterling; 2 grandchildren Aaron Jackson & Andrew Greeninger. Information provided by ALL FAITHS CREMATION SOCIETY, 2 La Grande Blvd., The Villages, FL 32159, 352-753-2612. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/14/2007.


987. CIVIL, GEORGE CLIFFORD, (Obituary No. 987.) 68 Lake Butler - George Clifford Civil passed away on March 8, 2007 at Lake Butler, Florida. He was born on November 15, 1938 in Sparr, Florida to his parents, Stephen Ephraim and Ruby M. Civil. He attended school in Anthony, Florida. He worked most of his live as an electrician. He served with the 101st Airborne Army. He is preceded in death by both of his parents, one brother, Franklin and one sister, Ethel. He is survived by two brothers, Charles of Baton Rouge, LA. and Robert of Canyon, TX.; and one sister, Dorothy of Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/14/2007.


989. FOUCHE, GEORGE H. (Obituary No. 989.), 95 Woodbridge, VA - The funeral service for George Fouche has been set for March 17, 2007 at 11 a.m., and will take place at MONEY AND
KING VIENNA FUNERAL HOME in Vienna, Virginia. The address for the funeral home is 171 Maple Ave W, Vienna, VA 22180, and the phone number is (703) 938-7440. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Mt. Hope Baptist Church's Building Program to: Mt. Hope Baptist Church, Attn. Lora Wortman, Finance Chairman, 42507 Mt. Hope Road, Ashburn, VA 20148. Please visit www.GeorgeFouche.com to view all of the family photos. George Fouche is survived by his sister, Elizabeth Fouche Simpson Bines of Potomac Falls, Virginia, his three sons, Thomas Fouche of Ocala, Florida, Paul Fouche of Clifton, Virginia, and Calvin Fouche of Stockton, California, as well as his four grandsons, Kevin, David, Jason, and Jonathan. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/15/2007.

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991. RIKE, MAVIS CATHERINE, (Obituary No. 991.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Mavis Catherine Rike died on Friday, March 9, 2007 at her residence in Ocala, under the loving care of her family and Hospice. She was a native of Rocky Head, Alabama and was born on November 21, 1926. She was the daughter of proud parents, George W. and Lera (Baker) Pipkins. She lived in Rocky Head until she met and married Walter Rike, of Ocala, 64 years ago, and moved to Ocala. She and Walter owned and operated Ocala Plumbing Co. from 1957 until 1978. She was a member of Fellowship Baptist Church. She is survived by her husband, Walter Rike of Ocala; sons, Walter Kyle Rike and wife, Carol, Kenneth Wayne Rike and wife, Julie, and James Delton Rike and wife, Sue, all of Ocala; daughter, Deboraha Trammell and husband, Thomas of Ocala; sister, Joyce Thompson of Brundidge, AL; brother, Irvin Pipkins of Rocky Head, AL; sister, Elizabeth Cotton of Ozark, AL; nine grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Rike will be held at the Fellowship Baptist Church on Wednesday, March 14th at 2:00 p.m. Viewing will be at the church on Tuesday, March 13th from 6 to 8 p.m. Interment will be in the Fellowship Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 352-489-2429 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/13/2007.

992. VOGLER, MAX W., (Obituary No. 992.) 80 Ocala - Mr. Max W. Vogler, 80, passed away on March 11, 2007 at the Legacy House following a courageous battle with cancer. he was a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. he is survived by his wife, Natalie, 3 stepchildren, and 7 step grandchildren. His brother Hans Vogler and sister Erma Lindner both live in the Netherlands. A Dutch citizen, he was born in Indonesia and at the age of 14 was confined for 41/2 years in Japanese the Indonesian prison camps. After release from his imprisonment he proceeded to the Netherlands to expedite his lost schooling. Subsequently he was drafted into the Royal Dutch A. F. and later, according to the Pastor Walter Act, he
emigrated to the U.S. as an Indonesian refugee. He advanced as a senior technician through several electronic companies in Ct. and ultimately retired to Ocala, FL. He participated in several sports, excelling in swimming with awards from the Royal Dutch A. F., and state championships in Florida. He became a proud U.S. citizen after retiring to Florida. There will be a memorial service on Monday, March 19, 2007 at 10 a.m. at the Ocala West United Methodist Church with Pastor Ken Kleckner officiating. In lieu of flowers the family suggest donations may be made to the Legacy Hospice House. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/14/2007.

993. WILSON, HERMAN E., (Obituary No. 993.) 98 Newark, Ohio - Herman E. Wilson, age 98, of Newark, Ohio died Saturday, March 10, 2007 at his residence at Goose Pond Retirement Village in Assisted Care. He was born August 18, 1908 in Medina, Ohio. Member of Masonic Lodge #269 F&AM of Mt. Sterling where he recently received his 60th year pin; member of Salem Church of the Bretheran. He was preceded in death by his parents, Troy and Carrie Wilson; wife, Helen; daughter, Barbara; 4 sisters, 3 brothers. He is survived by his children, Faye Harden of Mt. Sterling, Mary (Robert) Atwood of Johnstown, Beverly (Jim) Dennis of Grove City, Connie Kralik of Columbus, David Wilson of Ocala, and Michael (Sue) Wilson of Dayton; 21 grandchildren; 31 great grandchildren; 9 great-great grandchildren; brother, Herb (Shirley) Wilson of North Royalton. A Funeral Service will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday March 13, 2007 at the PORTER FUNERAL HOME, 331 West Main St., Mt. Sterling, Ohio, 43143 with Rev. Michael B. Parsley officiating. The interment will follow in Pleasant Cemetery, Mt. Sterling. Family will receive friends one hour prior to time of funeral. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/14/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, March 14, 2007

994. BAKER, JEMMA A. (SPADAFORA), (Obituary No. 994.) 77 Ocala FL - Jemma A. (Spadafora) Baker, 77, formerly of Leominster MA, passed away March 7th in Ocala, Florida after a brief illness. She was born April 30, 1929 in Everett MA, daughter of Vincent & Rose (DiMassa) Spadafora, and lived in Leominster until moving to Florida in 1977. She attended Emerson College in Boston and for many years was chief legal assistant and personal secretary to her husband, a former Leominster MA city councillor and attorney for the city with a private law practice in Massachusetts and Florida. Jemma is survived by her husband, Atty. Herbert F. Baker of Ocala FL: a son, Brian Baker and his wife Dianne of Frisco TX; brother Vincent Spadafora of Leominster MA, and grandchildren Shawn Baker, Jaclyn Baker and Logan Eubank. Private services at St. Leo's Cemetery in Leominster will be held at a later date at the family's convenience. Donations in Jemma's memory may be made to Estelle's House, c/o Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/14/2007 - 3/15/2007.

995. BANHAM, JR., HERBERT GEORGE, (Obituary No. 995.) 75 Dunnellon - Captain Herbert G. Banham died on Friday, March 9, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was a native of Cambridge, Massachusetts, born on February 6, 1932. His parents were Herbert George Sr. and Charlotte "Lottie" (Bishop) Banham. He attended and graduated from Tufts University in Medford, MA. He was a retired Captain in the U.S. Navy and served his country during the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam War. After his retirement, he took a second career as a Real Estate Appraiser. He lived in Reston, VA for approximately 20 years, then moved to Dunnellon.
eight years ago. He was a member of the Citrus Genealogical Society and he was an avid fan of the Boston/Atlanta Braves. He is survived by his wife, Nancy Banham of Dunnellon; son, Herbert George Banham III and wife, Debra of Hampstead, MD; daughter, Cynthia Fitzgerald and husband, Larry of Hernando Bch, FL; son, Michael Banham and wife, Carmen of Suwannee, GA; Matthew Banham of Jackson, NH; Laura Wilton of Sterling, VA; 17 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. 352-489-2429. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/11/2007 - 3/14/2007.

996. BELCHER, DAVID W., (Obituary No. 996.) 53 Summerfield - Mr. David W. Belcher, age 53, of Summerfield, died March 10, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House in Summerfield, FL. He was a painter. He is survived by his wife Susan Belcher of Summerfield; daughter Vicki Greeninger of Jacksonville; son Vince Jackson of San Diego, CA.; sisters Sarah Burleson and Karen Olds both of Stevensville, MD.; brothers Fred Belcher of Maryland and Neil Belcher of Ocean City, MD.; mother-in-law Ruth Sterling; 2 grandchildren Aaron Jackson & Andrew Greeninger. Information provided by ALL FAITHS CREMATION SOCIETY, 2 La Grande Blvd., The Villages, FL 32159, 352-753-2612. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/14/2007.


998. CIVIL, GEORGE CLIFFORD, (Obituary No. 998.) 68 Lake Butler - George Clifford Civil passed away on March 8, 2007 at Lake Butler, Florida. He was born on November 15, 1938 in Sparr, Florida to his parents, Stephen Ephraim and Ruby M. Civil. He attended school in Anthony, Florida. He worked most of his live as an electrician. He served with the 101st Airborne Army. He is preceded in death by both of his parents, one brother, Franklin and one sister, Ethel. He is survived by two brothers, Charles of Baton Rouge, LA. and Robert of Canyon, TX.; and one sister, Dorothy of Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/14/2007.

999. DOLAN, PATRICIA ROSE, (Obituary No. 999.) 47 Hollywood, FL - Patricia Rose Dolan, 47, formally of Ocala, died March 6, 2007 in Davie, FL. Patti was a homemaker. She is survived by a son Christopher Whiteman, granddaughter Jayda Lea Whiteman, both of Davie, sister Annmarie J. Farro of Ocala, brothers William J. Dolan of Miami, Vincent J. Dolan of Hollywood, daughter Cathleen M. Dolan of Hawaii. A funeral mass will be held on Thursday, March 15, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church at 3 p.m., burial will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/14/2007.
1000. FOUCHE, GEORGE H., (Obituary No. 1000.) 95 Woodbridge, VA - The funeral service for George Fouche has been set for March 17, 2007 at 11 a.m., and will take place at MONEY AND KING VIENNA FUNERAL HOME in Vienna, Virginia. The address for the funeral home is 171 Maple Ave W, Vienna, VA 22180, and the phone number is (703) 938-7440. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Mt. Hope Baptist Church's Building Program to: Mt. Hope Baptist Church, Attn. Lora Wortman, Finance Chairman, 42507 Mt. Hope Road, Ashburn, VA 20148. Please visit www.GeorgeFouche.com to view all of the family photos. George Fouche is survived by his sister, Elizabeth Fouche Simpson Bines of Potomac Falls, Virginia, his three sons, Thomas Fouche of Ocala, Florida, Paul Fouche of Clifton, Virginia, and Calvin Fouche of Stockton, California, as well as his four grandsons, Kevin, David, Jason, and Jonathan. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/15/2007.

1001. LIGHTBODY, JAMES F. "DUKE", (Obituary No. 1001.) 58 Crystal River, FL - James F. "Duke" Lightbody, age 58, of Crystal River, FL, died Thursday, March 8, 2007 at Seven River Regional Medical Center in Crystal River. Born October 16, 1948 in Pittsburg, PA; to James F. and Helen B. Lightbody, he came to this area 30 years ago from Miami, FL. Mr. Lightbody was the owner of Crystal River Signs and Duke Ad, Inc. He was a U.S. Air Force Veteran and a member of Springs Masonic Lodge 378 F&AM. Survivors include two sons, Jim Lightbody (Trudee) of Beverly Hills, FL; Geoff Haslett of Crystal River; daughter, Sara Lightbody of Crystal River; two brothers, Tom Lightbody (Susan) and Steve Lightbody (Barbara) all of Ocala; Glen Bacchus of Orlando; several nieces and nephews. A Memorial Service for Mr. Lightbody was held Tuesday, March 13, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Strickland Funeral Home Chapel in Crystal River with Rev. L.B. Thomason officiating. Masonic Rites followed under the direction of Springs Masonic Lodge # 378 F&AM. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make a memorial donation to the charity of your choice. Arrangements under the direction of STRICKLAND FUNERAL HOME, Crystal River, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/14/2007 - 3/15/2007.

1002. MELLENGER, FRED R., (Obituary No. 1002.) 69 "THE TAX MAN" Ocala - Fred R. Mellenger, age 69, winter resident from Buffalo, NY passed away March 11, 2007. Born June 2, 1937 in Hornell, NY., Fred was a rehabilitation counselor for 35 years, a 25 year volunteer with The United Way, PEF representative, and he enjoyed his family times together, playing the saxophone, piano, and singing in church choirs. Doing tax preparation was his second career. Survived by wife of 41 years, Nancy Mellenger, Buffalo, NY., and his children, Terri (husband Brain) Dunn, Buffalo, NY., David (wife Debby) Mellenger, of NY., Cindy (husband Matt), Scott of Baltimore, MD., brother, Kari (wife Fran) Mellenger of Columbus, SC. Mass will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 15, 2007 Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. Visitation 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., Wednesday, HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the Roswell Institute for Cancer Research, Buffalo, NY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/14/2007 - 3/15/2007.

1003. SQUIERS, VERNON, (Obituary No. 1003.) 73 Ocala - Vernon Squiers of Ocala, Florida, formerly of Dorset, Vermont, passed away on March 11, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Vernon is survived by his wife of 51 years, Leona Hewes Squiers, of Ocala and his son and daughter-in-law, Glenn and Janet, and three grandchildren, Galen, Ian and Quinn Squiers of Dayton, Ohio. He also leaves behind many nieces and nephews. Vernon found great joy in his family, the outdoors and flying with his son in light aircraft. As a young man, he served his
country for 8 years in the US Military as a US Navy Corpsman and US Air Force Health Technician. He was particularly proud of his service with the 5 Marines in Camp Pendleton, Oceanside California. Vernon served as Town Manager of Dorset, Vermont for over 23 years and worked as a barber for over 50 years. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, past patron of the Order of the Eastern Star in Manchester, Vermont, and a member of the American Legion in Cambridge, NY. Vern will be greatly missed by his golfing buddies in Ocala. Vernon placed tremendous value on the education of his grandchildren and his son’s profession as an educator. In lieu of flowers, the family would appreciate memorial contributions made to the Miami Valley School Grandparent Fund (c/o MVS Advancement Office, 5151 Denise Drive, Dayton, OH, 45429). Vern was proud to have been a part of the MVS community for the past 15 years. A celebration of Vernon’s life will take place in Vermont at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/14/2007 - 3/15/2007.

1004. VENTON, CAROLYN ELAINE, (Obituary No. 1004.) 72 Belleview - Carolyn Elaine Venton, known better as Elaine, passed away February 22, 2007 at 4:29 p.m. Elaine was born August 1, 1934 in Valdosta, Georgia but lived in Florida most of her life. She was survived by her husband, James W. Venton, her daughters Debbie Miller (Boca Raton, FL.) and Barbara Gooden (Kingsland, GA), son-in-laws Dennis Miller and David Gooden, grandchildren, Todd, Bree, Kristen, Monica, Eric, Jamie, Heather and Cote, great grandchildren, Dema, Kayla, Jordon, Jayson, Kennedy, Hannah and Hunter. Elaine was preceded in death by her parents Clifford and Thelma Folsom and her son James W. Venton, Jr. Elaine was expecting two more great-grandchildren later this year. Elaine worked throughout her life either for a paycheck or for pleasure. Early years of her life revolved around bookkeeping positions. She was a very creative person and later in life she owned and operated a ceramic shop. Her porcelain dolls earned many awards at doll shows. Her most recent years in Belleview focused on her work at the Moose Lodge. She obtained the highest honors possible and helped others achieve the same. Elaine was a very giving person and was always there for anyone who needed her. Loving Wife, Mother, Grandmother and Great-Grandmother. All will miss her. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/14/2007 - 3/15/2007.

1005. VOGLER, MAX W., (Obituary No. 1005.) 80 Ocala - Mr. Max W. Vogler, 80, passed away on March 11, 2007 at the Legacy House following a courageous battle with cancer. He was a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. He is survived by his wife, Natalie, 3 stepchildren, and 7 step grandchildren. His brother Hans Vogler and sister Erma Lindner both live in the Netherlands. A Dutch citizen, he was born in Indonesia and at the age of 14 was confined for 41/2 years in Japanese the Indonesian prison camps. After release from his imprisonment he proceeded to the Netherlands to expedite his lost schooling. Subsequently he was drafted into the Royal Dutch A.F. and later, according to the Pastor Walter Act, he emigrated to the U.S. as and Indonesian refugee. He advanced as a senior technician through several electronic companies in Ct. and ultimately retired to Ocala, FL. He participated in several sports, excelling in swimming with awards from the Royal Dutch A.F., and state championships in Florida. He became a proud U.S. citizen after retiring to Florida. There will be a memorial service on Monday, March 19, 2007 at 10 a.m. at the Ocala West United Methodist Church with Pastor Ken Kleckner officiating. In lieu of flowers the family suggest donations may be made to the Legacy Hospice House. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/14/2007.
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Family will receive friends one hour prior to time of funeral. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/14/2007.

1007. WINERITER, VIRGINIA ZONARICH, (Obituary No. 1007.) 74 Ocala - Virginia Zonarich Wineriter, 74, died March 12, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born October 9, 1932, the daughter of Nicholas and Anna Zonarich of New Kensington, Virginia was an energetic cheerleader and graduate of New Kensington High School, a devoted homemaker and violinist who previously played with the Houston Civic Symphony and the Washington D.C. Civic Symphony. She and her husband celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary this past February. Virginia and Gayle, a national mediator for the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, lived in Salt Lake City, UT., St. Louis MO., Houston, TX., Honolulu, HI., and Washington, D.C. prior to retiring to their Florida residence. Virginia is survived by her beloved husband Gayle Wineriter, her three cherished sons and their families: Nicholas/Joan of Gaithersburg, MD., Gaylerd/Mary of Keller, TX., and David/Donna of Palatka, FL. She has three grandsons, Steven, Jared and Josh and three granddaughters, Julia, Christina, and Elizabeth and two great grandson. She is also survived by her sisters, Renita Poisnelli of Smithsville, NJ and Ursula/Michael Cossels of Murrells Inlet, SC and their children. Private Memorial services will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/14/2007 - 3/15/2007.

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1008. BAKER, JEMMA A. (SPADAFORA), (Obituary No. 1008.) 77 Ocala FL - Jemma A. (Spadafora) Baker, 77, formerly of Leominster MA, passed away March 7th in Ocala, Florida after a brief illness. She was born April 30, 1929 in Everett MA, daughter of Vincent & Rose (DiMassa) Spadafora, and lived in Leominster until moving to Florida in 1977. She attended Emerson College in Boston and for many years was chief legal assistant and personal secretary to her husband, a former Leominster MA city councillor and attorney for the city with a private law practice in Massachusetts and Florida. Jemma is survived by her husband, Atty. Herbert F. Baker of Ocala FL; a son, Brian Baker and his wife Dianne of Frisco TX; brother Vincent Spadafora of Leominster MA, and grandchildren Shawn Baker, Jaclyn Baker and Logan Eubank. Private services at St. Leo's Cemetery in Leominster will be held at a later date at the family's convenience. Donations in Jemma's memory may be made to Estelle's House, c/o Hospice of
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1010. FOPPIANO, CHARLES S., (Obituary No. 1010.) 82 Ocala - Charles S. Foppiano, a former Brewster resident died at his home in Ocala, FL., Sunday, March 11, 2007 at the age of 82. He was born July 14, 1924 in New York, NY., son of the late Charles A. & Rose (Casella) Foppiano. He attended Bronx Schools and served with the Navy during WWII. Charles worked for the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company for 37 years and retired as a manager from the Millwood, NY store in 1987. On June 4, 1988 he married Maria Ansel in Danbury, CT and moved to FL where he is a active member in the Cherrywood Bowling League & Cherrywood Community. Besides his wife Maria of Ocala he is survived by a son Michael Foppiano of Dobbs Ferry, NY., a daughter Rosemary Feldman of Brewster, NY., five step children, two sisters Louise Murrhee of Ocala, FL., and Grace Schmidt of West Palm, FL., 13 grandchildren, a niece & two nephews. All funeral service will be held in Brewster, NY. Contributions in his memory may be made to Hospice of Marion County Center, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1011. FOUCHE, GEORGE H., (Obituary No. 1011.) 95 Woodbridge, VA - The funeral service for George Fouche has been set for March 17, 2007 at 11 a.m., and will take place at MONEY AND KING VIENNA FUNERAL HOME in Vienna, Virginia. The address for the funeral home is 171 Maple Ave W, Vienna, VA 22180, and the phone number is (703) 938-7440. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Mt. Hope Baptist Church's Building Program to: Mt. Hope Baptist Church, Attn. Lora Wortman, Finance Chairman, 42507 Mt. Hope Road, Ashburn, VA 20148. Please visit www.GeorgeFouche.com to view all of the family photos. George Fouche is survived by his sister, Elizabeth Fouche Simpson Bines of Potomac Falls, Virginia, his three sons, Thomas Fouche of Ocala, Florida, Paul Fouche of Clifton, Virginia, and Calvin Fouche of Stockton, California, as well as his four grandsons, Kevin, David, Jason, and Jonathan. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/10/2007 - 3/15/2007.

1012. FOWLER, AGRA LUCILLE, (Obituary No. 1012.) 92 Ocala - Agra Lucille Fowler, 92, died Tuesday, March 13, 2007. She was born in Arnoldsburg, WV., and moved to Florida 25 years ago from Michigan. She was a retired bookkeeper and secretary and help set up the first computer system for H.J. Heinz Co. in Jacksonville. She is survived by her daughter Nancy Ruth of Summerfield and her son John F. Fowler of Pickney, MI., and also seven grandchildren. Funeral Service will be held on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 10 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Samuel W. Clements officiating. Interment will
be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation Friday from 5 - 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1013. GASKIN, SYLVESTER, (Obituary No. 1013.) 77 Ocala - Sylvester Gaskin, 77, policeman retired, will be held Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 1:30 p.m. at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith with Minister Willie Reynolds, of Gospel Temple of God in Christ conducting the service. Mr. Gaskin was born in Ocala, FL. He was a retired police officer for the city Roselle, NJ. Survivors: 4 nephews, Anthony B. Scott, Jeffery Scott, Ocala, FL., Ike Scott, Lowell, FL., and Larry Scott, Orlando, FL.; 3 nieces Patricia Scott, Tampa, FL., Pamela Cooper, Ocala, FL., and Priscilla Thomas, Norfolk, VA. Service entrusted to "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday, March 16, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home. Saturday in the chapel from 9:30 a.m. until the service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1014. HERRIN, WILLIAM EARL "BILLY", (Obituary No. 1014.) 38 Quincy - William Earl "Billy" Herrin, age 38, of Quincy, Florida died Monday, March 12, 2007. He was an ASE Certified Auto Mechanic for 21 years. He is survived by his father and mother, Mack and Sylvia Herrin of McIntosh, FL; three sisters, Melinda Stein of N.C., Melissa Irwin of CO., and Michelle Sobin of NH.; four nieces and two nephews. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday at Community Holy Church in Quincy, FL. Graveside services will be held Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Centerpoint Cemetery in Boardman. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made in Billy's memory to McIntosh United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 689, McIntosh, FL. 32664. For Further Information WILLIAMS - THOMAS FUNERAL HOME, 352-375-7556. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1015. JOHNSON, JR., LLOYD "TANK" WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 1015.) 62 Evinston - Lloyd "Tank" William Johnson, Jr., 62, died away on March 13, 2007. Funeral Services for Mr. Johnson will be held Sunday, March 18, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Mt. Olive AME Church, Evinston, FL. Burial will be in the Mt. Olive Cemetery. Memories of him are cherished by his wife of 30 years, Victoria Haynes-Johnson; his daughter, Beverly M. Johnson; sisters, Viola Johnson-Benton (Arthur), and Ollie Johnson-Sellers; brother, Robert L. Johnson; aunts, Relia Pye and Eula Batts; sisters-in-law, Florida Haynes-Thomas (Willie) and Mary Haynes; brothers-in-law, Dr. James Haynes (Harriett) and Lawrence Haynes, Jr. (Bertha); and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A Wake Service will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME Chapel on Friday from 6 to 8 p.m. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Johnson's residence (22791 Hwy 441 N. Evinston, FL) at 2:15 p.m. on Sunday to form the Funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Services Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1016. LIGHTBODY, JAMES F. "DUKE", (Obituary No. 1016.) 58 Crystal River, FL - James F. "Duke" Lightbody, age 58, of Crystal River, FL., died Thursday, March 8, 2007 at Seven River Regional Medical Center in Crystal River. Born October 16, 1948 in Pittsburg, PA; to James F. and Helen B. Lightbody, he came to this area 30 years ago from Miami, FL. Mr. Lightbody was the owner of Crystal River Signs and Duke Ad, Inc. He was a U.S. Air Force Veteran and a member of Springs Masonic Lodge 378 F&AM. Survivors include two sons, Jim Lightbody
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1017. MELLENGER, FRED R., (Obituary No. 1017.) 69 "THE TAX MAN" Ocala - Fred R. Mellenger, age 69, winter resident form Buffalo, NY passed away March 11, 2007. Born June 2, 1937 in Hornell, NY., Fred was a rehabilitation counselor for 35 years, a 25 year volunteer with The United Way, PEF representative, and he enjoyed his family times together, playing the saxophone, piano, and singing in church choirs. Doing tax preparation was his second career. Survived by wife of 41 years, Nancy Mellenger, Buffalo, NY., and his children, Terri (husband Brain) Dunn, Buffalo, NY., David (wife Debby) Mellenger, of NY., Cindy (husband Matt), Scott of Baltimore, MD., brother, Kari (wife Fran) Mellenger of Columbus, SC. Mass will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 15, 2007 Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. Visitation 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., Wednesday, HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be mad to the Roswell Institute for Cancer Research, Buffalo, NY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/14/2007 - 3/15/2007.

1018. MYERS, SHANNON ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 1018.) 31 Ocala - Shannon Elizabeth Myers, 31, of Ocala, died Monday, March 12, 2007 at her residence. Ms. Myers was born in Orangeburg, SC., daughter of Donnie Myers and Rhetta Bonnette Myers. She was predeceased by her grandparents, Sampson and Lila Still Myers and Rhodom and Betty Scott Bonnette. She is survived by her parents of St. Augustine, FL., and sister Deanna Myers of Ocala, FL. Memorial services will be Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 2 p.m. at First Baptist Church, 324 N. Fifth St., Jacksonville Beach, FL. Friends may call at the residence of her parents 140 Kingston Dr. (Beachwalk Subdivision) St. Augustine, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1019. PIERCE, CHARLES HENRY "CHUCK", (Obituary No. 1019.) 78 Ocala - Charles Henry "Chuck" Pierce, age 78, of Ocala passed away Tuesday, March 6, 2007 at The Lake City Veteran Hospital. He was born May 13, 1928 in Egan South Dakota. He served in the Army during the Korean Conflict and also The National Guard. He moved to Ocala in 1984 where he was employed by Martin Marietta Aerospace Division where he retired. He is survived by his wife Loretha Pierce, 2 stepsons Patran Jermaine Williams, Ocala, FL., and Michael Antoine Pyrtle, Brockton, MASS., a brother Harold Pierce Goodyear, AZ., 2 sisters Evelyn Schmidt, Kingman, AZ., and Patricia Foreman, Boulder CO., 3 grandchildren Keyana Nichelle Williams, India Ny'Bria Pyrtle and Laila Skye Pyrtle. Funeral service at Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Bushnell, FL., Monday, March 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. Family and friends requested to meet at 9 a.m. at 17 Teak Run, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.
1020. RIVERA-LOPEZ, CARLOS ENRIQUE, (Obituary No. 1020.) 65 Ocala - Carlos Enrique Rivera Lopez, 65, of Ocala, is now on a journey to see his Eternal Father. Born in Bayamon, Puerto Rico, he came to this area in 1984 from Monroe, CT. He was a retired truck driver from Wooten Transportation of Atlanta, GA and also worked for Certified Grocers of Ocala. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus Council #5960. He is survived by his loving wife of 47 years, Donna E. Lopez; son, Charles H. Lopez Jr. of Clearwater and his daughter, Jessica Jean Lopez of Jay, ME; daughter, Michele A. Bourdeau, her husband Mark B. and their children, Gerald L., Ariella P. and Kevin B. Bourdeau all of Oxford, CT; daughter, Renee Marie Martin, her husband James J. Jr. and their children, Melissa Marie Redman, Danielle Renee Redman, Sammanthia Bree Martin, Alexandria C. Martin and Gabriel E. Martin; Shadow, his best friend and loving pet; brother, Juan Antonio Lopez of NJ; sister, Illeana Lopez of VA; step brother, Juan Lopez of CT. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Thursday (March 15th) from 5 - 8 p.m. with a wake service being held at 6 p.m. A Funeral Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church (5 SE 17th St. Ocala) on Friday, March 16th at 11 a.m. with Father Patrick Sheedy as Celebrant. In lieu of Flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Diabetes Assoc. or the DaVita Ocala Regional Kidney Center of Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1021. SMITH, IRENE MAE, (Obituary No. 1021.) 67 Ocala - Irene Mae Smith, 67, of Ocala and formerly of Sarasota, passed away on Sunday, March 11, 2007 at Legacy House in Ocala. A native of Marlborough, MA., Mrs. Smith was a retired licensed practical nurse. Her career led her, upon moving to Ocala, to Hospice of Marion County in Ocala, a position she held since its early days. Survivors include daughter Stephanie Patmalnee of Ocala; son Danny Smith of Switzerland; sons Mike, Chris and Carl Smith, all of Sarasota; brother Frank Stychynsky of Bradenton; 11 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Irene was preceded in death by her husband, Luther M. Smith, Jr. on January 16, 2006. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at the home of Peggy and John Glanden, 2959 53rd Street in Sarasota. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Legacy House Hospice, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL., 34481. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1022. SQUIERS, VERNON, (Obituary No. 1022.) 73 Ocala - Vernon Squiers of Ocala, Florida, formerly of Dorset, Vermont, passed away on March 11, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Vernon is survived by his wife of 51 years, Leona Hewes Squiers, of Ocala and his son and daughter-in-law, Glenn and Janet, and three grandchildren, Galen, Ian and Quinn Squiers of Dayton, Ohio. He also leaves behind many nieces and nephews. Vernon found great joy in his family, the outdoors and flying with his son in light aircraft. As a young man, he served his country for 8 years in the US Military as a US Navy Corpsman and US Air Force Health Technician. he was particularly proud of his service with the 5 Marines in Camp Pendleton, Oceanside California. Vernon served as Town Manager of Dorset, Vermont for over 23 years and worked as a barber for over 50 years. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, past patron of the Order of the Eastern Star in Manchester, Vermont, and a member of the American Legion in Cambridge, NY. Vern will be greatly missed by his golfing buddies in Ocala. Vernon place tremendous value on the education of his grandchildren and his son's profession as an educator. In lieu of flowers, the family would appreciate memorial contributions made to the Miami Valley
School Grandparent Fund (c/o MVS Advancement Office, 5151 Denise Drive, Dayton, OH., 45429). Vernon was proud to have been a part of the MVS community for the past 15 years. A celebration of Vernon's life will take place in Vermont at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/14/2007 - 3/15/2007.

1023. VENTON, CAROLYN ELAINE, (Obituary No. 1023.) 72 Belleview - Carolyn Elaine Venton, known better as Elaine, passed away February 22, 2007 at 4:29 p.m. Elaine was born August 1, 1934 in Valdosta, Georgia but lived in Florida most of her life. She was survived by her husband, James W. Venton, her daughters Debbie Miller (Boca Raton, FL.) and Barbara Gooden (Kingsland, GA), son-in-laws, Dennis Miller and David Gooden, grandchildren, Todd, Bree, Kristen, Monica, Eric, Jamie, Heather and Cote, great grandchildren, Dema, Kayla, Jordon, Jayson, Kennedy, Hannah and Hunter. Elaine was preceded in death by her parents Clifford and Thelma Folsom and her son James W. Venton, Jr. Elaine was expecting two more great-grandchildren later this year. Elaine worked throughout her life either for a paycheck or for pleasure. Early years of her life revolved around bookkeeping positions. She was a very creative person and later in life she owned and operated a ceramic shop. Her porcelain dolls earned many awards at doll shows. Her most recent years in Belleview focused on her work at the Moose Lodge. She obtained the highest honors possible and helped others achieve the same. Elaine was a very giving person and was always there for anyone who needed her. Loving Wife, Mother, Grandmother and Great-Grandmother. All will miss her. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/14/2007 - 3/15/2007.

1024. WILLIAMS, LIBBIE V., (Obituary No. 1024.) 67 Morriston - Libbie V. Williams, 67, housewife, Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at St. Hawthorne Primitive Baptist Church with Rev. Elder Jerald Blue, Pastor conducting the service. Ms. Williams was born in Blitchton, FL to the late Nathaniel and Mable Jackson Williams, Sr., she attended Marion County Public Schools. Survivors: 6 brothers, Algusta and Jesse Williams, Gainesville, FL., Johnnie Williams, Blitchton, FL., Nathaniel Williams, Jr., Miami, FL., Charles Williams, Sr., Daytona Beach, FL., and Jimmy Williams, Tuscaloosa, AL.; 4 sisters, Josephine Williams, Blitchton, FL., Fuesther Givens and Cellestine James, Tallahassee, FL., and Ernestine Williams, Daytona Beach, FL. Interment: Piney Grove Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1025. WINERITER, VIRGINIA ZONARICH, (Obituary No. 1025.) 74 Ocala - Virginia Zonarich Wineriter, 74, died March 12, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born October 9, 1932, the daughter of Nicholas and Anna Zonarich of New Kensington, Virginia was an energetic cheerleader and graduate of New Kensington High School, a devoted homemaker and violinist who previously played with the Houston Civic Symphony and the Washington D.C. Civic Symphony. She and her husband celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary this past February. Virginia and Gayle, a national mediator for the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, lived in Salt Lake City, UT., St. Louis MO., Houston, TX., Honolulu, HI., and Washington, D.C. prior to retiring to their Florida residence. Virginia is survived by her beloved husband Gayle Wineriter, her three cherished sons and their families: Nicholas/Joan of Gaithersburg, MD., Gaylerd/Mary of Keller, TX., and David/Donna of Palatka, FL. She has three grandsons, Steven, Jared and Josh and three granddaughters, Julia, Christina, and Elizabeth
and two great grandson. She is also survived by her sisters, Renita Poisnelli of Smithsville, NJ and Ursula/Michael Cossels of Murrells, Inlet, SC and their children. Private Memorial services will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/14/2007 - 3/15/2007.

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1026. BARTLETT, SHANE TAYLOR, (Obituary No. 1026.) 23 Ocklawaha - Shane Taylor Bartlett, 23, of Ocklawaha, FL, passed away on Sunday March 11, 2007. Shane was the son of Bonnie & John Lohnes, of Ocklawaha, FL and the late Frederick Bartlett, of Dunstable, MA. Shane was born in Lynn, MA on June 20, 1983. He graduated from North Middlesex, High School, in Townsend, MA in 2002 and moved to Ocklawaha, FL in 2003. Shane was an articulate, fun-loving and spirited young man. He was a passionate fan of The Boston Red Sox and The New England Patriots. He had a profound passion for "his music". Other survivors include: Shane's "Love", Sarah Osburne and his "Little Princess" Aurora Osburne, of Ocala FL; his daughter, Cayleigh Sherwood, of Pepperell, MA; two brothers Billy-Jon Masters, of Orlando, FL., and Donald Mark Masters of Peabody, MA; Grandparents, "Grammy Joan" and "Grampy Joe" Staveley, of Dunstable, MA; "Gram" Lorraine Bona, of Silver Springs, FL; Great-Grandmother, "Grammy Kay" Taylor, of Juno Beach; Aunts, Uncles, cousins. And many other's in Massachusetts. A service will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday March 18, 2007 by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home in Belleview Florida 5946 S.E. Robinson Road. 352-245-2424. Flower Arrangements entrusted to HIERS BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME. The Family is inviting Friends to visit at their home after the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1027. BEAUDOIN, CECILE A. "CEIL", (Obituary No. 1027.) 75 Ocala - Cecile A. "Ceil" Beaudoin, 75, of Ocala, passed away on Tuesday, March 13, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Rochester, NH., she came here in 1992 from Ft. Myers and was a lifelong homemaker. Mrs. Beaudoin graces the Volunteer Wall of Honor at Munroe Regional, having served as a volunteer for the past ten years. Ceil was a parishioner at Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church in Ocala. She is survived by her husband of more than 56 years, Donald of Ocala; daughter Donnalee Beaudoin of Eustis; son Jay Beaudoin of New Port Richey; son Gary Beaudoin of Sanford, ME.; two sisters Yvette Allard of Deland and Jeanette Richardson of Dover, NH; brother Maurice Bedard of Rochester; NH; grandchildren Jeff, Adam, Jill, Lee, Christina, Kyle, and Shaina and one great grandson Mitchel. She was preceded in death by a grandchild, the Late Daniel Crawford, in 1994. Friends will be received on Sunday, March 18, 2007 from 2 - 5 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME; Ocala. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Monday, March 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. from Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church with Fr. Andrew Mallick, Celebrant. Entombment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1028. CIVIL, GEORGE CLIFFORD, (Obituary No. 1028.) 68 Lake Butler - George Clifford Civil passed away on March 8, 2007 at Lake Butler, Florida. He was born on November 15, 1938 in Sparr, Florida to his parents, Stephen Ephraim and Ruby M. Civil. He attended school in Anthony, Florida. He worked most of his live as an electrician. He served with the 101st Airborne Army. He is preceded in death by both of his parents, one brother, Franklin and one
sister, Ethel. He is survived by two brothers, Charles of Baton Rouge, LA. and Robert of Canyon, TX.; and one sister, Dorothy of Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1029. COZIER, KEITH C., (Obituary No. 1029.) 55 Ocala - Keith C. Cozier, age 55, passed away March 11, 2007 at his residence. Born August 8, 1951, in Brooklyn, NY., he moved to Ocala in 1990 from Islip, LI., NY. Keith was a US Army Veteran and a heating and air condition technician employed with Sears for the last 11 years. Survivors include his wife, of 20 years, Pattie Cozier, children Keith Cozier, Kristy Cozier, Shane Cozier and Michael Cozier, step-children Danny Robson, Scott Robson, and Loretta Robson, sister Christine Calderon all of New York, brother Stephen Cozier of FL., three grandchildren and one step grandson. Hobbies included golf, the "Gators", playing Play Station II, and Jeff Gordon. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Monday, March 19, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be from Noon to 3 p.m. and 5 - 7 p.m., with cremation to follow. www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1030. FABER, JOYCE DIANE TWIBELL, (Obituary No. 1030.) 62 Franklin, NC - Joyce Diane Twibell Faber, 62, of Franklin, passed away Wednesday, March 14, 2007. A native of San Diego, CA, she was the daughter of the late Max and Pearl Coburn Twibell. Joyce was Director of Sanitation Dept. for the City of Boca Raton, FL. She is survived by her husband of 21 years, Gerald Faber; step son, Anthony Faber and wife Chris of Wisconsin; brother, Mike Twibell of Macon, GA; three grandchildren, Andrew, Emily and Kaitlyn. No Services are planned. Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, PO Box 1648, Franklin, NC 28744. Macon Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Online condolences available www.maconfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1031. FOPPIANO, CHARLES S., (Obituary No. 1031.) 82 Ocala - Charles S. Foppiano, a former Brewster resident died at his home in Ocala, FL., Sunday, March 11, 2007 at the age of 82. He was born July 14, 1924 in New York, NY., son of the late Charles A. & Rose (Casella) Foppiano. He attended Bronx Schools and served with the Navy during WWII. Charles worked for the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company for 37 years and retired as a manager from the Millwood, NY store in 1987. On June 4, 1988 he married Maria Ansel in Danbury, CT and moved to FL where he is a active member in the Cherrywood Bowling League & Cherrywood Community. Besides his wife Maria of Ocala he is survived by a son Michael Foppiano of Dobbs Ferry, NY., a daughter Rosemary Feldman of Brewster, NY., five step children, two sisters Louise Murhhee of Ocala, FL., and Grace Schmidt of West Palm, FL., 13 grandchildren, a niece & two nephews. All funeral service will be held in Brewster, NY. Contributions in his memory may be made to Hospice of Marion County Center, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1032. FOREE, ROBERT JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 1032.) 79 Ocala - Robert Joseph Foree, 79, of Ocala, died March 14, 2007 at Hospice's Estelle House, Ocala. Born in Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Foree served in the US Army from 1950-1952, became an expert upholsterer owning his own upholstery business and retired to the Ocala area several years ago. He is survived by a twin brother, Richard Foree of Monticello, FL and a nephew, Skip Foree of Arvada, CO. He leaves behind his loving companion of many years, Juanita Hoppes. He will be interred at Florida
1033. FOWLER, AGRA LUCILLE, (Obituary No. 1033.) 92 Ocala - Agra Lucille Fowler, 92, died Tuesday, March 13, 2007. She was born in Arnoldsburg, WV., and moved to Florida 25 years ago from Michigan. She was a retired bookkeeper and secretary and help set up the first computer system for H.J. Heinz Co. in Jacksonville. She is survived by her daughter Nancy Ruth of Summerfield and her son John F. Fowler of Pickney, MI., and also seven grandchildren.

Funeral Service will be held on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 10 a.m. at HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Samuel W. Clements officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation Friday from 5 - 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1034. GASKIN, SYLVESTER, (Obituary No. 1034.) 77 Ocala - Sylvester Gaskin, 77, policeman retired, will be held Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 1:30 p.m. at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith with Minister Willie Reynolds, of Gospel Temple of God in Christ conducting the service. Mr. Gaskin was born in Ocala, FL. He was a retired police officer for the city Roselle, NJ. Survivors: 4 nephews, Anthony B. Scott, Jeffery Scott, Ocala, FL., Ike Scott, Lowell, FL., and Larry Scott, Orlando, FL.; 3 nieces Patricia Scott, Tampa, FL., Pamela Cooper, Ocala, FL., and Priscilla Thomas, Norfolk, VA. Service entrusted to "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday, March 16, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home. Saturday in the chapel from 9:30 a.m. until the service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

1035. HART, EDWARD "ED", (Obituary No. 1035.) 75 Ocala - Ed Hart, age 75 passed away Wednesday, March 14, 2007 at his residence. Born in Knoxville May 25, 1931 he moved to Ocala in 1978 from Concord, TN. Ed retired from dairy farming in TN., where he served on several agricultural and dairy boards in East TN. He semi-retired to Ocala and worked for Gates Bait & Tackle Shop for 21 years. Survived by his loving wife of 36 years, Doris L. Hart of Ocala, two daughters Deborah H. Aiello of Mars Hill, NC., and Sherrod H. Brady of Weaverville, NC., and five grandchildren Elizabeth, Matthew, Michael, Joseph, and Luke. Preceded in death by his son Joseph David Hart. A Celebration of Life service will be at 4 p.m. Sunday, March 18, 2007 at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 1839 NE 8th Avenue Road, Ocala with Pastor Dan Jones officiating. Memorial contributions may be to made to St. Mark's United Methodist Church. HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., 32670. www.hier-baxley.com is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1036. HERRIN, WILLIAM EARL "BILLY", (Obituary No. 1036.) 38 Quincy - William Earl "Billy" Herrin, age 38, of Quincy, Florida died Monday, March 12, 2007. He was an ASE Certified Auto Mechanic for 21 years. He is survived by his father and mother, Mack and Sylvia Herrin of McIntosh, FL; three sisters, Melinda Stein of N.C., Melissa Irwin of CO., and Michelle Sobin of NH.; four nieces and two nephews. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday at Community Holy Church in Quincy, FL. Graveside services will be held Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Centerpoint Cemetery in Boardman. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made in Billy's memory to McIntosh United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 689, McIntosh, FL.
JOHNSON, JR., LLOYD "TANK" WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 1037.) 62 Evinston - Lloyd "Tank" William Johnson, Jr., 62, died away on March 13, 2007. Funeral Services for Mr. Johnson will be held Sunday, March 18, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Mt. Olive AME Church, Evinston, FL. Burial will be in the Mt. Olive Cemetery. Memories of him are cherished by his wife of 30 years, Victoria Haynes-Johnson; his daughter, Beverly M. Johnson; sisters, Viola Johnson-Floyd, Margaret Johnson-Benton (Arthur), and Ollie Johnson-Sellers; brother, Robert L. Johnson; aunts, Relia Pye and Eula Batts; sisters-in-law, Florida Haynes-Thomas (Willie) and Mary Haynes; brothers-in-law, Dr. James Haynes (Harriett) and Lawrence Haynes, Jr. (Bertha); and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A Wake Service will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME Chapel on Friday from 6 to 8 p.m. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Johnson's residence (22791 Hwy 441 N, Evinston, FL) at 2:15 p.m. on Sunday to form the Funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Services Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

LAFFERTY, MARGARET ANN, (Obituary No. 1038.) 83 Ocala - Margaret Ann Lafferty, age 83, of Ocala, passed away March 14, 2007 at Legacy House in Ocala. She was born in Winona, WV. and was a candy store manager. She is survived by her husband, of 68 years of marriage, Jessie Lafferty of Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

MAYS, JR., WESLEY, (Obituary No. 1039.) 77 Ocala - Wesley Mays Jr., 77 passed away on March 12, 2007. He was a United State Army Veteran and a friend to many. He leaves to cherish his memories his wife Carolyn Mays, son Wesley Mays III, daughters Althea Howard, Staretha Mays, Louise Johnson, Rebecca Shropshire, and Malissa Ward. Funeral Services will be on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Great new Bethel Baptist Church with Pastor Dennis Hagins Sr., presiding. Visitation will be Friday 12 noon until 7 p.m. Arrangements entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

MYERS, SHANNON ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 1040.) 31 Ocala - Shannon Elizabeth Myers, 31, of Ocala, died Monday, March 12, 2007 at her residence. Ms. Myers was born in Orangeburg, SC., daughter of Donnie Myers and Rhetta Bonnette Myers. She was predeceased by her grandparents, Sampson and Lila Still Myers and Rhodom and Betty Scott Bonnette. She is survived by her parents of St. Augustine, FL., and sister Deanna Myers of Ocala, FL. Memorial services will be Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 2 p.m. at First Baptist Church, 324 N. Fifth St., Jacksonville Beach, FL. Friends may call at the residence of her parents 140 Kingston Dr. (Beachwalk Subdivision) St. Augustine, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

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1043. SMITH, IRENE MAE, (Obituary No. 1043.) 67 Ocala - Irene Mae Smith, 67, of Ocala and formerly of Sarasota, passed away on Sunday, March 11, 2007 at Legacy House in Ocala. A native of Marlborough, MA., Mrs. Smith was a retired licensed practical nurse. Her career led her, upon moving to Ocala, to Hospice of Marion County in Ocala, a position she held since its early days. Survivors include daughter Stephanie Patmalnee of Ocala; son Danny Smith of Switzerland; sons Mike, Chris and Carl Smith, all of Sarasota; brother Frank Stychynsky of Bradenton; 11 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Irene was preceded in death by her husband, Luther M. Smith, Jr. on January 16, 2006. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at the home of Peggy and John Glanden, 2959 53rd Street in Sarasota. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Legacy House Hospice, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL., 34481. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

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Williams was born in Blitchton, FL to the late Nathaniel and Mable Jackson Williams, Sr., she attended Marion County Public Schools. Survivors: 6 brothers, Algusta and Jesse Williams, Gainesville, FL., Johnnie Williams, Blitchton, FL., Nathaniel Williams, Jr., Miami, FL., Charles Williams, Sr., Daytona Beach, FL., and Jimmy Williams, Tuscaloosa, AL.; 4 sisters, Josephine Williams, Blitchton, FL., Fuesther Givens and Cellestine James, Tallahassee, FL., and Ernestine Williams, Daytona Beach, FL. Interment: Piney Grove Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/16/2007.

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1045. BARTLETT, SHANE TAYLOR (Obituary No. 1045.), 23 Ocklawaha - Shane Taylor Bartlett, 23, of Ocklawaha, FL, passed away on Sunday March 11, 2007. Shane was the son of Bonnie & John Lohnes, of Ocklawaha, FL and the late Frederick Bartlett, of Dunstable, MA. Shane was born in Lynn, MA on June 20, 1983. He graduated from North Middlesex, High School, in Townsend, MA in 2002 and moved to Ocklawaha, FL in 2003. Shane was an articulate, fun-loving and spirited young man. He was a passionate fan of The Boston Red Sox and The New England Patriots. He had a profound passion for "his music". Other survivors include: Shane's "Love", Sarah Osburne and his "Little Princess" Aurora Osburne, of Ocala FL; his daughter, Cayleigh Sherwood, of Pepperell, MA; two brothers Billy-Jon Masters, of Orlando, FL., and Donald Mark Masters of Peabody, MA; Grandparents, "Grammy Joan" and "Grampy Joe" Staveley, of Dunstable, MA; "Gram" Lorraine Bona, of Silver Springs, FL; Great-Grandmother, "Grammy Kay" Taylor, of Juno Beach; Aunts, Uncles, cousins. And many other's in Massachusetts. A service will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday March 18, 2007 by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home in Belleview Florida 5946 S.E. Robinson Road. 352-245-2424 Flower Arrangements entrusted to HIERS BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME. The Family is inviting Friends to visit at their home after the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1046. BEAUDOIN, CECILE A. "CEIL" (Obituary No. 1046.), 75 Ocala - Cecile A. "Ceil" Beaudoin, 75, of Ocala, passed away on Tuesday, March 13, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Rochester, NH., she came here in 1992 from Ft. Myers and was a lifelong homemaker. Mrs. Beaudoin graces the Volunteer Wall of Honor at Munroe Regional, having served as a volunteer for the past ten years. Ceil was a parishioner at Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church in Ocala. She is survived by her husband of more than 56 years, Donald of Ocala; daughter Donnalee Beaudoin of Eustis; son Jay Beaudoin of New Port Richey; son Gary Beaudoin of Sanford, ME.; two sisters Yvette Allard of Deland and Jeannette Richardson of Dover, NH; brother Maurice Bedard of Rochester; NH; grandchildren Jeff, Adam, Jill, Lee, Christina, Kyle, and Shaina and one great grandson Mitchel. She was preceded in death by a grandchild, the Late Daniel Crawford, in 1994. Friends will be received on Sunday, March 18, 2007 from 2 - 5 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME; Ocala. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Monday, March 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. from Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church with Fr. Andrew Mallick, Celebrant. Entombment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.
1047. BOSTWICK, JOHN (JACK) (Obituary No. 1047.), 83 Ocala - John L. Bostwick, 83 died March 15, 2007. Born in Corning, NY April 26, 1923. During WWII, John served in the Ninety Fourth Naval Construction Battalion (the Seabees) and was a member of a special force called the Underwater Demolitions Team (UDT), which later became the SEALs. With the UDT team, John cleared the beaches of Guam and Midway for the US Navy's approach. Sunk at sea on several occasions and wounded in combat, John spent the majority of his service with the Navy in the SouthPacific. John had a long successful career at Ingersoll-Rand in Painted Post, NY, where he served in a number of management positions, and retiring from the position of Manager of Training and Development. He was also an adjunct professor at Cornell University in the college of Labor and Industrial Relations. Survived by his loving wife of 61 years, Marcia (Wilson), children - William of Geneseo; Larry and Julie of Spokane, WA.; John M. and Julie Bostwick of Corning, NY; and Barbara and Roger Van Houten of Bellevue, WA.; eight grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, those wishing may contribute to his memory to Hospice of Marion County, Ocala, FL who provided wonderful care, and to whom the family is very grateful. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/17/2007 - 3/18/2007.

1048. CIVIL, GEORGE CLIFFORD (Obituary No. 1048.), 68Lake Butler - George Clifford Civil passed away on March 8, 2007 at Lake Butler, Florida. He was born on November 15, 1938 in Sparr, Florida to his parents, Stephen Ephraim and Ruby M. Civil. He attended school in Anthony, Florida. He worked most of his live as an electrician. He served with the 101st Airborne Army. He is preceded in death by both of his parents, one brother, Franklin and one sister, Ethel. He is survived by two brothers, Charles of Baton Rouge, LA. and Robert of Canyon, TX.; and one sister, Dorothy of Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/13/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1049. COZIER, KEITH C. (Obituary No. 1049.), 55 Ocala - Keith C. Cozier, age 55, passed away March 11, 2007 at his residence. Born August 8, 1951, in Brooklyn, NY., he moved to Ocala in 1990 from Islip, LI., NY. Keith was a US Army Veteran and a heating and air condition technician employed with Sears for the last 11 years. Survivors include his wife, of 20 years, Pattie Cozier, children Keith Cozier, Kristy Cozier, Shane Cozier and Michael Cozier, step-children Danny Robson, Scott Robson, and Loretta Robson, sister Christine Calderon all of New York, brother Stephen Cozier of FL., three grandchildren and one step grandson. Hobbies included golf, the "Gators", playing Play Station II, and Jeff Gordon. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Monday, March 19, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be from Noon to 3 p.m. and 5 - 7 p.m., with cremation to follow. www.hiers-baxley.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1050. CROUTCHER, ROBERT LEONARD (Obituary No. 1050.), 79 Ocala - Mr. Robert L. Croucher, 79 passed away on March 15, 2007. He was born in Bloomington, IL on March 28, 1927. He is a retired accountant with Illinois DOT. He is a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in Ocala. He moved here in 2001 from Springfield, IL. He is preceded in death by two grandchildren Carter and Ariel Swearingen also his parents Leonard and Lorretta Crouther. He is survived by his loving wife Mabel of 51 years of Ocala, FL. A son Larry Croucher of Ocoee, FL. A daughter Lisa Swearingen of Bloomington, IL., two Grandchildren, Robert E. Croucher of Springfield, IL and Rachael Swearingen of Bloomfield, IL.; a brother

1051. DAGGETT, MARTHA BALL (Obituary No. 1051.), 81 Ocala - Martha Ball Daggett, 81 passed away March 16th under Hospice Care. She was born in Bradford, PA and moved to Ocala from Ft. Myers in 1979. She was an active member of Grace Presbyterian Church and enjoyed entertaining church members as well as friends and families with her home cooked meals. She had an uncanny way of drawing people to herself and making them feel like they had known her forever. Martha is predeceased by her husband of 54 years William Daggett and sister Betty Blaisdell of Bradford PA. She is survived by her son, Robert Daggett, daughter Joan Sabula and adopted son Donald Kruse all of Ocala. Grandchildren Claud and Kristin Allegood, Matthew and Melissa Sabula of Raleigh, NC and Mark and Julie Bennett of Rochester. Sister Isabel Emrich of Raleigh, Richard and Phyllis Daggett of Ocala and many nieces and nephew. A memorial service will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church, 2255 SE 38th St., Ocala on Monday, March 19th at 2PM. Martha will be greatly missed by her friends and family, but they all rejoice that she is now in the arms of her Savior, Jesus Christ. Donations may be made in her memory to Harvest International to PO Box 6690 Ocala, FL 34478-6690. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/17/2007 - 3/19/2007.

1052. FABER, JOYCE DIANE TWIBELL (Obituary No. 1052.), 62 Franklin, NC - Joyce Diane Twibell Faber, 62, of Franklin, passed away Wednesday, March 14, 2007. A native of San Diego, CA, she was the daughter of the late Max and Pearl Coburn Twibell. Joyce was Director of Sanitation Dept. for the City of Boca Raton, FL. She is survived by her husband of 21 years, Gerald Faber; step son, Anthony Faber and wife Chris of Wisconsin; brother, Mike Twibell of Macon, GA; three grandchildren, Andrew, Emily and Kaitlyn. No Services are planned. Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, PO Box 1648, Franklin, NC 28744. Macon Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Online condolences available www.maconfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1053. FOREE, ROBERT JOSEPH (Obituary No. 1053.), 79 Ocala - Robert Joseph Foree, 79, of Ocala, died March 14, 2007 at Hospice's Estelle House, Ocala. Born in Brooklyn, New York, Mr. Foree served in the US Army from 1950-1952, became an expert upholsterer owning his own upholstery business and retired to the Ocala area several years ago. He is survived by a twin brother, Richard Foree of Monticello, FL and a nephew, Skip Foree of Arvada, CO. He leaves behind his loving companion of many years, Juanita Hoppes. He will be interred at Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1054. HART, EDWARD "ED" (Obituary No. 1054.), 75 Ocala - Ed Hart, age 75 passed away Wednesday, March 14, 2007 at his residence. Born in Knoxville May 25, 1931 he moved to Ocala in 1978 from Concord, TN. Ed retired from dairy farming in TN., where he served on several agricultural and dairy boards in East TN. He semi-retired to Ocala and worked for Gates Bait & Tackle Shop for 21 years. Survived by his loving wife of 36 years, Doris L. Hart of Ocala, two daughters Deborah H. Aiello of Mars Hill, NC., and Sherrod H. Brady of Weaverville, NC., and five grandchildren Elizabeth, Matthew, Michael, Joseph, and Luke.
Preceded in death by his son Joseph David Hart. A Celebration of Life service will be at 4 p.m. Sunday, March 18, 2007 at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 1839 NE 8th Avenue Road, Ocala with Pastor Dan Jones officiating. Memorial contributions may be to made to St. Mark's United Methodist Church. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., 32670. www.hier-baxley.com is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1055. HERRIN, WILLIAM EARL "BILLY" (Obituary No. 1055.), 38 Quincy - William Earl "Billy" Herrin, age 38, of Quincy, Florida died Monday, March 12, 2007. He was an ASE Certified Auto Mechanic for 21 years. He is survived by his father and mother, Mack and Sylvia Herrin of McIntosh, FL; three sisters, Melinda Stein of N.C., Melissa Irwin of CO., and Michelle Sobin of NH.; four nieces and two nephews. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday at Community Holy Church in Quincy, FL. Graveside services will be held Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Centerpoint Cemetery in Boardman. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made in Billy's memory to McIntosh United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 689, McIntosh, FL. 32664. For Further Information WILLIAMS - THOMAS FUNERAL HOME, 352-375-7556. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1056. JOHNSON, JR., LLOYD "TANK" WILLIAM (Obituary No. 1056.), 62 Evinston - Lloyd "Tank" William Johnson, Jr., 62, passed away on March 13, 2007. Funeral Services for Mr. Johnson will be held Sunday, March 18, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Mt. Olive AME Church, Evinston, FL. Burial will be in the Mt. Olive Cemetery. Memories of him are cherished by his wife of 30 years, Victoria Haynes-Johnson; his daughter, Beverly M. Johnson; sisters, Viola Johnson-Floyd, Margaret Johnson-Benton (Arthur), and Ollie Johnson-Sellers; brother, Robert L. Johnson; aunts, Relia Pye and Eula Batts; sisters-in-law, Florida Haynes-Thomas (Willie) and Mary Haynes; brothers-in-law, Dr. James Haynes (Harriett) Lawrence Haynes, Jr. (Bertha), and Maurice Haynes; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A Wake Service will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME Chapel on Friday from 6 to 8 p.m Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Johnson's residence (22791 Hwy 441 N. Evinston, FL) at 2:15 p.m. on Sunday to form the Funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Services Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/15/2007 - 3/18/2007.

1057. KING, GASTON EARL (Obituary No. 1057.), 61 Asheville, NC - Mr. Gaston Earl King, 61 of Dublin died March 12, 2007 at the VA Medical Center. He was preceded in death by his parents, Earl Emerson and Madelyne King. Funeral will be held on Saturday at 11AM at Dublin First Baptist Church with Rev. Cameron McGill officiating. Burial will follow in the Allen Cemetery. Visitation will be held 1 hour prior to the service at the church. Survivors include 2 daughters, Madalyn King of Asheville, NC and Alyssa King of Ocala, FL. and a son, Emerson King of Heathrow, FL. Donations may be made to the charity of ones choice. Online condolences may be made to www.KinlawFuneralHome.com A Kinlaw service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/17/2007 - 3/18/2007.

1058. LAFFERTY, MARGARET ANN (Obituary No. 1058.), 83 Ocala - Margaret Ann Lafferty, age 83, of Ocala, passed away March 14, 2007 at Legacy House in Ocala. She was born in Winona, WV. and was a candy store manager. She is survived by her husband, of 68 years of
1059. MAYS, JR., WESLEY (Obituary No. 1059.), 77 Ocala - Wesley Mays Jr., 77 passed away on March 12, 2007. He was a United State Army Veteran and a friend to many. He leaves to cherish his memories his wife Carolyn Mays, son Wesley Mays III, daughters Althea Howard, Staretha Mays, Louise Johnson, Rebecca Shropshire, and Malissa Ward. Funeral Services will be on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Great new Bethel Baptist Church with Pastor Dennis Hagins Sr., presiding. Visitation will be Friday 12 noon until 7 p.m. Arrangements entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/16/2007 - 3/17/2007.

1060. PELLETIER, CHARLES A. (Obituary No. 1060.), 100 Ocala - Charles A. Pelletier, 100 died March 15, 2007. He was born November 11, 1906 in Sanford, ME. He moved to Ocala from St. Petersburg, FL. He lived at Quiet Oaks Assisted Living and was a member of the Gentlemen's Club and was their champion checker player. Charles was predeceased by four sisters and survived by many nieces and nephews. His nephew Raymond Beloin was his caretaker. He was a member of Queen of Peace Church, a WWII Army Veteran and a volunteer at Bay Pines Veterans Hospital in St. Pete for over 25 years. He belonged to the VFW and DAV there. His friends at Quiet Oaks, where he was very happy will miss him dearly. Memorial Mass at Queen of Peace, Thursday, March 22 at 8:30AM. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/17/2007 - 3/18/2007.

1061. STRASSER, THELMA, (Obituary No. 1061.) 87 Ocala - Mrs. Thelma Strasser, 87, passed away March 15 at her home. Thelma was born in Chicago to George and Ruby Murten. She is survived by 2 daughters, Barbara Armstrong and Carol Schawel and son-in-law Dennis Schawel, grandchildren Deborah, Mark, Robin and Kyle. Along with great grandchildren Andrew, Sabina, Rachel, Jeremy, Matthew and Luca as well as sisters Georgette Burroughs, and Leila MacDonald. She was preceeded in death by her husband Henry, grandson Brian Armstrong, and sisters Esther Trier and Shirley Schmidt. Services will be held in Illinois at a later date. Donations may be made in Thelma's memory to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or St. John's Lutheran Church, Ocala, FL 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/17/2007 - 3/18/2007.

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1065. GOETZ, EDWARD FRANCIS, (Obituary No. 1065.) 94 Ocala - Edward Francis Goetz, 94, died Friday, March 16, 2007. He was born in New York City and moved to Ormond Beach in 1973 and then to Ocala in 1978. He attended Columbia University for two years and worked for Borden, Inc. from 1929 until his retirement in 1974. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Church, National Civil Defense League and a lifetime member of the Marine Corps League. He served almost fifteen years in the Marine Corps, achieving the rank of Master Sergeant and served in WWII from 1941-1946, the Korean War from 1950-1956 and the Marine Corps Reserves until his retirement in 1970. He was preceded in death by his wife Helen M. Goetz in 1994. He is survived by his sister, Sister Domenica Goetz of New York, sister-in-law, Nancy Marlin of Long Island, NY and his friend and guardian Ray J. Musleh of Ocala. A funeral mass
will be held on Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Church with Father Jean Desir officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery with full military honors. Visitation at the church on Tuesday from 9:30 to 10:00 a.m. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.

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1068. LEVOY, IRENE, (Obituary No. 1068.) 95 Princess Anne, MD - Ms. Irene Levoy, 95, formerly of Ocala, FL, passed away on March 16, 2007 in Coastal Hospice at the Lake in Salisbury, MD. She was born in West Virginia on Dec. 16, 1911. She was a daughter of the late Theodore and Bertha Newell. She was predeceased by her husband Edward Levoy and five children (Donald Levoy, Raymond Levoy, Oren Levoy, Shirley Orona and Sally Neff). Ms. Levoy was a homemaker who loved shopping, crocheting and needlepoint. She will be fondly remembered at Trinity Villa in Ocala where she was a resident for many years. She is survived by a granddaughter Susan Ward and her friend Jimmy Fitzgerald of Princess Anne, MD; a sister Hazel Sullivan of Unadilla, NY; three daughter-in-laws Darlene Levoy of Port Ritchie, FL, Nellie Levoy of Unadilla, NY and Judy Thomas of Texas; two great-grandchildren Niccole Carew and Shirley Ward. Also survived by other grandchildren, great-grandchildren, cousins, nieces and nephews. Friends may visit from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Wed., March 21, 2007 at ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Funeral services will follow at 1:00 p.m. Interment will be held in Forest Lawn Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.
1069. MASON, JR., WILLIAM CAMERON "CAMMY", (Obituary No. 1069.) 80 Fairfield - William Cameron "Cammy" Mason, Jr., 80, of Fairfield, died peacefully at home March 16, 2007, surrounded by his loving family following an extended illness. He was born February 2, 1927 in Jacksonville, FL and has been a resident of Marion County for 78 years. He is survived by his devoted wife of 50 years Carla June; his daughter Lori Ann and fiancé Kenneth Walton of St. Petersburg; and his son Andrew and wife Debbie of Apollo Beach. He is predeceased by his son William Cameron "Billy" Mason, III. Cammy was a member and Elder of Fairfield Presbyterian Church where he was known for storytelling during the Joys and Concerns. He served in the US Navy during WWII. Cammy was a farmer and truck driver. He loved family, friends, animals, big band music, Ford pickups and Oldsmobiles. The family expresses its sincere gratitude to Dr. William F. Dresen and his staff. A memorial service will be 2 p.m. Friday, March 23, 2007, at Fairfield Presbyterian Church with Rev. Neil Howard officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Fairfield Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 834, Fairfield, FL 32634 in his memory. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.

1070. OPEL, MILTON CARL, (Obituary No. 1070.) 81 Ocala - Milton Carl Opel, age 81, of Ocala, Florida, died March 15, 2007 at Kindred Hospital in Ocala, Florida. He was born on July 11, 1925 in Adams, Ohio to Carl P. and Florence Ann (McNutt) Opel. He moved to Ocala in 1971 from Tecumseh, Michigan. He was a retired Machinist for Tecumseh Products in Tecumseh, Michigan and a WWII Army Veteran. Milton was the Past Commander of the VFW Post 10111 of Silver Springs, Florida. He was preceded in death by his wife Shirley Opel in 1997. He is survived by four children Dawn Sweeney, Chris Opel and Ronald Opel, all of Ocala, Florida and Kim Noble of Dexter, Missouri; one sister Vera Rockwell of Ann Arbor, Michigan; six grandchildren Ashley Sweeney, Nichole Sweeney, Amanda Sweeney, Ronald Opel, Robin Opel and Frances Opel; and one great grandson Garrett Hourigan. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.

1071. PARKER, ALLAN FRANCIS, (Obituary No. 1071.) 73 Ocala - Allan Francis Parker, 73, entered into eternal life on March 15, 2006. He was born in Spencer, MA and was a retired Analyst in Computer Information Systems. He was a member of Cross Pointe Church of Ocala. He is survived by his loving wife Susan, Ocala, FL; son Gary Parker, Frederick, MD; daughters Melissa H. Parker, Ocala, FL; Amanda E. Parker, Jacksonville, FL; Debbie Dral, Princeton, MA; Donna Tougas, Westfield, MA; Kathy Boucher, Warren, MA; sister Elaine Fahey, East Brookfield, MA; brother David Parker, Bradford, VT; and seven grandchildren, Justin, Erik, Lauren, Mark, Travis, Spencer and Holly. Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, March 24, 2007 at 1:30PM at College Road Baptist Church, Ocala FL with Pastor Mickey Graves officiating. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.

1072. PELLETIER, CHARLES A., (Obituary No. 1072.) 100 Ocala - Charles A. Pelletier, 100 died March 15, 2007. He was born November 11, 1906 in Sanford, ME. He moved to Ocala from St. Petersburg, FL. He lived at Quiet Oaks Assisted Living and was a member of the Gentlemen's Club and was their champion checker player. Charles was predeceased by four sisters and survived by many nieces and nephews. His nephew Raymond Beloin was his
caretaker. He was a member of Queen of Peace Church, a WWII Army Veteran and a volunteer at Bay Pines Veterans Hospital in St. Pete for over 25 years. He belonged to the VFW and DAV there. His friends at Quiet Oaks, where he was very happy will miss him dearly. Memorial Mass at Queen of Peace, Thursday, March 22 at 8:30AM. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/17/2007 - 3/18/2007.

1073. STATLER, GEORGE, "UNCLE GEORGE", (Obituary No. 1073.) 90 Ocala - George "Uncle George" Statler, 90, passed away March 16, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Johnstown, PA. He was a drama, english and speech professor at CFCC and started the drama department and was responsible for designing the theater there. He was a U.S. Army veteran of WWII and received two Purple Hearts. He is survived by Elissa "Cathy" Statler his wife of 15 years, a daughter Jan Davis of Ocala, a son Geoff Statler of Del Ray Beach, FL, two stepsons David Hebbe of Sanford, FL, Michael Hebbe of Ft. Myers, FL, and a stepdaughter Laurie Early of New York, NY, seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. There will be a gathering for family and friends from 4 to 6 p.m. on Monday, March 19, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.

1074. STRASSER, THELMA, (Obituary No. 1074.) 87 Ocala - Mrs. Thelma Strasser, 87, passed away March 15 at her home. Thelma was born in Chicago to George and Ruby Murten. She is survived by 2 daughters, Barbara Armstrong and Carol Schawel and son-in-law Dennis Schawel, grandchildren Deborah, Mark, Robin and Kyle. Along with great grandchildren Andrew, Sabina, Rachel, Jeremy, Matthew and Luca as well as sisters Georgette Burroughs, and Leila MacDonald. She was preceeded in death by her husband Henry, grandson Brian Armstrong, and sisters Esther Trier and Shirley Schmidt. Services will be held in Illinois at a later date. Donations may be made in Thelma's memory to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or St. John's Lutheran Church, Ocala, FL 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/17/2007 - 3/18/2007.

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1075. CROUTCHER, ROBERT LEONARD, (Obituary No. 1075.) 79 Ocala - Mr. Robert L. Croucher, 79 passed away on March 15, 2007. He was born in Bloomington, IL on March 28, 1927. He is a retired accountant with Illinois DOT. He is a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in Ocala. He moved here in 2001 from Springfield, IL. He is preceded in death by two grandchildren Carter and Ariel Swearingen also his parents Leonard and Lorretta Croucher. He is survived by his loving wife Mabel of 51 years of Ocala, FL. A son Larry Croucher of Ocoee, FL. A daughter Lisa Swearingen of Bloomington, IL., two Grandchildren, Robert E. Croucher of Springfield, IL and Rachael Swearingen of Bloomingfield, IL.; a brother William Croucher of Mechanicsburg, IL. and James Croucher of Rockford, IL. Services will be at a later date in Springfield, IL. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/17/2007 - 3/19/2007.
1076. DAGGETT, MARTHA BALL, (Obituary No. 1076.) 81 Ocala - Martha Ball Daggett, 81 passed away March 16th under Hospice Care. She was born in Bradford, PA and moved to Ocala from Ft. Myers in 1979. She was an active member of Grace Presbyterian Church and enjoyed entertaining church members as well as friends and families with her home cooked meals. She had an uncanny way of drawing people to herself and making them feel like they had known her forever. Martha is predeceased by her husband of 54 years William Daggett and sister Betty Blaisdell of Bradford PA. She is survived by her son, Robert Daggett, daughter Joan Sabula and adopted son Donald Kruse all of Ocala. Grandchildren Claud and Kristin Allegood, Matthew and Melissa Sabula of Raleigh, NC and Mark and Julie Bennett of Rochester. Sister Isabel Emrich of Raleigh, Richard and Phyllis Daggett of Ocala and many nieces and nephew. A memorial service will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church, 2255 SE 38th St., Ocala on Monday, March 19th at 2PM. Martha will be greatly missed by her friends and family, but they all rejoice that she is now in the arms of her Savior, Jesus Christ. Donations may be made in her memory to Harvest International to PO Box 6690 Ocala, FL 34478-6690. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/17/2007 - 3/19/2007.

1077. DICKENSON, CARRIE ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 1077.) 93 Gainesville - Carrie Elizabeth Dickenson of Gainesville died Thursday, March 15, 2007 at the age of 93. Ms. Dickenson was born in Fowltown, Georgia. She lived in Gainesville since 1969. She was a home economist and member of: Florida State Home Economics Association, National Association of Federal Employees, Retired University of Florida Faculty, Rose Society, Epsilon Sigma Phi, First United Methodist Church, First United Methodist Women. Ms. Dickenson is survived by her Sister Mary D. Seay of Ocala, FL. Funeral Services for Ms. Dickenson will be held Wednesday, March 21, 2007 at 2:00 pm in the Williams-Thomas Funeral Home Downtown with Dr. Harold Henderson officiating. Burial will follow in Forest Meadows Memorial Park Central. Those who wish may make a memorial contribution to First United Methodist Church of Gainesville. 419 NE First St. Gainesville, FL 32601. For Further Information Williams-Thomas Downtown 352-376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/19/2007 - 3/20/2007.

1078. GOETZ, EDWARD FRANCIS, (Obituary No. 1078.) 94 Ocala - Edward Francis Goetz, 94, died Friday, March 16, 2007. He was born in New York City and moved to Ormond Beach in 1973 and then to Ocala in 1978. He attended Columbia University for two years and worked for Borden, Inc. from 1929 until his retirement in 1974. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Church, National Civil Defense League and a lifetime member of the Marine Corps League. He served almost fifteen years in the Marine Corps, achieving the rank of Master Sergeant and served in WWII from 1941-1946, the Korean War from 1950-1956 and the Marine Corps Reserves until his retirement in 1970. He was preceded in death by his wife Helen M. Goetz in 1994. He is survived by his sister, Sister Domenica Goetz of New York, sister-in-law, Nancy Marlin of Long Island, NY and his friend and guardian Ray J. Musleh of Ocala. A funeral mass will be held on Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Church with Father Jean Desir officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery with full military honors. Visitation at the church on Tuesday from 9:30 to 10:00 a.m. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.
1079. LEVOY, IRENE, (Obituary No. 1079.) 95 Princess Anne, MD - Ms. Irene Levoy, 95, formerly of Ocala, FL, passed away on March 16, 2007 in Coastal Hospice at the Lake in Salisbury, MD. She was born in West Virginia on Dec. 16, 1911. She was a daughter of the late Theodore and Bertha Newell. She was predeceased by her husband Edward Levoy and five children (Donald Levoy, Raymond Levoy, Oren Levoy, Shirley Orona and Sally Neff). Ms. Levoy was a homemaker who loved shopping, crocheting and needlepoint. She will be fondly remembered at Trinity Villa in Ocala where she was a resident for many years. She is survived by a granddaughter Susan Ward and her friend Jimmy Fitzgerald of Princess Anne, MD; a sister Hazel Sullivan of Unadilla, NY; three daughter-in-laws Darlene Levoy of Port Ritchie, FL, Nellie Levoy of Unadilla, NY and Judy Thomas of Texas; two great-grandchildren Niccole Carew and Shirley Ward. Also survived by other grandchildren, great-grandchildren, cousins, nieces and nephews. Friends may visit from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Wed., March 21, 2007 at ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Funeral services will follow at 1:00 p.m. Interment will be held in Forest Lawn Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.

1080. MASON, JR., WILLIAM CAMERON "CAMMY", (Obituary No. 1080.) 80 Fairfield - William Cameron "Cammy" Mason, Jr., 80, of Fairfield, died peacefully at home March 16, 2007, surrounded by his loving family following an extended illness. He was born February 2, 1927 in Jacksonville, FL and has been a resident of Marion County for 78 years. He is survived by his devoted wife of 50 years Carla June; his daughter Lori Ann and fiancé Kenneth Walton of St. Petersburg; and his son Andrew and wife Debbie of Apollo Beach. He is predeceased by his son William Cameron "Billy" Mason, III. Cammy was a member and Elder of Fairfield Presbyterian Church where he was known for storytelling during the Joys and Concerns. He served in the US Navy during WWII. Cammy was a farmer and truck driver. He loved family, friends, animals, big band music, Ford pickups and Oldsmobiles. The family expresses its sincere gratitude to Dr. William F. Dresen and his staff. A memorial service will be 2 p.m. Friday, March 23, 2007, at Fairfield Presbyterian Church with Rev. Neil Howard officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Fairfield Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 834, Fairfield, FL 32634 in his memory. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.

1081. OPEL, MILTON CARL, (Obituary No. 1081.) 81 Ocala - Milton Carl Opel, age 81, of Ocala, Florida, died March 15, 2007 at Kindred Hospital in Ocala, Florida. He was born on July 11, 1925 in Adams, Ohio to Carl P. and Florence Ann (McNutt) Opel. He moved to Ocala in 1971 from Tecumseh, Michigan. He was a retired Machinist for Tecumseh Products in Tecumseh, Michigan and a WWII Army Veteran. Milton was the Past Commander of the VFW Post 10111 of Silver Springs, Florida. He was preceded in death by his wife Shirley Opel in 1997. He is survived by four children Dawn Sweeney, Chris Opel and Ronald Opel, all of Ocala, Florida and Kim Noble of Dexter, Missouri; one sister Vera Rockwell of Ann Arbor, Michigan; six grandchildren Ashley Sweeney, Nichole Sweeney, Amanda Opel, Carlie Opel, Robin Opel and Frances Opel; and one great grandson Garrett Hourigan. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.

1082. PARKER, ALLAN FRANCIS, (Obituary No. 1082.) 73 Ocala - Allan Francis Parker, 73, entered into eternal life on March 15, 2006. He was born in Spencer, MA and was a retired
Analyst in Computer Information Systems. He was a member of Cross Pointe Church of Ocala. He is survived by his loving wife Susan, Ocala, FL; son Gary Parker, Frederick, MD; daughters Melissa H. Parker, Ocala, FL; Amanda E. Parker, Jacksonville, FL; Debbie Dral, Princeton, MA; Donna Tougas, Westfield, MA; Kathy Boucher, Warren, MA; sister Elaine Fahey, East Brookfield, MA; brother David Parker, Bradford, VT; and seven grandchildren, Justin, Erik, Lauren, Mark, Travis, Spencer and Holly. Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, March 24, 2007 at 1:30PM at College Road Baptist Church, Ocala FL with Pastor Mickey Graves officiating. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.

1083. STATLER, GEORGE, "UNCLE GEORGE", (Obituary No. 1083.) 90 Ocala - George "Uncle George" Statler, 90, passed away March 16, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Johnstown, PA. He was a drama, english and speech professor at CFCC and started the drama department and was responsible for designing the theater there. He was a U.S. Army veteran of WWII and received two Purple Hearts. He is survived by Elissa "Cathy" Statler his wife of 15 years, a daughter Jan Davis of Ocala, a son Geoff Statler of Del Ray Beach, FL, two stepsons David Hebbe of Sanford, FL, Michael Hebbe of Ft. Myers, FL, and a stepdaughter Laurie Early of New York, NY, seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. There will be a gathering for family and friends from 4 to 6 p.m. on Monday, March 19, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/18/2007 - 3/19/2007.

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1084. DICKENSON, CARRIE ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 1084.) 93 Gainesville - Carrie Elizabeth Dickenson of Gainesville died Thursday, March 15, 2007 at the age of 93. Ms. Dickenson was born in Fowltown, Georgia. She lived in Gainesville since 1969. She was a home economist and member of: Florida State Home Economics Association, National Association of Federal Employees, Retired University of Florida Faculty, Rose Society, Epsilon Sigma Phi, First United Methodist Church, First United Methodist Women. Ms. Dickenson is survived by her Sister Mary D. Seay of Ocala, FL. Funeral Services for Ms. Dickenson will be held Wednesday, March 21, 2007 at 2:00 pm in the Williams-Thomas Funeral Home Downtown with Dr. Harold Henderson officiating. Burial will follow in Forest Meadows Memorial Park Central. Those who wish may make a memorial contribution to First United Methodist Church of Gainesville. 419 NE First St. Gainesville, FL 32601. For Further Information Williams-Thomas Downtown 352-376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/19/2007 - 3/20/2007.

1085. HARRIS, LORETTA M., (Obituary No. 1085.) 63 Summerfield - Loretta M. Summerfield, 63, of Summerfield passed away on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. She was a resident of Illinois prior to moving to Florida. She loved her animals, especially her birds and her Chihuahua Josie. She leaves behind her husband, Brad Harris of Summerfield; 4 children, Steve Marlett of Joplin, MO., Jeff Marlett of Solon, OH., Valerie Marlett of Edwardsville, IL., and Deanna Patrick of Summerfield; and 10 grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/20/2007 - 3/21/2007.
1086. JOHNSON, RUTH N., (Obituary No. 1086.) 90 Ocala - Ruth Johnson, age 90, of Ocala, passed away Monday, March 18, 2007 at Legacy House. She was born January 12, 1917 in Baltimore, MD and moved to Ocala in 1986 from Miami. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star. Ruth is survived by her husband of 71 years, Wilbur E. Johnson, Sr., son Wilbur E. Johnson, Jr. (wife Barbara) of Inverness, F., daughter Joan Ruth Cordle (husband Jake) of Atlanta, GA., sister Doris Stezinski of Hillman, MI., 6 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. Services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 21, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., with Rev. Art Hoff officiating. Visitation will be from 5 p.m. - 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 20, 2007. Cremation will follow. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. www.hiers-baxley.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/20/2007 - 3/21/2007.

1087. MCGUE, C. EARLE, (Obituary No. 1087.) 87 Ocala - Mr. C. Earle McGue, 87, of Ocala passed away on Sunday, March 18, 2007 at Malcolm Randall VA Hospital in Gainesville, FL. A native of Lorain, Ohio. He served in US Navy during WWII and worked for the Civil Service. A life member of the DAV Chapter 149, VFW and was a volunteer for Meals on Wheels and member of The Ocala Camellia Club. He is survived by longtime partner of 60 years, Pauline Heffley of Ocala, 3 nieces Sherry Faris Huston, Sally Faris Widdler, and Patricia Moley., 4 nephews Robert Moley, David McGue, Kelly Faris and James McGue. Preceded in death by father and mother (107), 4 sisters and 2 brothers. Memorial donations may be made to Meals on Wheels, Vets helping Vets or Hospice of Marion County. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/20/2007 - 3/21/2007.

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1089. TINDER, LUCILLE G., (Obituary No. 1089.) 77 Ocala - Lucille G. Tinder, 77, of Ocala, Florida, passed away Monday, March 19th at Sylvis Hospice House in Ocala, Florida. She is survived by her husband, Arlie of Ocala, Florida, three sons, Scott Tinder of Hutchinson, Texas, Mark Dulgarian of Payola, Kansas and Keith Dulgarian of Goshen, New York, and her daughter, Marsha Drydale of Independence, Missouri. She has two brothers, C.F. Gillespie and Gerald Gillespie of New York, and two sisters, Joyce Nichols of North Port, Florida and Phyllis Pellerin of Aicken, South Carolina. She leaves six grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. Memorials may be made in Lucille's memory to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860 Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/20/2007 - 3/21/2007.
1090. VAN HORN, EDITH M., (Obituary No. 1090.) 85 Ocala - Edith M. Van Horn, 85, died March 15, 2007 in Ocala. She was born February 11, 1922 in Geltow, Germany. She was a faithful member of the Shady Oaks Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses in Ocala. She was preceded in death in 1997 by her husband, Mark. She is survived by five children, Hans P. Lorenz, Joan M. Wade, Nancy D. Kawczynski, Robert E. Van Horn, and Raymond M. Van Horn, 10 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Arrangements are be handled by WORTH CREMATION SERVICES OF FLORIDA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/20/2007 - 3/21/2007.

1091. VIALE, JAMES F., (Obituary No. 1091.) 78 Ocala - James F. "Jim" Viale. 78 of Ocala, died Thursday, March 15, 2007 at New Horizons Health care center. Jim was born in Union City, NJ. Retired from Maxwell House, Division of Kraft. Came to the Ocala area 15 years ago from Ridgefield Park, NJ. Jim was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Army Veteran, The American Legion in NJ. He enjoyed hockey, and history, but his niche was bowling, and being on a league. His devoted wife Carolyn Viale of 54 years survives him. 2 Daughters- Sherylann (Gary) Pollock of Ocala, and Darlene White of Georgetown, TX. Sister Dorothy (Sam) Pasquale of Palisades Park, NJ. Sister in law Sophie Krajnick of Palm Bay, Fl. 3 grandchildren- Jason (Melissa) Pollock of Orlando, Jessica Pollock of Riverview, Fl. Dylan White of Georgetown, TX.. All family and friends are welcome to a celebration of Jim's life being held Thursday, March 22, 2007 at the Galaxy East Bowling Ally 3225 SE Maricamp Road at 10 a.m., with Deacon James Leonard celebrating the service. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Multiple Sclerosis Foundation in memory of Jim. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. 606 SW 2nd Ave. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/20/2007 - 3/21/2007.

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1092. ADAMS, BARBARA J., (Obituary No. 1092.) 57 Ocala - Barbara J. Adams, 57, passed away at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. A native of California, she moved to Ocala in 1974. She worked as a Registered Nurse for 35 years and was most recently employed by Leesburg Regional Medical Center. Barbara loved spending time with her family and friends and will be dearly missed. She is survived by her five children, Christen Adams Goad of Tallahassee, Stephanie Adams Gilledo of St. Cloud, April Adams of Ocala, Michael Adams of Tallahassee, and Jacob Adams of Tallahassee; sister, Mary Sue Schweitzer of Margate; brothers, Joseph Austin of Ocala and Robert Austin of Summerfield; grandchildren, Erin Goad, Jordan Adams, Kyle Goad, Kendall Goad, and Ian Gilledo. She is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents Joseph W. and Emma Austin. A Funeral Mass will be held on Friday March 23, 2007 at 10 a.m. at St. Theresa's Catholic Church, 11528 SE US Hwy 301 in Belleview. A visitation will be held on Thursday, March 22, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/21/2007 - 3/22/2007.

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1098. PERRY, TIM H., (Obituary No. 1098.) 80 Paris, TX - Mrs. Tim Hall Perry, 80, of Paris, Texas, died March 12, 2007, at Parkview Care Center, Paris, TX. She was born and raised in Leesburg, FL and lived most of her adult life in Belleview. Mrs. Perry was a member of Arcadia Methodist Church, Arcadia, FL. She was a rancher's wife and enjoyed dove and quail hunting and working cattle. Mrs. Perry is survived by her daughter, Lynn Perry Long and son-in-law, Sam of Lake Creek, TX, grandson, Sammy Long, Lake Creek, TX, and granddaughter, Joy Long, Cleveland, MS. Memorial services will be held at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, March 22, 2007, at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Florida Sheriff's Boys Ranch, PO Box 2000, Boys Ranch, FL 32064. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/21/2007 - 3/22/2007.

1099. STUART, MARION P., (Obituary No. 1099.) 84 Ocala - M. P. Stuart, 84, past away Monday, March 19, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala. Born at Munroe Memorial Hospital in Ocala on January 9, 1923. A member of Olivet Baptist Church. Stuart was a Milkman and a devoted family Man. A veteran of WWII serving in the Army. Stuart is survived by his sons, James Thomas of Ocklawaha, FL., Roger Stuart of Houston, TX., Kenny Stuart of Summerfield, FL, and daughter, Kathy Escobar of Ocala, FL., 10 grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren. He is predeceased by his wife Jessie Mae Stuart and son Jerry Thomas. Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, March 23, 2007 with Visitation on Thursday, March 22, 2007 From 6-8p.m. Both at Olivet Baptist Church. Arrangements under the direction of HEIRS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/21/2007 - 3/22/2007.

1100. TINDER, LUCILLE G., (Obituary No. 1100.) 77 Ocala - Lucille G. Tinder, 77, of Ocala, Florida, passed away Monday, March 19th at Sylvias Hospice House in Ocala, Florida. She is survived by her husband, Arlie of Ocala, Florida, three sons, Scott Tinder of Hutchinson, Texas, Mark Dulgarian of Payola, Kansas and Keith Dulgarian of Goshen, New York, and her daughter, Marsha Drydale of Independence, Missouri. She has two brothers, C.F. Gillespie and Gerald Gillespie of New York, and two sisters, Joyce Nichols of North Port, Florida and Phyllis Pellerin of Aicken, South Carolina. She leaves six grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. Memorials may be made in Lucille's memory to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860 Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/20/2007 - 3/21/2007.

1101. VAN HORN, EDITH M., (Obituary No. 1101.) 85 Ocala - Edith M. Van Horn, 85, died March 15, 2007 in Ocala. She was born February 11, 1922 in Geltow, Germany. She was a faithful member of the Shady Oaks Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses in Ocala. She was preceded in death in 1997 by her husband, Mark. She is survived by five children, Hans P. Lorenz, Joan M. Wade, Nancy D. Kawczynski, Robert E. Van Horn, and Raymond M. Van Horn, 10 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Arrangements are be handled by WORTH CREMATION SERVICES OF FLORIDA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/20/2007 - 3/21/2007.

1102. VIALE, JAMES F., (Obituary No. 1102.) 78 Ocala - James F. "Jim" Viale. 78 of Ocala, died Thursday, March 15, 2007 at New Horizons Health care center. Jim was born in Union City,
NJ. Retired from Maxwell House, Division of Kraft. Came to the Ocala area 15 years ago from Ridgefield Park, NJ. Jim was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Army Veteran, The American Legion in NJ, He enjoyed hockey, and history, but his niche was bowling, and being on a league. His devoted wife Carolyn Viale of 54 years survives him. 2 Daughters- Sherylann (Gary) Pollock of Ocala, and Darlene White of Georgetown, TX. Sister Dorothy (Sam) Pasquale of Palisades Park, NJ. Sister in law Sophie Krajnick of Palm Bay, Fl. 3 grandchildren- Jason (Melissa) Pollock of Orlando, Jessica Pollock of Riverview, Fl. Dylan White of Georgetown, TX.. All family and friends are welcome to a celebration of Jim's life being held Thursday, March 22, 2007 at the Galaxy East Bowling Ally 3225 SE Maricamp Road at 10 a.m., with Deacon James Leonard celebrating the service. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Multiple Sclerosis Foundation in memory of Jim. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. 606 SW 2nd Ave. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/20/2007 - 3/21/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Thursday, March 22, 2007

1103. ADAMS, BARBARA J., (Obituary No. 1103.) 57 Ocala - Barbara J. Adams, 57, passed away March 19, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. A native of California, she moved to Ocala in 1974. She worked as a Registered Nurse for 35 years and was most recently employed by Leesburg Regional Medical Center. Barbara loved spending time with her family and friends and will be dearly missed. She is survived by her five children, Christen Adams Goad of Tallahassee, Stephanie Adams Gilledo of St. Cloud, April Adams of Ocala, Michael Adams of Tallahassee, and Jacob Adams of Tallahassee; sister, Mary Sue Schweitzer of Margate; brothers, Joseph Austin of Ocala and Robert Austin of Summerfield; grandchildren, Erin Goad, Jordan Adams, Kyle Goad, Kendall Goad, and Ian Gilledo. She is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents Joseph W. and Emma Austin. A Funeral Mass will be held on Friday March 23, 2007 at 10 a.m. at St. Theresa's Catholic Church, 11528 SE US Hwy 301 in Belleview. A visitation will be held on Thursday, March 22, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/21/2007 - 3/23/2007.

1104. BARBER, EYV, (Obituary No. 1104.) 74 Millington, MI - Evy Barber, 74, passed away on March 20, 2007. Evy and her twin sister Emy, were born in Millington on July 18, 1932. They were the 5th and 6th children of Lavern and Golda (Jobson) Ostrander. They graduated from Millington H.S. in 1950 where they were known for their beauty, academic achievement, and active participation in several extra curricular activities. Evy went on to become a savvy successful business woman. Among her many credits her favorites were: having been a real estate broker in Phoenix, AZ during the building boom of the 50's and 60's; cooking for her brother's restaurant The Cider Barrel in Vassar in the 70's; and completing a career by retiring from the Wickes Corporation as Corporate Pension and Benefits Administrator. She loved to fish, to garden, and to say she liked to cook is like saying Michelangelo liked to draw. By far though, her greatest joy and passion in life was family. She treated nieces and nephews as if they were her children and friends, and friends as if they were sisters and brothers. She was generous and loved giving gifts, and to surprise people with them. Evy loved to travel as long as someone she loved was at the end of the journey. In 1959 she and Emy drove straight through from
Phoenix to Michigan for her niece's wedding, with their combined five children under the age of 9, just to be with family. Evy will be welcomed in the next life by her parents, her beloved sisters Emy and Doris, brother "Bud", nephews Dennis and Dave, and niece Debbie. She leaves behind her daughter Jan Dougherty and fiancé Steve Titsworth; son Jon Barber; grandchildren Jen and Don Long, Erin Dougherty, Mark, Patrick, and Rebecca Stoner, Julia and Sarah Barber; great granddaughter Sara; ex husband and cherished friend Ket Barber; sisters and brothers Wanda Straw, Mary Lou and Jim DuBois, and Louis Gilbert; and Emy's children Jill and Bill Earl, Lori and Larry Gere, Shelly and Jim Cobb, and Scott and D'Anne Sandrsfield. She also leave many other truly loved nieces, nephews, and friends who each know her love in their hearts and will miss her greatly. Evy did not want a funeral, nor did she want anyone to grieve her passing but to celebrate her life, and so there will be no services except at graveside on Saturday, March 24, 2007 at 10 a.m. at the Millington Twp. Cemetery. Friends are welcome to attend. Memorial gifts of remembrance in Evy's memory can be directed to Genesys Hospice. Hanlin Funeral Home has been assisting the Barber Family with Evy's arrangements. HANLIN FUNERAL HOME Serving Families for 78 years hanlinfuneralhom.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/22/2007 - 3/23/2007.

1105. DROST, ROBERT L., (Obituary No. 1105.) 78 Lititz, PA - Robert L. Drost, 78, of 216 Mayberry Drive, Lititz, formerly of Ocala, entered into rest on Monday, March 19, 2007, at the Lebanon VA Medical Center. Born April 20, 1928 in Bayshore, Long Island, New York, he was a son of the late Ernest and Myrtle (Dietrich) Drost. Robert and his wife, Dorothy M. (Davis) Drost, celebrated 56 years of marriage on January 14. A truck drive for 40 years, he worked for Liberty of Leola, PA, and Kanosha Auto Transport, Lancaster, PA. He attended Highland Baptist Church, Ocala. He was very active for 30 years in various VFW posts. He was Past Commander of the VFW Post in Fort McCoy, Florida, and Rolling Green, Florida. While Commander at Fort McCoy, he volunteered his time by transporting veterans to the local VA Hospital. He was always active in activities, many fundraisers, outings and community service events in Rolling Green, serving on the Board of Directors, Entertainment Committee, and was the founder of the Rolling Green Benevolent Fund. A United States Air Force veteran, Robert served in both World War II and the Korean War. He enjoyed traveling, fishing, golfing, NASCAR racing, and the Philadelphia Phillies. Surviving in addition to his wife are three children, Cheryl Eckenroth, Morgantown, PA, Kevin, husband of Dina Drost, Alexandria, VA, and Darren R., husband of Michelle L. (Gundrum) Drost, Lititz, PA; three granddaughters, Sandy Ott, Lauren and Sarah Drost; two great granddaughters, Kara and Shanelle Ott; a brother, Rev. Ernest, husband of Louise Drost, Peckville, PA; and a sister, Shirley Knoble, Southhampton, NY. Robert was predeceased by a sister, Carolyn Short. The Funeral will be on Thursday, March 22, 2007 at 11 a.m., viewing from 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m., in the ROSEBORO FUNERAL HOME, 533 Walnut St., Denver, PA, with Rev. Randy S. Ott officiating. Interment with full military honors will be on Monday, March 26, 2007 at 1 p.m. in Indiantown Gap National Cemetery, Annville, PA. www.roseborofuneralhome.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/22/2007 - 3/23/2007.

1106. HARRIS, LORETTA M., (Obituary No. 1106.) 63 Summerfield - Loretta M. Harris, 63, of Summerfield passed away on Saturday, March 17, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. She was a resident of Illinois prior to moving to Florida. She loved her animals, especially her birds and her Chihuahua Josie. She leaves behind her husband, Brad Harris of Summerfield; 4

1107. INGALLS, RUTH OPAL, (Obituary No. 1107.) 97 Ocala - Ruth O Ingalls, age 97, passed away Friday, March 16, 2007. Born August 16, 1909 in Shannon City, Iowa, she came to Ocala in 1952 from Colorado Springs, Co. Ruth was a member of First United Methodist Church and a choir member since 1952, the Garden club, the Woman's club, and was a volunteer at MRMC and with Meals on Wheels. Survived by two daughters, Betty Ingalls of Pueblo, CO., and Peggy (husband Don) Beach of Montrose, CO., two brothers Arthur Bilderback of San Diego, CA., and Charles Bilderback of Concordia, MO. Preceded in death by her husband Col. Donald Ingalls, a brother and four sisters. Funeral service will be 2 p.m. Sunday, March 25, 2007 at First United Methodist Church, Ocala. Viewing will be from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Interment at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to First United Methodist Church or to a charity of choice. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. www.hiers-baxley.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/22/2007 - 3/23/2007.


1109. KEENEY, JR., FLOYD G., (Obituary No. 1109.) 86 Ocala - Floyd G. Keeney, Jr., 86, died on Monday, March 19, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Winston-Salem, NC and moved to Ocala in 1984 from Cordele, GA where he lived from 1950 to 1984 before retiring. He graduated from Ocala High School in 1937 and joined the U.S. Navy in 1941 where he served a pilot during WWII. He was a longtime member of Grace Episcopal Church. He was a member of Ocala Golf Assn. and a longtime amateur golf tournament competitor, and a volunteer for Interfaith Emergency Services. His survivors include his wife, Elizabeth Pasteur Keeney of Ocala, his son Floyd and wife Deborah of Savannah, GA., his stepsons Randy R. Briggs and wife Diana of Ocala and John C. Briggs and wife Dawn of Orlando, his sister-in-law Marie Keeney of Ocala, his six grandchildren Kolly Keeney Dusa, Jeff Keeney, Bo Briggs, Allison Briggs, Zachery Briggs and Joshua Briggs and two great grandchildren Mary Charlotte Dusa and Hollis Jane Dusa. He was preceded in death by his parents, Floyd G. Keeney, Sr. and Ethleen Cox Keeney. A memorial service will be held on Friday, March 23, 2007 at 10 a.m. Grace Episcopal Church. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Interfaith Emergency Services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/22/2007 - 3/23/2007.

1110. MILLER, JERRY P., (Obituary No. 1110.) 41 Ocala - Jerry P. Miller, age 41 passed away Tuesday, March 20, 2007 in Albany, NY. He was born November 5, 1965 in Akron, IN and moved to Ocala in 1973. Jerry was a light and sound technician for music groups. He was devoted and loved the Lord, and his music was the joy of his life. Survived by his mother Odessa Miller of Ocala, a son Justin Miller of Ohio, and six sisters Carma Perry of Dunnellon, Brenda
Maier of Ocala, Linda Miller of Ocala, Fay Dumas of Palm Harbor, Bernice Balogh of Ocala, and Rosetta Collins of Hustonville, KY. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Saturday, March 24, 2007 at Ocala Worship Center, 1845 SW 1st Ave. Visitation will be Friday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/22/2007 - 3/23/2007.

1111. PERRY, TIM H., (Obituary No. 1111.) 80 Paris, TX - Mrs. Tim Hall Perry, 80, of Paris, Texas, died March 12, 2007, at Parkview Care Center, Paris, TX. She was born and raised in Leesburg, FL and lived most of her adult life in Belleview. Mrs. Perry was a member of Arcadia Methodist Church, Arcadia, FL. She was a rancher's wife and enjoyed dove and quail hunting and working cattle. Mrs. Perry is survived by her daughter, Lynn Perry Long and son-in-law, Sam of Lake Creek, TX, grandson, Sammy Long, Lake Creek, TX, and granddaughter, Joy Long, Cleveland, MS. Memorial services will be held at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, March 22, 2007, at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Florida Sheriff's Boys Ranch, PO Box 2000, Boys Ranch, FL 32064. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/21/2007 - 3/22/2007.

1112. STUART, MARION P., (Obituary No. 1112.) 84 Ocala - M. P. Stuart, 84, past away Monday, March 19, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala. Born at Munroe Memorial Hospital in Ocala on January 9, 1923. A member of Olivet Baptist Church. Stuart was a Milkman and a devoted family Man. A veteran of WWII serving in the Army. Stuart is survived by his sons, James Thomas of Ocklawaha, FL., Roger Stuart of Houston, TX., Kenny Stuart of Summerfield, FL, and daughter, Kathy Escobar of Ocala, FL., 10 grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren. He is predeceased by his wife Jessie Mae Stuart and son Jerry Thomas. Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, March 23, 2007 with Visitation on Thursday, March 22, 2007 From 6-8p.m. Both at Olivet Baptist Church. Arrangements under the direction of HEIRS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/21/2007 - 3/23/2007.

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1118. JACKSON, EDDYE LOIS BERNARD, (Obituary No. 1118.) 60 Ocala - Eddye Lois Bernard Jackson, 60 transitioned from earth to heaven on March 14, 2007 at her Mothers Residence. Mrs. Jackson was an employee of the Social Security Administration Office. She was a graduate of Howard High School Class of 1966. She was a faithful member of New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, Florida. She is survived by her mother Marie M. Smith, Ocala, FL., nine brothers Vernon Bernard (Fannie), Williston, FL., Thomas Bernard (Toforaya), Ocala, FL., Nathaniel Bernard (Joyce), Columbus, GA., Darryl Brown (Emma) Augusta, GA.,
Jerome Brown (Anne), Ocala, FL., Ricky Bernard, Tampa, FL., Michael Bernard, Ocala, FL.,
Gregory Bernard, Tampa, FL., and Michael Langston, Hollywood, FL., seven sisters Wilma
Chisholm, Ocala, FL., Patricia Jones (Levy), Ocala, FL., Sharon Coaxum, Ocala, FL., Dirarr
Bernard, Ocala, FL., Rena Roberts (Jimmy), Jacksonville, FL., Debra Wooden (Amos), Ocala,
FL., and Karen Woodberry (Wesley), Ocala, FL. Funeral services for Mrs. Eddye Lois Bernard
Jackson will be held on Saturday, March 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary
Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Ave., Ocala, FL., 34475, Dr. George W. Lee Pastor, Rev. Dr. Cecil
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1122. CHANCEY, SAMUEL B., (Obituary No. 1122.) 87 Ocala - Samuel B. Chancey, 87, died March 20, 2007. He was in Fellowship and a lifetime resident of Marion County. He was a member of Faith Primitive Baptist Church and was a farmer and tractor mechanic. His survivors include his wife of 49 years, Dorothy of Ocala; his brother, L. S. "Cotton" Chancey of Fairfield; his sister, Ada Ford of Gainesville; his stepdaughter, Ginger Gurr of Ocala; his stepson, Larry Sims of Harleyville, SC; his two grandchildren; his two great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held Saturday, March 24, 2007 with viewing at 10:30 a.m. and services at 11 a.m. both at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum with Elders Perry Perrell and Ken Crawford officiating. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 S Silver Springs Blvd. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/23/2007 - 3/24/2007.

1123. JACKSON, EDDYE LOIS BERNARD, (Obituary No. 1123.) 60 Ocala - Eddye Lois Bernard Jackson, 60 transitioned from earth to heaven on March 14, 2007 at her Mothers Residence. Mrs. Jackson was an employee of the Social Security Administration Office. She was a graduate of Howard High School Class of 1966. She was a faithful member of New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, Florida. She is survived by her mother Marie M. Smith, Ocala, FL., nine brothers Vernon Bernard (Fannie), Williston, FL., Thomas Bernard (Toforaya), Ocala, FL., Nathaniel Bernard (Joyce), Columbus, GA., Darryl Brown (Emma) Augusta, GA., Jerome Brown (Anne), Ocala, FL., Ricky Bernard, Tampa, FL., Michael Bernard, Ocala, FL., Gregory Bernard, Tampa, FL., and Michael Langston, Hollywood, FL., seven sisters Wilma Chisholm, Ocala, FL., Patricia Jones (Levy), Ocala, FL., Sharon Coaxum, Ocala, FL., Dirann Bernard, Ocala, FL., Rena Roberts (Jimmy), Jacksonville, FL., Debra Wooden (Amos), Ocala, FL., and Karen Woodberry (Wesley), Ocala, FL. Funeral services for Mrs. Eddye Lois Bernard Jackson will be held on Saturday, March 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Ave., Ocala, FL., 34475, Dr. George W. Lee Pastor, Rev. Dr. Cecil Wilson officiating Pastor of the New Zion Missionary Baptist Church. Interment will be in Pine Grove Cemetery, Blitchton, FL. Viewing on Friday, at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday at the Church 10 a.m. until time of the service. "No viewing after the eulogy"."A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/23/2007 - 3/24/2007.

1124. MAYNARD, ROSIE, (Obituary No. 1124.) 80 Ocala - Rosie Maynard, 80, passed away on March 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Ms. Maynard moved to Ocala in the 1960's, from Chicago, Illinois. Rosie was a caregiver, she took care of the elderly in her home for many years. Ms. Maynard was a member of New Covenant Church. She is survived by her Daughter Willa Simmons, Ocala, three Grandchildren and four great grandchildren. She was
preceded in death by son Benjamin West. Funeral Services will be held at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Monday, March 26, 2007 at 12 noon, with the visitation from 10-12 p.m. prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/24/2007 - 3/25/2007.

1125. MCGINNIS, DR. LEE ELDON, (Obituary No. 1125.) 72 Summerfield - Dr. Lee McGinnis graduated to Heaven on Thursday, March 22, 2007. Born on September 13, 1934 near Flint, Michigan. After leaving High School he joined the army and served on a Nikey Missile Base. He then was a graduate of Midwestern Baptist Seminary. His first pastorate was in Lansing, Michigan. He pastored for 42 years in Michigan and Florida. Two of his churches has over 500 in attendance. He retired from Grace Baptist Church Belleview, a church which he founded. He is survived by his wife, Mitilda (Tillie Pittman), to whom he was married for fifty years; three sons and daughter-in-laws Steven and Kelly, Timothy and Paula and Philip and Diane; grandchildren Whitney, Shelby, Ashley, Kristen, Tim Jr., Taylor and Tyler; and three step-grandchildren Keith, Tate and Paige. He is also survived by four sisters Bonita Carmen, Murial Preston, Sharon Deming, and Carol Ann Hopkins; four brothers Darwin, Robert, Melvin and Dale as well as many nieces and nephews. Dr. McGinnis was a member of Memorial Baptist Church. Funeral Service will be held Tuesday, March 27, 11am at Memorial Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be at the church on Monday, 6-8pm. Interment will take place at Belleview Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Memorial Baptist Church Youth Ministries. Arrangements by Hiers Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/24/2007 - 3/25/2007.

1126. MERRY, JOSEPH ROBERT (Obituary No. 1126.) 85 Citrus Springs, FL - Mr. Robert Joseph Merry born on June 21, 1921 in Detroit, MI; passed away on March 23, 2007 in Williamston, MI with his loving daughters by his side, at the age of 85. Joseph was a retired experimental automotive mechanic. He loved retirement in Florida and square dancing with his beloved wife of 56 years. He was preceded in death by wife, Charlotte L. Merry and daughter, Pamela A. Merry. Surviving are daughters, Patricia (Donald Borseth) Merry of Williamston, MI and Joanne (John Jefferson) Merry of Davis, CA; and granddaughters, Jennyn Merry Jefferson of Davis, CA. Memorial Services were held at Gorsline-Runciman Funeral Homes, Williamston, MI. Interment will take place in Bushnell National Cemetery, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Bethesda Lutheran Homes, 600 Hoffman Dr., Watertown, WI 53094 or to the UNION of ones' choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/24/2007 - 3/25/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Sunday, March 25, 2007

1127. ACKERSON, KENNETH P., (Obituary No. 1127.) 71 Ocala - Kenneth P. Ackerson, 71, of Ocala, passed away March 23rd at his home. Mr. Ackerson was born in Elmira, New York, graduated from Southside High School in Elmira and came to this area 19 years ago from Lantana, Florida. He was a retired Sales Manager for Prudential Insurance and a member of the Chemung County Historical Society. He was also an Atlanta Braves Fan and enjoyed singing, the theatre, antique cars and camping. He is survived by his daughters, Kate O'Neill of Scarborough, ME, Valerie L. Wheeler of Newfoundland, PA, Melissa R. Gleason of Calhoun Falls, SC, Laurie B. Gotthardt of Struthers, OH, Anita M. Khan and Cami L. Lemr both of Ocala; son, Joe Ackerson of Ocala; sister, Judy Patton of Ocala; and 16 grandchildren. He was
preceded in death by his wife, Linda E. Ackerson and a brother, James Ackerson. Friends are
invited to a gathering at the Ackerson Home (1621 NE 17th Ave. Ocala) on Tuesday (March
27th) from 4-6 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made
to the Salvation Army. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel,

1128. BRYTON, BENJAMIN B., (Obituary No. 1128.) 81 Ocala - Benjamin B. Bryton, age 81,
of Ocala, passed away March 23, 2007. Mr. Bryton was born April 7, 1925 in New York, NY
and has been a resident of Ocala for 15 years. He was a US Air Force Veteran serving during
WWII. A retired design engineer, he had been a member of CFCC Senior Institute for 7 years.
Survived include two sons Leland Bryton (daughter-in-law Pat), Eugene Bryton, daughter Leni
Maler, and granddaughter Mellisa. He was preceded in death by his wife Ann. Memorial services
will be 2:00 p.m., Friday, March 30, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs

1129. GREAVES, HYALINE "HY", (Obituary No. 1129.) 87 Ocala - Mr. Hyaline "Hy"
Greaves, 87, of Ocala, FL died March 23, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. A native of Guyana,
S. America, he relocated to Marion County in 1992. He was a retired Electrical Engineer with
G.E. and Chief Engineer at Alcan Corp. He was a parishioner at Blessed Trinity Catholic
Church, where he served as an usher. He attended school in England and Italy, as well as the
University of Jamaica, West Indies. He enjoyed golfing, tennis and was an avid Ham Radio
Operator. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Phyllis Greaves of Ocala, Brother-in-law,
Leyland Oford and Sister-in-law, Yvonne Ashley and by several nieces and nephews. Mass of
the Christian Burial will be held on Wed., March 28th at 11:00 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic
Church. In lieu of flowers, donations by be made to Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS
FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-

1130. MAYNARD, ROSIE, (Obituary No. 1130.) 80 Ocala - Rosie Maynard, 80, passed away
on March 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Ms. Maynard moved to Ocala in the
1960's, from Chicago, Illinois. Rosie was a caregiver, she took care of the elderly in her home for
many years. Ms. Maynard was a member of New Covenant Church. She is survived by her
Daughter Willa Simmons, Ocala, three Grandchildren and four great grandchildren. She was
preceded in death by son Benjamin West. Funeral Services will be held at Hiers Funeral Home,
910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Monday, March 26, 2007 at 12 noon, with the visitation
from 10-12 p.m. prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/24/2007 -

1131. MCGINNIS, DR. LEE ELDON, (Obituary No. 1131.) 72 Summerfield - Dr. Lee
McGinnis graduated to Heaven on Thursday, March 22, 2007. Born on September 13, 1934 near
Flint, Michigan. After leaving High School he joined the army and served on a Nikey Missile
Base. He then was a graduate of Midwestern Baptist Seminary. His first pastorate was in
Lansing, Michigan. He pastored for 42 years in Michigan and Florida. Two of his churches has
over 500 in attendance. He retired from Grace Baptist Church Belleview, a church which he
founded. He is survived by his wife, Mitilda (Tillie Pittman), to whom he was married for fifty
years; three sons and daughter-in-laws Steven and Kelly, Timothy and Paula and Philip and
Diane; grandchildren Whitney, Shelby, Ashley, Kristen, Tim Jr., Taylor and Tyler; and three step-grandchildren Keith, Tate and Paige. He is also survived by four sisters Bonita Carmen, Murial Preston, Sharon Deming, and Carol Ann Hopkins; four brothers Darwin, Robert, Melvin and Dale as well as many nieces and nephews. Dr. McGinnis was a member of Memorial Baptist Church. Funeral Service will be held Tuesday, March 27, 11am at Memorial Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be at the church on Monday, 6-8pm. Interment will take place at Bellevieview Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Memorial Baptist Church Youth Ministries. Arrangements by Hiers Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/24/2007 - 3/25/2007.

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1133. ROBERTS, JR., WILLIE, (Obituary No. 1133.) 68 Belleview - Willie Roberts, Jr., 68, of Belleview, passed away March 23rd at Hospice's Sylvia House. Born in Crestview, FL, he was a lifelong resident of this area, a furniture shop owner and was well respected throughout the Mobile Home Industry for his knowledge and resourcefulness. He was Baptist by faith. He is survived by his daughters, Kathy Roberts of Ocala, Terry Smith of Anthony and Angel Renedo of Ocala; step-daughter Dixie Chatman of Belleview and step-son Tommy Chatman of Belleview; brother Henry A. Roberts of Ocala; 3 grandchildren, Carl and Faith Hickerson and Dusty Renedo; and 7 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen Dian Roberts. A Graveside Service will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala) on Monday (March 26th) at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/25/2007 - 3/26/2007.

1134. VARNBERG, ROBERT "BOB", (Obituary No. 1134.) 62 Citra - Robert "Bob" Varnberg, 62, of Citra, FL, died Friday, March 23, 2007. Born in White Plains, NY and a US Marine Corps. Veteran of Vietnam, Mr. Varnberg was a Founder and President of Greyhound Adoptions of Florida. Bob and his wife Marilyn have been an inspiration to several greyhound adoption groups across the country promoting Greyhound Adoption. Survivors include his wife Marilyn E. Varnberg of Citra, FL; son Nicky Varnberg of CO; daughters Ann Coyle of NY and Lisa Varnberg of CT; eleven grandchildren and beloved greyhounds. A Celebration of Bob's Life will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Greyhound Adoptions of FL, P.O. Box 955, Sparr, FL 32192. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/25/2007 - 3/26/2007.
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1135. ACKERSON, KENNETH P., (Obituary No. 1135.) 71 Ocala - Kenneth P. Ackerson, 71, of Ocala, passed away March 23rd at his home. Mr. Ackerson was born in Elmira, New York, graduated from Southside High School in Elmira and came to this area 19 years ago from Lantana, Florida. He was a retired Sales Manager for Prudential Insurance and a member of the Chemung County Historical Society. He was also an Atlanta Braves Fan and enjoyed singing, the theatre, antique cars and camping. He is survived by his daughters, Kate O'Neill of Scarborough, ME, Valerie L. Wheeler of Newfoundland, PA, Melissa R. Gleason of Calhoun Falls, SC, Laurie B. Gotthardt of Struthers, OH, Anita M. Khan and Cami L. Lemr both of Ocala; son, Joe Ackerson of Ocala; sister, Judy Patton of Ocala; and 16 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Linda E. Ackerson and a brother, James Ackerson. Friends are invited to a gathering at the Ackerson Home (1621 NE 17th Ave. Ocala) on Tuesday (March 27th) from 4-6 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to the Salvation Army. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/25/2007 - 3/26/2007.

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1138. MUNIZ, JACQUELINE E., (Obituary No. 1138.) 77 Belleview - Jacqueline E. Muniz, 77, of Belleview, passed away March 22, 2007 at her home. Born in Washington D.C., she has lived in this area most of her life. She retired from the Marion County School System as an executive secretary after 38 years of service at both Belleview Elementary and Belleview Santos Elementary. Mrs. Muniz was an active member of St. Theresa Catholic Church where she also volunteered. She is survived by her sons, Bob Muniz and his wife Kathy of Altamonte Springs,
FL and Bill Muniz and his wife Jackie of Westland, MI; brothers, Phillip Thompson of Bellevue and Leon Thompson of Jacksonville, FL; sister, Judy McAbee of Newton, AL; and 4 grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur Muniz. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Monday (March 26th) from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. A Memorial Mass will be held at St. Theresa Catholic Church (11528 US Hwy 301, Belleview) on Wednesday (March 28th) at 11 a.m. Inurnment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/26/2007 - 3/27/2007.

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1140. STENGER, VERONICA E., (Obituary No. 1140.) 87 Silver Springs - Veronica Stenger, age 84, passed away Friday, March 23, 2007 at her residence. She was born September 19, 1922 in Southampton, NY., and moved to Ocala 25 years ago from Stuart, FL. Catholic in faith. She was also a member of the Retired Telephone Pioneers of America, Fraternal Order of the Eagles of Ocala, The Red Hatters of the Forest and Moose Club Ladies Aux of Astor, FL. She was preceded in death by her son, Robert T. and ex-husband, Thomas. Survivors include 5 grandchildren, Wayne Robert Stenger, Senior Master Sergeant, USAF of Abilene, TX., Scott (Marlette) Stenger, Major USAF Riverhead, LI., NY., David Stenger, Staff Sergeant USAF, Dover, DE., Jim (Betty) Oddo of Cornelius, NC., and granddaughter Christine Oddo of Chickasaw, NC., and seven great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at 3 p.m. on Tuesday March 27, 2007. HIERS FUNERAL HOME in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/26/2007 - 3/27/2007.

1141. VARNBERG, ROBERT "BOB", (Obituary No. 1141.) 62 Citra - Robert "Bob" Varnberg, 62, of Citra, FL, died Friday, March 23, 2007. Born in White Plains, NY and a US Marine Corps. Veteran of Vietnam, Mr. Varnberg was a Founder and President of Greyhound Adoptions of Florida. Bob and his wife Marilyn have been an inspiration to several greyhound adoption groups across the country promoting Greyhound Adoption. Survivors include his wife Marilyn E. Varnberg of Citra, FL; son Nicky Varnberg of CO; daughters Ann Coyle of NY and Lisa Varnberg of CT; eleven grandchildren and beloved greyhounds. A Celebration of Bob's Life will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Greyhound Adoptions of FL, P.O. Box 955, Sparr, FL 32192. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/25/2007 - 3/26/2007.
1142. CHIN, HONG, (Obituary No. 1142.) 63 Ocala - Mr. Hong Chin, 63, of Ocala passed away March 24, 2007 at his home. Born in New York City, he came to this area 3 years ago from Salinas, California. He was a retired Oceanographer for NOAA and also fought for animal rights. He is survived by his sisters, Kinga Chen and Helen Chin both of Ocala and Judy Lui of Smithtown, NY; brother, Jim Chin of Manhasset, NY; and his best friend, his dog Sam. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR-200, Ocala. 854-2266 on Tuesday, March 27, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. The funeral service will be held at the Funeral Home on Wednesday, March 28, 2007 at 11 a.m. The Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/27/2007 - 3/28/2007.

1143. COLEMAN, ELAINE T., (Obituary No. 1143.) 78 Dunnellon - Mrs. Elaine T. Coleman, 78, passed away Friday, March 23 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia and moved to Dunnellon in 1997 from Dunlap, IL. She enjoyed painting, crocheting and singing in her church choir. She was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church of Beverly Hills. She is survived by Donald F. Coleman her husband of 55 years, daughters Deborah Thome of Ocala, Nancy (Reid) Brownfield of St. Anne, IL., sons Gregory (Robin) Coleman of Bridgeville, PA., David (Joan) Coleman of Peoria, IL., a sister Joyce (Fraser) Hudson of Ontario, Canada, 5 grandchildren, 1 great granddaughter and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, 1 sister, 1 brother, and a daughter Susan Elaine Coleman. There will be a memorial service at 2 p.m. on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church with Pastor Mark Gabb officiating. Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, Am. Diabetes Foundation or to the church. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, OCALA, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/27/2007 - 3/28/2007.

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1145. NAPPER, JOHN EDWARD, (Obituary No. 1145.) 57 Weirsdale - John Edward Napper, 57, of Weirsdale, Florida passed away Friday, March 23, 2007 in Gainesville, Florida surrounded
by family. He was a member and Assistant Pastor of Full Gospel Tabernacle in Groveland. He was a founding member of the "Midnight Cry" Southern Gospel singing group. He is survived by his wife Shirley A. Napper of Weirsdale, Florida; two sons, Scott Napper of Ocala, Florida and Steven Napper of Tavares, Florida; two daughters, Tammy Johnson of Weirsdale, Florida and Sherri Johnson of Weirsdale, Florida; sister, Ruby Pitts of Ocala, Florida; and 11 grandchildren. Visitation will be 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 27, 2007 at Brewer and Sons Funeral Home in Groveland, Florida. Funeral Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 28, 2007 located at the Full Gospel Tabernacle Church in Groveland, Florida. Burial will follow to Greenwood Cemetery in Groveland, Florida. Funeral Services were entrusted to BREWER & SONS FUNERAL HOME/GROVELAND CHAPEL 132 E. Magnolia Street Groveland, Florida 34736. 352-429-3500. www.brewerfuneral.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/27/2007 - 3/28/2007.

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1147. ATKINSON, SR., JOEL WALTER, (Obituary No. 1147.) 92 The Villages, Lady Lake - Joel W. Atkinson, Sr., 92, born on January 8, 1915 and left this world on March 27, 2007 at the Lake Sumter Hospice, Joel was born to Shadrack Dickey and Sarah Mathew Atkinson of Berlin, Florida now Fellowship in Marion County. He is survived by wife of 70 years Helen Akins Atkinson of the Villages in Lady Lake, Florida. A son, the Rev. Joel Atkinson and his wife Josette Myers-Atkinson of Bethlehem, PA and a daughter Gaye A. Mitchell and husband Richard "Dick" Mitchell of Tallahassee. Joel is survived by five grandchildren he was very fond of them, they are Kimberly M. Kupiszewski and husband Jay; Robin M. Davis and husband Huck; Quinn Mitchell; Joel W. Atkinson and Leo Andrew Atkinson III. He also is survived by five great grandchildren Krystan, Alex and Mitchell Kupiszewski; Isiah and Garrett Davis and special brother-in-law Billy Akins of the Villages, and many nieces and nephews. Joel was preceded in death by Richard O. Mitchell III, his parents, 4 brothers, 4 sisters and a faithful canine companion Fritz. His early years were spent in Marion and Sumter counties working for Hiers Funeral Home and Swift and Company. In the early 40's he began working for the Seaboard Railroad eventually becoming a conductor and in 1956 he moved to Tallahassee where he worked for the Florida Public Service Commission as the only Railroad Safety Investigator for the State of Florida. Upon his retirement one of his favorite memories was his employment with the Florida House of Representatives for several Legislative Sessions. In 1996 he and his
wife moved to the Villages, Florida. He was a member of the East Hill Baptist Church in Tallahassee, The Wildwood Masonic Lodge, The Jackson Shrine Lodge and The Marzug Shrine Emeritus Member. The family will receive friends Thursday, March 29 from 11 a.m. until noon at the HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd., The Villages. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Shiners Children's Hospital, 801 6th Street South, St. Petersburg, Florida, 33701. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/28/2007 - 3/29/2007.

1148. BASKIN, ALMA DEAN, (Obituary No. 1148.) 86 Davenport, FL - Alma Dean Baskin, 86, of Davenport, FL., formerly of Ocala, FL., died Friday, March 23, 2007 in Davenport, FL. She is survived by her niece, Laura Willard; and nephew, Jerry and Wesley Vaught. Service will be on Friday, March 30, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Grace Episcopal Church, 503 SE Broadway, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/28/2007 - 3/29/2007.

1149. CHIN, HONG, (Obituary No. 1149.) 63 Ocala - Mr. Hong Chin, 63, of Ocala passed away March 24, 2007 at his home. Born in New York City, he came to this area 3 years ago from Salinas, California. He was a retired Oceanographer for NOAA and also fought for animal rights. He is survived by his sisters, Kinga Chen and Helen Chin both of Ocala and Judy Lui of Smithtown, NY; brother, Jim Chin of Manhasset, NY; and his best friend, his dog Sam. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR-200, Ocala. 854-2266 on Tuesday, March 27, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. The funeral service will be held at the Funeral Home on Wednesday, March 28, 2007 at 11 a.m. The Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/27/2007 - 3/28/2007.

1150. COLEMAN, ELAINE T., (Obituary No. 1150.) 78 Dunnellon - Mrs. Elaine T. Coleman, 78, passed away Friday, March 23 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia and moved to Dunnellon in 1997 from Dunlap, IL. She enjoyed painting, crocheting and singing in her church choir. She was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church of Beverly Hills. She is survived by Donald F. Coleman her husband of 55 years, daughters Deborah Thome of Ocala, Nancy (Reid) Brownfield of St. Anne, IL., sons Gregory (Robin) Coleman of Bridgeville, PA., David (Joan) Coleman of Peoria, IL., a sister Joyce (Fraser) Hudson of Ontario, Canada, 5 grandchildren, 1 great granddaughter and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, 1 sister, 1 brother, and a daughter Susan Elaine Coleman. There will be a memorial service at 2 p.m. on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church with Pastor Mark Gabb officiating. Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, Am. Diabetes Foundation or to the church. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, OCALA, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/27/2007 - 3/28/2007.

1151. COUNTS, WILLIAM CHARLIE, (Obituary No. 1151.) 75 Ocala - William Charlie Counts, age 75, passed away Sunday, March 25, 2007 at his residence. Born in Ocala, Mr. Counts was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He was a member of the Oak-Griner Baptist Church. Charlie retired from the Ocala Utilities Department after 38 years of service as an electrician & lineman. He was an avid fisherman and loved woodworking. Survivors in his wife, of 53 years Mary Count of Ocala; son, Jeff Counts and his wife Penny of Tampa; and daughter, Sharon Dudley and her husband Gary of Ocala; 10 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren.

1152. DRESEN, ANNE F., (Obituary No. 1152.) 91 Ocala - Mrs. Anne F. Dresen, 91, of Ocala, died Monday, March 26, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehab and Nursing Center. A native of LaSalle, Illinois, Mrs. Dresen moved to the Ocala area 10 years ago, coming her from Ottawa, ILL. She was a homemaker and member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She is survived by her son William F. Dresen, Jr., M.D., Ocala, her daughter Marilyn Olson, Chicago, sister Dorothy Parola, Oglesby, ILL., brother Sylvester Kastigar, Seatonville, ILL., 9 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband William F. Dresen, Sr., her daughter Diana Bessette, her son-in-law Paul Bessette, and her granddaughter Stephanie Bessette. Services will be held in Ottawa, ILL. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is in charge of local arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/28/2007 - 3/29/2007.

1153. MUNIZ, JACQUELINE E., (Obituary No. 1153.) 77 Belleview - Jacqueline E. Muniz, 77, of Belleview, passed away March 22, 2007 at her home. Born in Washington D.C., she has lived in Ocala/Belleview most of her life. She retired from the Marion County School System as an executive secretary after 38 years of service at both Belleview Elementary and Belleview-Santos Elementary. Mrs. Muniz was an active member of St. Theresa Catholic Church where she also volunteered. She is survived by her sons, Bob Muniz (Kathy) of Altamonte Springs, FL and Bill Muniz (Jackie) of Westland, MI; brothers, Phillip Thompson of Belleview and Leon Thompson of Jacksonville, FL; sister, Judy McAbee of Newton, AL; and her grandchildren, Kelly, Basil, Jenny and Joe. She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur Muniz. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141 on Monday, March 26, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. A Memorial Mass will be held at St. Theresa Catholic Church, 11528 US Hwy 301, Belleview on Wednesday March 28, 2007 at 11 a.m. Inurnment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/26/2007 - 3/28/2007.

1154. NAPPER, JOHN EDWARD, (Obituary No. 1154.) 57 Weirsdale - John Edward Napper, 57, of Weirsdale, Florida passed away Friday, March 23, 2007 in Gainesville, Florida surrounded by family. He was a member and Assistant Pastor of Full Gospel Tabernacle in Groveland. He was a founding member of the "Midnight Cry" Southern Gospel singing group. He is survived by his wife Shirley A. Napper of Weirsdale, Florida; two sons, Scott Napper of Ocala, Florida and Steven Napper of Tavares, Florida; two daughters, Tammy Johnson of Weirsdale, Florida and Sherri Johnson of Weirsdale, Florida; sister, Ruby Pitts of Ocala, Florida; and 11 grandchildren. Visitation will be 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 27, 2007 at Brewer and Sons Funeral Home in Groveland, Florida. Funeral Services will be held at the Full Gospel Tabernacle Church in Groveland, Florida. Burial will follow to Greenwood Cemetery in Groveland, Florida. Funeral Services were entrusted to BREWER & SONS FUNERAL HOME/GROVELAND CHAPEL 132 E. Magnolia Street Groveland, Florida 34736. 352-429-3500. www.brewerfuneral.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/27/2007 - 3/28/2007.
1155. SCOTT, SR., HARRY W., (Obituary No. 1155.) 87 Ocklawaha - Harry W. Scott, Sr., 87, of Ocklawaha, Florida died Friday, March 23, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehabilitation & Nursing Center after a prolonged illness. He was born October 5, 1919 in Ocklawaha, Florida. He worked at Certified Grocers for 30 years in marketing and was the self proclaimed Mayor of Ocklawaha. He was a member of the United Methodist Church of Ocklawaha. He is survived by 3 sons, John Scott of Ocklawaha, FL., Harry Scott, Jr. of Ocklawaha, FL., and Robert Scott of Panama City, FL.; step-son, Ross Alexander of Belleview, FL.; 3 daughters, Catherine Claytor of Belleview, FL., Deborah Webb of Ocala, FL., and Susan Brower of Belleview, FL.; 4 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Memorial Services will be held at 5 p.m. Sunday, April 1, 2007 at The United Methodist Church of Ocklawaha. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/28/2007 - 3/29/2007.

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1156. ATKINSON, SR., JOEL WALTER, (Obituary No. 1156.) 92 The Villages, Lady Lake - Joel W. Atkinson, Sr., 92, born on January 8, 1915 and left this world on March 27, 2007 at the Lake Sumter Hospice, Joel was born to Shadrack Dickey and Frances Mathews Atkinson of Berlin, Florida now Fellowship in Marion County. He is survived by wife of 70 years Helen Akins Atkinson of the Villages in Lady Lake, Florida. A son, the Rev. Joel Atkinson and his wife Josette Myers-Atkinson of Bethlehem, PA and a daughter Gaye A. Mitchell and husband Richard "Dick" Mitchell of Tallahassee. Joel is survived by five grandchildren he was very fond of them, they are Kimberly M. Kupiszewski and husband Jay; Robin M. Davis and husband Huck; Quinn Mitchell; Joel W. Atkinson and Leo Andrew Atkinson III. He also is survived by five great grandchildren Krystan, Alex and Mitchell Kupiszewski; Isaiah and Garrett Davis and special brother-in-law Billy Akins of the Villages, and many nieces and nephews. Joel was preceded in death by Richard O. Mitchell III, his parents, 4 brothers, 4 sisters and a faithful canine companion Fritz. His early years were spent in Marion and Sumter counties working for Hiers Funeral Home and Swift and Company. In the early 40's he began working for the Seaboard Railroad eventually becoming a conductor and in 1956 he moved to Tallahassee where he worked for the Florida Public Service Commission as the only Railroad Safety Investigator for the State of Florida. Upon his retirement one of his favorite memories was his employment with the Florida House of Representatives for several Legislative Sessions. In 1996 he and his wife moved to the Villages, Florida. He was a member of the East Hill Baptist Church in Tallahassee, The Wildwood Masonic Lodge, The Jackson Shrine Lodge and The Marzug Shrine Emeritus Member. The family will receive friends Thursday, March 29 from 11 a.m. until noon at the HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd., The Villages. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Shiners Children's Hospital, 801 6th Street South, St. Petersburg, Florida, 33701. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/28/2007 - 3/30/2007.

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1159. COLLINS, ELAINE MARIE (Obituary No. 1159.) Peachtree, GA - Elaine Marie Collins, of Peachtree City, GA went home to her Lord Jesus Christ on March 26, 2007 and on this same day (her birthday), gave the gift of new life through the donation of her organs. She was a dedicated volunteer to various organizations in her community a member of Delta Xi Sorority. She was preceded in death by her parents, Wilfred and Mildred Pritchett. She is survived by her children and their spouses, Les (Beth) Collins, Tabaccoville, NC.; Wayne F. (Jayn) Collins, Peachtree City, GA.; Linda (Joseph) O'Halloran, Orlando, FL.; her grandchildren, Leslie Ann Collins, Christopher Collins, Nicholas Collins, Emma O'Halloran, and Sarah Grace Collins; her sister, Karen Eby, Leesburg, GA.; her aunts, Carolyn Fink, Bernice Johnson, Donna Lee Lickteig, Della Mae Moore, Helen Pritchett, and Willa Sherrill. Funeral Services will be at 4 p.m. on Thursday, March 29, 2007 at Peachtree City United Methodist Church, 225 Robinson Road, Peachtree City, GA. Rev. Betsy Haas will officiate. The family requests donations be made to Lifelink Organ Donor, 2875 Northwoods Parkway, Norcross, GA., 30071 or Peachtree City United Church, 225 Robinson Road Peachtree, GA. CARMICHAEL-HEMPERLEY FUNERAL HOME, PEACHTREE, GA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

1160. COUNTS, WILLIAM CHARLIE, (Obituary No. 1160.) 75 Ocala - William Charlie Counts, age 75, passed away Sunday, March 25, 2007 at his residence. Born in Ocala, Mr. Counts was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He was a member of the Oak-Griner Baptist Church. Charlie retired from the Ocala Utilities Department after 38 years of service as an electrician & lineman. He was an avid fisherman and loved woodworking. Survivors in his wife, of 53 years Mary Count of Ocala; son, Jeff Counts and his wife Penny of Tampa; and daughter, Sharon Dudley and her husband Gary of Ocala; 10 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Friday, March 30, 2007 with Pastor Frank Grant and Jay Hopkins, officiating. Visitation 10 a.m. till service time. Interment in Fort McCoy Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/28/2007 - 3/29/2007.

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1163. HARDY, LORENE, (Obituary No. 1163.) 85 Ocala - Lorene Hardy, 85, passed away on March 24, 2007. Mother Hardy is survived by two sons: Norris L. Hardy and Ervin R. Hardy; three sisters: Alean Burnett, Helen Johnson, and Rosevetta Mobley; two brothers: James Council, Roosevelt; 4 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, March 31, 2007, 11 a.m., Temple Church of God by Faith, 707 SW Ft. King St., Ocala, FL., The Superintendent of the Ocala District Church of God by Faith, Inc. Rev. James T. Ware - Eulogist. A wake service will be held at the Temple Church of God by Faith on Friday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mr. Ervin R. Hardy (1010 SW 7th St. Ocala, FL) on Saturday, 10:15 to form the Funeral Cortege. MICHAEL A. FLOYD FUNERAL HOME, CLERMONT, FLORIDA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

1164. HAYNES, SONJA S., (Obituary No. 1164.) 64 Morriston - Sonja S. Haynes, 64, of Morriston, FL died March 27, 2007. A native of Man, West Virginia she relocated to Morriston in 1979. She was a member of the House of Prayer in Romeo, FL and had worked in Environmental Services for Marion Community Hospital (ORMC). She is survived by her husband of 47 years, Franklin Haynes, Morriston; daughters, Cheryl Peterson and husband Donald, Morriston and Rebecca Farr and husband Jason, Ocala and Heidi Hensley and husband Ronnie, Ocala; son, Franklin P. Haynes, Lowell, FL; sister, Marcella Keyser and husband Wayne, Man, WVA; brothers Mike Mitchell, Man, WVA., Rick Mitchell and wife Judy, Man WVA., and Gary Mitchell and wife Kim, Logan WVA; 10 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Visitation will be March 30, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the House of Prayer in Romeo with funeral services March 31, 2007 at 12 Noon. Interment will follow at Orange Hill Cemetery, Williston. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, DUNNELLON CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

1165. HEALD, MARY LOU "MAMA LOU", (Obituary No. 1165.) 78 Ocala - Mary Lou Heald, age 78, passed away Tuesday, March 27, 2007. Born in Ironton, OH., August 30, 1928 and came
to Ocala from Clarkston, MI. Mary Lou was Administrative Secretary with the 911 Addressing Department of Marion County from 1988-1998. She is survived by three children, son John Leroy Naumann of Holly, MI. daughters Sally Jean Porter and Melissa Dawn Morris both of Ocala and five grandchildren Angela Hubble, Freddie Fountain, Jason Fountain, Dawn Morris, Casey Morris and six great grandchildren. Mary Lou loved watching old movies on TV, crocheting and enjoying life with her family. Services will be 10 a.m. Saturday, March 31, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be Friday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

1166. MUSGROVE, HELEN HARPER-BROWN, (Obituary No. 1166.) 85 Ft. McCoy - Helen Harper Brown Musgrove, age 85, passed away Tuesday, March 27, 2007, in Jacksonville, FL. Helen was a life long resident of Florida. A loving wife of Joel W. Brown, together they resided in Pahokee and South Palm Beach while maintaining a residence in Salt Springs. She and her husband owned and operated a business, and still found time as loving parents to three daughters Jean Donahee of Virginia Beach, VA., Joyce Meffert of Salt Springs and JoEllen Suslak of Ponte Vedra Beach, six grandchildren and three great grandchildren. She was of the Baptist Faith and an active church member. Services will 11 a.m. Thursday, March 29, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Interment in Fort McCoy Cemetery will follow. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

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1169. WOLFF, ROBERT F. (Obituary No. 1169.) 88 Summerfield - Robert F. Wolff, age 88, of Summerfield, FL passed away on Monday, March 26, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. He was born in Neenah, WI., on October 26, 1918. Robert was a veteran of the US Army and served
during WWII as an Military Policeman. He moved to this area from Milford, CT., 26 years ago. During his life he worked as a Personnel Director for Kimberly-Clark Paper Co. in Neenah and Milford, CT. Robert was a Lutheran and a Lifetime Member of VFW Post # 8083 of Belleview. He was also a Lifetime Member of the Ocala Moose Lodge. His hobbies included playing cards and golfing. Funeral service will be Thursday 3pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Visitation will be Thursday from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell on Friday at 11 a.m. A reception will take place at VFW Post # 8083 on Friday at 12:30 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County for Sylvia's House. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

1170. ATKINSON, SR., JOEL WALTER, (Obituary No. 1170.) 92 The Villages, Lady Lake - Joel W. Atkinson, Sr., 92, born on January 8, 1915 and left this world on March 27, 2007 at the Lake Sumter Hospice, Joel was born to Shadrack Dickey and Frances Mathews Atkinson of Berlin, Florida now Fellowship in Marion County. He is survived by wife of 70 years Helen Akins Atkinson of the Villages in Lady Lake, Florida. A son, the Rev. Joel Atkinson and his wife Josette Myers-Atkinson of Bethlehem, PA and a daughter Gaye A. Mitchell and husband Richard "Dick" Mitchell of Tallahassee. Joel is survived by five grandchildren he was very fond of them, they are Kimberly M. Kupiszewski and husband Jay; Robin M. Davis and husband Huck; Quinn Mitchell; Joel W. Atkinson and Leo Andrew Atkinson III. He also is survived by five great grandchildren Krystan, Alex and Mitchell Kupiszewski; Isiah and Garrett Davis and special brother-in-law Billy Akins of the Villages, and many nieces and nephews. Joel was preceded in death by Richard O. Mitchell III, his parents, 4 brothers, 4 sisters and a faithful canine companion Fritz. His early years were spent in Marion and Sumter counties working for Hiers Funeral Home and Swift and Company. In the early 40's he began working for the Seaboard Railroad eventually becoming a conductor and in 1956 he moved to Tallahassee where he worked for the Florida Public Service Commission as the only Railroad Safety Investigator for the State of Florida. Upon his retirement one of his favorite memories was his employment with the Florida House of Representatives for several Legislative Sessions. In 1996 he and his wife moved to the Villages, Florida. He was a member of the East Hill Baptist Church in Tallahassee, The Wildwood Masonic Lodge, The Jackson Shrine Lodge and The Marzug Shrine Emeritus Member. The family will receive friends Thursday, March 29 from 11 a.m. until noon at the HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd., The Villages. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Shiners Children's Hospital, 801 6th Street South, St. Petersburg, Florida, 33701. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/28/2007 - 3/30/2007.

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1172. BURROWS, FAYE SMITH, (Obituary No. 1172.) 70 Ocala - Faye Smith Burrows, 70, of Ocala, died March 28, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida. She was a native of Moultrie, GA, and moved to this area 46 years ago. She was a homemaker in her own home. Mrs. Burrows is survived by her daughter, Carol (Tommy) Bibb, Ocala; son, Bo (TC) Smith, Belleview; sister, Laverne Ford, Winter Haven, FL; brother, James Ellis, Jonesboro, GA; grandchildren, Michael Couture, Jr., Jennifer King, Heather Smith, and Boof Smith, all of Belleview; great-grandchildren, Morgan Couture and Mickey Couture of Belleview. She is preceded in death by her husband, Bob Smith and son, David "Klinger" Smith. Services will be at 3 p.m., Saturday, March 31, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road. Burial will be in Belleview Cemetery. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1173. BUSH, BETTY H., (Obituary No. 1173.) 93 Ocala - Betty Bush was born in 1913 in Detroit, Michigan. Married for 67 years she was a homemaker and a loving mother. Preceded in death by her husband Doctor Charles T. Bush and son Bill. She is survived by her son Doctor Robert T. and his wife Thelma and her son Doctor Alan H. and his wife Lynne, and her sister Barbara Gillesby of Decatur, Michigan. She has five grandchildren, Roger, Karen, Bill, Erin, and Bryan, and four great grandchildren, Brittainy, Andy, Ian and Aden. She will be missed. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.


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1176. COUNTS, WILLIAM CHARLIE, (Obituary No. 1176.) 75 Ocala - William Charlie Counts, age 75, passed away Sunday, March 25, 2007 at his residence. Born in Ocala, Mr. Counts was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He was a member of the Oak-Griner Baptist Church. Charlie retired from the Ocala Utilities Department after 38 years of service as an electrician & lineman. He was an avid fisherman and loved woodworking. Survivors include his wife, of 53 years Mary Counts of Ocala; son, Jeff Counts and his wife Penny of Tampa; and daughter, Sharon Dudley and her husband Gary of Ocala; 10 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Friday, March 30, 2007 with Pastor Frank Grant and Jay Hopkins, officiating. Visitation 10 a.m. till service time. Interment in Fort McCoy Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

1177. CROSSING, JOSEPHINE R., (Obituary No. 1177.) 83 Ocala - Josephine R. Crossing, 83, of Ocala, died Wednesday, March 28, 2007 at the Oakhurst Rehab and Nursing Center. She moved here 50 years ago from New Jersey. She and her late husband Oscar owned the Ocala Sewing and Vacuum Center. Mrs. Crossing is survived by her daughters Janet Crossing Lyons of Livingston, NJ, and Shirley Crossing Spence of Conneaut, Ohio; sisters Marie McClure and husband Gene of Vineland, NJ, and Rose Tuso and husband Joseph of Pittman, NJ; grandchildren Robin Branch and Owen Lyons of Maryland and Emily Lyons of Oxford, England. She was preceded in death by her husband Oscar W. Crossing and her son Wayne O. Crossing. Funeral Services will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 1, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Donald J. Curran, Jr. officiating. Visitation will be from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday. Private interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be sent to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1178. DORIAND, KATHLEEN, (Obituary No. 1178.) 65 Summerfield - Kathleen Doriand, 65, of Summerfield, died Wednesday, March 28, 2007. Mrs. Doriand was born in New York, NY and moved here in 1999 from Charlotte, NC. She was a retired accountant for Royal Insurance Company. She was a member of St. Mark the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church, the Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary and the Red Hats Society. She is survived by her husband Edmond Doriand of Summerfield; brothers George McMahon of Kilmarnock, VA and Brian McMahon of Holbrook, NY; Sisters Eileen Gimblet of Lehigh Acres, FL and Christine Flood of Monroe, NC; 9 nieces and nephews and 7 grand nieces and nephews. Visitation will be from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, March 30, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages. Funeral Mass will be at 9 a.m. Saturday, March 31, 2007 at St. Mark the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages, 352-753-8353. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1179. GUNTER, JACK GERRARD, (Obituary No. 1179.) 47 Ocklawaha - Mr. Jack Gerrard Gunter, age 47, of Ocklawaha, passed away Tuesday, March 27, 2007 at his home. He was born December 7, 1959 in Hollywood, FL. He moved here in 2003 from Hollywood. He was a truck

1180. HARDY, LORENE, (Obituary No. 1180.) 85 Ocala - Lorene Hardy, 85, passed away on March 24, 2007. Mother Hardy is survived by two sons: Norris L. Hardy and Ervin R. Hardy; three sisters: Alean Burnett, Helen Johnson, and Rosevetta Mobley; two brothers: James Council, Roosevelt; 4 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, March 31, 2007, 11 a.m., Temple Church of God by Faith, 707 SW Ft. King St., Ocala, FL., The Superintendent of the Ocala District Church of God by Faith, Inc. Rev. James T. Ware - Eulogist. A wake service will be held at the Temple Church of God by Faith on Friday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mr. Ervin R. Hardy (1010 SW 7th St. Ocala, FL) on Saturday, 10:15 to form the Funeral Cortege. MICHAEL A. FLOYD FUNERAL HOME, CLERMONT, FLORIDA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

1181. HAYNES, SONJA S., (Obituary No. 1181.) 64 Morriston - Sonja S. Haynes, 64, of Morriston, FL died March 27, 2007. A native of Man, West Virginia she relocated to Morriston in 1979. She was a member of the House of Prayer in Romeo, FL and had worked in Environmental Services for Marion Community Hospital (ORMC). She is survived by her husband of 47 years, Franklin Haynes, Morriston; daughters, Cheryl Peterson and husband Donald, Ocala and Heidi Hensley and husband Ronnie, Ocala; son, Franklin P. Haynes, Lowell, FL; sister, Marcella Keyser and husband Wayne, Man, WVA; brothers Mike Mitchell, Man, WVA., Rick Mitchell and wife Judy, Man WVA., and Gary Mitchell and wife Kim, Logan WVA; 10 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Visitation will be March 30, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the House of Prayer in Romeo with funeral services March 31, 2007 at 12 Noon. Interment will follow at Orange Hill Cemetery, Williston. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, DUNNELLON CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

1182. HEALD, MARY LOU "MAMA LOU", (Obituary No. 1182.) 78 Ocala - Mary Lou Heald, age 78, passed away Tuesday, March 27, 2007. Born in Ironton, OH., August 30, 1928 and came to Ocala from Clarkston, MI. Mary Lou was Administrative Secretary with the 911 Addressing Department of Marion County from 1988-1998. She is survived by three children, son John Leroy Naumann of Holly, MI. daughters Sally Jean Porter and Melissa Dawn Morris both of Ocala and five grandchildren Angela Hubble, Freddie Fountain, Jason Fountain, Dawn Morris, Casey Morris and six great grandchildren. Mary Lou loved watching old movies on TV, crocheting and enjoying life with her family. Services will be 10 a.m. Saturday, March 31, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be Friday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.
1183. HILLMAN, SACKER M., (Obituary No. 1183.) 71 Ocala - Sacker M. Hillman, 71, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Marcy 26, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. Mr. Hillman was a native of Brooklyn, New York. He relocated to Ocala, Florida in 1990 after retiring from the New York Transit Authority of 27 years. Mr. Hillman served in the Army of the United States. Mr. Hillman is survived by: Mrs. Joyce Hillman (Wife), Ocala, FL., Mrs. Doreen Hillman (Daughter) Ocala, FL., sisters, Dorothy Williams, Ocala, FL & Virginia Crawford, Brooklyn, New York., sister-in-laws, Norman Calendar, Stephanie Taylor, Elizabeth Edward, all of Brooklyn, NY., brother-in-laws, Isacc Taylor (Hampton, VA), Carl Taylor & Isacc Fant of Brooklyn, NY. Funeral Services for Mr. Sackie M. Hillman will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist, Dr. Fred Maeweathers, Pastor. Interment will follow in the Shady Grove Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1184. IVORY, JOHN JAMES "JACK", (Obituary No. 1184.) 74 Ocala - Mr. John James "Jack" Ivory, age 74, of Ocala, Florida died on Tuesday, March 27, 2007 at the Oakhurst Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. He was born in Brooklyn, New York and moved to Ocala in 1996 from Greenpoint, Brooklyn, New York. For over (30) years Jack owned and operated "The Ivory Tower Bar" in Brooklyn. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Lexington Council in Greenpoint, Brooklyn, N.Y. and he is a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church of Ocala. Jack served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean Conflict, and was an avid sports fan. He is survived by his loving wife of (23) years, Eileen M. Ivory of Ocala, FL.; his son, John Raymond "Ray" Ivory of Ocala, FL.; his daughter, Christine Baldari of Lloyds Neck, New York; his (3) brothers, Thomas Ivory of Cocoa Beach, FL., James Ivory of St. Petersburg, FL., and Robert Ivory of Brooklyn, N.Y.; his sister, Nora Phinn of Brooklyn, N.Y.; his (2) step-sons, Barry Sullivan of San Juan Bautista, CA., and Kevin Sullivan of Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; his step-daughter, Colleen Schoneman of Queens, N.Y.; and (10) grandchildren. He was predeceased by his daughter, Lynne Dianna Ivory. Mass will be celebrated at 1 p.m. on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala, Florida. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476, today from 2 - 4 and from 6 - 8 p.m. with a wake service to be recited at 6:15 p.m. The family request, in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34475-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1185. KOMINSKY, ANTOINETTE M., (Obituary No. 1185.) 97 Belleview - Antoinette M. Kominsky, 97, of Belleview, passed away March 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in New York City, she lived most of her life in Chicago, IL, moving to Belleview in 1992 to be closer to her family. She was a member of the Catholic faith, and one of her greatest joys was cooking Sunday dinners for her very large family. She is survived by three daughters, Elizabeth McLain (Bill) of Belleview, FL., Charlotte Skaggs (Jack) of Prescott, AZ, Joyce Mummery (Bruce) of Albany, OR; a son, Edward Kominsky (Barbara) of Forest Hills, AZ; 21 grandchildren, 38 great-grandchildren, and 13 great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Kominsky was preceded in death by her parents, Constance and Anthony Yushas, her husband, Joseph
Kominsky, two sisters, three brothers, and her daughter Connie Sorensen (Roy). Services will be at 11 a.m., Friday, March 30, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1186. MCCALL, JOHN ARTHUR, (Obituary No. 1186.) 59 Reddick - Funeral service for Mr. John A. McCall will be held on Sunday, April 1, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Restoration Ministries with Pastor Bishop Ann Evans officiating. He is survived by his wife Annette McCall, (4) four children, (9) nine grandchildren, (3) brothers, Charlie McCall, Willie James McCall, and Ceopis McCall, (5) sisters, Leola Reed, Pearlie Mae Shine, Mattie Means, and Alberta Watkins. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing a memory that never fades". Visitation Friday, March 30, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1187. MUSGROVE, HELEN HARPER-BROWN, (Obituary No. 1187.) 85 Ft. McCoy - Helen Harper Brown Musgrove, age 85, passed away Tuesday, March 27, 2007, in Jacksonville, FL. Helen was a life long resident of Florida. A loving wife of Joel W. Brown, together they resided in Pahokee and South Palm Beach while maintaining a residence in Salt Springs. She and her husband owned and operated a business, and still found time as loving parents to three daughters Jean Donald of Virginia Beach, VA., Joyce Meffert of Salt Springs and JoEllen Suslak of Ponte Vedra Beach, six grandchildren and three great grandchildren. She was of the Baptist Faith and an active church member. Services will 11 a.m. Thursday, March 29, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Interment in Fort McCoy Cemetery will follow. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

1188. SHELTON, FRANK BERNARD, (Obituary No. 1188.) 54 Summerfield - Frank Bernard Shelton, 54, of Summerfield, FL passed away at his residence on March 27, 2007. He was a native of Summerfield, FL. Mr. Shelton was a truck driver for Rinker Materials. He is survived by: Mrs. Vanessa A. Morris Shelton (Wife), Summerfield, FL., daughters, Shannon Shelton & Ramonda Shelton (Iowa City, Iowa)., sons, Frank D. Shelton (Iowa City, Iowa)., Sedric Shelton (Florida)., grandsons, Dominique Bell, Jacquan Rouson (Iowa City, Iowa)., granddaughter, Parionna Roby, Iowa City, Iowa., God-daughter, Kelsey Johnson, Ocala, FL., sisters, Evangelist Patricia Perry, (Summerfield, FL)., Elizabeth Banks (Belleview, FL)., Loren Shelton (Pedro, FL)., brothers, George Shelton, Jr. (Florida)., Walter James Shelton (Calahan, FL)., Arnold (Jerry) Shelton (Summerfield, FL). Funeral services for Mr. Shelton will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at Ramah Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Eugene F. Broxton, Pastor. Interment will follow in Mt. Olive Cemetery, Summerfield, FL. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "Summers Funeral Service makes the difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

Summers, Dexter Summers, Stanley Summers (All of Ocala) William Summers III & Dennis Summers of Summerfield, FL., (29) grandchildren, (4) great grandchildren, Charles Summers, Ocklawaha, FL. Funeral services for Mr. Summers will be held 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. Tommy L. Brooks, Pastor. Interment will follow in Finley Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. "Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1190. TRAPHOFNER, LORETTA ANNE, (Obituary No. 1190.) 41 Ocala - Loretta Anne Traphofner, 41, of Ocala, Florida died Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at the home of Joyce Turner in Moss Bluff, FL. She was born May 14, 1965 in Jersey City, N.J. and lived in Florida most of her life. She was a homemaker and preceded in death by her father Jack (Trappy) Traphofner in 1999. She is survived by 2 daughters, Michelle Gilliland, Moore, Oklahoma and Anna Smothers, Ocala, Florida; son, Charles Traphofner, Ocala, Florida; 4 sisters, Alisa Scroggins, Moss Bluff, FL., Kim Threet, Moss Bluff, FL., Joanne Davis, Plant City, FL., and Maryanne Risner, Deltona, FL.; 4 grandchildren; and boyfriend off and on for over 20 years Frank Knupp, Moss Bluff, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1191. VERBANATZ, DANIEL (DAN) W., (Obituary No. 1191.) 48 Sarasota, FL - Daniel (Dan) W. Verbanatz, age 48, born in St. Petersburg, FL. A lifetime resident of Pinellas County, employer Verizon/GTE. He passed into Heaven on March 20, 2007 in Sarasota, FL. He is survived by his parents, Patricia and Jack Verbanatz of Ocala, FL; brother, Michael G. Verbanatz of Ocala, FL; half-sister, Linda Von Schweikert of Temecula, CA; 3 step-children, Krystal Radlinski of Newberry, FL., Melissa Outman of Denver, CO., and Forest Outman of St. Petersburg, FL; 2 step-grandchildren, as well as an aunt and uncle and several nieces, nephews, and cousins. Arrangements by GRIFFITH/CLINE FUNERAL HOMES AND CREMATION SERVICES of Bradenton, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

1192. WOLFF, ROBERT F., (Obituary No. 1192.) 88 Summerfield - Robert F. Wolff, age 88, of Summerfield, FL passed away on Monday, March 26, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. He was born in Neenah, WI., on October 26, 1918. Robert was a veteran of the US Army and served during WWII as an Military Policeman. He moved to this area from Milford, CT., 26 years ago. During his life he worked as a Personnel Director for Kimberly-Clark Paper Co. in Neenah and Milford, CT. Robert was a Lutheran and a Lifetime Member of VFW Post # 8083 of Belleview. He was also a Lifetime Member of the Ocala Moose Lodge. His hobbies included playing cards and golfing. Funeral service will be Thursday 3pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Visitation will be Thursday from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell on Friday at 11 a.m. A reception will take place at VFW Post # 8083 on Friday at 12:30 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County for Sylvia's House. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/29/2007 - 3/30/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Saturday, March 31, 2007

1193. BURGESS-GRASSO, TERRESA J. (Obituary No. 1193.), 58 Pooler, GA - Terresa J. Burgess-Grasso, 58 passed away March 26, 2007. She was born in Louisville, KY and moved to South Florida in 1949. She moved to Ocala, FL in 1999 and graduated from Central Florida
Community College in 2004. She was employed by the Arnette House as an IT Manager. She was preceded in death by her husband Michael T. Grasso. She is survived by her mother, Virginia Burgess, 92, sisters Judith Siciliano, Laraine Howard, Daughters Christina (Tim) Dixon and Meredith Baumgardner, and her husband Jason Standish, Step-children, Shauna Grasso, Jonathan Grasso, and Brittany Grasso. 3 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. She was loved and will be missed by all who knew her. A funeral service will be held at 1PM on Monday, April 2, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the funeral home. Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/1/2007.

1194. BURROWS, FAYE SMITH (Obituary No. 1194.), 70 Ocala - Faye Smith Burrows, 70, of Ocala, died March 28, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida. She was a native of Moultrie, GA, and moved to this area 46 years ago. She was a homemaker in her own home. Mrs. Burrows is survived by her daughter, Carol (Tommy) Bibb, Ocala; son, Bo (TC) Smith, Belleview; sister, Laverne Ford, Winter Haven, FL; brother, James Ellis, Jonesboro, GA; grandchildren, Michael Couture, Jr., Jennifer King, Heather Smith, and Boof Smith, all of Belleview; great-grandchildren, Morgan Couture and Mickey Couture of Belleview. She is preceded in death by her husband, Bob Smith and son, David "Klinger" Smith. Services will be at 3 p.m., Saturday, March 31, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road. Burial will be in Belleview Cemetery. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1195. BUSH, BETTY H. (Obituary No. 1195.), 93 Ocala - Betty Bush was born in 1913 in Detroit, Michigan. Married for 67 years she was a homemaker and a loving mother. Preceded in death by her husband Doctor Charles T. Bush and son Bill. She is survived by her son Doctor Robert T. and his wife Thelma and her son Doctor Alan H. and his wife Lynne, and her sister Barbara Gillesby of Decatur, Michigan. She has five grandchildren, Roger, Karen, Bill, Erin, and Bryan, and four great grandchildren, Brittainy, Andy, Ian and Aden. She will be missed. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.


1197. COUNTS, WILLIAM CHARLIE (Obituary No. 1197.), 75 Ocala - William Charlie Counts, age 75, passed away Sunday, March 25, 2007 at his residence. Born in Ocala, Mr. Counts was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He was a member of the Oak-Griner Baptist Church. Charlie retired from the Ocala Utilities Department after 38 years of service as an electrician & lineman. He was an avid fisherman and loved woodworking. Survivors include his wife, of 53 years Mary Counts of Ocala; son, Jeff Counts and his wife Penny of Tampa; and daughter, Sharon Dudley and her husband Gary of Ocala; 10 grandchildren and 8 great

1198. CROSBY, DEBORAH (Obituary No. 1198.), 52 Ocala - Deborah Eilene Crosby, 52, passed away on March 27, 2007 at her home. She moved to Ocala in 2002 from St. Petersburg. She worked as a Registered Nurse for 30 years, and was most recently employed at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was an active member of First Baptist Church in Ocala. She was a loving mother, grandmother, and daughter. She loved to participate in the Walk for Cancer and helping others. She is survived by her daughter Tina Evans of Trinity, FL, son Joseph Leon of St. Petersburg; parents Charlise and Ron Brown of Ocala; and grandchildren Alexis, Isabelle, Maeliuaki, and Kehaulani Evans of Trinity. A funeral service will be held at 11AM on Monday, April 2, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. A visitation will be held on Sunday, April 1, 2007 from 5-7pm at Hiers Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the CFCC Foundation where a nursing scholarship fund has been established in her name. Contributions can be mailed to: CFCC Foundation, 3001 SW College Road Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/1/2007.

1199. CROSSING, JOSEPHINE R. (Obituary No. 1199.), 83 Ocala - Josephine R. Crossing, 83, of Ocala, died Wednesday, March 28, 2007 at the Oakhurst Rehab and Nursing Center. She moved here 50 years ago from New Jersey. She and her late husband Oscar owned the Ocala Sewing and Vacuum Center. Mrs. Crossing is survived by her daughters Janet Crossing Lyons of Livingston, NJ., and Shirley Crossing Spence of Conneaut, Ohio; sisters Marie McClure and husband Gene of Vineland, NJ., and Rose Tuso and husband Joseph of Pittman, NJ; grandchildren Robin Branch and Owen Lyons of Maryland and Emily Lyons of Oxford, England. She was preceded in death by her husband Oscar W. Crossing and her son Wayne O. Crossing. Funeral Services will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 1, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Donald J. Curran, Jr. officiating. Visitation will be from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday. Private interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be sent to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

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1201. GUMS, RALPH JOHN (Obituary No. 1201.), 86 Clermont - Ralph John Gums, 86, passed away March 29, 2007. He was born July 16, 1920 in Milwaukee WI, served in the Army Air Corp during WWII and retired from the State of Wisconsin as an Administrative Assistant. A local resident since 2001, he was an active member of Woodlands Lutheran Church. Surviving is his wife of 53 years, Charlotte Kanter Gums; son John Gums and wife Ivey of Gainesville; daughter Ann Zitzke and husband Al of Friendship, WI. and grandchildren Tyler & Aaron Gums & Alison Zitzke. A memorial service will be held at 1PM on Monday, April 2, 2007 at Woodlands Lutheran Church, 15333 CR 455 Monteverde, FL 34756 with Reverend Dr. Brian Kneeser officiating. Rather than flowers the family suggests memorial contributions to Woodlands Lutheran Church School. BECKER FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, Clermont is serving the family. Telephone 352-394-7121, Guest book at beckerfamilyfuneral.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/1/2007.

1202. HILLMAN, SACKER M. (Obituary No. 1202.), 71 Ocala - Sacker M. Hillman, 71, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Marcy 26, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. Mr. Hillman was a native of Brooklyn, New York. He relocated to Ocala, Florida in 1990 after retiring from the New York Transit Authority of 27 years. Mr. Hillman served in the Army of the United States. Mr. Hillman is survived by: Mrs. Joyce Hillman (Wife), Ocala, FL., Mrs. Doreen Hillman (Daughter) Ocala, FL., sisters, Dorothy Williams, Ocala, FL & Virginia Crawford, Brooklyn, New York., sister-in-laws, Norman Calendar, Stephanie Taylor, Elizabeth Edward, all of Brooklyn, NY., brother-in-laws, Isacc Taylor (Hampton, VA), Carl Taylor & Isacc Fant of Brooklyn, NY. Funeral Services for Mr. Sackie M. Hillman will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist, Dr. Fred Maeweathers, Pastor. Interment will follow in the Shady Grove Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

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recited at 6:15 p.m. The family request, in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34475-4860 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1204. KOMINSKY, ANTOINETTE M. (Obituary No. 1204.), 97 Belleview - Antoinette M. Kominsky, 97, of Belleview, passed away March 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in New York City, she lived most of her life in Chicago, IL, moving to Belleview in 1992 to be closer to her family. She was a member of the Catholic faith, and one of her greatest joys was cooking Sunday dinners for her very large family. She is survived by three daughters, Elizabeth McLain (Bill) of Belleview, FL, Charlotte Skaggs (Jack) of Prescott, AZ, Joyce Mummery (Bruce) of Albany, OR; a son, Edward Kominsky (Barbara) of Forest Hills, AZ; 21 grandchildren, 38 great-grandchildren, and 13 great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Kominsky was preceded in death by her parents, Constance and Anthony Yushas, her husband, Joseph Kominsky, two sisters, three brothers, and her daughter Connie Sorensen (Roy). Services will be at 11 a.m., Friday, March 30, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1205. MCCALL, JOHN ARTHUR (Obituary No. 1205.), 59 Reddick - Funeral service for Mr. John A. McCall will be held on Sunday, April 1, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Restoration Ministries with Pastor Bishop Ann Evans officiating. He is survived by his wife Annette McCall, (4) four children, (9) nine grandchildren, (3) brothers, Charlie McCall, Willie James McCall, and Ceopis McCall, (5) sisters, Leola Reed, Pearlie Mae Shine, Mattie Means, and Alberta Watkins. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing a memory that never fades". Visitation Friday, March 30, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1206. MULKEY, CECIL W. (Obituary No. 1206.), 85 Sparr - Cecil W. Mulkey, 85, died Thursday, March 29, 2007, He was born in Ocala and was a lifetime resident. He was a retired heavy equipment operator for the Marion County Road Department and was a US Army, wounded during WWII. He is survived by his wife Shirley of Sparr, stepsons, Randy Sheffield of Newton, GA., Dale Sheffield of Ocklawaha and David Sheffield of Chiefland, stepdaughters Judy Sherrill of Silver Springs and Debra Wells of Elijah, GA and seventeen grandchildren. Graveside services will be held on Sunday, April 1, 2007 at 2PM at Citra Cemetery. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/1/2007.

1207. SHELTON, FRANK BERNARD (Obituary No. 1207.), 54 Summerfield - Frank Bernard Shelton, 54, of Summerfield, FL passed away at his residence on March 27, 2007. He was a native of Summerfield, FL. Mr. Shelton was a truck driver for Rinker Materials. He is survived by: Mrs. Vanessa A. Morris Shelton (Wife), Summerfield, FL., daughters, Shannon Shelton & Ramonda Shelton (Iowa City, Iowa)., sons, Frank D. Shelton (Iowa City, Iowa)., Sedric Shelton (Florida)., grandsons, Dominique Bell, Jacquan Rouson (Iowa City, Iowa)., granddaughter, Parionna Roby, Iowa City, Iowa., God-daughter, Kelsey Johnson, Ocala, FL., sisters, Evangelist Patricia Perry, (Summerfield, FL)., Elizabeth Banks (Belleview, FL)., Loren Shelton (Pedro, FL)., brothers, George Shelton, Jr. (Florida)., Walter James Shelton (Calahan, FL)., Arnold
Funeral services for Mr. Shelton will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at Ramah Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Eugene F. Broxton, Pastor. Interment will follow in Mt. Olive Cemetery, Summerfield, FL. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "Summers Funeral Service makes the difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1208. SMITH CWO4, CHARLES E. (Ret. (Obituary No. 1208.) ) 91 Ocala - Charles E. Smith, 91 passed away November 12, 2006 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was a member of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship of Ocala. Mr. Smith spent 28 years in the US Air Force and served in WWII and the Korean Conflict. During WWII, his expertise in heat treating metals saved many pilots lives and P51 Mustang Fighter Planes. He worked as an Occupational Standards Office for Civil Service for 15 years. He moved here from Columbia, MD in 1981. He is survived by his wife Rose Marie Michell of Ocala, a daughter, Deborah Butler of Annapolis, MD., three sons, Stephen Smith of Colorado Springs, CO., Michael Smith of Kansas, Charles Butler of Bellevue, FL., a sister Arlene Fischer of Jupiter, FL., ten grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. Memorial Service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, TimberRidge on April 2, 2007 at 10AM. A gathering will begin one hour prior to the service. A luncheon will be held after the service at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Oakley. Following the luncheon, a processional will leave the funeral home at 1:30PM going to Florida National Cemetery where Mr. Smith will be buried with full military honors. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/3/2007.

1209. SUMMERS, JR., WILLIAM (Obituary No. 1209.), 78 Ocala - William Summers, Jr., 78, of Ocala, Florida passed on March 20, 2007 at Legacy House of Ocala. Mr. Summers is a native of Summerfield, Florida. He was a warehouse manager at the Trailer Company. Mr. Summers is survived by: Mrs. Constance Summers (Wife), Ocala, FL., Teresa Summers (daughter)., Ocala, FL., sons, Victor Pino, St. Pete, FL., Edwin Charles Summers, Michael Summers, Walter B. Summers, Dexter Summers, Stanley Summers (All of Ocala) William Summers III & Dennis Summers of Summerfield, FL., (29) grandchildren, (4) great grandchildren, Charles Summers, Ocklawaha, FL. Funeral services for Mr. Summers will be held 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. Tommy L. Brooks, Pastor. Interment will follow in Finley Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. "Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 3/31/2007.

1210. TRAPHOFNER, LORETTA ANNE (Obituary No. 1210.), 41 Ocala - Loretta Anne Traphofner, 41, of Ocala, Florida died Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at the home of Joyce Turner in Moss Bluff, FL. She was born May 14, 1965 in Jersey City, N.J. and lived in Florida most of her life. She was a homemaker and preceded in death by her father Jack (Trappy) Traphofner in 1999. She is survived by 2 daughters, Michelle Gilliland, Moore, Oklahoma and Anna Smothers, Ocala, Florida; son, Michael Traphofner, Ocala, Florida; mother, Nora (Cookie) Traphofner, Moss Bluff, FL., brother, Charles Traphofner, Moss Bluff, FL., 4 sisters, Alisa Scroggins, Moss Bluff, FL., Kim Threet, Moss Bluff, FL., Joanne Davis, Plant City, FL., and Maryanne Risner,
Deltona, FL.; 4 grandchildren; and boyfriend off and on for over 20 years Frank Knupp, Moss Bluff, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 4/1/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Sunday, April 1, 2007

1211. BRADY, MARION G. (Obituary No. 1211.), 91 Ocala - Marion G. Brady, 91, of Ocala, passed away March 30th at Marion House Health Care. Born in Pittsfield, Mass., she came to this area 28 years ago from Miami, FL. She was retired from the Federal Housing Administration (HUD) and was an active member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. She was a former member of the Church Choir, volunteered to run the religious articles store and was a Eucharistic Minister. She was also a member of the Council of Catholic women, Entre Nous and NAFRE Chapter #39. She is survived by her sisters, Rose M. Avalle of Silver Springs and Barbara J. Sanders of Tennessee. She was preceded in death by her husband, J. Howard Brady, brother, Harry Seaman, Jr. and sister, Dorothy Briggs. Visitation will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church (4047 NE 21st St., Silver Springs) on Monday (April 2nd) from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. A Funeral Mass will follow at the church at 11:30 a.m. Interment will be at St. Joseph Cemetery in Pittsfield, Mass. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/1/2007 - 4/2/2007.

1212. BURGESS-GRASSO, TERRESA J. (Obituary No. 1212.), 58 Pooler, GA - Terresa J. Burgess-Grasso, 58 passed away March 26, 2007. She was born in Louisville, KY and moved to South Florida in 1949. She moved to Ocala, FL in 1999 and graduated from Central Florida Community College in 2004. She was employed by the Arnette House as an IT Manager. She was preceded in death by her husband Michael T. Grasso. She is survived by her mother, Virginia Burgess, 92, sisters Judith Siciliano, Laraine Howard, Daughters Christina (Tim) Dixon and Meredith Baumgardner, and her husband Jason Standish, Step-children, Shauna Grasso, Jonathan Grasso, and Brittany Grasso. 3 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. She was loved and will be missed by all who knew her. A funeral service will be held at 1PM on Monday, April 2, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the funeral home. Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/1/2007.

1213. CROSBY, DEBORAH (Obituary No. 1213.), 52 Ocala - Deborah Eilene Crosby, 52, passed away on March 27, 2007 at her home. She moved to Ocala in 2002 from St. Petersburg. She worked as a Registered Nurse for 30 years, and was most recently employed at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was an active member of First Baptist Church in Ocala. She was a loving mother, grandmother, and daughter. She loved to participate in the Walk for Cancer and helping others. She is survived by her daughter Tina Evans of Trinity, FL, son Joseph Leon of St. Petersburg; parents Charlise and Ron Brown of Ocala; and grandchildren Alexis, Isabelle, Maeliaiuaki, and Kehaulani Evans of Trinity. A funeral service will be held at 11AM on Monday, April 2, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. A visitation will be held on Sunday, April 1, 2007 from 5-7pm at Hiers Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the CFCC Foundation where a nursing scholarship fund has been
established in her name. Contributions can be mailed to: CFCC Foundation, 3001 SW College Road Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/1/2007.

1214. GUMS, RALPH JOHN (Obituary No. 1214.), 86 Clermont - Ralph John Gums, 86, passed away March 29, 2007. He was born July 16, 1920 in Milwaukee WI, served in the Army Air Corp during WWII and retired from the State of Wisconsin as an Administrative Assistant. A local resident since 2001, he was an active member of Woodlands Lutheran Church, Surviving is his wife of 53 years, Charlotte Kanter Gums; son John Gums and wife Ivey of Gainesville; daughter Ann Zitzke and husband Al of Friendship, WI. and grandchildren Tyler & Aaron Gums & Alison Zitzke. A memorial service will be held at 1PM on Monday, April 2, 2007 at Woodlands Lutheran Church, 15333 CR 455 Monteverde, FL 34756 with Reverend Dr. Brian Kneesser officiating. Rather than flowers the family suggests memorial contributions to Woodlands Lutheran Church School. BECKER FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, Clermont is serving the family. Telephone 352-394-7121, Guest book at beckerfamilyfuneral.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/1/2007.

1215. HARBERT, WILLIAM E. "BILL" (Obituary No. 1215.), 78 Ocala - William E. "Bill" Harbert, 78 of Ocala died Sunday, March 25, 2007. Born in Salem, WV. Came to Ocala in 1979 from Manassas, VA. Bill was retired from the US Government and was an Army Veteran. Bill enjoyed all types of music, and attended the College Park Church of God. He is survived by his devoted wife Arlene Harbert of Ocala, son-Douglas (Kathy) Harbert of VA, son-Gary (Mary Jo) Harbert of TX, daughter-Deborah Lynn (John) Vina of Orlando, FL., step-daughter-Karen (Ed) Burford of Gainesville, FL., step-son Stephen (Roxanne) Beaudet of Reddick, FL. and 13 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the College Park Church of God with Pastor James Fleming conducting the services. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to College Park Church of God building fund or Hospice of your choice. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/1/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1216. JENKINS, MARGARET ANNE (Obituary No. 1216.), 83 Ocala - Margaret Anne Jenkins, 83, passed away on Friday, March 30, 2007 at New Horizon Rehabilitation Center in Ocala. She moved to Ocala from Jacksonville in 1998. She was a member of Hendricks Avenue Baptist Church in Jacksonville. She is survived by her daughter Judith Pinder of Ocala; son Stephen Jenkins of Aurora, CO; sister Roberta MacDonald of Jacksonville; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, April 4, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Entombment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or Moffitt Cancer Center Foundation, 12902 Magnolia Drive, Tampa, FL 33612. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/1/2007 - 4/2/2007.

1217. MULKEY, CECIL W. (Obituary No. 1217.), 85 Sparr - Cecil W. Mulkey, 85, died Thursday, March 29, 2007. He was born in Ocala and was a lifetime resident. He was a retired heavy equipment operator for the Marion County Road Department and was a US Army, wounded during WWII. He is survived by his wife Shirley of Sparr, stepsons, Randy Sheffield of Newton, GA., Dale Sheffield of Ocklawaha and David Sheffield of Chiefland, stepdaughters Judy Sherrill of Silver Springs and Debra Wells of Elijay, GA and seventeen grandchildren.
Graveside services will be held on Sunday, April 1, 2007 at 2PM at Citra Cemetery. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/1/2007.

1218. SMITH CWO4, CHARLES E. (Ret. (Obituary No. 1218.) ) 91 Ocala - Charles E. Smith, 91 passed away November 12, 2006 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was a member of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship of Ocala. Mr. Smith spent 28 years in the US Air Force and served in WWII and the Korean Conflict. During WWII, his expertise in heat treating metals saved many pilots lives and P51 Mustang Fighter Planes. He worked as an Occupational Standards Office for Civil Service for 15 years. He moved here from Columbia, MD in 1981. He is survived by his wife Rose Marie Michell of Ocala, a daughter, Deborah Butler of Annapolis, MD., three sons, Stephen Smith of Colorado Springs, CO., Michael Smith of Kansas, Charles Butler of Belleview, FL., a sister Arlene Fischer of Jupiter, FL., ten grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. Memorial Service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, TimberRidge on April 2, 2007 at 10AM. A gathering will begin one hour prior to the service. A luncheon will be held after the service at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Oakley. Following the luncheon, a procession will leave the funeral home at 1:30PM going to Florida National Cemetery where Mr. Smith will be buried with full military honors. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/3/2007.

1219. TRAPHOFNER, LORETTA ANNE (Obituary No. 1219.), 41 Ocala - Loretta Anne Traphofner, 41, of Ocala, Florida died Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at the home of Joyce Turner in Moss Bluff, FL. She was born May 14, 1965 in Jersey City, N.J. and lived in Florida most of her life. She was a homemaker and preceded in death by her father Jack (Trappy) Traphofner in 1999. She is survived by 2 daughters, Michelle Gilliland, Moore, Oklahoma and Anna Smothers, Ocala, Florida; son, Michael Traphofner, Ocala, Florida; mother, Nora (Cookie) Traphofner, Moss Bluff, FL., brother, Charles Traphofner, Moss Bluff, FL., 4 sisters, Alisa Scroggins, Moss Bluff, FL., Kim Threet, Moss Bluff, FL., Joanne Davis, Plant City, FL., and Maryanne Risner, Deltona, FL.; 4 grandchildren; and boyfriend off and on for over 20 years Frank Knupp, Moss Bluff, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/30/2007 - 4/1/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Monday, April 2, 2007

1220. BRADY, MARION G. (Obituary No. 1220.), 91 Ocala - Marion G. Brady, 91, of Ocala, passed away March 30th at Marion House Health Care. Born in Pittsfield, Mass., she came to this area 28 years ago from Miami, FL. She was retired from the Federal Housing Administration (HUD) and was an active member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. She was a former member of the Church Choir, volunteered to run the religious articles store and was a Eucharistic Minister. She was also a member of the Council of Catholic women, Entre Nous and NAFRE Chapter #39. She is survived by her sisters, Rose M. Avalle of Silver Springs and Barbara J. Sanders of Tennessee. She was preceded in death by her husband, J. Howard Brady, brother, Harry Seaman, Jr. and sister, Dorothy Briggs. Visitation will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church (4047 NE 21st St., Silver Springs) on Monday (April 2nd) from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. A Funeral Mass will follow at the church at 11:30 a.m. Interment will be at St. Joseph Cemetery in Pittsfield, Mass. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial
1221. GOSS, GAYLE HAMILTON (Obituary No. 1221.), 59 Ocala, FL & Palestine, TX - Gayle H. Goss, 59 of Ocala, FL and Palestine, TX left to be with the Lord and reside in her eternal heavenly home on Thursday, March 22, 2007 at 5:50 p.m. CST at the Hospice Unit of Palestine Regional Medical Center. Gayle was diagnosed in November 2006 with stage 4 breast cancer and courageously decided against any cancer treatments in order to enjoy her family and friends and live her life more abundantly. Gayle was born December 25, 1947 in Bloomington, IL to Barbara G. and Virgil L. Hamilton. Gayle married Joe Goss of Indianapolis, IN on July 4, 1968 in Peoria, IL. Gayle and Joe moved to Ocala, FL in 1971 where they made their home, built their careers and raised their two children. Gayle generously volunteered for numerous organizations and relished in her participation in her children's and community's activities. Joe and Gayle relocated to Paris, TX in 2000 where they lived for two years before making Palestine, TX their new home, where they enjoyed their new friends and community. Gayle H. Goss is survived by her husband Joe; daughter Michele L. Goss, 28, of Baltimore, MD.; son Eric H., 23, of Ocala, FL.; her mother Barbara Hamilton; her sisters Diane Hart, Connie McMahon, and Jill Earnest, all of Ocala, FL. Gayle is further survived by her sister Nancy Winstead of Morton, IL., and brother Steve Hamilton of Atlanta, GA.; as well as several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins. Gayle was preceded in death by her father Virgil L. Hamilton. Viewing will be at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL Ph. 352-622-8181 on Friday, April 6, 2007 from 12 Noon through the start of service at 2 p.m. John Hart, pastor of Higher Ground Christian Fellowship Church will be officiating. Interment is private. In lieu of flowers or other sympathies, please volunteer time or make donations to Hospice of East Texas or your local Hospice organization in loving memory of Gayle H. Goss - an amazing mother, devoted wife, loving sister, beautiful daughter, generous volunteer and caring friend. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/2/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1222. HARBERT, WILLIAM E. "BILL" (Obituary No. 1222.), 78 Ocala - William E. "Bill" Harbert, 78 of Ocala died Sunday, March 25, 2007. Born in Salem, WV. Came to Ocala in 1979 from Manassas, VA. Bill was retired from the US Government and was an Army Veteran. Bill enjoyed all types of music, and attended the College Park Church of God. He is survived by his devoted wife Arlene Harbert of Ocala, son-Douglas (Kathy) Harbert of VA, son-Gary (Mary Jo) Harbert of TX, daughter-Deborah Lynn (John) Vina of Orlando, FL., step-daughter-Karen (Roxanne) Beaudet of Reddick, FL. and 13 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the College Park Church of God with Pastor James Fleming conducting the services. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to College Park Church of God building fund or Hospice of your choice. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/1/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1223. JENKINS, MARGARET ANNE (Obituary No. 1223.), 83 Ocala - Margaret Anne Jenkins, 83, passed away on Friday, March 30, 2007 at New Horizon Rehabilitation Center in Ocala. She moved to Ocala from Jacksonville in 1998. She was a member of Hendricks Avenue Baptist Church in Jacksonville. She is survived by her daughter Judith Pinder of Ocala; son Stephen
Jenkins of Aurora, CO; sister Roberta MacDonald of Jacksonville; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, April 4, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Entombment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or Moffitt Cancer Center Foundation, 12902 Magnolia Drive, Tampa, FL 33612. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/1/2007 - 4/2/2007.

1224. SMITH CWO4, CHARLES E. (Obituary No. 1224.) 91 Ocala - Charles E. Smith, 91 passed away November 12, 2006 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was a member of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship of Ocala. Mr. Smith spent 28 years in the US Air Force and served in WWII and the Korean Conflict. During WWII, his expertise in heat treating metals saved many pilots lives and P51 Mustang Fighter Planes. He worked as an Occupational Standards Office for Civil Service for 15 years. He moved here from Columbia, MD in 1981. He is survived by his wife Rose Marie Michell of Ocala, a daughter, Deborah Butler of Annapolis, MD., three sons, Stephen Smith of Colorado Springs, CO., Michael Smith of Kansas, Charles Butler of Bellevue, FL., a sister Arlene Fischer of Jupiter, FL., ten grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. Memorial Service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, TimberRidge on April 2, 2007 at 10AM. A gathering will begin one hour prior to the service. A luncheon will be held after the service at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Oakley. Following the luncheon, a processional will leave the funeral home at 1:30PM going to Florida National Cemetery where Mr. Smith will be buried with full military honors. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/3/2007.

1225. STALEY, HELEN L. (Obituary No. 1225.), 85 Silver Springs - Helen L. Staley, 85, died Saturday, March 31, 2007. She was born in Plattsburg, NY and moved to Silver Springs in 1984 from Columbus, Ohio. She was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church and was a inspector in a manufacturing plant during the war and then became a waitress after the war. She is survived by her sister, Eva Dorsch of Silver Springs and her brother, Francis Premore of Plattsburg, NY, numerous nieces and nephew. She was preceded in death by her husband, Hampton and her sisters, Florence Weiffennbach and Catherine Cross and her brothers, Lawrence Premore, Henry Premore, and George Premore. In lieu of flowers please make contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/2/2007 - 4/4/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, April 3, 2007

1226. BUCHANAN, DORIS Y. (Obituary No. 1226.), 90 Ocala - Mrs. Buchanan a native of Ocala, FL., passed away at Sylvia's Hospice House of Ocala on Monday, April 2, 2007. She was a homemaker and a member of The Christ Anglican Church. She was a member of the Good Sam's Club, enjoyed travel, gardening, playing cards and was an expert seamstress. She was preceded in death by husband of 54 years, Archie N. Buchanan, Sr., brothers, Casper and Fred Young and granddaughter, Karen S. Buchanan. Survivors include daughter, Florence B. Rutland; son, Archie N. Buchanan, Jr. (Susan); sister, Florence Y. Converse; grandchildren, Edmund L. Rutland, Becky Hanna (Michael), Johnathan N. Buchanan (Maria)., Philip A. Buchanan; great grandchildren, Jennifer F. Rutland, Joseph M. Freed, Anthony L. Rutland., Ryan T. Rutland,
Jeremy T. Hanna, Sarah E. Hanna; great-great grandchildren, Keesa Rutland, and Angelica Freed; sisters-in-law, Betty Young and Mary Cowan Young; life long friend, Norma Wheeler. Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, April 5, 2007 at St. Mary Episcopal Church, of Bellevue. Interment will be at Greenwood Cemetery in Ocala, FL. Memorial donations may be made to Christ Anglican Church, 950 N.W. 70th Street, Ocala, FL., 34478 or Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL., 34478. HIERS FUNERAL HOME is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1227. BUSCH, ELMER R. (Obituary No. 1227.), 79 Ocala - Elmer R. Busch, 79, of Ocala and formerly of Meadville, PA., died March 30, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice, Ocala. He was born in Seneca, PA July 6, 1927, a son of Charles and Hazel Ray Busch. He married Virginia L. Whiteman August 2, 1947. He was a U.S. Army Air Corps. Veteran of WWII serving from 1945 to 1947 in the Pacific Theater of Operations. He worked as a sales counselor at Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Meadville from 1969 to 1992. He was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church and was an avid bowler, golfer, and tennis player. Survivors in addition to his wife, include 4 children, David P. Busch of Kansas City, MO., Karen L. Henderson of San Antonio, TX., Gwendolyn M. Latessa of Poland, OH., and Jeffrey A. Busch of Frederick, MD., 5 grandchildren, a brother, Ray Busch of Erie, PA., and nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by 2 brothers. Calling hours are Wednesday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the ROBERT W. WAID FUNERAL HOME, 581 Chestnut St., Meadville. A funeral service will follow at 2 p.m. Interment will be in Roselawn Memorial Gardens. Memorial may be made to Legacy House Hospice, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL., 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1228. GIOIELLA, JOSEPH A. (Obituary No. 1228.), 98 "ROBO POPS" Ocala - Joseph A Gioiella, age 98, passed away at his residence, Monday, April 2, 2007. He was born May 5, 1908 in Philadelphia, and retired from New Jersey in 1971 to West Palm Beach, and came to Ocala in 2000. Veteran of the U.S. Army during WWII, he later worked as a Supervisor in a military warehouse. Proceeded in death by wife Katherine. Survivors include two daughters, Kathy Ward (husband John) of Ocala and Margie Clyde (husband Tom) of Inwood, WV., three sisters, Alma Storti of TX., Sandy Culver of AL., and Connie Jankauskas of PA., five grandchildren, Philip, Tom, and Andy Ward, Ryan and Tim Clyde, five great grandchildren, Taylor and Gavin Ward, Jadyn, Braxton, and Samantha Clyde. Visitation will be Thursday, April 5, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIER FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860, Ocala 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1229. GOSS, GAYLE HAMILTON (Obituary No. 1229.), 59 Ocala, FL & Palestine, TX - Gayle H. Goss, 59 of Ocala, FL and Palestine, TX left to be with the Lord and reside in her eternal heavenly home on Thursday, March 22, 2007 at 5 50 p.m. CST at the Hospice Unit of Palestine Regional Medical Center. Gayle was diagnosed in November 2006 with stage 4 breast cancer and courageously decided against any cancer treatments in order to enjoy her family and friends and live her life more abundantly. Gayle was born December 25, 1947 in Bloomington, IL to Barbara G. and Virgil L. Hamilton. Gayle married Joe Goss of Indianapolis, IN on July 4, 1968 in Peoria, IL. Gayle and Joe moved to Ocala, FL in 1971 where they made their home, built their careers and raised their two children. Gayle generously volunteered for numerous organizations
and relished in her participation in her children's and community's activities. Joe and Gayle relocated to Paris, TX in 2000 where they lived for two years before making Palestine, TX their new home, where they enjoyed their new friends and community. Gayle H. Goss is survived by her husband Joe; daughter Michele L. Goss, 28, of Baltimore, MD.; son Eric H., 23, of Ocala, FL.; her mother Barbara Hamilton; her sisters Diane Hart, Connie McMahon, and Jill Earnest, all of Ocala, FL. Gayle is further survived by her sister Nancy Winstead of Morton, IL., and brother Steve Hamilton of Atlanta, GA.; as well as several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins. Gayle was preceded in death by her father Virgil L. Hamilton. Viewing will be at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL Ph. 352-622-8181 on Friday, April 6, 2007 from 12 Noon through the start of service at 2 p.m. John Hart, pastor of Higher Ground Christian Fellowship Church will be officiating. Interment is private. In lieu of flowers or other sympathies, please volunteer time or make donations to Hospice of East Texas or your local Hospice organization in loving memory of Gayle H. Goss - an amazing mother, devoted wife, loving sister, beautiful daughter, generous volunteer and caring friend. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/2/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1230. HARBERT, WILLIAM E. "BILL" (Obituary No. 1230.), 78 Ocala - William E. "Bill" Harbert, 78 of Ocala died Sunday, March 25, 2007. Born in Salem, WV. Came to Ocala in 1979 from Manassas, VA. Bill was retired from the US Government and was an Army Veteran. Bill enjoyed all types of music, and attended the College Park Church of God. He is survived by his devoted wife Arlene Harbert of Ocala, son-Douglas (Kathy) Harbert of VA, son-Gary (Mary Jo) Harbert of TX, daughter-Deborah Lynn (John) Vina of Orlando, FL., step-daughter-Karen (Ed) Burford of Gainesville, FL., step-son Stephen (Roxanne) Beaudet of Reddick, FL. and 13 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the College Park Church of God with Pastor James Fleming conducting the services. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to College Park Church of God building fund or Hospice of your choice. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/1/2007 - 4/4/2007.


1232. O'NEILL, JANE M. (Obituary No. 1232.), 80 Zephyrhills - Jane M. O'Neill, 80, of Zephyrhills, FL, passed away March 26, 2007. She was born March 22, 1927 in Clearwater, FL. She was the owner and operator of BJ Liquors in Clearwater, FL. Jane was a huge NASCAR Fan and animal lover, especially her loving cat "Spike" and beloved dog, "Squirt". She is survived by her loving family including her husband John O'Neill of Zephyrhills, FL; son, Tim (Susan) O'Neill of Ocala, FL; daughter, GiGi (David) McQueary of Plant City, FL., sister, MaryAnn Renninger of Spring Hope, NC; and one grandson, Tucker O'Neill of Ocala, FL. A Memorial Service will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, April 7, 2007 at HODGES FAMILY FUNERAL
1233. PARISH, ALFRED J. (Obituary No. 1233.), 81 Ocala - Alfred J. Parish, 81, passed away April 1, 2007 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville. He was born in Yonkers, NY and moved to Ocala from Mahopac, NY in 1984. He enjoyed boating, fishing and loved his German Shepherd. He was a member of St. Jude's Roman Catholic Community of Marion Oaks. He is survived by Helen Parish his wife of 58 years, daughter Debra Pezzullo of Mahopac, NY., sons Richard Parish of Rahway, NJ., Robert Parish of Kennesaw, GA., David Parish of Mahopac, NY., 11 grandchildren, sister Adelaide Groundwater of Yonkers, NY. He was preceded in death by a brother George Parish. Final services will be held in Yonkers, NY. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1234. RACETTE, MARY S. (Obituary No. 1234.), 85 Dunnellon - Mary S. Racette, 85, of Dunnellon, FL., died March 30, 2007 at her residence under the loving care of the family and Marion County Hospice. A native of Ware, MA., she lived most her life in Adams, MA. She relocated to Dunnellon from Ponce Inlet, FL., 51/2 years ago. She was of the Catholic Faith and a member of the Rainbow Lakes Estates Crafts Club. She left school at a young age and worked at the Berkshire Fine Spinning Factory. She then became a beautician and went on to own her own Beauty Shop. Predeceased by her husband Raymond Racette, brother, Clement Rys and sister, Carole Meczywor. Survivors include her daughter, Joan Meczywor and husband Don, Dunnellon, FL; sisters, Alice Pyra and Helen Guerin, Adams, MA., Jean Kaczowski, Sevoy, MA., and Stacia Langer, Williamstown, MA.; grandchildren, Kim Missick, Ocala, FL., Lee Meczywor, Adams, MA., and Karen Rose, Cheshire, MA.; and 5 great grandchildren. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478. Visitation will be at Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon Chapel, April 4, 2007 from 10 a.m. until funeral services at 11 a.m. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, DUNNELLON, FL 352-489-5363. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1235. RIFE, GALEN E. (Obituary No. 1235.), 73 Ocala - Galen Earl Rife graduated to heaven on March 31, 2007. Born on April 23, 1933 to Emma J. and Merl L. Rife (deceased) in Lurgan Township, Franklin County, PA. After graduating from high school, Galen worked for the Chambersburg Engineering Company, Domestic Pump Company, Mechanicsburg Naval Depot, and IBM. Galen worked for IBM for over 27 years. He retired in 1991 and moved to Ocala from Rockville, MD. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Nancy A., Ocala, FL., son, Donald E. Rife, Penllyn, PA., two grandsons, Michael G. & Brandon A. Rife, Penllyn, PA., sister, Thelma Jones, Orrstown, PA., brother, Gerald Rife, Mechanicsburg, PA. Galen is a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church and the Friendship of Ocala Kiwanis Club. A memorial service will be held at the Ocala West United Methodist Church on Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. Burial will be at the Salem Cemetery in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania on Saturday, April 21, 2007 at 11 a.m. Memorial Contributions may be made to the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation, 1332 N. Halsted, Suite 201, Chicago, ILL. 60622-2691. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/4/2007.
1236. SMITH CWO4, CHARLES E. (Ret. (Obituary No. 1236.) ) 91 Ocala - Charles E. Smith, 91 passed away November 12, 2006 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was a member of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship of Ocala. Mr. Smith spent 28 years in the US Air Force and served in WWII and the Korean Conflict. During WWII, his expertise in heat treating metals saved many pilots' lives and P51 Mustang Fighter Planes. He worked as an Occupational Standards Office for Civil Service for 15 years. He moved here from Columbia, MD in 1981. He is survived by his wife Rose Marie Michell of Ocala, a daughter, Deborah Butler of Annapolis, MD., three sons, Stephen Smith of Colorado Springs, CO., Michael Smith of Kansas, Charles Butler of Belleview, FL., a sister Arlene Fischer of Jupiter, FL., ten grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. Memorial Service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, TimberRidge on April 2, 2007 at 10AM. A gathering will begin one hour prior to the service. A luncheon will be held after the service at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Oakley. Following the luncheon, a procession will leave the funeral home at 1:30PM going to Florida National Cemetery where Mr. Smith will be buried with full military honors. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 3/31/2007 - 4/3/2007.

1237. STALEY, HELEN L. (Obituary No. 1237.), 85 Silver Springs - Helen L. Staley, 85, died Saturday, March 31, 2007. She was born in Plattsburg, NY and moved to Silver Springs in 1984 from Columbus, Ohio. She was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church and was an inspector in a manufacturing plant during the war and then became a waitress after the war. She is survived by her sister, Eva Dorsch of Silver Springs and her brother, Francis Premore of Plattsburg, NY, numerous nieces and nephew. She was preceded in death by her husband, Hampton and her sisters, Florence Weiffennbach and Catherine Cross and her brothers, Lawrence Premore, Henry Premore, and George Premore. In lieu of flowers please make contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/2/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1238. VANGILDER, WILMA "SUE" (Obituary No. 1238.), 78 Ocala - Mrs. Wilma "Sue" Vangilder, age 78, of Ocala, Florida died Friday, March 30, 2007 at the Legacy House Hospice. She was born in Paducah, Kentucky and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Muskegon, Michigan where she was an Inspector for over 34 years with the Scott Paper Company. She is a longtime member of the Living Water Wesleyan Church of Dunnellon, Florida. She is survived by her loving husband of (60) years, Robert E. "Bob" Vangilder, Sr., of Ocala, FL; her son, Robert E. Vangilder, Jr. of St. Gabriel, California; her (2) daughters, Sue Ann Brown of Arlington, TX. and Nancy Kay Rafferty of Ocala, FL; her brother, Jack Morrison of Arlington, TX; her (2) sisters, Louise Roedinger of St. Louis, MO and Peggy Forrester of Longview, TX; (6) grandchildren and one great granddaughter. Funeral Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, Florida 34476 with Interment to follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home one hour prior to the service time. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/4/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, April 4, 2007
1239. BUCHANAN, DORIS Y. (Obituary No. 1239.), 90 Ocala - Mrs. Buchanan a native of Ocala, FL., passed away at Sylvia's Hospice House of Ocala on Monday, April 2, 2007. She was a homemaker and a member of The Christ Anglican Church. She was a member of the Good Sam's Club, enjoyed travel, gardening, playing cards and was an expert seamstress. She was preceded in death by husband of 54 years, Archie N. Buchanan, Sr., brothers, Casper and Fred Young and granddaughter, Karen S. Buchanan. Survivors include daughter, Florence B. Rutland; son, Archie N. Buchanan, Jr. (Susan); sister, Florence Y. Converse; grandchildren, Edmund L. Rutland, Becky Hanna (Michael), Johnathan N. Buchanan (Maria)., Philip A. Buchanan; great grandchildren, Jennifer F. Rutland, Joseph M. Freed, Anthony L. Rutland., Ryan T. Rutland, Jeremy T. Hanna, Sarah E. Hanna; great-great grandchildren, Keesa Rutland, and Angelica Freed; sisters-in-law, Betty Young and Mary Cowan Young; life long friend, Norma Wheeler.

Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, April 5, 2007 at St. Mary Episcopal Church, of Belleview. Interment will be at Greenwood Cemetery in Ocala, FL. Memorial donations may be made to Christ Anglican Church, 950 N.W. 70th Street, Ocala, FL., 34478 or Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL., 34478. HIER'S FUNERAL HOME is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1240. BUSCH, ELMER R. (Obituary No. 1240.), 79 Ocala - Elmer R. Busch, 79, of Ocala and formerly of Meadville, PA., died March 30, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice, Ocala. He was born in Seneca, PA July 6, 1927, a son of Charles and Hazel Ray Busch. He married Virginia L. Whiteman August 2, 1947. He was a U.S. Army Air Corps. Veteran of WWII serving from 1945 to 1947 in the Pacific Theater of Operations. He worked as a sales counselor at Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Meadville from 1969 to 1992. He was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church and was an avid bowler, golfer, and tennis player. Survivors in addition to his wife, include 4 children, David P. Busch of Kansas City, MO., Karen L. Henderson of San Antonio, TX., Gwendolyn M. Latessa of Poland, OH., and Jeffrey A. Busch of Frederick, MD., 5 grandchildren, a brother, Ray Busch of Erie, PA., and nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by 2 brothers. Calling hours are Wednesday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the ROBERT W. WAID FUNERAL HOME, 581 Chestnut St., Meadville. A funeral service will follow at 2 p.m. Interment will be in Roselawn Memorial Gardens. Memorial may be made to Legacy House Hospice, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL., 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1241. CLARK, GLEN EDWARD (Obituary No. 1241.), 90 Ocala - Glen Edward Clark, born June 25, 1916 in Trenton, NE., passed away March 29, 2007 in Dayton, Ohio at 90 years of age. He was preceded to Heaven by his wife of 65 years, Iline Clark. He was also preceded in death by a brother, Charles Clark and a foster daughter Mary Groe. He is survived by a son, Martin E. Clark and his wife, Bonni of Beavercreek, OH., a son, Alan K. Clark and his wife, Deborah of Snellville, GA., and a foster daughter, Linda Shreve and her husband, David of Memphis, TN. Also surviving are 7 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren and his sister, Betty Janes of Mattoon, IL. Since 1988 he was a resident of Ocala where he was a member of the Central Baptist Church and active in the church's Senior Ambassadors. A graveside service will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, April 6, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Dr. Andy Bloom officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/4/2007 - 4/5/2007.
1242. DYE, MARYBELLE (Obituary No. 1242.), 86 Summerfield - Marybelle Dye, 86, died Wednesday, March 28, 2007 at Monroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. She was born in Springboro, PA. She was preceded in death by her husband, Grady Lee Dye, Sr. and son, Fredrick David Dye, Sr. and sisters, Jerolene Hagerty, Jesse Mae Shodd, Marian Rambo, Delphine Rambo and Ruth Rambo. Marybelle resided in Belleview, FL for 21 years and in Hob Sound, FL for 26 years, moving there form Kissimmee, FL. Her survivors include: sons, John (Shirley) Dye of Conneaut, Ohio, Grady L. (Vonda) Dye, Jr. and Paul (April) Dye, both of Hob Sound, FL., and Mark (Beth) Dye of Indiantown, FL.; daughters include: Esther Belle (Carl) Geary of Caldwell, Ohio, Elizabeth Reynolds of Mableton, GA., Josephine (John) Ritter of Belleview, FL., Elzenia (Arnold) Allison of Palm City, FL., Vilet Weaver of Stuart, FL., and Darlene Larabell-Pegg (Judge Robert Pegg) of Vero Beach, FL. She also leaves behind 37 grandchildren, 62 great grandchildren, and 4 great grandchildren. Funeral arrangements were handled by YOUNG AND PRILL FUNERAL HOME where a viewing was held on Friday, March 30, 2007. Funeral services were held on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at Christ Church in Stuart, and were officiated by Rev. Rob French, Rev. Samuel Miller and Rev. John Dye. She was laid to rest at Fernhill Cemetery immediately following the services. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the following missionary's: Christ Ambassador's, c/o Davie & Marilyn McKinney, 6588 E, Wayne Rd., Cooperstown, PA., 16317 (Marked for Belize) of Far North Christian School c/o Marlene Kerley 2575 Topaz Ave. A., North Pole, Alaska, 99705. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/4/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1243. GIOIELLA, JOSEPH A. (Obituary No. 1243.), 98 "ROBO POPS" Ocala - Joseph A Gioiella, age 98, passed away at his residence, Monday, April 2, 2007. He was born May 5, 1908 in Philadelphia, and retired from New Jersey in 1971 to West Palm Beach, and came to Ocala in 2000. Veteran of the U.S. Army during WWII, he later worked as a Supervisor in a military warehouse. Proceeded in death by wife Katherine. Survivors include two daughters, Kathy Ward (husband John) of Ocala and Margie Clyde (husband Tom) of Inwood, WV., three sisters, Alma Storti of TX., Sandy Culver of AL., and Connie Jankauskas of PA., five grandchildren, Philip, Tom, and Andy Ward, Ryan and Tim Clyde, five great grandchildren, Taylor and Gavin Ward, Jadyn, Braxton, and Samantha Clyde. Visitation will be Thursday, April 5, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860, Ocala 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/5/2007.

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1245. HARBERT, WILLIAM E. "BILL" (Obituary No. 1245.), 78 Ocala - William E. "Bill" Harbert, 78 of Ocala died Sunday, March 25, 2007. Born in Salem, WV. Came to Ocala in 1979 from Manassas, VA. Bill was retired from the US Government and was an Army Veteran. Bill enjoyed all types of music, and attended the College Park Church of God. He is survived by his devoted wife Arlene Harbert of Ocala, son-Douglas (Kathy) Harbert of VA, son-Gary (Mary Jo) Harbert of TX, daughter-Deborah Lynn (John) Vina of Orlando, FL., step-daughter-Karen (Ed) Burford of Gainesville, FL., step-son Stephen (Roxanne) Beaudet of Reddick, FL. and 13 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the College Park Church of God with Pastor James Fleming conducting the services. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to College Park Church of God building fund or Hospice of your choice. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/1/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1246. KIMBALL, SR., ROLAND W. (Obituary No. 1246.), 89 Ocala - Roland W. Kimball, Sr., age 89, of Ocala, Florida died Monday, April 2, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Monson, Maine and moved to Ocala in 1981 from Clinton, Maine where for over 30 years he owned and operated a Used Car Business. Roland loved playing his guitar and listening to country music. He also loved traveling and was a big NASCAR fan. But most of all, he loved his family. He is survived by his loving wife of (66) years, Viola M. Kimball of Ocala, Florida; his (2) sons, Roland W. and wife Rhonda Kimball, Jr., of Austin, TX. and Robert B. and wife Susan Kimball of Benton, Maine; his (2) daughters, Karen A. and husband Donnie Elston and Gayle M. McGuire and Rick, all of Ocala, Florida; also numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren. Funeral service will be 11 a.m., Friday, April 6, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, Florida 34476 with interment to follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home one hour prior to service time. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/4/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1247. LELAND, FLORENCE B. (Obituary No. 1247.), 92 Sarasota - Florence B. Leland, age 92, of Sarasota passed away in her home March 25, 2007, formally of Dunnellon, FL and Buffalo, NY. She was a homemaker and of Lutheran faith. Survivors include brother in Dunnellon, FL., Robert Winzenried, 5 children - Barbara McGinnis of Sarasota, FL., Warren Leland of Tucson, AZ., Linda Campbell of Buffalo, NY., Gary Leland of Simonsville NC., and

1248. O'NEILL, JANE M. (Obituary No. 1248.), 80 Zephyrhills - Jane M. O'Neill, 80, of Zephyrhills, FL, passed away March 26, 2007. She was born March 22, 1927 in Clearwater, FL. She was the owner and operator of BJ Liquors in Clearwater, FL. Jane was a huge NASCAR Fan and animal lover, especially her loving cat "Spike" and beloved dog, "Squirt". She is survived by her loving family including her husband John O'Neill of Zephyrhills, FL; son, Tim (Susan) O'Neill of Ocala, FL; daughter, GiGi (David) McQueary of Plant City, FL, sister, MaryAnn Renninger of Spring Hope, NC; and one grandson, Tucker O'Neill of Ocala, FL. A Memorial Service will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, April 7, 2007 at HODGES FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, State Route 54. Rev. Randall Belcher will officiate. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/4/2007.

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1251. RIFE, GALEN E. (Obituary No. 1251.), 73 Ocala - Galen Earl Rife graduated to heaven on March 31, 2007. Born on April 23, 1933 to Emma J. and Merl L. Rife (deceased) in Lurgan Township, Franklin County, PA. After graduating from high school, Galen worked for the Chambersburg Engineering Company, Domestic Pump Company, Mechanicsburg Naval Depot,
and IBM. Galen worked for IBM for over 27 years. He retired in 1991 and moved to Ocala from Rockville, MD. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Nancy A., Ocala, FL., son, Donald E. Rife, Penllyn, PA., two grandsons, Michael G. & Brandon A. Rife, Penllyn, PA., sister, Thelma Jones, Orrstown, PA., brother, Gerald Rife, Mechanicsburg, PA. Galen is a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church and the Friendship of Ocala Kiwanis Club. A memorial service will be held at the Ocala West United Methodist Church on Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. Burial will be at the Salem Cemetery in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania on Saturday, April 21, 2007 at 11 a.m. Memorial Contributions may be made to the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation, 1332 N. Halsted, Suite 201, Chicago, ILL. 60622-2691. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1252. STALEY, HELEN L. (Obituary No. 1252.), 85 Silver Springs - Helen L. Staley, 85, died Saturday, March 31, 2007. She was born in Plattsburg, NY and moved to Silver Springs in 1984 from Columbus, Ohio. She was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church and was a inspector in a manufacturing plant during the war and then became a waitress after the war. She is survived by her sister, Eva Dorsch of Silver Springs and her brother, Francis Premore of Plattsburg, NY, numerous nieces and nephew. She was preceded in death by her husband, Hampton and her sisters, Florence Weiffennbach and Catherine Cross and her brothers, Lawrence Premore, Henry Premore, and George Premore. In lieu of flowers please make contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/2/2007 - 4/4/2007.

1253. VANGILDER, WILMA "SUE" (Obituary No. 1253.), 78 Ocala - Mrs. Wilma "Sue" Vangilder, age 78, of Ocala, Florida died Friday, March 30, 2007 at the Legacy House Hospice. She was born in Paducah, Kentucky and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Muskegon, Michigan where she was an Inspector for over 34 years with the Scott Paper Company. She is a longtime member of the Living Water Wesleyan Church of Dunnellon, Florida. She is survived by her loving husband of (60) years, Robert E. "Bob" Vangilder, Sr., of Ocala, FL; her son, Robert E. Vangilder, Jr. of St. Gabriel, California; her (2) daughters, Sue Ann Brown of Arlington, TX, and Nancy Kay Rafferty of Ocala, FL; her brother, Jack Morrison of Arlington, TX; her (2) sisters, Louise Roedinger of St. Louis, MO and Peggy Forrester of Longview, TX; (6) grandchildren and one great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, Florida 34476 with Interment to follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home one hour prior to the service time. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/4/2007.

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1254. AGRIPPA, ELAINE HARRIS, (Obituary No. 1254.) 60 Ocala - Mrs. Elaine Harris Agrippa, age 60, of Ocala, Florida died Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at the Legacy House Hospice. She was born in Goshen, Indiana and moved to Ocala in 2003 from Tampa, Florida where she served over 15 years as a Registered Nurse at University Community Hospital. She is also a co-owner and operator with her husband Donald Agrippa of a Trucking Company. She is Methodist by faith. She loved painting, collecting cobalt glass, lighthouses and Native Southwestern Indian Art. She is survived by her loving husband of (13) years, Donald A. Agrippa of Ocala, FL.; her
son, Jeff Harris of Brandon, FL., her daughter, Barbi Harris of Plant City, FL.; her brother, Randall Gardner of Brandon, FL. and (3) grandchildren, Amber, Casey Joe Harris and Coral Woodruff. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL. 34476 from 2-6PM on Friday, April 6, 2007. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1255. BUCHANAN, DORIS Y., (Obituary No. 1255.) 90 Ocala - Mrs. Buchanan a native of Ocala, FL., passed away at Sylvia's Hospice House of Ocala on Monday, April 2, 2007. She was a homemaker and a member of The Christ Anglican Church. She was a member of the Good Sam's Club, enjoyed travel, gardening, playing cards and was an expert seamstress. She was preceded in death by husband of 54 years, Archie N. Buchanan, Sr., brothers, Casper and Fred Young and granddaughter, Karen S. Buchanan. Survivors include daughter, Florence B. Rutland; son, Archie N. Buchanan, Jr. (Susan); sister, Florence Y. Converse; grandchildren, Edmund L. Rutland, Becky Hanna (Michael), Johnathan N. Buchanan (Maria), Philip A. Buchanan; great grandchildren, Jennifer F. Rutland, Joseph M. Freed, Anthony L. Rutland, Jeremy T. Hanna, Sarah E. Hanna; great-great grandchildren, Keesa Rutland, and Angelica Freed; sisters-in-law, Betty Young and Mary Cowan Young; life long friend, Norma Wheeler. Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, April 5, 2007 at St. Mary Episcopal Church, of Belleview. Interment will be at Greenwood Cemetery in Ocala, FL. Memorial donations may be made to Christ Anglican Church, 950 N.W. 70th Street, Ocala, FL., 34478 or Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL., 34478. HIERS FUNERAL HOME is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1256. CLARK, GLEN EDWARD, (Obituary No. 1256.) 90 Ocala - Glen Edward Clark, born June 25, 1916 in Trenton, NE., passed away March 29, 2007 in Dayton, Ohio at 90 years of age. He was preceded to Heaven by his wife of 65 years, Iline Clark. He was also preceded in death by a brother, Charles Clark and a foster daughter Mary Groe. He is survived by a son, Martin E. Clark and his wife, Bonni of Beavercreek, OH., a son, Alan K. Clark and his wife, Deborah of Snellville, GA., and a foster daughter, Linda Shreve and her husband, David of Memphis, TN. Also surviving are 7 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren and his sister, Betty Janes of Mattoon, IL. Since 1988 he was a resident of Ocala where he was a member of the Central Baptist Church and active in the church's Senior Ambassadors. A graveside service will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, April 6, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Dr. Andy Bloom officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/4/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1257. DYE, MARYBELLE, (Obituary No. 1257.) 86 Summerfield - Marybelle Dye, 86, died Wednesday, March 28, 2007 at Monroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. She was born in Springboro, PA. She was preceded in death by her husband, Grady Lee Dye, Sr. and son, Fredrick David Dye, Sr. and sisters, Jerolene Hagerty, Jesse Mae Shodd, Marian Rambo, Delphine Rambo and Ruth Rambo. Marybelle resided in Belleview, FL for 21 years and in Hobe Sound, FL. for 26 years, moving there form Kissimmee, FL. Her survivors include: sons, John (Shirley) Dye of Conneaut, Ohio, Grady L. (Vonda) Dye, Jr. and Paul (April) Dye, both of Hobe Sound, FL., and Mark (Beth) Dye of Indiantown, FL.; daughters include: Esther Belle (Carl) Geary of Caldwell, Ohio, Elizabeth Reynolds of Mableton, GA., Josephine (John) Ritter of
Belleview, FL., Elzenia (Arnold) Allison of Palm City, FL., Vilet Weaver of Stuart, FL., and Darlene Larabell-Pegg (Judge Robert Pegg) of Vero Beach, FL. She also leaves behind 37 grandchildren, 62 great grandchildren, and 4 great grandchildren. Funeral arrangements were handled by YOUNG AND PRILL FUNERAL HOME where a viewing was held on Friday, March 30, 2007. Funeral services were held on Saturday, March 31, 2007 at Christ Church in Stuart, and were officiated by Rev. Rob French, Rev. Samuel Miller and Rev. John Dye. She was laid to rest at Fernhill Cemetery immediately following the services. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the following missionary's: Christ Ambassador's, c/o Davie & Marilyn McKinney, 6588 E, Wayne Rd., Cooperstown, PA., 16317 (Marked for Belize) of Far North Christian School c/o Marlene Kerley 2575 Topaz Ave. A., North Pole, Alaska, 99705. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/4/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1258. GIOIELLA, JOSEPH A., (Obituary No. 1258.) 98 "ROBO POPS" Ocala - Joseph A Gioiella, age 98, passed away at his residence, Monday, April 2, 2007. He was born May 5, 1908 in Philadelphia, and retired from New Jersey in 1971 to West Palm Beach, and came to Ocala in 2000. Veteran of the U.S. Army during WWII, he later worked as a Supervisor in a military warehouse. Proceeded in death by wife Katherine. Survivors include two daughters, Kathy Ward (husband John) of Ocala and Margie Clyde (husband Tom) of Inwood, WV., three sisters, Alma Storti of TX., Sandy Culver of AL., and Connie Jankauskas of PA., five grandchildren, Philip, Tom, and Andy Ward, Ryan and Tim Clyde, five great grandchildren, Taylor and Gavin Ward, Jadyn, Braxton, and Samantha Clyde. Visitation will be Thursday, April 5, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860, Ocala 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/3/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1259. GOSS, GAYLE HAMILTON, (Obituary No. 1259.) 59Ocala, FL & Palestine, TX - Gayle H. Goss, 59 of Ocala, FL and Palestine, TX left to be with the Lord and reside in her eternal heavenly home on Thursday, March 22, 2007 at 5 50 p.m. CST at the Hospice Unit of Palestine Regional Medical Center. Gayle was diagnosed in November 2006 with stage 4 breast cancer and courageously decided against any cancer treatments in order to enjoy her family and friends and live her life more abundantly. Gayle was born December 25, 1947 in Bloomington, IL to Barbara G. and Virgil L. Hamilton. Gayle married Joe Goss of Indianapolis, IN on July 4, 1968 in Peoria, IL. Gayle and Joe moved to Ocala, FL in 1971 where they made their home, built their careers and raised their two children. Gayle generously volunteered for numerous organizations and relished in her participation in her children's and community's activities. Joe and Gayle relocated to Paris, TX in 2000 where they lived for two years before making Palestine, TX their new home, where they enjoyed their new friends and community. Gayle H. Goss is survived by her husband Joe; daughter Michele L. Goss, 28, of Baltimore, MD.; son Eric H., 23, of Ocala, FL.; her mother Barbara Hamilton; her sisters Diane Hart, Connie McMahon, and Jill Earnest, all of Ocala, FL. Gayle is further survived by her sister Nancy Winstead of Morton, IL., and brother Steve Hamilton of Atlanta, GA.; as well as several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins. Gayle was preceded in death by her father Virgil L. Hamilton. Viewing will be at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL Ph. 352-622-8181 on Friday, April 6, 2007 from 12 Noon through the start of service at 2 p.m. John Hart, pastor of Higher Ground Christian Fellowship Church will be officiating. Interment is private. In lieu of flowers or other sympathies, please volunteer time or make donations to Hospice of East Texas or your local Hospice organization in

1260. KEY, ALVA (DUKE), (Obituary No. 1260.) 94 Ocala - Alva (Duke) Key, 94 died April 1, 2007 at Surrey Place in Ocala. Mr. Key was born October 22, 1912 in Key West, FL. and moved to Ocala 24 years ago. He was a retired service manager for a Caterpillar Dealership in Miami. Survivors include his wife of 72 years, Amy of Ocala, daughter Linda Saunders and husband Phil is also of Ocala, and a son Al Key of New Jersey. Mr. Key is survived by six grandchildren, Kathy of Cocoa Beach, Karen of Miami, Sharon of Pinson, AZ. Debbie of Lawrenceburg, TN. Ken of Raleigh, NC and Kay Ellen of New Providence, NJ. There are seven great grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1261. KIMBALL, SR., ROLAND W., (Obituary No. 1261.) 89 Ocala - Roland W. Kimball, Sr., age 89, of Ocala, Florida died Monday, April 2, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Monson, Maine and moved to Ocala in 1981 from Clinton, Maine where for over 30 years he owned and operated a Used Car Business. Roland loved playing his guitar and listening to country music. He also loved traveling and was a big NASCAR fan. But most of all, he loved his family. He is survived by his loving wife of (66) years, Viola M. Kimball of Ocala, Florida; his (2) sons, Roland W. and wife Rhonda Kimball, Jr., of Austin, TX. and Robert B. and wife Susan Kimball of Benton, Maine; his (2) daughters, Karen A. and husband Donnie Elston and Gayle M. McGuire and Rick, all of Ocala, Florida; also numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren. Funeral service will be 11 a.m., Friday, April 6, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, Florida 34476 with interment to follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home one hour prior to service time. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/4/2007 - 4/5/2007.

1262. LEE, WILLIE E., (Obituary No. 1262.) 83 Citra - Willie E. Lee, 83, a retired farmer and postal clerk for the United States Postal Service, died Tuesday, April 3, 2007. A native of Marion County, Willie Lee lived all his years in Florida. He is survived by his sons, George Lee of Birmingham, AL.; Jimmy Lee of Adairesville, GA.; Harold Lee of Citra; Donald Lee of Silver Springs, Stanley Lee of Valrico; daughters Edith Smith of Brooker and Sandra Smith of Ocala; FL., brothers Hubert Lee of Ocala, James Lee of Ocala, Charles Lee of Jesup, GA.; sisters Bertie Briggs of Jacksonville, Mae Cotton of Ocala; 24 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Rose Lee and daughter Jean Wilson. A funeral service will be held at 11AM on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Bill Smith, Dick Cornell, and Frank Porter officiating. Interment will follow at Millwood Cemetery. A visitation will be held from 6-8PM on Friday, April 6, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1263. MELENDEZ, LAINIE AND LEAH (Obituary No. 1263.) Ocala - Infants Lainie M. and Leah E. Melendez, died Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at an Ocala hospital. They are survived by: their mother Mireya Montanez of Summerfield, FL. Their father Ferdinand R. Melendez of Summerfield, FL. A brother Joshua Rodriguez of Summerfield, FL. Additional survivors include maternal grandmother and step grandfather Nick and Ada Kellar of Ocala, FL. Maternal

1264. ROBERTS, DON, (Obituary No. 1264.) 54 Simpsonville, SC - Don F. Roberts, 54, passed away April 1, 2007. A native of Florida, he spent his life in retail where he met his wife of 35 years. They raised their two daughters in the north central area until recently his career led him to South Carolina. He is survived by his wife, Diane, of Simpsonville, SC, daughters Kimberly and Kelly of Belleview, FL., mother Florence Williard of Lawrenceburg, TN., three brothers and two sisters. The viewing will be on Thursday April 5, 2007 from 10-11AM followed by funeral services at 11AM at the Belleview Church of God, 6419 SE 107th Street, Belleview, FL. 34420. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park immediately following the service. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview is in charge of the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1265. ROWLAND, BERTHA L., (Obituary No. 1265.) 86 Homosassa - Bertha L. Rowland, 86, loving sister, mother, grandmother, great grandmother and friend. Born April 21, 1920 to German immigrants Frank Otto Arnold and Anna Kathrine Wischusen in NYC, NY. Bertha was a graduate of the New York Institute for Applied Arts and Design and worked as a commercial artist and lithographer until she retired in 1990 to On Top of the World, Ocala, FL. Bertha was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Hicksville, NY and St. Timothy's Lutheran Church in Crystal River, FL. Bertha was preceded by her husband William F. Rowland, Jr. and her sister Frances A. Arnold. Survived by her sister Edna C. Cohen of NY, her children Dr. Barbara L. Mori of CA., William F. Rowland III of NV., Katherine A. O'Connell of FL., her grandchildren Christopher Y. Mori, Christopher T. O'Connell wife Pamela A. O'Connell and Laura C. O'Connell and her great grandchildren Victoria L. O'Connell and Kylie E. O'Connell. A Memorial Service will be held at St. Timothy's Lutheran Church at 12:30 on Sunday, April 15. Bertha will be buried with her husband in Pinelawn National Cemetery in New York. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1266. TAYLOR, THERESA IRENE, (Obituary No. 1266.) 58 Ocala - Theresa Irene Taylor, 58 passed away on Monday, April 2, 2007 at Estelle's House. A native of Detroit, MI., she moved here in 1992 from Gladwin, MI., and until very recently was an inventory control specialist with Empire Co. in Ocala. Mrs. Taylor was of the Lutheran faith. She is survived by her daughter Joann Rybkowski (Joe) of Beaverton, MI., daughter Jean Spaulding of Ocala, sister Edna Spencer (Tom), brother Doug Shomo (Brenda), brother Al Shomo; all of Detroit and eight grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1267. TRIBBLE, RONALD, (Obituary No. 1267.) 43 Dunnellon - Mr. Ronald Tribble, 43, died on April 1, 2007. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at 1 p.m. at First Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. N. Rawls, Pastor, Rev. Michael Murphy, Sr., Eulogist. Mr. Tribble is survived by (3) sisters: Renee Tribble, Tasha Watts and Lisa Watts; (2) brothers: Willie Watts and Tony Watts. Visitation Friday, April 6, 2007, 7-8 p.m. at Union Missionary

1268. WITHERSPOON, EMANUEL, (Obituary No. 1268.) 91 Dunnellon - Emanuel Witherspoon, 91, passed away on March 30, 2007 at Monroe Regional Hospital. He received an Honorable Discharge from the US Army. The body will repose from 10-11AM on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at New Second Bethel Baptist Church, 1940 West Henry Blair Lane, South Dunnellon, FL. Funeral services will immediately follow at 11AM. Dr. Johnny B. Adams will preside with Rev. John E. Hannibal delivering the eulogy. His survivors include two sons Emanuel (Mattie) Witherspoon Jr., Citrus Springs, FL. and Harvey (Stacy) Witherspoon, Upper Marlboro, MD. one daughter Joan Gray, Pasadena CA.; one step-daughter Lucille McCray, Dunnellon, FL. and a host of grand and great grandchildren, nephews, nieces and friends. The family will assemble at the home of Emanuel Witherspoon, Jr. located at 9298 North Mitchelle Drive, Citrus Springs, FL. at 10AM to proceed to the funeral. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1269. WOOLBRIGHT, IRENE MORAND, (Obituary No. 1269.) 72 Ocala - Mrs. Irene Morand Woolbright, 72, passed away on Tuesday, March 27, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Woolbright was born in Lake City, FL. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Irene M. Woolbright is survived by: (Devoted Husband) Mr. Leonard P. Woolbright, Jr., (Daughter) Sabrina (Arthur) Woolbright McCray, (Sons) Leonard P. Woolbright III (Sharon), Lemuel P. Woolbright (Niece) all of Ocala. (Devoted adopted daughter) Kimbel Jones, (God Child) Aneshia Thornton, Sisters: Lillian Turer, (Tampa, FL), Minister Dorothy Morand and Alice Morand both of Ocala, Brothers: Elroy (Billie) Morand, Gainesville, FL., Mitchell (Liz) Morand, Decatur, GA., Lofton (Frankie) Morand Pontiac, MI., Melvin (Mary) Morand, Ocala, FL. (20) Grandchildren, (3) Great-Grandchildren. Funeral service of Mrs. Irene Morand Woolbright will be held 2PM on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at Ramah Baptist Church., Rev. Eugene F. Broxton, Pastor. Interment will follow in Ramah Cemetery. There will be no wake or public visitation at Summers Funeral Home. Mrs. Woolbright will lie in repose only on Saturday at Ramah Baptist Church from 12 Noon until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Friday, April 6, 2007

1270. AGRIPPA, ELAINE HARRIS (Obituary No. 1270.), 60 Ocala - Mrs. Elaine Harris Agrippa, age 60, of Ocala, Florida died Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at the Legacy House Hospice. She was born in Goshen, Indiana and moved to Ocala in 2003 from Tampa, Florida where she served over 15 years as a Registered Nurse at University Community Hospital. She is also a co-owner and operator with her husband Donald Agrippa of a Trucking Company. She is Methodist by faith. She loved painting, collecting cobalt glass, lighthouses and Native Southwestern Indian Art. She is survived by her loving husband of (13) years, Donald A. Agrippa of Ocala, FL.; her son, Jeff Harris of Brandon, FL.; her daughter, Barbi Harris of Plant City, FL.; her brother, Randall Gardner of Brandon, FL. and (3) grandchildren, Amber, Casey Joe Harris and Coral Woodruff. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL. 34476 from 2-6PM on Friday, April 6, 2007. The family request
in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1271. CHEUVmonton, CAROLYN Lee (Obituary No. 1271.), 50 Ocala - Carolyn Lee Cheuvront, 50, passed away on Monday, April 2, 2007 at her home. A native of Miami, she was a lifelong resident of Ocala and was a bookkeeper for the former Alaco Enterprises in Ocala. Carolyn was of the Christian faith and is survived by her husband of 31 years, Rick Cheuvront of Ocala. She is also survived by son Rickie Elliott Cheuvront, daughter Charlotte Renee Cheuvront, brothers James Blitch and William Eden and father John Tripplett, all of Ocala and two additional brothers and one sister. Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1272. CRESCIONE, GERALDine D. (Obituary No. 1272.), 73 Ocala - Geraldine D. Crescione, 73 died Monday, April 2, 2007. She was born September 12, 1933 in Brooklyn, NY. She follows after her husband of 41 yrs. She always thought about others before herself. If everyone was happy, she was happy. She did for everyone without ever wanting anything in return. She was a Beloved wife and Mother. She is survived by her three children, Josephine Hansen and husband Patrick, Danny Crescione and wife Denise, Frank Crescione and wife Lisa. She was a Beloved Grandmother to George Casazza, Frank Casazza, James Hansen, Danny Schmidt, Krystal Hansen, Nikki Jennings, Frank Crescione, Jr., Butchie Rodrigo, Barry Rodrigo, Keith Rodrigo, Angel Crescione and Gina Crescione. Great Grandmother to Giovanna Hansen, Angelina Hansen, Mikey Rodrigo and Anthony Rodrigo. She also had many foster grandchildren. She enjoyed Bingo, Word Search Puzzles and playing Solitaire. Services will be held Saturday, April 7th at 2PM at the Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1273. DAVIs, JUANITA M. (Obituary No. 1273.), 79 St. Petersburg - Juanita M. Davis, 79 died April 3, 2007 at Hospice House Woodside City. She was a member of Moore's Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church, where she served on the Stewardess Board and with the Fannie Williams/Daisy Pierce Circle of the Missionary Society. She was active with the Fruitland Heights Neighborhood Watch Program. She is survived by daughter, Monica Davis-Griffin, St. Petersburg, FL., brother, Calvin McDaniel, Ocala, FL., sister Sallie Sears, Ocala, FL. Two grandchildren and 4 step-grandchildren. Funeral service Saturday, 2PM at Moore's Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church, St. Petersburg. Visitation 4-6PM today at the funeral home. Entrusted Care to SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 727-894-2266. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1274. KEy, ALVA (DUKE) (Obituary No. 1274.), 94 Ocala - Alva (Duke) Key, 94 died April 1, 2007 at Surrey Place in Ocala. Mr. Key was born October 22, 1912 in Key West, FL. and moved to Ocala 24 years ago. He was a retired service manager for a Caterpillar Dealership in Miami. Survivors include his wife of 72 years, Amy of Ocala, daughter Linda Saunders and husband Phil is also of Ocala, and a son Al Key of New Jersey. Mr. Key is survived by six grandchildren, Kathy of Cocoa Beach, Karen of Miami, Sharon of Pinson, AZ. Debbie of Lawrenceburg, TN. Ken of Raleigh, NC and Kay Ellen of New Providence, NJ. There are seven great grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.
1275. LEE, WILLIE E. (Obituary No. 1275.), 83 Citra - Willie E. Lee, 83, a retired farmer and postal clerk for the United States Postal Service, died Tuesday, April 3, 2007. A native of Marion County, Willie Lee lived all his years in Florida. He is survived by his sons, George Lee of Birmingham, AL.; Jimmy Lee of Adairesville, GA.; Harold Lee of Citra; Donald Lee of Silver Springs, Stanley Lee of Valrico; daughters Edith Smith of Brooker and Sandra Smith of Ocala; FL., brothers Hubert Lee of Ocala, James Lee of Ocala, Charles Lee of Jesup, GA.; sisters Bertie Briggs of Jacksonville, Mae Cotton of Ocala; 24 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Rose Lee and daughter Jean Wilson. A funeral service will be held at 11AM on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Bill Smith, Dick Cornell, and Frank Porter officiating. Interment will follow at Millwood Cemetery. A visitation will be held from 6-8PM on Friday, April 6, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/8/2007.

1276. LINDSEY, JACKIE JOHNSON (Obituary No. 1276.), 60 Ocala - Jackie Johnson Lindsey, age 60, of Ocala, passed away April 3, 2007 in Ocala. She was born October 28, 1946 in Pahokee, the daughter of Edgar and Nellie (Clark) Johnson. Survivors include her husband, Richard Lindsey; one son Wayne Lindsey of Ocala; and two daughters Dee Dee (David) Beck of Lakeport, and Laurie Lindsey of Moore Haven; one brother Stephen R. Johnson of Dallas, TX; two sisters Janice Campbell of Ocala, and Janet Wiseman of Clewiston; grandchildren Alisha Beck, Gary Beck and Garrett Lindsey. Funeral services will be held Friday, April 6, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Akin-Davis Funeral Home, Clewiston with Rev. Ben Williams officiating. Interment will follow in Ridgelawn Cemetery. Arrangements by AKIN-DAVIS FUNERAL HOME, CLEWISTON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1277. LOEHLEIN, JAMES R. (Obituary No. 1277.), 66 Ocala - James R. Loehlein, 66, passed away April 1, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Green Bay, WI. and worked in sales. He was a Green Bay Packers Fan. He is survived by wife, Augie Loehlein of Ocala, son, Christopher Loehlein of Tampa; daughter Anita Robertson of Taylors, SC. Brothers, Mel Loehlein & Jerry Loehlein, both of Green Bay, WI; sisters Joyce Brennan of Appleton, WI & Patty Loehlein of Green Bay, WI. Funeral Mass will be held Thursday, April 12, 2007 at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Hwy 200, Ocala, FL. with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, TimberRidge on Wed., April 11 from 4-6PM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to a charity of your choice. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1278. MAGARIELLO, JOSEPH (Obituary No. 1278.), 85 Ocala - Joseph Magariello, 85, died on April 3, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. He was a retired truck driver and was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He was a Veteran of World War II and served in the US Army. He is survived by his daughters Carol McDermott, Judith Magariello, Joan Smith and sons Craig Magariello and John Elter. Visitation will be held on Friday, April 6, 2007 from 1-3PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge. Interment at Pinelawn Cemetery, NY. He was predeceased by his first wife Harriet and his second wife Lulu, and son Christopher. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1280. ROBERTS, DON (Obituary No. 1280.), 54 Simpsonville, SC - Don F. Roberts, 54, passed away April 1, 2007. A native of Florida, he spent his life in retail where he met his wife of 35 years. They raised their two daughters in the north central area until recently his career led him to South Carolina. He is survived by his wife, Diane, of Simpsonville, SC, daughters Kimberly and Kelly of Belleview, FL., mother Florence Williard of Lawrenceburg, TN., three brothers and two sisters. The viewing will be on Thursday April 5, 2007 from 10-11AM followed by funeral services at 11AM at the Belleview Church of God, 6419 SE 107th Street, Belleview, FL. 34420. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park immediately following the service. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview is in charge of the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1281. ROWLAND, BERTHA L. (Obituary No. 1281.), 86 Homosassa - Bertha L. Rowland, 86, loving sister, mother, grandmother, great grandmother and friend. Born April 21, 1920 to German immigrants Frank Otto Arnold and Anna Kathrine Wischusen in NYC, NY. Bertha was a graduate of the New York Institute for Applied Arts and Design and worked as a commercial artist and lithographer until she retired in 1990 to On Top of the World, Ocala, FL. Bertha was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Hicksville, NY and St. Timothy's Lutheran Church in Crystal River, FL. Bertha was preceded by her husband William F. Rowland, Jr. and her sister Frances A. Arnold. Survived by her sister Edna C. Cohen of NY, her children Dr. Barbara L. Mori of CA., William F. Rowland III of NV., Katherine A. O'Connell of FL., her grandchildren Christopher Y. Mori, Christopher T. O'Connell, wife Pamela A. O'Connell and Laura C. O'Connell and her great granddaughters Victoria L. O'Connell and Kylie E. O'Connell. A Memorial Service will be held at St. Timothy's Lutheran Church at 12:30 on Sunday, April 15. Bertha will be buried with her husband in Pinelawn National Cemetery in New York. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1282. STRICKLAND, SR., REV. JOSEPH HODGES (Obituary No. 1282.), 84 Johnson - Rev. Joseph H. Strickland, Sr. died March 29, 2007 at the Malcolm Randall VA Hospital in Gainesville. Born in Edgar, Rev. Strickland was a life long resident of the area and received his undergraduate degree from Florida A&M University, Tallahassee, FL., and served in the US Navy during World War II. He's the current Pastor of Evergreen Missionary Baptist Church, Florahome, FL. He's the former pastor of Mt. Bethel M.B.C., Edgar, FL., Macedonia M.B.C., Francis, FL. Other Church and Organizational Affiliations include serving as President of the St. John River Ministers and Deacons Union, President of the Second Bethlehem Baptist
Rev. Strickland was a major influence in the Johnson Crossroads Community and will be dearly missed by his wife of 63 years, Mary E. Strickland, Johnson, FL.; 3 children, Wendell (Mary) Strickland, Duncanville, TX.; Brenda Strickland Brown, Abingdon, MD and Leonard (Diane) Strickland, Gordon Chapel, FL.; a sister, Clementine Strickland Maxey, Belleview, FL.; 9 grands; 6 great-grands; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friend. Celebratory Services will be held on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at 1PM at Trinity United Missionary Baptist Church at Gilgal where Dr. Clarence Woods is Pastor and Dr. Fred MaeWeather is Eulogist. Burial will be in Gilgal Cemetery. Viewing hours on Friday from 4-8PM at the Funeral Home and Saturday at the Church, 30 minutes prior to Service. There will no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will assemble at Rev. & Mrs. Joseph Strickland's home 12:30PM, Saturday. Services Entrusted To The Care of PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 21400 SE HAWTHORNE RD., HAWTHORNE, FL. (352)481-2903. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1283. SULLIVAN, JAMES N. "JIMMY" (Obituary No. 1283.), 59 Spring Hill - James N. "Jimmy" Sullivan, 59, formerly of Ocala, died Monday, March 26, 2007 under the care of Pasco-Hernando Hospice House. Born May 16, 1945 in Warren, Ohio, of James W. Sullivan (deceased) and Madelyn N. Sullivan, Jimmy moved to Ocala from Warren in 1992 and live in Ocala until 2004 when he moved, with his mother, to Spring Hill, Florida. He was a social services volunteer for several organizations, including Meals on Wheels for over twenty years. In addition to his mother, Jimmy is survived by two sisters, Lynn Sullivan Taber (Sun City Center) and Shei Sofsky (husband Leonard) of Seal Rock, Oregon; two nephews and one niece; and eight great-nephews and nieces. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, April 7, 2007, at the First United Methodist Church on Silver Springs Blvd. in Ocala. Interment will be in the Columbarium at the First Presbyterian Church in Warren, Ohio at a future date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Pasco-Hernando Hospice at 12254 Cortez Blvd., Brooksville, Florida, 34613, (352) 597-0736. Arrangements by SUN CITY FUNERAL HOME, Sun City Center, (813) 634-9900. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1284. SWIFT, WILBERT ROLAND (Obituary No. 1284.), 68 Belleview - Wilbert Roland Smith, 68, is survived by his Wife, Norma Swift, Daughters: Roslyn Smith, Belleview, FL., Tina Williams, Sicklerville, NJ; one Son: Ricardo Swift, Hartford, CT., one Sister: Jean Preston, two Brothers Robert John, Samuel Swift all of Camden, NJ, and seven Grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Swift will be held on Saturday, April 7, 2007, 11AM at Calvary Baptist Church, 10515 SE 115 Ave., Silver Spring Shores, FL. Eulogist-Pastor Luis Perez. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9AM-5PM. A wake service will be held at 6PM in Sellers Funeral Home Chapel. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. Isaac & Roslyn Smith (12188 SE 86th Ave, Belleview, FL) on Sat. at 10:15AM to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1285. TAYLOR, THERESA IRENE (Obituary No. 1285.), 58 Ocala - Theresa Irene Taylor, 58 passed away on Monday, April 2, 2007 at Estelle's House. A native of Detroit, MI., she moved here in 1992 from Gladwin, MI., and until very recently was an inventory control specialist with
Empire Co. in Ocala. Mrs. Taylor was of the Lutheran faith. She is survived by her daughter Joann Rybkowski (Joe) of Beaverton, MI., daughter Jean Spaulding of Ocala, sister Edna Spencer (Tom), brother Doug Shomo (Brenda), brother Al Shomo; all of Detroit and eight grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1286. THORMAN, JR., ROBERT JOHN (Obituary No. 1286.), 64 Belleview - Robert John Thorman, Jr., 64 died on Thursday, April 5, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Cincinnati, OH. He served in the US Air Force. Mr. Thorman was a beverage salesman for Canada Dry. He moved to Belleview from Fayetteville, NC in 1994. Mr. Thorman is survived by four sons: Gregory Thorman of Belleview, Stacey Thorman of Parkton, NC., Robert E. Thorman of Norfolk, VA and Isaac Thorman of Belleview; two daughters: Tammy Townsend of St. Pauls, NC and Cynthia Freehill of Ft. Sill, OK., two sisters: Linda Girtman of East Lake Weir and Carolyn Moore of Katy, TX. and ten grandchildren. Burial of cremains will take place in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens in Ft. Pierce, FL. Information provided by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon-still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1287. TRIBBLE, RONALD (Obituary No. 1287.), 43 Dunnellon - Mr. Ronald Tribble, 43, died on April 1, 2007. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at 1 p.m. at First Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. N. Rawls, Pastor, Rev. Michael Murphy, Sr., Eulogist. Mr. Tribble is survived by (3) sisters: Renee Tribble, Tasha Watts and Lisa Watts; (2) brothers: Willie Watts and Tony Watts. Visitation Friday, April 6, 2007, 7-8 p.m. at Union Missionary Baptist Church. Services Entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1288. WITHERSPOON, EMANUEL (Obituary No. 1288.), 91 Dunnellon - Emanuel Witherspoon, 91, passed away on March 30, 2007 at Monroe Regional Hospital. He received an Honorable Discharge from the US Army. The body will repose from 10-11AM on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at New Second Bethel Baptist Church, 1940 West Henry Blair Lane, South Dunnellon, FL. Funeral services will immediately follow at 11AM. Dr. Johnny B. Adams will preside with Rev. John E. Hannibal delivering the eulogy. His survivors include two sons Emanuel (Mattie) Witherspoon Jr., Citrus Springs, FL. and Harvey (Stacy) Witherspoon, Upper Marlboro, MD, one daughter Joan Gray, Pasadena CA.; one step-daughter Lucille McCray, Dunnellon, FL. and a host of grand and great grandchildren, nephews, nieces and friends. The family will assemble at the home of Emanuel Witherspoon, Jr. located at 9298 North Mitchelle Drive, Citrus Springs, FL. at 10AM to proceed to the funeral. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

1289. WOOLBRIGHT, IRENE MORAND (Obituary No. 1289.), 72 Ocala - Mrs. Irene Morand Woolbright, 72, passed away on Tuesday, March 27, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Woolbright was born in Lake City, FL. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Irene M. Woolbright is survived by: (Devoted Husband) Mr. Leonard P. Woolbright, Jr., (Daughter) Sabrina (Arthur) Woolbright McCray, (Sons) Leonard P. Woolbright III (Sharon), Lemuel P. Woolbright (Niece) all of Ocala. (Devoted adopted daughter) Kimbel Jones, (God Child) Aneshia Thornton, Sisters: Lillian Turer, (Tampa, FL), Minister Dorothy Morand and Alice Morand both of Ocala, Brothers: Elroy (Billie) Morand, Gainesville, FL., Mitchell (Liz) Morand, Decatur, GA., Lofton (Frankie)
Morand Pontiac, MI., Melvin (Mary) Morand, Ocala, FL. (20) Grandchildren, (3) Great-Grandchildren. Funeral service of Mrs. Irene Morand Woolbright will be held 2PM on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at Ramah Baptist Church., Rev. Eugene F. Broxton, Pastor. Interment will follow in Ramah Cemetery. There will be no wake or public visitation at Summers Funeral Home. Mrs. Woolbright will lie in repose only on Saturday at Ramah Baptist Church from 12 Noon until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/6/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Saturday, April 7, 2007

1290. CHEUVRON, CAROLYN LEE, (Obituary No. 1290.) 50 Ocala - Carolyn Lee Cheuvront, 50, passed away on Monday, April 2, 2007 at her home. A native of Miami, she was a lifelong resident of Ocala and was a bookkeeper for the former Alaco Enterprises in Ocala. Carolyn was of the Christian faith and is survived by her husband of 31 years, Rick Cheuvront of Ocala. She is also survived by son Rickie Elliott Cheuvront, daughter Charlotte Renee Cheuvront, brothers James Blitch and William Eden and father John Tripplett, all of Ocala and two additional brothers and one sister. Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1291. CRESCIONE, GERALDINE D., (Obituary No. 1291.) 73 Ocala - Geraldine D. Crescione, 73 died Monday, April 2, 2007. She was born September 12, 1933 in Brooklyn, NY. She follows after her husband of 41 yrs. She always thought about others before herself. If everyone was happy, she was happy. She did for everyone without ever wanting anything in return. She was a Beloved wife and Mother. She is survived by her three children, Josephine Hansen and husband Patrick, Danny Crescione and wife Denise, Frank Crescione and wife Lisa. She was a Beloved Grandmother to George Casazza, Frank Casazza, James Hansen, Danny Schmidt, Krystal Hansen, Nikki Jennings, Frank Crescione, Jr., Butchie Rodrigo, Barry Rodrigo, Keith Rodrigo, Angel Crescione and Gina Crescione. Great Grandmother to Giovanna Hansen, Angelina Hansen, Mikey Rodrigo and Anthony Rodrigo. She also had many foster grandchildren. She enjoyed Bingo, Word Search Puzzles and playing Solitaire. Services will be held Saturday, April 7th at 2PM at the Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1292. DAVIS, JUANITA M., (Obituary No. 1292.) 79 St. Petersburg - Juanita M. Davis, 79 died April 3, 2007 at Hospice House Woodside City. She was a member of Moore's Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church, where she served on the Stewardess Board and with the Fannie Williams/Daisy Pierce Circle of the Missionary Society. She was active with the Fruitland Heights Neighborhood Watch Program. She is survived by daughter, Monica Davis-Griffin, St. Petersburg, FL., brother, Calvin McDaniel, Ocala, FL., sister Sallie Sears, Ocala, FL. Two grandchildren and 4 step-grandchildren. Funeral service Saturday, 2PM at Moore's Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church, St. Petersburg. Visitation 4-6PM today at the funeral home. Entrusted Care to SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 727-894-2266. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1293. FALER, TERRY L., (Obituary No. 1293.) 57 Citra - Terry L. Faler, 57, passed away at his residence on April 4, 2007. He was born September 6, 1949 in Muskegon, MI and came to Citra
23 years ago from Adrian, MI. He did auto detailing and he enjoyed singing country music, shopping at thrift stores, yard sales, and antique cars. Terry enjoyed singing at the AM-VETS Club #19 in Orange Lake. He is survived by his wife Brenda of Citra, two daughters Laura Lowe of Napoleon, OH., Deidra Howard of Citra, brother Danny Hosler of Ocklawaha, five grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Funeral services will be 4PM Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation 3-6PM Monday. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Interment will be in Adrian, MI. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/7/2007 - 4/8/2007.

1294. Koon, Harry (Obituary No. 1294.) Martin, 80, Old Town - Harry Martin Koon, 80, passed away Wednesday, April 4, 2007 at North Florida Regional Medical Center in Gainesville. Born January 21, 1927, he was 80 years old at the time of his death. He moved to Old Town in 1987 from Silver Springs, FL. Harry was a lifetime member of the American Legion, Post 91 in Trenton. He was a Baptist and attended the First Baptist Church of Cross City. He is survived by his wife, Marcia E. Koon of Old Town; sons, Richard Martin Koon of Citra, Michael Herman Koon, Patrick Lee Koon, and David William Koon all of Ocala; stepson James Doyle Smith of Arlington, TX; sister, Alice Williams of Ocala; 5 grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at 11AM at the Rick Gooding Funeral Home Chapel in Cross City with Rev Mike Brown officiating. A visitation will be held prior to services between the hours of 10&11AM. A graveside service will be held at Gore Cemetery, 3PM in Silver Springs on Tuesday, April 10, 2007 with Rev. Dan Craig officiating. Arrangements have been placed under the care of the Rick Gooding Funeral Home, US Hwy 19, Cross City, FL (352)498-5400. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/7/2007 - 4/8/2007.

1295. Lee, Willie E., (Obituary No. 1295.) Citra - Willie Lee, 83, a retired farmer and postal clerk for the United States Postal Service, died Tuesday, April 3, 2007. A native of Marion County, Willie Lee lived all his years in Florida. He is survived by his sons, George Lee of Birmingham, AL.; Jimmy Lee of Adairesville, GA.; Harold Lee of Citra; Donald Lee of Silver Springs, Stanley Lee of Valrico; daughters Edith Smith of Brooker and Sandra Smith of Ocala; FL., brothers Hubert Lee of Ocala, James Lee of Ocala, Charles Lee of Jesup, GA.; sisters Bertie Briggs of Jacksonville, Mae Cotton of Ocala; 24 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Rose Lee and daughter Jean Wilson. A funeral service will be held at 11AM on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Bill Smith, Dick Cornell, and Frank Porter officiating. Interment will follow at Millwood Cemetery. A visitation will be held from 6-8PM on Friday, April 6, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/7/2007 - 4/8/2007.

1296. Lindsey, Jackie Johnson, (Obituary No. 1296.) Ocala - Jackie Johnson Lindsey, age 60, of Ocala, passed away April 3, 2007 in Ocala. She was born October 28, 1946 in Pahokee, the daughter of Edgar and Nellie (Clark) Johnson. Survivors include her husband, Richard Lindsey; one son Wayne Lindsey of Ocala; and two daughters Dee Dee (David) Beck of Lakeport, and Laurie Lindsey of Moore Haven; one brother Stephen R. Johnson of Dallas, TX; two sisters Janice Campbell of Ocala, and Janet Wiseman of Clewiston; grandchildren Alisha Beck, Gary Beck and Garrett Lindsey. Funeral services will be held Friday, April 6, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Akin-Davis Funeral Home, Clewiston with Rev. Ben Williams officiating. Interment will
follow in Ridgelawn Cemetery. Arrangements by AKIN-DAVIS FUNERAL HOME,

1297. LOEHLEIN, JAMES R., (Obituary No. 1297.) 66 Ocala - James R. Loehlein, 66, passed away April 1, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Green Bay, WI. and worked in sales. He was a Green Bay Packers Fan. He is survived by wife, Augie Loehlein of Ocala, son, Christopher Loehlein of Tampa; daughter Anita Robertson of Taylors, SC. Brothers, Mel Loehlein & Jerry Loehlein, both of Green Bay, WI; sisters Joyce Brennan of Appleton, WI & Patty Loehlein of Green Bay, WI. Funeral Mass will be held Thursday, April 12, 2007 at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Hwy 200, Ocala, FL. with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, TimberRidge on Wed., April 11 from 4-6PM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to a charity of your choice. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1298. MAGARIELLO, JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 1298.) 85 Ocala - Joseph Magariello, 85, died on April 3, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. He was a retired truck driver and was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He was a Veteran of World War II and served in the US Army. He is survived by his daughters Carol McDermott, Judith Magariello, Joan Smith and sons Craig Magariello and John Elter. Visitation will be held on Friday, April 6, 2007 from 1-3PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge. Interment at Pinelawn Cemetery, NY. He was predeceased by his first wife Harriet and his second wife Lulu, and son Christopher. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1299. MARSHALL, JR., BEN J., (Obituary No. 1299.) 86 Dunnellon - Ben J. Marshall, Jr., 86, a retired engineer for Florida Power Corp. died April 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was a native of Camilla, GA., and moved to Dunnellon in 1935, moved to St. Petersburg in 1954, and back to Dunnellon in 1979. He attended schools in Georgia and Florida, graduating from the University of Florida with the degree Bachelor of Electrical Engineering. He was a Registered Engineer in the State of Florida (ret), a member of the Florida Engineering Society, and a senior Member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers. He served on various committees of the Edison Electric Institute. He was active in the Boy Scouts of America as a Scoutmaster in Dunnellon in 1940's and in St. Petersburg in the 1960's. He was a member and Elder of the Dunnellon Presbyterian Church. He worked for Florida Power Corp for 42 years holding various positions in the Engineering, Construction, and Maintenance of large electrical generating plants. After retirement he worked for Bob Rogers Realty in Dunnellon. He served three years in the Army Air Corps in WWII. He was a flight instructor in twin engine advance flight training, served in the China-Burma-India theater flying supplies over the famed "Hump", the Himalaya mountains-from India into China to stem the advance of the Japanese in China. He flew four engine B-24 Liberator bomber type planes that were converted to carry supplies and was last assigned to the 1352nd AAF Search and Rescue Unit flying B-25's on search and rescue missions over the Himalaya mountains. He received the Air Medal with two clusters, the Freedom Medal issued by China, and was an honorary pilot in the Chinese Air Force. He was a member of the Hump Pilots Association and a member of American Legion Post 58 in Dunnellon. Survivors include his wife Juanita Vann Marshall of Dunnellon, a son Ben J III and wife Barbara of New Port Richey, FL., daughter Susan Marshall Eichler and husband Stephen of
St. Petersburg, FL, son Thomas E. Marshall and wife Vicky of Statesboro, GA. and six
grandchildren. Funeral services will be Monday, April 9, 2007 at 11AM at the First Presbyterian
Church of Dunnellon with Rev. Jeffery Welch officiating. Family will receive Friends from 10-
11AM, one hour prior to the Service. Burial will be in Dunnellon Memorial Gardens, following
the Service. Those who wish may make Contribution to the First Presbyterian Church of
Dunnellon in Ben Marshall's name. Information provided by Roberts Funeral Home of
Dunnellon-STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner

1300. MELENDEZ, LAINIE AND LEA (Obituary No. 1300.)H Ocala - Infants Lainie M. and
Leah E. Melendez, died Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at an Ocala hospital. They are survived by: their
mother Mireya Montanez of Summerfield, FL. Their father Ferdinand R. Melendez of
Summerfield, FL. brothers Joshua Rodriguez of Summerfield, FL., Maximus and Brendon
Melendez of New York. Additional survivors include maternal grandmother and step grandfather
Nick and Ada Kellar of Ocala, FL. Maternal grandfather and step grandmother Felix and Carman
Montanez of Tampa, FL. Paternal grandfather Ferdinand Russo of NY. Many aunts, uncles and
cousins. Graveside services will be held Monday, April 9, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Highland Memorial
Park Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Services under the direction of PURCELL FUNERAL HOME, 114
W. Noble Ave., Bushnell, FL 33513. (352)793-4531. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from

1301. STRICKLAND, SR., REV. JOSEPH HODGES, 84 (Obituary No. 1301.) Johnson - Rev.
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John River Ministers and Deacons Union, President of the Second Bethlehem Baptist
Association, Ministers, Deacons, Layman & Youth Congress, Member of Edgar Lodge No. 201
and American Legion Post & Auxillary No. 293, Interlachen, FL. where he served as Chaplain.
Rev. Strickland was a major influence in the Johnson Crossroads Community and will be dearly
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HAWTHORNE, FL. (352)481-2903. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 -
1302. SULLIVAN, JAMES N. "JIMMY", (Obituary No. 1302.) 59 Spring Hill - James N. "Jimmy" Sullivan, 59, formerly of Ocala, died Monday, March 26, 2007 under the care of Pasco-Hernando Hospice House. Born May 16, 1945 in Warren, Ohio, of James W. Sullivan (deceased) and Madelyn N. Sullivan, Jimmy moved to Ocala from Warren in 1992 and live in Ocala until 2004 when he moved, with his mother, to Spring Hill, Florida. He was a social services volunteer for several organizations, including Meals on Wheels for over twenty years. In addition to his mother, Jimmy is survived by two sisters, Lynn Sullivan Taber (Sun City Center) and Shei Sofsky (husband Leonard) of Seal Rock, Oregon; two nephews and one niece; and eight great-nephews and nieces. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, April 7, 2007, at the First United Methodist Church on Silver Springs Blvd. in Ocala. Interment will be in the Columbarium at the First Presbyterian Church in Warren, Ohio at a future date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Pasco-Hernando Hospice at 12254 Cortez Blvd., Brooksville, Florida, 34613, (352) 597-0736. Arrangements by SUN CITY FUNERAL HOME, Sun City Center, (813) 634-9900.


1303. SWIFT, WILBERT ROLAND, (Obituary No. 1303.) 68 Belleview - Wilbert Roland Smith, 68, is survived by his Wife, Norma Swift, Daughters: Roslyn Smith, Belleview, FL., Tina Williams, Sicklerville, NJ; one Son: Ricardo Swift, Hartford, CT., one Sister: Jean Preston, two Brothers Robert John, Samuel Swift all of Camden, NJ, and seven Grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Swift will be held on Saturday, April 7, 2007, 11AM at Calvary Baptist Church, 10515 SE 115 Ave., Silver Spring Shores, FL. Eulogist-Pastor Luis Perez. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9AM-5PM. A wake service will be held at 6PM in Sellers Funeral Home Chapel. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. Isaac & Roslyn Smith (12188 SE 86th Ave, Belleview, FL) on Sat. at 10:15AM to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

1304. THORMAN, JR., ROBERT JOHN, (Obituary No. 1304.) 64 Belleview - Robert John Thorman, Jr., 64 died on Thursday, April 5, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Cincinnati, OH. He served in the US Air Force. Mr. Thorman was a beverage salesman for Canada Dry. He moved to Belleview from Fayetteville, NC in 1994. Mr. Thorman is survived by four sons: Gregory Thorman of Belleview, Stacey Thorman of Parkton, NC., Robert E. Thorman of Norfolk, VA and Isaac Thorman of Belleview; two daughters: Tammy Townsend of St. Pauls, NC and Cynthia Freehill of Ft. Sill, OK., two sisters: Linda Girtman of East Lake Weir and Carolyn Moore of Katy, TX. and ten grandchildren. Burial of cremains will take place in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens in Ft. Pierce, FL. Information provided by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon-still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/6/2007 - 4/7/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Sunday, April 8, 2007

1305. CROFT, RALPH, (Obituary No. 1305.) 80 Belleview - Ralph Croft, 80, of Belleview, and formerly of Moultrie, GA, went home to be with our Lord and Savior Thursday, April 5, 2007. Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at Morrison Baptist Church, Brooks
County, GA. Burial, with full military honors, will be in Morrison Cemetery. The United States Air Force Honor Guard will serve as casketbearers. Born May 20, 1926, in Brooks County, GA, he was the son of the late John Croft and Maggie Marchant Croft. Mr. Croft served in the U.S. Army during World War II and in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam War. He retired from the Air Force in 1970. He had made his home in Belleview for the past nine years, and was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview. In addition to his parents, Mr. Croft was preceded in death by two brothers, Fuller Croft and Howard J. Croft, and two sisters, Mary Lee Smith and Mildred Croft. Survivors include his beloved wife, Lillian Ann Croft; his twin brother, Ray Croft and wife Inez of Valdosta, GA; four sons, Kenny Croft, Miami, FL, Bill Hampton and wife Debra, Moultrie, GA, Michael Brogdon, Brandon, FL and Jason Elliot, Belleview; five daughters, Melodie Johnson and husband Harry, Panacea, FL, Donna Croft, Pensacola, FL, Susan Souls and husband Paul, Pelham, GA, Angela Connell, Norwich, NY and Melissa Hunter and husband Shane, Flagler Beach, FL; three furry children, Buddy, Lady Bug and Kittie Blue; twelve grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; six nieces; one nephew; one special nephew, Danny Croft and wife Brenda. The family will receive friends from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Monday at COBB FUNERAL CHAPEL, Moultrie, GA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/8/2007 - 4/9/2007.

1306. FALER, TERRY L., (Obituary No. 1306.) 57 Citra - Terry L. Faler, 57, passed away at his residence on April 4, 2007. He was born September 6, 1949 in Muskegon, MI and came to Citra 23 years ago from Adrian, MI. He did auto detailing and he enjoyed singing country music, shopping at thrift stores, yard sales, and antique cars. Terry enjoyed singing at the AM-VETS Club #19 in Orange Lake. He is survived by his wife Brenda of Citra, two daughters Laura Lowe of Napoleon, OH., Deidra Howard of Citra, brother Danny Hosler of Ocklawaha, five grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Funeral services will be 4PM Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation 3-6PM Monday. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Interment will be in Adrian, MI. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/7/2007 - 4/8/2007.

1307. HANOVER, ROBERT J., (Obituary No. 1307.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Hanover of Ocala, FL, passed away on Friday, April 6, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Crawfordville, IN, he had spent most of his life in Lafayette, IN and live in Texas for a year before moving to Ocala 24 years ago. He had worked in the Water Works Dept. for the City of Lafayette. After moving to Ocala, he worked for Evan's Cement and Septic for 22 years. He enjoyed woodworking, fishing, hunting and was a big John Wayne Fan. He was also a member of the Eagles and the Moose Club. He is survived by: his wife of 42 years Kathleen K. Hanover, 4 children, Alan Robert Hanover of Omaha, NE, Camilla Torres of Des Moines, Iowa, Donald Raymond Hanover of Omaha, NE, Bret Tyrrell of Orlando, FL, 4 sisters Lillian Perry of Indianapolis, IN, Susan Ramsey of Davenport, Iowa, Kathy Aguilar of Davenport, Iowa, Cindy Barret of Danville, IL and brother Wes Handover, 11 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. Services will be held on Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Visitation will be on Monday, April 9, 2007 from 6-8 PM. Memorial donations may be made to Alzheimer's Association, Emphysema Foundation, or American Heart Association. HIERS FUNERAL HOME in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/8/2007 - 4/9/2007.
1308. HILL, GEORGE RAY (Obituary No. 1308.) 92 Ocala - George Ray Hill, 92, passed away Friday, April 6, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Kenosha, WI, he moved to Ocala from Monroe, CT in 1977. Mr. Hill was a machine worker in a brass factory and volunteered with Belleview Fire Dept. He was a member of the United Pentecostal Church of Ocala. Mr. Hill was active in the prison and juvenile detention ministry. He also enjoyed traveling. He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Eleanor M. Hill, Ocala, daughter, April Southall, Ocala, sons, George Hill, Jr., Ocala, and Ray Steven Hill, Summerfield, brother, Jean D. Hill, Cape Coral, and seven grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at United Pentecostal Church of Ocala, Tuesday April 10, 2007 at 1:00 PM with Rev. C.P. Williams and Rev. James Varnum officiating. Visitation Monday 5:00 to 7:00 PM at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/8/2007 - 4/9/2007.

1309. KOON, HARRY MARTIN, (Obituary No. 1309.) 80 Old Town - Harry Martin Koon, 80, passed away Wednesday, April 4, 2007 at North Florida Regional Medical Center in Gainesville. Born January 21, 1927, he was 80 years old at the time of his death. He moved to Old Town in 1987 from Silver Springs, FL. Harry was a lifetime member of the American Legion, Post 91 in Trenton. He was a Baptist and attended the First Baptist Church of Cross City. He is survived by his wife, Marcia E. Koon of Old Town; sons, Richard Martin Koon of Citra, Michael Herman Koon, Patrick Lee Koon, and David William Koon all of Ocala; stepson James Doyle Smith of Arlington, TX; sister, Alice Williams of Ocala; 5 grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at 11AM at the Rick Gooding Funeral Home Chapel in Cross City with Rev Mike Brown officiating. A visitation will be held prior to services between the hours of 10&11AM. A graveside service will be held at Gore Cemetery, 3PM in Silver Springs on Tuesday, April 10, 2007 with Rev. Dan Craig officiating. Arrangements have been placed under the care of the Rick Gooding Funeral Home, US Hwy 19, Cross City, FL (352)498-5400. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/7/2007 - 4/8/2007.

1310. LEE, WILLIE E., (Obituary No. 1310.) 83 Citra - Willie E. Lee, 83, a retired farmer and postal clerk for the United States Postal Service, died Tuesday, April 3, 2007. A native of Marion County, Willie Lee lived all his years in Florida. He is survived by his sons, George Lee of Birmingham, AL.; Jimmy Lee of Adairesville, GA.; Harold Lee of Citra; Donald Lee of Silver Springs, Stanely Lee of Valrico; daughters Edith Smith of Brooker and Sandra Smith of Ocala; FL., brothers Hubert Lee of Ocala, James Lee of Ocala, Charles Lee of Jesup, GA.; sisters Bertie Briggs of Jacksonville, Mae Cotton of Ocala; 24 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Rose Lee and daughter Jean Wilson. A funeral service will be held at 11AM on Saturday, April 7, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Bill Smith, Dick Cornell, and Frank Porter officiating. Interment will follow at Millwood Cemetery. A visitation will be held from 6-8PM on Friday, April 6, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/8/2007.

1311. MARSHALL, JR., BEN J., (Obituary No. 1311.) 86 Dunnellon - Ben J. Marshall, Jr., 86, a retired engineer for Florida Power Corp. died April 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was a native of Camilla, GA., and moved to Dunnellon in 1935, moved to St. Petersburg in 1954, and back to Dunnellon in 1979. He attended schools in Georgia and Florida, graduating from the University of Florida with the degree Bachelor of Electrical Engineering. He was a
Registered Engineer in the State of Florida (ret), a member of the Florida Engineering Society, and a senior Member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers. He served on various committees of the Edison Electric Institute. He was active in the Boy Scouts of America as a Scoutmaster in Dunnellon in 1940's and in St. Petersburg in the 1960's. He was a member and Elder of the Dunnellon Presbyterian Church. He worked for Florida Power Corp for 42 years holding various positions in the Engineering, Construction, and Maintenance of large electrical generating plants. After retirement he worked for Bob Rogers Realty in Dunnellon. He served three years in the Army Air Corps in WWII. He was a flight instructor in twin engine advance flight training, served in the China-Burma-India theater flying supplies over the famed "Hump", the Himalaya mountains-from India into China to stem the advance of the Japanese in China. He flew four engine B-24 Liberator bomber type planes that were converted to carry supplies and was last assigned to the 1352nd AAF Search and Rescue Unit flying B-25's on search and rescue missions over the Himalaya mountains. He received the Air Medal with two clusters, the Freedom Medal issued by China, and was an honorary pilot in the Chinese Air Force. He was a member of the Hump Pilots Association and a member of American Legion Post 58 in Dunnellon. Survivors include his wife Juanita Vann Marshall of Dunnellon, a son Ben J III and wife Barbara of New Port Richey, FL., daughter Susan Marshall Eichler and husband Stephen of St. Petersburg, FL., son Thomas E. Marshall and wife Vicky of Statesboro, GA. and six grandchildren. Funeral services will be Monday, April 9, 2007 at 11AM at the First Presbyterian Church of Dunnellon with Rev. Jeffery Welch officiating. Family will receive Friends from 10-11AM, one hour prior to the Service. Burial will be in Dunnellon Memorial Gardens, following the Service. Those who wish may make Contribution to the First Presbyterian Church of Dunnellon in Ben Marshall's name. Information provided by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon-STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/7/2007 - 4/8/2007.

1312. MEDINA, CANDIDA, (Obituary No. 1312.) 89 Dallas, TX - Candida Medina, 89, formerly of Summerfield, passed away April 3, 2007 in Dallas, TX. Born in Corosal, Puerto Rico, she was a retired seamstress and former member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. She is survived by her daughter, Ruth Eileen Herring of Dallas, TX; son Robert G. Rivera of Claramore, OK; sisters, Nacha Davila of Baymon, Puerto Rico, Frances Pagan and Mary Louise Mulet both of Belleview, FL; 3 grand & 4 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank Medina and parents, Geronimo and Carmen Mulet. Visitation will be held at St. Theresa Catholic Church (11528 S. US Hwy 301, Belleview) on Monday, (April 9) from 6-8 PM A funeral mass will be held at the Church on Tuesday, (April 10) at 10:30AM with burial to follow at Florida National Cemetery. Roberts Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL. (352-622-4141) will be handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/8/2007 - 4/9/2007.

1313. MELENDEZ, LAINIE AND LEAH (Obituary No. 1313.) Ocala - Infants Lainie M. and Leah E. Melendez, died Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at an Ocala hospital. They are survived by: their mother Mireya Montanez of Summerfield, FL. Their father Ferdinand R. Melendez of Summerfield, FL. brothers Joshua Rodriguez of Summerfield, FL., Maximus and Brendon Melendez of New York. Additional survivors include maternal grandmother and step grandfather Nick and Ada Kellar of Ocala, FL. Maternal grandfather and step grandmother Felix and Carman Montanez of Tampa, FL. Paternal grandfather Ferdinand Russo of NY. Many aunts, uncles and
cousins. Graveside services will be held Monday, April 9, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Services under the direction of PURCELL FUNERAL HOME, 114 W. Noble Ave., Bushnell, FL 33513. (352)793-4531. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/10/2007.

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1314. CEPIL, PAUL J., (Obituary No. 1314.) 73 Long Beach, CA - Paul J. Cepil, 73, entered into rest on Thursday, March 22, 2007 at Long Beach Memorial Hospital in Long Beach, CA. Born on March 21, 1934 in Buffalo, NY, he was the son of the late Paul F. Cepil and the late Mary (Jakaub) Hill. A veteran of the Korean War, he served his country in the US Air Force. Also a member of the American Legion. He was preceded in death by his long-time companion, Audrey Lemoyne Marsh. He is survived by his five children; Michele R. (Cepil) married to Gerry L. Rosenberger, Berlin, PA.; Lori Cepil, Ocala, FL.; Linda (Cepil) married to Paul Welsh, Colorado Springs, CO.; David Cepil, married to Wynett (Raines), Ocala, FL.; and Sharon (Cepil) married to Joseph Constantine, Tampa, FL. Grandchildren Julie (Rosenberger) married to Kevin Livingston, Killeen, TX.; Brandon Rosenberger, Berlin, PA.; Christopher Cepil, Ocala, FL., Autumn, Meagan and Ryan Welsh, Colorado Springs, CO., and Gemma Constantine, Tampa, FL. Also survived by other relatives and friends and beloved cat Muffy. Interment with full Military Honors was held on March 28, 2007 at 2PM in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. We will miss Paul dearly. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/9/2007 - 4/10/2007.

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1316. HANOVER, ROBERT J., (Obituary No. 1316.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Hanover of Ocala, FL, passed away on Friday, April 6, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Crawfordville, IN, he had spent most of his life in Lafayette, IN and live in Texas for a year
before moving to Ocala 24 years ago. He had worked in the Water Works Dept. for the City of Lafayette. After moving to Ocala, he worked for Evan's Cement and Septic for 22 years. He enjoyed woodwork, fishing, hunting and was a big John Wayne Fan. He was also a member of the Eagles and the Moose Club. He is survived by: his wife of 42 years Kathleen K. Hanover, 4 children, Alan Robert Hanover of Omaha, NE, Camilla Torres of Des Moines, Iowa, Donald Raymond Hanover of Omaha, NE, Bret Tyrrell of Orlando, FL, 4 sisters Lillian Perry of Indianapolis, IN, Susan Ramsey of Davenport, Iowa, Kathy Aguilar of Davenport, Iowa, Cindy Barret of Danville, IL and brother Wes Handover, 11 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. Services will be held on Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Visitation will be on Monday, April 9, 2007 from 6-8 PM. Memorial donations may be made to Alzheimer's Association, Emphysema Foundation, or American Heart Association. HIERS FUNERAL HOME in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/8/2007 - 4/9/2007.

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Montanez of Tampa, FL. Paternal grandfather Ferdinand Russo of NY. Many aunts, uncles and cousins. Graveside services will be held Monday, April 9, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Services under the direction of PURCELL FUNERAL HOME, 114 W. Noble Ave., Bushnell, FL 33513. (352)793-4531. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/5/2007 - 4/10/2007.

1320. MORRIS, FRED A., (Obituary No. 1320.) 74 Ocala - Freda F. Morris, 74, of Ocala, FL., formerly of Huntington, WV., passed away peacefully at Tuscany House on Saturday, April 7, 2007. She was preceded in death by her husband Albert H. Morris. She is survived by her daughter, Rhea (Kent) Halloran of Ft. Wayne, IN; sons, Albert H. (Robin) Morris, Jr. of Lake Wylie, SC., J. Eric (Heather) Morris of Travelers Rest, SC., Carl (Dottie) Slone of Summerfield, FL; sisters, Barbara Ferrell, Betty Ashworth, Dorothy Yeager all of the Huntington, WV., area; 6 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. She also leaves a long time friend and caregiver James Smith of Brandon, FL. The family requests any memorials be donated to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/9/2007 - 4/10/2007.

1321. SANDLIN, JERRY CALHOUN, (Obituary No. 1321.) 75 Belleview - Jerry Calhoun Sandlin, 75, of Belleview, FL., passed away April 2, 2007. He was born in Wilmington, N.C. and attended New Hanover High School. He enlisted in the Air Force in 1948 and was honorably discharged in 1952. Survivors include his daughter Verlevyn M. Hawks, of Summerfield, FL., and his granddaughter Dana Johnson, of Ocala, FL. He left behind his sister Dolores Eubanks, of Tampa, FL., brothers Richard Sandlin, of Wilmington, N.C., Cratie Sandlin, of Datil, NM., and Phil Sandlin, of Archer, FL. Memorial services will be held on Wednesday, April 11, at 11 a.m. at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/9/2007 - 4/10/2007.

1322. STIMMEL, LINDA JANE, (Obituary No. 1322.) 57 Belleview - Linda Jane Stimmel, 57, of Belleview, died Friday, April 6, 2007, in Ocala. She was born in Baltimore, MD., and moved to Florida in 1969 from Maryland. She was a cocktail waitress in the Ocala area and a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ocala. Survivors include her son, Mark Lindner of Belleview; sister, Patricia Zayas of Maryland; and brother Robert Valis of Maryland. Private service will be held at a later date. The family requests donations to the Fraternal Order of Eagles. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. 352-245-2424 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/9/2007 - 4/10/2007.

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1324. CLOTHIER, BARBARA R., (Obituary No. 1324.) 71 Crystal River - Barbara R. Clothier, 71, of Crystal River, Florida, passed away peacefully April 7, 2007 with her loving family by her side. Born Barbara Ruth Salokis in Glen Lyon, Pennsylvania on October 13, 1935 to parents Joseph and Blanche Salokis. She moved to Florida in 1955 after serving two years in the US Army. She lived in Dunnellon until the mid 60's where she led an active life raising her four children and serving in many services and social clubs. She lived in Jacksonville for many years and recently relocated to Crystal River. She loved decorating her home, gardening and flowers. She was known for her beautiful needlepoint, counted cross stitch and afghans that she created for those she loved. She was kind, caring and a loving devoted mother and friend. Survived by her daughter Cynthia Porter, and husband David of Dunnellon; daughter Pamela Allen, and husband Ruben of Jacksonville, Florida; son Edwin Lybass of Ft. Lauderdale; daughter Susan Beatty of Jacksonville; six grandchildren and one great granddaughter. She is also survived by her nephew John Thomas Salokis of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and cousin Edward Hoffman of Plattsburg, New York. Barbara is survived by many loving and caring friends. She is predeceased by her parents and her sister Pearl. The family would like to gratefully acknowledge the extraordinary loved care she received from Cedar Creek ALF staff, residents, and Hospice of Citrus County. Services will be held at the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon Thursday, April 12, 2007 at 11 a.m., with Rev. Eddie Fulford officiating. Burial of the Cremains will be in Dunnellon Memorial Gardens following the Service. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME in DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

1325. MCBRIDE, LUCY, (Obituary No. 1325.) 89 Ocala - Lucy McBride, 89, of Ocala, passed away on Friday, April 6, 2007 at home. A native of Lafayette, New Jersey, she moved here over ten years ago form Orange City, FL., and was a former child care provider during her life. Lucy was a member of the Senior Citizens Center and The Rebecca Lodge (Ladies of the Oddfellows), both of Ocala and a member of the Berean Baptist Church, Ocala. Mrs. McBride is survived by her daughter Alice (Russell) Matzinger of Ocala; son Everett (Suzanne) McBride of Winnabow, NC.; daughter Christine (Gaylon) Pedigow of Lafayette, TN.; grandchildren Tonyia, Sean, Michael, Amy Kevin and Niki; and great grandchildren Lydia, Elsa, Levi and Wyatt. She was preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Abram C. McBride, on May 23, 1990. Friends will be received on Wednesday, April 11, 2007 at 9 a.m. until time of services at 10:30 a.m. with Pastor Michael Patton officiating. Interment will follow at Deland Memorial Gardens, at 2:45 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

1326. MELENDEZ, LAINIE AND LEAH (Obituary No. 1326.) Ocala - Infants Lainie M. and Leah E. Melendez, died Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at an Ocala hospital. They are survived by: their mother Mireya Montanez of Summerfield, FL. Their father Ferdinand R. Melendez of

1327. MICKIEWICZ, HELEN M., (Obituary No. 1327.) 94 Silver Springs - Helen M. Michiewicz, age 94, passed away Sunday, April 8, 2007. Helen packed Ivory Soap for Proctor & Gamble, in Staten Island, NY. Helen and her husband Tony, owned a Confectionary Store in Garwood, NJ. Mrs. Mickiewicz enjoyed crocheting, macramá, and cooking. She was known for her potato salad and stuffed cabbage. Helen is survived by son Anthony Mickiewicz (wife Dolores) of The Villages, son Robert Mickiewicz (wife Geraldine) of Manahawkin, NJ., daughter Celeste Mickiewicz of Silver Springs, FL and 10 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband Anthony Mickiewicz, Sr. Funeral Mass will be 3 p.m. Thursday, April 12, 2007 at St. Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church. Visitation will be noon to 3 p.m. at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Shriners Children's Hospital, 2900 Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, FL., 33607-1460. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Fl 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

1328. MORRIS, FRED A., (Obituary No. 1328.) 74 Ocala - Freda F. Morris, 74, of Ocala, FL., formerly of Huntington, WV., passed away peacefully at Tuscany House on Saturday, April 7, 2007. She was preceded in death by her husband Albert H. Morris. She is survived by her daughter, Rhea (Kent) Halloran of Ft. Wayne, IN; sons, Albert H. (Robin) Morris, Jr. of Lake Wylie, SC., J. Eric (Heather) Morris of Travelers Rest, SC., Carl (Dottie) Slone of Summerfield, FL; sisters, Barbara Ferrell, Betty Ashworth, Dorothy Yeager all of the Huntington, WV., area; 6 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. She also leaves a long time friend and caregiver James Smith of Brandon, FL. The family requests any memorials be donated to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/9/2007 - 4/10/2007.

1329. RASTELLI, SANDRA ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 1329.) 62 Ocala - Mrs. Sandra Elizabeth Raselli, 62, passed away in Ocala on April 6, 2007. She was born in Constance, KY., on April 26, 1944. She was a Salesperson by employment but assisted her husband as a rodeo photographer for many years. She was a member of FL. High School Rodeo Ass; FL. Junior Rodeo Ass. and Professional Rodeo Cowboy Ass. She was a Baptist, she moved to Ocala in 1964 from Lexington, KY. She is survived by her loving husband Michael of 38 years. Two daughters Tammy Kyser and Martha Rastelli both of Ocala. A son Michael C. Rastelli of Attleboro, MA. A brother Randy Charles Hodges of Ocala, a sister Sylvia Piccallo of Waxesaw, NC., and her mother Izella Hodges. Also 4 grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her father Charlie Hodges. Memorial Services will be Thursday, April 12, 2007 at 7:30 p.m. with a gathering form 6 - 7:30 p.m. at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL.
1330. REYNOLDS, SR., WALTER D., (Obituary No. 1330.) 71 Summerfield - Mr. Walter D. Reynolds, Sr., 71 passed away in Summerfield on Sunday, April 8, 2007. He was born in Morristown, TN. He is a retired upholster. He is a member of VFW Post # 8083 and DAV Post both in Belleview; American Legion # 36 Ft. Lauderdale. He moved here in 1995 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. He is survived by his special friend Shirley Grable of Summerfield; five daughters Kim Reynolds of Summerfield, FL., Debra Luetmer of Morris, MN., Donnice Bucknel of Minneapolis, MN., Darcy Smallwood of Sand Point, ID., and Lynn Gonzalez of Orchard Park, NY; two sons James Reynolds of Ft. Lauderdale, FL., and Walter Reynolds, Jr., of Fruitland Park, FL.; brother Franklin D. Reynolds of Russelville, TN.; a sister Sue Bullock of Laporte, TX.; 26 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

1331. SANDLIN, JERRY CALHOUN, (Obituary No. 1331.) 75 Belleview - Jerry Calhoun Sandlin, 75, of Belleview, FL., passed away April 2, 2007. He was born in Wilmington, N.C. and attended New Hanover High School. He enlisted in the Air Force in 1948 and was honorably discharged in 1952. Survivors include his daughter Verlevyn M. Hawks, of Summerfield, FL., and his granddaughter Dana Johnson, of Ocala, FL. He left behind his sister Dolores Eubanks, of Tampa, FL., brothers Richard Sandlin, of Wilmington, N.C., Cratie Sandlin, of Datil, NM., and Phil Sandlin, of Archer, FL. Memorial services will be held on Wednesday, April 11, at 11 a.m. at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/9/2007 - 4/10/2007.

1332. SCHROEDER, SR., DONALD B., (Obituary No. 1332.) 81 Ocala - Donald B. Schroeder, Sr., age 81, of Ocala passed away Friday, February 16, 2007 at Legacy House. He was born April 15, 1925 in Pontiac, MI and moved to Pompano Beach, FL in 1967 and came to Ocala in 1988. Donald was a veteran of WWII serving in the US Navy, and a retired tool & die marker. His hobbies included carpentry, square dancing, roller skating, and working in his machine shop. Survived by his wife Margaret M. Schroeder of Ocala, two sons Donald B. Schroeder, Jr., of Concord, NC., Kevin B. Schroeder of Ocala, brother Roy F. Schroeder of Farmington Hills, MI., sister Patsy Mackie of Lake Orion, MI., and two grandchildren. Gathering of friends from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. with a Memorial Services at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 15, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., with Pastor Ron Baizer officiating. Military Service of Honor will follow. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860, Ocala, 34478. Private inurnment Florida National Cemetery. www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

1333. STIMMEL, LINDA JANE, (Obituary No. 1333.) 57 Belleview - Linda Jane Stimmel, 57, of Belleview, died Friday, April 6, 2007, in Ocala. She was born in Baltimore, MD., and moved to Florida in 1969 from Maryland. She was a cocktail waitress in the Ocala area and a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ocala. Survivors include her son, Mark Lindner of Belleview; sister, Patricia Zayas of Maryland; and brother Robert Valis of Maryland. Private service will be held at a later date. The family requests donations to the Fraternal Order of Eagles.
1334. TREDWAY, ALFRED L., (Obituary No. 1334.) 77 Silver Springs - Mr. Alfred L. Tredway, 77, of Silver Springs passed away on Saturday, April 7, 2007. Mr. Tredway was born in Newark, NJ., and moved to Silver Springs in 1991 from Ft. Lauderdale where he retired from the Plumbers and Pipe fitter's Union # 719. He served in the US Air Force during WWII and was a member of Heritage Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife Elizabeth "Pat" Tredway of 22 years, sons, Jim (Sherry) Tredway of Anderson, SC., and Gene Tredway of Chiefland; daughter, Mary (Jimmy) Ellzey of Chiefland; step-sons, Danny (Lynn) Riffle and David Miller of Chiefland and Mike (Terrie) Miller of Dunnellon; step-daughter, Debra Kimbrell of Chiefland; step-sister, Antoinette Berg of Ft. Lauderdale, several nieces and nephews, 15 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren. Services for Mr. Tredway will be held on Wednesday, April 11, 2007 at Heritage Baptist Church in Ocala at 11 a.m. with Pastor Walter Smith officiating. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. prior to the service. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Heritage Baptist Church, 642 NE 20th Street, Ocala, Florida 34470. H I E R S - B A X L E Y F U N E R A L S E R V I C E S, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is in charge of arrangements.

1335. VAN VLACK, LESLIE E., (Obituary No. 1335.) 92 Summerfield - Leslie E. Van Vlack, 92, of Summerfield, FL., passed away Saturday, April 7, 2007. He was born October 3, 1914, in El Dorado, Arkansas and moved to Summerfield in 1999 from Plant City, FL. Served in the U.S. Army during WWII, and enlisted in the U.S. Air Force following the war until he retired in 1963 as a Senior Master Sergeant. he then became a Citrus Grower and Cattle Rancher in the Springhead area of Hillsborough County. He was a member of Hope Lutheran Church in Plant City, FL. He is survived by his wife Illa M. Van Vlack, Summerfield, FL; daughters Leslie Anne B. Rice, California and Kathy Hamel, Summerfield, FL; granddaughters Leslie Anne Rice, Kaycie Hamel and Helen Hamel. Memorial Services will be private for the family at a later date. In lieu of flowers family requests the memorial contributions be made to the charity of your choice. Arrangements made by BANKS PAGE THEUS FUNERAL HOME, 410 Webster St., Wildwood, FL., 34785 (352) 748-1000. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

1336. VAUGHN, JIMMIE (Obituary No. 1336.) PYLES, 77 Ocala - Jimmie Pyles Vaughn, 77, of Ocala, passed away Sunday, April 8, 2007 at her home. She was a lifelong resident of Ocala and a homemaker. She is survived by her son, David Vaughn and daughters, Hope Magee and Susan Vaughn all of Ocala; sister, Lucille Pyles and sister-in-law, Avis Dixon both of Ocala; 4 grandchildren, Jennifer Jones, Laura Findley, Ashley Vaughn and Justin Sizelove; and 5 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband James A. Vaughn. A graveside service will be held at Woodlawn Cemetery on Wednesday, April 11, 2007 at 2 p.m. with Pastor Tim Rose officiating. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 352-622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.
1337. WHITE, PETE, (Obituary No. 1337.) 61 Salt Springs - Pete White, age 61, passed away Sunday, April 8, 2007. He was born in Georgia, on November 17, 1945 to Parker and Thelma White. He lived most of his life in Apopka, Florida and recently retired in Salt Springs, Florida. Pete was a 36 year member of The Apopka Elks Lodge, a member of the Orlando Moose Lodge and of The Salt Springs VFW. Pete worked most of his life in the building industry, primarily as a sales representative for Superior Trim and Door. He was an avid hunter and fisherman, he loved to be outdoors. He had a focus on his family, and most important to him were his precious grandchildren. Pete was survived by his loving wife Marilyn White of Salt Springs, FL; daughters Cheryl Baldwin of Pensacola, FL and Cindy Gray of Longwood, FL; Son-in-laws John Baldwin and Clem Gray; grandchildren Hannah, Haley, Rex, Tori, C.J. and Lane; Brother Prentice Tyndel. A visitation will be held Wednesday, April 11, 2007 from 6 to 8 p.m. A celebration of Pete's life will be held on Thursday, April 12, 2007 at 11 a.m., both at LOOMIS FAMILY FUNERAL HOME Chapel, 420 West Main Street, Apopka, Florida 32712 407-880-1007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

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1338. CLOTHIER, BARBARA (Obituary No. 1338.) R., 71 Crystal River - Barbara R. Clothier, 71, of Crystal River, Florida, passed away peacefully April 7, 2007 with her loving family by her side. Born Barbara Ruth Salokis in Glen Lyon, Pennsylvania on October 13, 1935 to parents Joseph and Blanche Salokis. She moved to Florida in 1955 after serving two years in the US Army. She lived in Dunnellon until the mid 60's where she led an active life raising her four children and serving in many services and social clubs. She lived in Jacksonville for many years and recently relocated to Crystal River. She loved decorating her home, gardening and flowers. She was known for her beautiful needlepoint, counted cross stitch and afghans that she created for those she loved. She was kind, caring and a loving devoted mother and friend. Survived by her daughter Cynthia Porter, and husband David of Dunnellon; daughter Pamela Allen, and husband Ruben of Jacksonville, Florida; son Edwin Lybass of Ft. Lauderdale; daughter Susan Beatty of Jacksonville; six grandchildren and one great granddaughter. She is also survived by her nephew John Thomas Salokis of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and cousin Edward Hoffman of Plattsburg, New York. Barbara is survived by many loving and caring friends. She is predeceased by her parents and her sister Pearl. The family would like to gratefully acknowledge the extraordinary loved care she received from Cedar Creek ALF staff, residents, and Hospice of Citrus County. Services will be held at the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon Thursday, April 12, 2007 at 11 a.m., with Rev. Eddie Fulford officiating. Burial of the Cremains will be in Dunnellon Memorial Gardens following the Service. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME in DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/12/2007.

1339. HEMMING, JR., ALBERT A., (Obituary No. 1339.) 83 Ocala - Mr. Albert A. Hemming, Jr., 83 of Ocala, FL died April 8, 2007 at Sylvia Hospice House, Ocala. A native of Syracuse, NY, he relocated to Marion County from Syracuse in 1982. He was a retired U.S. Postal Carrier, a veteran of the U.S. Marine Corp WWII serving at Iwo Jima and receiving the Purple Heart. He is survived by his daughters Alberta Olschewske of Ocala, Diane Wolfe of Crighton, MO., Pat Dober of Liverpool, NY., and by his sons Gary Hemming of Powder Springs, GA., and Robert Mahar of Jacksonville, FL. He is also survived by eighteen grandchildren and numerous great
grandchildren. Albert was preceded in death by his loving wife Dorothy Mahar Hemming. Memorial Services will be held at a later date in Syracuse, NY. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/11/2007 - 4/12/2007.

1340. HOOPENGARDNER, WILBUR SCOTT, (Obituary No. 1340.) 89 Hagerstown, MD - Wilbur Scott Hoopengardner, 89, of 162 Sunbrook Lane, Hagerstown, MD., and formerly of Ocala, FL., died on Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at the Somerford Home in Hagerstown where he was a resident. Born July 15, 1917 in Hancock, MD., he was the son of the late John and Elsie Hoopengardner. He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen B. Hoopengardner on March 16, 1999. He was an associate member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church in Ocala, FL. He is survived by three sons, Gary Hoopengardner of Summerfield, FL., Roger Hoopengardner of Vienna, VA., and David Hoopengardener of Centreville, VA.; one sister, Blanche Stowers of Eustis, FL.; three granddaughters, three grandsons, and one great granddaughter. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, April 13, 2007 at the Washington Square United Methodist Church, 538 Washington Avenue, Hagerstown. Burial will be in Cedar Lawn Memorial Park in Hagerstown. Family and friends at the MINNICH FUNERAL HOME, 415 East Wilson Boulevard on Thursday from 6 to 9 p.m. The family requests in lieu of flowers, donations be sent to Washington, Square United Methodist Church, 538 Washington Ave., Hagerstown, MD., 21740 or Hospice of Washington County, 747 Northern Avenue, Hagerstown, MD., 21742. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/11/2007 - 4/12/2007.

1341. MATELA, JR., ROBERT A., (Obituary No. 1341.) 28 Summerfield - Robert A. Matela, Jr., 28, of Summerfield, died at Ocala Regional Medical Center on Saturday, April 7, 2007. He was a chef. Mr. Matela was the beloved husband of Heather Matela (Senecal); loving father of Layla Matela; precious son of Robert and Cheryl Matela; best friend and brother of Kelly (Joey) Matela; grandson of the late Robert and Lois Matela, Chicago, IL., and Gary and Dorothy Wilson, Belleview, FL.; son-in-law to Lori Rogers, Summerfield, FL.; nephew of Linda Matela, Chicago, Bill (MaryAnn) Matela, Chicago, Jack (Lil) Matela, Chicago, Jack (Lil) Matela, Chicago, Ted Neveau, Belleview, Gary (Je-An) Naveau, Chicago, Sally (Pat) O'Donnell, Summerfield, Julie (Richard) Dunlap, Eastman, GA., Pat Gow, Chicago; and cousin and friend to many. Funeral service will be held at 11 a.m., Thursday, April 12, 2007 at HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, with Fr. David Vivero officiating. Burial will follow in Belleview Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday from 5 - 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/11/2007 - 4/12/2007.

1342. MCBRIDE, LUCY, (Obituary No. 1342.) 89 Ocala - Lucy McBride, 89, of Ocala, passed away on Friday, April 6, 2007 at home. A native of Lafayette, New Jersey, she moved here over ten years ago form Orange City, FL., and was a former child care provider during her life. Lucy was a member of the Senior Citizens Center and The Rebecca Lodge (Ladies of the Oddfellows), both of Ocala and a member of the Berean Baptist Church, Ocala. Mrs. McBride is survived by her daughter Alice (Russell) Matzinger of Ocala; son Everett (Suzanne) McBride of Winnabow, NC.; daughter Christine (Gaylon) Pedigow of Lafayette, TN.; grandchildren Tonyia, Sean, Michael, Amy Kevin and Niki; and great grandchildren Lydia, Elsa, Levi and Wyatt. She was preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Abram C. McBride, on May 23, 1990. Friends will be received on Wednesday, April 11, 2007 at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala from
9 a.m. until time of services at 10:30 a.m. with Pastor Michael Patton officiating. Interment will follow at Deland Memorial Gardens, at 2:45 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

1343. MICKIEWICZ, HELEN M., (Obituary No. 1343.) 94 Silver Springs - Helen M. Michiewicz, age 94, passed away Sunday, April 8, 2007. Helen packed Ivory Soap for Proctor & Gamble, in Staten Island, NY. Helen and her husband Tony, owned a Confectionary Store in Garwood, NJ. Mrs. Mickiewicz enjoyed crocheting, macramé, and cooking. She was known for her potato salad and stuffed cabbage. Helen is survived by son Anthony Mickiewicz (wife Dolores) of The Villages, son Robert Mickiewicz (wife Geraldine) of Manahawkin, NJ., daughter Celeste Mickiewicz of Silver Springs, FL and 10 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband Anthony Mickiewicz, Sr. Funeral Mass will be 3 p.m. Thursday, April 12, 2007 at St. Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church. Visitation will be noon to 3 p.m. at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Shriners Children's Hospital, 2900 Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, FL., 33607-1460. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Fl 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

1344. RASTELLI, SANDRA ELIZEBETH, (Obituary No. 1344.) 62 Ocala - Mrs. Sandra Elizebeth Raselli, 62, passed away in Ocala on April 6, 2007. She was born in Constance, KY., on April 26, 1944. She was a Salesperson by employment but assisted her husband as a rodeo photographer for many years. She was a member of FL. High School Rodeo Ass; FL. Junior Rodeo Ass. and Professional Rodeo Cowboy Ass. She was a Baptist, she moved to Ocala in 1964 from Lexington, KY. She is survived by her loving husband Michael of 38 years. Two daughters Tammy Kyser and Martha Rastelli both of Ocala. A son Michael C. Rastelli of Attleboro, MA. A brother Randy Charles Hodges of Ocala, a sister Sylvia Piccallo of Waxesaw, NC., and her mother Izella Hodges. Also 4 grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her father Charlie Hodges. Memorial Services will be Thursday, April 12, 2007 at 7:30 p.m. with a gathering form 6 - 7:30 p.m. at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

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1347. SMITH, PATRICIA A., (Obituary No. 1347.) 71 Citra - Patricia A. Smith, 71, died Sunday, April 8, 2007. She was born in Ojus, FL and moved to Citra 20 years ago from Miami. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy and was an Avon representative for many years. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, Luther R. Smith, Sr., of Citra; her daughters, Lorraine Crandell of Gainesville, Pam Templeton of Citra, Debbie Walter of Miami, and Linda Pellicer of Ft. Augustus; her son, Luther R. Smith, Jr., of Citra; thirteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 12 noon on Saturday, April 14, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy with Sam Pritchard and Pastor Max Wilkins officiating. Visitation will be at the church from 11 a.m. to 12 noon. Interment will be in Simmons Full Gospel Church Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/11/2007 - 4/12/2007.

1348. TREDWAY, ALFRED L., (Obituary No. 1348.) 77 Silver Springs - Mr. Alfred L. Tredway, 77, of Silver Springs passed away on Saturday, April 7, 2007. Mr. Tredway was born in Newark, NJ., and moved to Silver Springs in 1991 from Ft. Lauderdale where he retired from the Plumbers and Pipe fitter's Union # 719. He served in the US Air Force during WWII and was a member of Heritage Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife Elizabeth "Pat" Tredway of 22 years, sons, Jim (Sherry) Tredway of Anderson, SC., and Gene Tredway of Chiefland; daughter, Mary (Jimmy) Ellzey of Chiefland; step-sons, Danny (Lynn) Riffle and David Miller of Chiefland and Mike (Terrie) Miller of Dunnellon; step-daughter, Debra Kimbrell of Chiefland; step-sister, Antoinette Berg of Ft. Lauderdale, several nieces and nephews, 15 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren. Services for Mr. Tredway will be held on Wednesday, April 11, 2007 at Heritage Baptist Church in Ocala at 11 a.m. with Pastor Walter Smith officiating. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. prior to the service. In lieu of flowers the family ask that donations be made to Heritage Baptist Church, 642 NE 20th Street, Ocala, Florida 34470. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

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1350. VAUGHN, JIMMIE PYLES, (Obituary No. 1350.) 77 Ocala - Jimmie Pyles Vaughn, 77, of Ocala, passed away Sunday, April 8, 2007 at her home. She was a lifelong resident of Ocala and a homemaker. She is survived by her son, David Vaughn and daughters, Hope Magee and Susan Vaughn all of Ocala; sister, Lucille Pyles and sister-in-law, Avis Dixon both of Ocala; 4 grandchildren, Jennifer Jones, Laura Findley, Ashley Vaughn and Justin Sizelove; and 5 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband James A. Vaughn. A graveside service will be held at Woodlawn Cemetery on Wednesday, April 11, 2007 at 2 p.m. with Pastor Tim Rose officiating. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 352-622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

1351. WHITE, PETE, (Obituary No. 1351.) 61 Salt Springs - Pete White, age 61, passed away Sunday, April 8, 2007. He was born in Georgia, on November 17, 1945 to Parker and Thelma White. He lived most of his life in Apopka, Florida and recently retired in Salt Springs, Florida. Pete was a 36 year member of The Apopka Elks Lodge, a member of the Orlando Moose Lodge and of The Salt Springs VFW. Pete worked most of his life in the building industry, primarily as a sales representative for Superior Trim and Door. He was an avid hunter and fisherman, he loved to be outdoors. He had a focus on his family, and most important to him were his precious grandchildren. Pete was survived by his loving wife Marilyn White of Salt Springs, FL; daughters Cheryl Baldwin of Pensacola, FL and Cindy Gray of Longwood, FL; Son-in-laws John Baldwin and Clem Gray; grandchildren Hannah, Haley, Rex, Tori, C.J. and Lane; Brother Prentice Tyndel. A visitation will be held Wednesday, April 11, 2007 from 6 to 8 p.m. A celebration of Pete's life will be held on Thursday, April 12, 2007 at 11 a.m., both at LOOMIS FAMILY FUNERAL HOME Chapel, 420 West Main Street, Apopka, Florida 32712 407-880-1007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/11/2007.

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1352. BROWN, ALMA, (Obituary No. 1352.) 92 Ocala - Funeral Service for Mrs. Alma Brown, 92, food service worker, will be held Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. Dennis Hagins officiating. Mrs. Brown was born in Ocala, FL., November 22, 1914 to the late McDuffie Croskey and Gracie Taylor. Survivors 1 son, Herbert Brown, Sr., Ft. Lauderdale, FL., 1 brother, William Crosky, Ocala, FL., Mary Owens, Washington, DC., 11 grandchildren, 30 great grandchildren and 13 great-great grandchildren. Interment Burell Cemetery, under the direction of your "Friends Who Care"
CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Wake Thursday at 7 p.m. Cunningham Chapel of Faith. Visitation Friday, April 13, 2007 from 9 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the church from 12 noon until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/13/2007.

1353. CLOTHIER, BARBARA R., (Obituary No. 1353.) 71 Crystal River - Barbara R. Clothier, 71, of Crystal River, Florida, passed away peacefully April 7, 2007 with her loving family by her side. Born Barbara Ruth Salokis in Glen Lyon, Pennsylvania on October 13, 1935 to parents Joseph and Blanche Salokis. She moved to Florida in 1955 after serving two years in the US Army. She lived in Dunnellon until the mid 60's where she led an active life raising her four children and serving in many services and social clubs. She lived in Jacksonville for many years and recently relocated to Crystal River. She loved decorating her home, gardening and flowers. She was known for her beautiful needlepoint, counted cross stitch and afghans that she created for those she loved. She was kind, caring and a loving devoted mother and friend. Survived by her daughter Cynthia Porter, and husband David of Dunnellon; daughter Pamela Allen, and husband Ruben of Jacksonville, Florida; son Edwin Lybass of Ft. Lauderdale; daughter Susan Beatty of Jacksonville; six grandchildren and one great granddaughter. She is also survived by her nephew John Thomas Salokis of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and cousin Edward Hoffman of Plattsburg, New York. Barbara is survived by many loving and caring friends. She is predeceased by her parents and her sister Pearl. The family would like to gratefully acknowledge the extraordinary loved care she received from Cedar Creek ALF staff, residents, and Hospice of Citrus County. Services will be held at the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon Thursday, April 12, 2007 at 11 a.m., with Rev. Eddie Fulford officiating. Burial of the Cremains will be in Dunnellon Memorial Gardens following the Service. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME in DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/10/2007 - 4/12/2007.

1354. COUNCIL-JACKSON-MANUEL, FAYE, (Obituary No. 1354.) 47 Ocala - Mrs. Fay Council-Jackson-Manuel, 47, passed away on April 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was a Bus Driver for the Marion County School Board. Mrs. Manuel leaves to cherish her memories: husband, Arnold Lee Manuel (Ocala, FL); two sons, Artrell Manuel and Keyvius Sampson both of Ocala, FL; stepchildren, Arnold Lee Manuel, Jr., Jasmin, Antonio, Debra and Amber; brothers, Oliver Windell Sears, Sr. (Brunswick, GA), Richard L. Sears, Ivory Jackson, Bennie Woods, Jr., Fred Crowell, Jr. (all of Ocala, FL), Fredrick Sean (Riverview, FL), Marvin Woods (Miami, FL), Ronnie Rawls (Clewiston, FL), William Woods (Albany, GA); sisters, Wands Sears-Fulton, Carolyn Woods, Pansy Woods-Wilson, Esther J. Richards, Fannie J. Smith (all of Ocala, FL), Sandra Woods-Shelton (Maryland); Spiritual Guardian - Mother, Olivia Snow (Ocala, FL); Mother-in-law, Mrs. Shirley Wilson (Isaiah); brother-in-laws, Abdul Larry Hickson, Darel Manuel, Ricky Manuel; sister-in-laws, Fleta Sears-Allen, Ethel McCray, Andray Hicks & a host of aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. Funeral Services fro Mrs. Fay Council-Jackson-Manuel will be held 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 14, 2007 at Pentecostal Full Gospel Church, Apostle Bernard Tuggerson, Pastor. Wake service will be held on Thursday, April 12, 2007 from 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME Chapel. Interment will follow in the Shady Grove Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/13/2007.
1355. CRABB, ANDY S., (Obituary No. 1355.) 83 Homosassa - Andy S. Crabb, age 83, of Homosassa died Tuesday morning April 10, 2007 at Hernando-Pasco Hospice Citrus Care Center. He was born July 25, 1923 to Robert R. and Minnie (Pantley) Crabb in Bloomfield, Florida and came to Citrus County 35 years ago from Weirsdale, Florida. Mr. Crabb was the owner/operator of Masons Concrete Block and Ready Mix Company. He was a World War II U.S. Air Force Veteran, a member of the Kiwanis Club of Central Ridge Crystal River, a member of the West Citrus Elks Lodge, he belonged to the Springs Masonic Lodge #378 F&AM, Scottish Rite, York Rite, Morocco Temple Shrine, Ocala and Citrus Shrine Clubs and was a member of the Crystal River United Methodist Church. He was preceded in death by his son Myles Crabb on August 6, 1992. He is survived by his wife of 64 years Mrs. Frances Crabb of Homosassa, a son Andy Skip Crabb and wife Belinda of Homosassa, a sister Mrs. Dorothy Heald of Eustis, grandchildren Travis and Robert Crabb and Angelina Brickensie, great grandchildren Kirsten and Jordan Brickensteine, a sister Mrs. Dorothy Heald of Eustis, grandchildren Travis and Robert Crabb and Angelina Brickensie, great grandchildren Kirsten and Jordan Brickensteine. The memorial service for Andy S. Crabb will be conducted Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the Crystal River United Methodist Church with Rev. David Gill presiding. Private cremation are under the direction of STRICKLAND FUNERAL HOME, Crystal River, (352) 795-2678. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorial contributions to the Crystal River Methodist Church Building Fund, 4801 N. Citrus Avenue Crystal River, FL 34428. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/13/2007.

1356. DAVIS, HOWARD DOUGLAS "DOUG", (Obituary No. 1356.) 73 Summerfield - Mr. Davis of Summerfield, FL., passed away on Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at Lady Lake Specialty Care. A native of Naugatuck, West Virginia he had made Summerfield his home since 1980 moving from Youngstown, Ohio. He had worked as a truck driver most of his life and was a member of Church of God in Mechanicsville, OH. Served in U.S. Army during Korea. Survivors include, wife of 52 years, Helen L. Davis; 4 children, W.S. Davis and Randolph Davis both of Belleview, FL., Phyllis G. Harnes of Summerfield, FL., and Thomas W. Davis of Irwin, OH; brother, Robert Davis, North Louisburg, OH; 4 sisters, Thelma Maddox, Marysville, OH., Hope Gillan, OH, Juanita Cole, Urbana, OH., and Betty Marien Stokes, North Louisburg, OH; 11 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 14, 2007 at HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Burial will be in Belleview Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday 5 - 7 p.m. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/13/2007.

1357. GATENS, MAURICE, (Obituary No. 1357.) 89 Dunnellon - Maurice Gatens was born August 26, 1917 in Bancroft, West Virginia and died suddenly at his home in Dunnellon, Florida on April 9, 2007. Mr. Gatens is survived by his wife of 60 years, Janette (Betty) Gatens of Dunnellon, his son, Dr. Robert Gatens and granddaughter Bailey Gatens of Fairfax, Virginia; his daughter Barbara Gatens and husband Bill Durrence of Savannah, GA., and three sisters, Margaret Cargill of Sarasota, FL., Judy Witt of Gaithersburg, MD., and Rosalie Waldorf of Nitro, West Virginia. Mr. Gatens was a graduate of Morris Harvey College, served in the Navy during WWII and employed as a research chemist then safety supervisor by Monsanto for 40 years. He and his beloved brother Paul (aka Moe and Boe) were part time golfers and full time story tellers who entertained and endeared family and friends with ever changing legends of their
life. Mr. Gatens was a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Community where services will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, April 14, 200 with Father Joe Pinchcock officiating.


1358. HEMMING, JR., ALBERT A., (Obituary No. 1358.) 83 Ocala - Mr. Albert A. Hemming, Jr., 83 of Ocala, FL died April 8, 2007 at Sylvia Hospice House, Ocala. A native of Syracuse, NY, he relocated to Marion County from Syracuse in 1982. He was a retired U.S. Postal Carrier, a veteran of the U.S. Marine Corp WWII serving at Iwo Jima and receiving the Purple Heart. He is survived by his daughters Alberta Olschewske of Ocala, Diane Wolfe of Crighton, MO., Pat Dober of Liverpool, NY., and by his sons Gary Hemming of Powder Springs, GA., and Robert Mahar of Jacksonville, FL. He is also survived by eighteen grandchildren and numerous great grandchildren. Albert was preceded in death by his loving wife Dorothy Mahar Hemming. Memorial Services will be held at a later date in Syracuse, NY. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/11/2007 - 4/12/2007.

1359. HOOPENGARDNER, WILBUR SCOTT, (Obituary No. 1359.) 89 Hagerstown, MD - Wilbur Scott Hoopengardner, 89, of 162 Sunbrook Lane, Hagerstown, MD., and formerly of Ocala, FL., died on Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at the Somerford Home in Hagerstown where he was a resident. Born July 15, 1917 in Hancock, MD., he was the son of the late John and Elsie Hoopengardner. He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen B. Hoopengardner on March 16, 1999. He was an associate member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church in Ocala, FL. He is survived by three sons, Gary Hoopengardner of Summerfield, FL., Roger Hoopengardner of Vienna, VA., and David Hoopengardener of Centreville, VA.; one sister, Blanche Stowers of Eustis, FL.; three granddaughters, three grandsons, and one great granddaughter. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, April 13, 2007 at the Washington Square United Methodist Church, 538 Washington Avenue, Hagerstown. Burial will be in Cedar Lawn Memorial Park in Hagerstown. Family and friends at the MINNICH FUNERAL HOME, 415 East Wilson Boulevard on Thursday from 6 to 9 p.m. The family requests in lieu of flowers, donations be sent to Washington, Square United Methodist Church, 538 Washington Ave., Hagerstown, MD., 21740 or Hospice of Washington County, 747 Northern Avenue, Hagerstown, MD., 21742. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/11/2007 - 4/12/2007.

1360. MATELA, JR., ROBERT A., (Obituary No. 1360.) 28 Summerfield - Robert A. Matela, Jr., 28, of Summerfield, died at Ocala Regional Medical Center on Saturday, April 7, 2007. He was a chef. Mr. Matela was the beloved husband of Heather Matela (Senecal); loving father of Layla Matela; precious son of Robert and Cheryl Matela; best friend and brother of Kelly (Joey) Matela; grandson of the late Robert and Lois Matela, Chicago, IL., and Gary and Dorothy Wilson, Belleview, FL; son-in-law to Lori Rogers, Summerfield, FL; nephew of Linda Matela, Chicago, Bill (MaryAnn) Matela, Chicago, Jack (Lil) Matela, Chicago, Jack (Lil) Matela, Chicago, Ted Neveau, Belleview, Gary (Je-An) Naveau, Chicago, Sally (Pat) O'Donnell, Summerfield, Julie (Richard) Dunlap, Eastman, GA., Pat Gow, Chicago; and cousin and friend to many. Funeral service will be held at 11 a.m., Thursday, April 12, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, with Fr. David Vivero officiating.
Burial will follow in Belleview Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday from 5 - 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/11/2007 - 4/12/2007.

1361. MYERS, AGNES BRYANT, (Obituary No. 1361.) 75 Ocala - Agnes Bryant Myers, 75, passed away Saturday, April 7, 2007 at Williams Childs Hospice Home in Palm Bay, FL. A native of Clearwater, FL she was a lifelong resident Ocala. She is survived by sons Robert (Evelyn) Bryant, Orlando, FL., Rickey Myers, Palm Bay, FL.; daughters Maria (Bernard) Simmons, Palm Bay, FL., Edna Myers, St. Pete, FL., Agnes (Garfield) Coleman, Ocala, FL.; 2 brothers Alfred (Edna) Bryant, Blitchton, FL., and Wesley (Grandvera) Bryant, Ocala, FL.; 23 grandchildren, and 11 great grandchildren. Viewing - Friday, April 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Service - Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 3:30 p.m. at Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Elton Oliver officiating. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. Family will gather at 1718 West Silver Springs Blvd., for the procession. "Summers Funeral Services make a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/13/2007.

1362. SMITH, PATRICIA A., (Obituary No. 1362.) 71 Citra - Patricia A. Smith, 71, died Sunday, April 8, 2007. She was born in Ojus, FL and moved to Citra 20 years ago from Miami. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy and was an Avon representative for many years. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, Luther R. Smith, Sr., of Citra; her daughters, Lorraine Crandell of Gainesville, Pam Templeton of Citra, Debbie Walter of Miami, and Linda Pellicer of St. Augustine; her son, Luther R. Smith, Jr., of Citra; thirteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 12 noon on Saturday, April 14, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy with Sam Pritchard and Pastor Max Wilkins officiating. Visitation will be at the church from 11 a.m. to 12 noon. Interment will be in Simmons Full Gospel Church Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/11/2007 - 4/12/2007.

1363. WOODARD, THURMOND BERNARD, (Obituary No. 1363.) 58 Austin, TX - Thurmond Bernard Woodard, 58, born on January 9, 1949 in Ocala, Florida, was called home on April 4, 2007 after a valiant battle with cancer. True to form, Thurmond demonstrated great courage and dignity as he fought the disease since being diagnosed in late 2005. His family was blessed to have been with him in his final moments. Thurmond was first and foremost a man of God, a husband and a father. He was also an invaluable friend, mentor and a counselor to many that he met during his 30-year career in finance, marketing and human resources. Thurmond is survived by his loving wife of 37 years, Suzanne, and their children, Michelynn "Miki" of Los Angeles, California and Derek of Austin, Texas; sister Towanna Comer of Ocala, Florida; his mother-in-law; two brothers-in-law; two sisters-in-law; two nieces; one nephew and a host of cousins, aunts, uncles and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Deacon Ed and Sister Theora Woodard and his brother, Deacon Sherry Vernon Woodard. Thurmond was a proud graduate of Hampton University in 1970 with a bachelor's degree in accounting. He also pursued a graduate degree at the University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee. Most recently, Thurmond was the vice president for Global Diversity and the Chief Ethics, Privacy and Compliance Officer for Dell, Inc. A visionary leader, Thurmond leaves a legacy of inclusion and collaboration and spread these values to all of the communities he touched. His long standing dedication to fostering a culture of respect and integrity made him one of the most admired leaders amongst his peers and colleagues. Prior to coming to Dell, Thurmond was the President
and Chief Operating Officer for Atlanta-based R. Thomas Consulting and Training, Inc. He also served as Vice President and General Manager of an international division of Flexel, Inc. Thurmond spent 17 years at Johnson Wax, serving as Director of Finance in Europe and later as General Manager in the Caribbean for one of the company's consumer and industrial product businesses. Integrity, spirit, generosity, strength, commitment, humor, and kindness; Thurmond embodied all of these and positively impacted the lives of all he touched. Despite his illness, he still made the time to challenge, lead and mentor those around him. Thurmond was a devout member of David Chapel Missionary Baptist Church where he served as a Deacon and Sunday School teacher and along with his wife, led Crown Financial Ministries. Thurmond was a member of several organizations and served on the board of trustees for Huston Tillotson University, the board of the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, the Ethics and Compliance Officers Association, the board of advisors for Catalyst, and was a member of ELC. In recognition of his leadership and accomplishments, Thurmond was also selected for membership as an Archon of Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity. Thurmond had a passion for golf, pistachios, loved a good cigar and sports of any kind. He loved to laugh and was happiest spending time with his family and friends and collecting art and wine from his travels around the world. A champion for all, Thurmond's impact was wide-reaching and his sensible counsel, generous spirit, tireless dedication and optimism were cherished and admired by all he touched. Information about the various services are listed below. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, P.O. Box 4486, Houston, TX., 77210-4486, www.mdanderson.org/gifts. Please include "For Thurmond Woodard" on your check or online donation. Your gift to M.D. Anderson Cancer Center will make a difference in the struggle against cancer by providing vital support for innovative programs at one of the world premier comprehensive cancer centers. Thank you for your generous and thoughtful support. Florida Services: Friday, April 13, 2007 at 7 p.m. - Wake, Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 9225 SW 27th Ave., Ocala, FL., 34476 - Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. Funeral and Interment, Shady Grove Baptist Church, 9225 SW 27th Ave., Ocala, FL., 34476, (352) 237-3422. Services Entrusted TO KING-TEARS MORTUARY, INC., 1300 E. 12th St., Austin, TX., 78702, (512) 473-8260 and SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 NW 10th St., Ocala, FL., 34475, (352) 351-0566. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/13/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Friday, April 13, 2007

1364. BROWN, ALMA, (Obituary No. 1364.) 92 Ocala - Funeral Service for Mrs. Alma Brown, 92, food service worker, will be held Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. Dennis Hagins officiating. Mrs. Brown was born in Ocala, FL., November 22, 1914 to the late McDuffie Croskey and Gracie Taylor. Survivors 1 son, Herbert Brown, Sr., Ft. Lauderdale, FL., 1 brother, William Crosky, Ocala, FL., Mary Owens, Washington, DC., 11 grandchildren, 30 great grandchildren and 13 great-great grandchildren. Interment Burell Cemetery, under the direction of your "Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Wake Thursday at 7 p.m. Cunningham Chapel of Faith. Visitation Friday, April 13, 2007 from 9 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the church from 12 noon until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/13/2007.
1365. CLAXTON, THOMAS J., (Obituary No. 1365.) 72 Seneca, SC - Thomas Joseph Claxton, 72, husband of Maudean Gray Claxton, died April 11, 2007 at Greenville Memorial Hospital. A native of Ocala, FL he was the son of the late James Bernice and Johanna Leonard Claxton. He was a 20 year veteran of the U. S. Air Force and attained the rank of Master Sergeant. He was an insurance inspector for over 20 years and before coming to Seneca he had lived in Ocala, FL for over 20 years. In addition to his wife he is survived by daughters, Bernice Ann Freeman and husband John Of Yulee, FL and Valerie Lynn Buzduhanov and husband Charles of Plainfield, ILL, sons, Scott Martineau and wife Lynn of Easley, SC, Steven Martineau and wife Lisa of Tampa, FL, and Tom Allen Claxton and wife Susan of Texas, brothers, John Claxton and Jimmy Claxton of Jacksonville, FL and 6 grandchildren. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 10 a.m. in the chapel of Duckett-Robinson Funeral Home in Central, S.C. Online condolences may be expressed at www.robinsonfuneralhomes.com or in person at DUCKETT-ROBINSON FUNERAL HOME, Central-Clemson Commons, who is assisting the family. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/13/2007 - 4/14/2007.

1366. COUNCIL-JACKSON-MANUEL, Fay, (Obituary No. 1366.) 47 Ocala - Mrs. Fay Council-Jackson-Manuel, 47, passed away on April 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was a Bus Driver for the Marion County School Board. Mrs. Manuel leaves to cherish her memories: husband, Arnold Lee Manuel (Ocala, FL); two sons, Artrell Manuel and Keyvius Sampson both of Ocala, FL; stepchildren, Arnold Lee Manuel, Jr., Jasmin, Antonio, Debra and Amber; brothers, Oliver Windell Sears, Sr. (Brunswick, GA), Richard L. Sears, Ivory Jackson, Bennie Woods, Jr., Fred Crowell, Jr. (all of Ocala, FL), Fredrick Seat (Riverview, FL), Marvin Woods (Miami, FL), Ronnie Rawls (Clewiston, FL), William Woods (Albany, GA); sisters, Wands Sears-Fulton, Carolyn Woods, Pansy Woods-Wilson, Esther J. Richards, Fannie J. Smith (all of Ocala, FL), Sandra Woods-Shelton (Maryland); Spiritual Guardian - Mother, Olivia Snow (Ocala, FL); Mother-in-law, Mrs. Shirley Wilson (Isaiah); brother-in-laws, Obdul Larry Hickson, Darell Manuel, Ricky Manuel; sister-in-laws, Fleta Sears-Allen, Ethel McCray, Andray Hicks & a host of aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. Funeral Services fro Mrs. Fay Council-Jackson-Manuel will be held 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 14, 2007 at Pentecostal Full Gospel Church, Apostle Bernard Tuggerson, Pastor. Wake service will be held on Thursday, April 12, 2007 from 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME Chapel. Interment will follow in the Shady Grove Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/13/2007.

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Heald of Eustis, grandchildren Travis and Robert Crabb and Angelina Brickensteine, great grandchildren Kirsten and Jordan Brickensteine. The memorial service for Andy S. Crabb will be conducted Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the Crystal River United Methodist Church with Rev. David Gill presiding. Private cremation are under the direction of STRICKLAND FUNERAL HOME, Crystal River, (352) 795-2678. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorial contributions to the Crystal River Methodist Church Building Fund, 4801 N. Citrus Avenue Crystal River, FL 34428. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/13/2007.

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1369. DEE, MELINDA BARKSDALE, (Obituary No. 1369.) 37 Orange Park - Melinda Barksdale Dee, 37, of Orange Park, FL., formally of Ocala, died Saturday, April 7, 2007. Melinda was born in Portsmouth, VA. and graduated from Vanguard High School. She was of the Baptist Faith. Her husband Richard "Ricky" Dee of Orange Park, FL., 2 sons Dalton Dee and Conner Dee both of Orange Park survive her; parents Glen and Linda Barksdale of Silver Springs, FL., sister Lori Reese of Ocala, FL., maternal grandmother Alice Geissler of Ocala, FL., paternal grandmother Alberta Barksdale of Sun City Center, FL. There will be a gathering for a service of remembrance at Roberts Funeral Home, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala with Reverend F. Matthew Lowe conducting the service, Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 1 p.m. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Children's Miracle Network in memory of Melinda. Arrangements ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/13/2007 - 4/14/2007.

1370. DOLDER, MATTHEW RYAN, (Obituary No. 1370.) 22 Ocala - Matthew Ryan Dolder, 22, of Ocala, FL., passed away on Tuesday, April 10, 2007. Mr. Dolder was a Manager of All Tune & Lube in Ocala. He was born in Aurora, Illinois and moved to Ocala from Oswego, Illinois in 2000. He was a Christian. He is survived by his parents, J. Patrick & Linda Dolder of Ocala, FL., sister, Amy Lynn (Rick) Palese of Geneva, Illinois, paternal grandparents, Jim & Theresa Dolder of Ocala, FL., maternal grandparents, Loren & Norma Inman of Iuka, Mississippi, aunt & uncle, Mike & Lauren Dolder of Plano, Texas, and aunt, Cherrie Robertson of Iuka, Mississippi. In lieu of flowers for those who wish memorials may be made to Marion County Animal Center, 5701 SE 66th Street, Ocala, FL., 34480. Information provided by
1371. GATENS, MAURICE, (Obituary No. 1371.) 89 Dunnellon - Maurice Gatens was born August 26, 1917 in Bancroft, West Virginia and died suddenly at his home in Dunnellon, Florida on April 9, 2007. Mr. Gatens is survived by his wife of 60 years, Janette (Betty) Gatens of Dunnellon, his son, Dr. Robert Gatens and granddaughter Bailey Gatens of Fairfax, Virginia; his daughter Barbara Gatens and husband Bill Durrence of Savannah, GA., and three sisters, Margaret Cargill of Sarasota, FL., Judy Witt of Gaithersburg, MD., and Rosalie Waldorf of Nitro, West Virginia. Mr. Gatens was a graduate of Morris Harvey College, served in the Navy during WWII and employed as a research chemist then safety supervisor by Monsanto for 40 years. He and his beloved brother Paul (aka Moe and Boe) were part time golfers and full time story tellers who entertained and endeared family and friends with ever changing legends of their life. Mr. Gatens was a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Community where services will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, April 14, 2007 with Father Joe Pinchcock officiating.


1372. LUBIC, MARGARET PROM, (Obituary No. 1372.) 84 Ocala - Mrs. Margaret Prom Lubic, 84, of Ocala, FL., passed away on Wednesday, April 11, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center of Ocala. Born in Jacksonville, FL she grew up in Hialeah, FL. She and her husband moved to Ocala area in 1979. She was an active member of The First Baptist Church of Ocala. She enjoyed walking with the Forever Young Club at the Paddock Mall until her final illness prevented her from participating. Margaret was a Prestige 55 Volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Survived by: daughter Sharon Jennings-Willits; 4 grandchildren Deborah L. Leaf, Dianne L. Marinshaw, Ryan E. Willits and Cherise L. Willits; 4 great grandchildren; Jade Leaf, Renee Leaf, Abigail Leaf and Christian Leaf; and 4 sisters Candler Bean, Mabel Sizemore, Esther Gibbs and Evelyn Floyd. Preceded in death by daughter Margaret Ellen Mooney. Visitation will be held from 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. on Friday, April 13, 2007 at the Funeral Home. Service will be held on Saturday, April 14, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge at 11 a.m. Burial will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge is charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/13/2007.

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1376. WOODARD, THURMOND BERNARD, (Obituary No. 1376.) 58 Austin, TX - Thurmond Bernard Woodard, 58, born on January 9, 1949 in Ocala, Florida, was called home on April 4, 2007 after a valiant battle with cancer. True to form, Thurmond demonstrated great courage and dignity as he fought the disease since being diagnosed in late 2005. His family was blessed to have been with him in his final moments. Thurmond was first and foremost a man of God, a husband and a father. He was also an invaluable friend, mentor and a counselor to many that he met during his 30-year career in finance, marketing and human resources. Thurmond is survived by his loving wife of 37 years, Suzanne, and their children, Michelynn "Miki" of Los Angeles, California and Derek of Austin, Texas; sister Towanna Comer of Ocala, Florida; his mother-in-law; two brothers-in-law; two sisters-in-law; two nieces; one nephew and a host of cousins, aunts, uncles and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Deacon Ed and Sister Theora Woodard and his brother, Deacon Sherry Vernon Woodard. Thurmond was a proud graduate of Hampton University in 1970 with a bachelor's degree in accounting. He also pursued a graduate degree at the University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee. Most recently, Thurmond was the vice president for Global Diversity and the Chief Ethics, Privacy and Compliance Officer for Dell, Inc. A visionary leader, Thurmond leaves a legacy of inclusion and
collaboration and spread these values to all of the communities he touched. His long standing dedication to fostering a culture of respect and integrity made him one of the most admired leaders amongst his peers and colleagues. Prior to coming to Dell, Thurmond was the President and Chief Operating Officer for Atlanta-based R. Thomas Consulting and Training, Inc. He also served as Vice President and General Manager of an international division of Flexel, Inc. Thurmond spent 17 years at Johnson Wax, serving as Director of Finance in Europe and later as General Manager in the Caribbean for one of the company's consumer and industrial product businesses. Integrity, spirit, generosity, strength, commitment, humor, and kindness; Thurmond embodied all of these and positively impacted the lives of all he touched. Despite his illness, he still made the time to challenge, lead and mentor those around him. Thurmond was a devout member of David Chapel Missionary Baptist Church where he served as a Deacon and Sunday School teacher and along with his wife, led Crown Financial Ministries. Thurmond was a member of several organizations and served on the board of trustees for Huston Tillotson University, the board of the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, the Ethics and Compliance Officers Association, the board of advisors for Catalyst, and was a member of ELC. In recognition of his leadership and accomplishments, Thurmond was also selected for membership as an Archon of Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity. Thurmond had a passion for golf, pistachios, loved a good cigar and sports of any kind. He loved to laugh and was happiest spending time with his family and friends and collecting art and wine from his travels around the world. A champion for all, Thurmond's impact was wide-reaching and his sensible counsel, generous spirit, tireless dedication and optimism were cherished and admired by all he touched. Information about the various services are listed below. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, P.O. Box 4486, Houston, TX., 77210-4486, www.mdanderson.org/gifts. Please include "For Thurmond Woodard" on your check or online donation. Your gift to M.D. Anderson Cancer Center will make a difference in the struggle against cancer by providing vital support for innovative programs at one of the world premier comprehensive cancer centers. Thank you for you generous and thoughtful support. Florida Services: Friday, April 13, 2007 at 7 p.m. - Wake, Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 9225 SW 27th Ave., Ocala, FL., 34476 - Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. Funeral and Interment, Shady Grove Baptist Church, 9225 SW 27th Ave., Ocala, FL., 34476, (352) 237-3422. Services Entrusted TO KING-TEARS MORTUARY, INC., 1300 E. 12th St., Austin, TX., 78702, (512) 473-8260 and SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 NW 10th St., Ocala, FL., 34475, (352) 351-0566. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/12/2007 - 4/14/2007.

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1377. BROWN, WILLIAM VINCENT, (Obituary No. 1377.) 46 Dunnellon - Memorial Gathering for Mr. William Vincent Brown, 46, welder, will be held Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the residence of John and Clara Bell Brown, 10930 SW 198th Terrace, Dunnellon, FL. Mr. Brown was born in Ocala, FL on September 9, 1960 to John R. Brown and Clara Bell Daniels. Survivors include father, John Brown and mother, Clara B. Brown, both of Dunnellon, FL; 4 brothers, Wendell Brown of Ocala, FL., Victor Brown and John A. Brown both of Ft. Lauderdale, FL., and Kerry Brown of Dunnellon, FL.; 1 sister, Sherry Ann Brown of Dunnellon, FL; and a host of nieces, nephew, and friends. Information provided by "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/14/2007 - 4/15/2007.
1378. CLAXTON, THOMAS J., (Obituary No. 1378.) 72 Seneca, SC - Thomas Joseph Claxton, 72, husband of Maudean Gray Claxton, died April 11, 2007 at Greenville Memorial Hospital. A native of Ocala, FL he was the son of the late James Bernice and Johanna Leonard Claxton. He was a 20 year veteran of the U. S. Air Force and attained the rank of Master Sergeant. He was an insurance inspector for over 20 years and before coming to Seneca he had lived in Ocala, FL for over 20 years. In addition to his wife he is survived by daughters, Bernice Ann Freeman and husband John Of Yulee, FL and Valerie Lynn Buzduhanov and husband Charles of Plainfield, ILL, sons, Scott Martineau and wife Lynn of Easley, SC, Steven Martineau and wife Lisa of Tampa, FL, and Tom Allen Claxton and wife Susan of Texas, brothers, John Claxton and Jimmy Claxton of Jacksonville, FL and 6 grandchildren. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 10 a.m. in the chapel of Duckett-Robinson Funeral Home in Central, S.C. Online condolences may be expressed at www.robinsonfuneralhomes.com or in person at DUCKETT-ROBINSON FUNERAL HOME, Central-Clemson Commons, who is assisting the family. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/13/2007 - 4/14/2007.

1379. DEE, MELINDA BARKSDALE, (Obituary No. 1379.) 37 Orange Park - Melinda Barksdale Dee, 37, of Orange Park, FL., formally of Ocala, died Saturday, April 7, 2007. Melinda was born in Portsmouth, VA. and graduated from Vanguard High School. She was of the Baptist Faith. Her husband Richard "Ricky" Dee of Orange Park, FL., 2 sons Dalton Dee and Conner Dee both of Orange Park survive her; parents Glen and Linda Barksdale of Silver Springs, FL., sister Lori Reese of Ocala, FL., maternal grandmother Alice Geissler of Ocala, FL., paternal grandmother Alberta Barksdale of Sun City Center, FL. There will be a gathering for a service of remembrance at Roberts Funeral Home, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala with Reverend F. Matthew Lowe conducting the service, Saturday, April 14, 2007 at 1 p.m. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Children's Miracle Network in memory of Melinda. Arrangements ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/13/2007 - 4/14/2007.


1381. KOEHLER, WALTER H., (Obituary No. 1381.) 80 Dunnellon - Mr. Walter H. Koehler, 80, of Dunnellon, Florida, passed away Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at Seven Rivers Hospital in Crystal River. A native of Morgantown, West Virginia, he graduated from West Virginia University in 1949. He retired to Citrus County in 1991 from Fairfax, VA. He was an advertising executive with Reuben H. Donnelley, Corporation for over 32 years. He served in the United
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1390. DAVIS, JANE F., (Obituary No. 1390.) 90 Ocala - Jane F. Davis passed away peacefully at the age of 90 on April 9th. Currently a resident of the Oak Run community in Ocala, Mrs. Davis is a native of Syracuse, NY. While living in Syracuse, Mrs. Davis was a hostess at Childs Restaurant in downtown Syracuse and eventually a secretary at Oberdorfer Foundries. In 1991 she moved to Florida to enjoy golf, cards and retirement with her husband of 50 years, Bruce. Mr. Davis passed away in 2005. Mrs. Davis is survived by her family in Syracuse, Deb Kopaczewski, Kay Todd, Suzanne Retschle, and Carol Veri. Also Sandra Fields of Vermont, Donna Stout of Wellsville, and Lisa Valentine and Geno Valentine of Hollywood Florida. Calling hours are from 4-6 PM at HIERS BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERIDGE on Monday, April 16. Entombment will follow 8:30 AM Mass on Tuesday, April 17, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/15/2007 - 4/16/2007.

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1393. VORE, MICHAEL WAYNE, (Obituary No. 1393.) 55 Ft. McCoy - Mr. Michael Wayne Vore, 55, of Ft. McCoy, died Friday, April 13, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Niles, Michigan, he moved here in 1966 from Clewiston, FL and was a construction worker. Mr. Vore was of the Baptist faith and is survived by his mother, Doris M. Vore and brother Martin Vore, both of Ft. McCoy; brother Richard Vore, Jr., of Jupiter, FL and sister Rita Williams of Trenton, FL. He was preceded in death by his father, Richard Vore, Sr., in 1996. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/15/2007 - 4/16/2007.

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1394. BRIGHT, MARY ANN, (Obituary No. 1394.) 64 Ocala - Mary Ann Bright, 64, passed away April 12, 2007 at her home. She was born in Darby, PA and moved to Ocala in 2002 from Exton, PA. She was an avid reader and loved playing with her grandchildren. She is survived by her husband of 46 years John W. Bright, 2 sons David J (Holly) Bright of Glenmoore, PA, and A. Christopher (Traci) Bright of Exton, PA, a daughter Teresa (Christopher) Costanzi of Oxford, PA, a sister Teresa Davridge of Millersville, PA and 7 grandchildren. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, Ocala, FL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/16/2007 - 4/17/2007.

1395. BRUNER, WILLIE R., (Obituary No. 1395.) 98 Ocala - Willie R. Bruner, 98, passed away Friday, April 13, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. Willie came here from Otter Creek, FL in 1942. Ms. Bruner was a member of Living Waters Worship Center. She was also a homemaker and loved to cook and garden. Willie is survived by four sons, Gene E. of Ocala, Lowell of Ocala, Billy of Silver Springs and Ronnie E. of Ocala, three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by Clarence Lee. A funeral service will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Tuesday, April 17, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. with Pastors J. Randall Watson and Bobby C. Lloyd officiating. Visitation will be on Monday.
from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/15/2007 - 4/16/2007.

1396. CARPENTER, ELEANOR MARIE, (Obituary No. 1396.) 83 Ocala - Eleanor Marie Carpenter, 83, passed away April, 13, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Merrick, New York and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Massapequa Park, NY. She was a Methodist, and an avid bingo player. She is survived by her husband of 61 years Stephen Carpenter, Jr., a son Donald (Susan) Carpenter of Massapequa, NY., a daughter Dorothy (Richard) Berger of Pittsburgh, PA., and two grandchildren Scott and Michelle Carpenter. She was preceded in death by a sister Helen Tonnesen. The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. on Monday, April 16, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL. A funeral service will be held at the funeral home on Tuesday, April 17, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Chaplain Jack Cushman officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/16/2007 - 4/17/2007.

1397. DAVIS, JANE F., (Obituary No. 1397.) 90 Ocala - Jane F. Davis passed away peacefully at the age of 90 on April 9th. Currently a resident of the Oak Run community in Ocala, Mrs. Davis is a native of Syracuse, NY. While living in Syracuse, Mrs. Davis was a hostess at Childs Restaurant in downtown Syracuse and eventually a secretary at Oberdorfer Foundries. In 1991 she moved to Florida to enjoy golf, cards and retirement with her husband of 50 years, Bruce. Mr. Davis passed away in 2005. Mrs. Davis is survived by her family in Syracuse, Deb Kopaczewski, Kay Todd, Suzanne Retschle, and Carol Veri. Also Sandra Fields of Vermont, Donna Stout of Wellsville, and Lisa Valentine and Geno Valentine of Hollywood Florida. Calling hours are from 4-6 PM at HIERS BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERRIDGE on Monday, April 16. Entombment will follow 8:30 AM Mass on Tuesday, April 17, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/15/2007 - 4/16/2007.

1398. KING, DR. JAMES WESLEY (Obituary No. 1398.) Weirsdale - Dr. James Wesley King passed away April 13, 2007 from coronary complications. Dr. King was born in Gainesville, FL., and lived in Florida throughout his formative years including Williston, Arcadia, Bartow and Plant City. After graduation from Plant City High School, he attended Florida Southern College in Lakeland where he obtained a degree in chemistry. In 1956 he entered the U.S. Army and after basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C., he was stationed at Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland. His duty assignment at the Army's chemical warfare research ultimately led him to a career at the facility where he received recognition for his accomplishments and was awarded the Army's Scientific Achievement Medal. Having established his career in Maryland Dr. King returned to school at the University of Maryland's School of Pharmacy where he obtained his doctorate in Medicinal Chemistry in 1975. Throughout his career he produced a number of technical papers on the cutting edge of drug design and computational chemistry. For a number of years Dr. King served as an adjunct professor in the school's Medicinal Chemistry department. Dr. King retired form the U.S. Army's Chemical Research and Development Directorate in 1994 and with his wife, Mary Frances moved to their mountain home in Balsam, NC. Jim and Mary enjoyed retirement in the N.C. Mountains while also maintaining a home in Weirsdale, FL. In either location Jim and Mary were active in church activities through Hazelwood Baptist Church or the Weirsdale
First Baptist Church. Whether known as Jim, James of J.W., Dr. King was known and loved by many having maintained friendships over a number of years. This was especially true of the close relationships maintained with his 1951 Plant City H.S. graduation class. Dr. King is survived by his wife of 54 years, Mary Frances Riley King, Weirsdale, FL; son, Dr. Cliff R. King, Henderson, NC; daughter, Ramona L. (Pastor Brent Book) Book, State College, PA; sister, Jan L. King, Sr., J.D., Atlanta, GA; three grandchildren, Chandley, Natalie, and Bethany who with the rest of the family will miss their "Doc". Funeral Service for Dr. James W. King are scheduled for 2 p.m., Monday, April 16, 2007 at the First Baptist Church of Weirsdale. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY (352) 753-4444. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/16/2007 - 4/17/2007.

1399. KOEHLER, WALTER H., (Obituary No. 1399.) 80 Dunnellon - Mr. Walter H. Koehler, 80, of Dunnellon, Florida, passed away Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at Seven Rivers Hospital in Crystal River. A native of Morgantown, West Virginia, he graduated from West Virginia University in 1949. He retired to Citrus County in 1991 from Fairfax, VA. He was an advertising executive with Reuben H. Donnelley, Corporation for over 32 years. He served in the United States Navy at the end of WWII, was President of Salisbury Country Club in Midlothian, VA., and a member of the Salisbury Presbyterian Church. He enjoyed football and basketball sporting events and was an avid golfer most of his life. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Betty Koehler of Dunnellon; his sister, Betty Lou Wilkinson and her husband Don, of Prospect Heights, Illinois; his son, Walter Koehler and his wife Debbie, of Ashburn Virginia; his daughter, Carol Catalano and her husband Joe, of Clifton, Virginia; and four grandchildren: Lauren and Anthony Catalano and Christopher and Amanda Koehler. The family will receive friends from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Sunday, April 15, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Funeral Services will take place on Monday, April 16, 2007 at 11 a.m., also at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Mr. Koehler's nephew, Rev. David Wilkinson will be officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/14/2007 - 4/16/2007.

1400. MOORE, GLADYS MARCELLE, (Obituary No. 1400.) 61 Summerfield - Gladys Marcelle Moore, 61, of Summerfield, died at her residence April 12, 2007. She was a lifetime resident of Marion County and was a waitress at Plantation Pancake House and IHOP. Mrs. Moore was a member of Soul's Harbor First Pentecostal Church in Belleview. She was survived by her husband, Jimmy W. Moore, Summerfield; sons, Edwin W. Moore, Mayo, FL, Clayton O. Moore, Summerfield, Jimmy L. Moore, Ocala, FL; daughter, Jessica La-nell Brown, Birmingham, AL; brothers, Ronald L. Wicker, Oxford, FL, Michael J. Wicker, Summerfield; sisters, Katherine L. Branum, Summerfield, Beverly L. Campbell, Summerfield, Valerie L. Mendenhall, Ft. McCoy, FL, Hazel E. Watkins, Gulf Hammock, FL; 6 grandchildren. Services will be at 2 p.m., Sunday, April 15, 2007 at Soul's Harbor First Pentecostal Church, Belleview. Burial will be at Crum Cemetery, Summerfield. Visitation will be Saturday from 5 - 8 p.m. at the church. Arrangements handled by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/14/2007 - 4/16/2007.

1401. RYALS, GEORGE "LAMAR", (Obituary No. 1401.) 82 Ocala - George "Lamar" Ryals, passed away peacefully at the age of 82 on April 13, 2007. He was a veteran serving with the US Air Force and Navy during World War II, and Korea. Lamar is survived by his wife of 59, Gene J. Ryals; a sister, Barbara Berry; two sons, Stephen L. Ryals and George K. Ryals; five
grandchildren and six grandchildren. The family will be receiving friends Wednesday, April 18, 2007 from 4 to 7 p.m. at Lamar's former residence. Call for directions. HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/16/2007 - 4/17/2007.

1402. VORE, MICHAEL WAYNE, 55 (Obituary No. 1402.) Ft. McCoy - Mr. Michael Wayne Vore, 55, of Ft. McCoy, died Friday, April 13, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Niles, Michigan, he moved here in 1966 from Clewiston, FL and was a construction worker. Mr. Vore was of the Baptist faith and is survived by his mother, Doris M. Vore and brother Martin Vore, both of Ft. McCoy; brother Richard Vore, Jr., of Jupiter, FL and sister Rita Williams of Trenton, FL. He was preceded in death by his father, Richard Vore, Sr., in 1996. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/15/2007 - 4/16/2007.

1403. WRIGHT, JR., CHESTER, F. (Obituary No. 1403.) Ocala - Mr. Chester F. Wright Jr., of Ocala, passed away on Saturday, April 14, 2007 at his residence. He was born in West Palm Beach, Fl and moved to Ocala in 1998 from Lenoir City, TN. He attended the University of Florida before serving in the U.S. Army, Air Force, and Navy. He was a decorated World War II veteran. Mr. Wright retired from Martin Marietta Corporation in Oak Ridge, TN, after over 30 years experience at the U.S. Department of Energy facilities there. He was a lifetime member of the Scottish Rite, and was an avid reader, computer enthusiast, and aspired to be an amateur pilot. He is survived by his wife of 14 years, Louise Wright of Ocala, his brother, Dr. Samuel Wright of Ocala, son Chester F. Wright III and his wife Ruth of Madison, AL, daughter Constance Haithcox and her husband Max of Monroe, NC, daughter Patricia Gullett and her husband Russ of Monroe, NC, stepson Brian Shea and his wife Rose of Parkland, WA, stepdaughter Teresa Carroll and her husband Bruce of Minneapolis, MN, 10 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8pm on Tuesday, April 17, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW St Rd 200, Ocala, Fl. A funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 18, 2007 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/16/2007 - 4/17/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, April 17, 2007

1404. BATTS, LESLIE, (Obituary No. 1404.) 52 Dunnellon - Leslie Batts, 52, of Dunnellon, died suddenly on Sunday, April 15, 2007, at the Emergency center at TimberRidge. Mr. Batts was a life time resident of Marion County. Mr. Batts was a sixteen year veteran with the Marion County Sheriff's Office where he served with the Marine Division. Mr. Batts served in the U.S. Army Artillery. He is a past member of the Ocala Masonic and Shriners Lodges. A member of St. John The Baptist Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife, Joan Batts of Dunnellon; four sons, Calvin Batts, Jordan Batts, Nathan Batts and Ryan Batts all of Dunnellon; father, Lamar Batts of Tallahassee, Florida; brothers, Michael Batts of San Clemente, California and Christopher Batts of Tallahassee, Florida. The family will receive friends Thursday evening from 4 p.m. till 8 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Memorial Funeral Services will be conducted Friday, April 19, 2007 at 1 p.m. at the Meadowbrook Church with Pastor Tim Gilligan officiating. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON
1405. BRIGHT, MARY ANN, (Obituary No. 1405.) 64 Ocala - Mary Ann Bright, 64, passed away April 12, 2007 at her home. She was born in Darby, PA and moved to Ocala in 2002 from Exton, PA. She was an avid reader and loved playing with her grandchildren. She is survived by her husband of 46 years John W. Bright, 2 sons David J (Holly) Bright of Glenmoore, PA, and A. Christopher (Traci) Bright of Exton, PA, a daughter Teresa (Christopher) Costanzi of Oxford, PA, a sister Teresa Davridge of Millersville, PA and 7 grandchildren. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, Ocala, FL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/16/2007 - 4/17/2007.

1406. CARPENTER, ELEANOR MARIE, (Obituary No. 1406.) 83 Ocala - Eleanor Marie Carpenter, 83, passed away April 13, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Merrick, New York and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Massapequa Park, NY. She was a Methodist, and an avid bingo player. She is survived by her husband of 61 years Stephen Carpenter, Jr., a son Donald (Susan) Carpenter of Massapequa, NY., a daughter Dorothy (Richard) Berger of Pittsburgh, PA., and two grandchildren Scott and Michelle Carpenter. She was preceded in death by a sister Helen Tonnesen. The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. on Monday, April 16, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL. A funeral service will be held at the funeral home on Tuesday, April 17, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Chaplain Jack Cushman officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/16/2007 - 4/17/2007.

1407. FERTILE, FRANK T., (Obituary No. 1407.) 87 Ocala, Florida - Frank Fertile, 87, of Ocala, passed away Friday, April 13, 2007. He moved here from Bayside, NY in 1999. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He is survived by daughters, Veronica Montes of Richmond Hill, NY, and Michelle Mongeluzzo of Ocklawaha, FL; son, Michael Fertile of Long Island, NY; favorite son-in-law, Larry Helm of Ocklawaha, FL; sister, Josephine Garufi of Long Island, NY; and 7 grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife of 33 years, Carole Fertile, Visitation will be held on Tuesday, April 17, 2007 from 2-4pm and 6-8pm with a family Service at 7pm at Hiers Funeral Home. Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, at 11am Wednesday, April 18, with Fr. Michael O'Keefe officiating. Interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/17/2007 - 4/18/2007.

1408. KING, DR. JAMES WESLEY (Obituary No. 1408.) Weirsdale - Dr. James Wesley King passed away April 13, 2007 from coronary complications. Dr. King was born in Gainesville, FL., and lived in Florida throughout his formative years including Williston, Arcadia, Bartow and Plant City. After graduation from Plant City High School, he attended Florida Southern College in Lakeland where he obtained a degree in chemistry. In 1956 he entered the U.S. Army and after basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C., he was stationed at Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland. His duty assignment at the Army's chemical warfare research ultimately led him to a career at the facility where he received recognition for his accomplishments and was awarded the Army's Scientific Achievement Medal. Having established his career in Maryland Dr. King returned to school at the University of Maryland's School of Pharmacy where he obtained his doctorate in Medicinal
Chemistry in 1975. Throughout his career he produced a number of technical papers on the cutting edge of drug design and computational chemistry. For a number of years Dr. King served as an adjunct professor in the school's Medicinal Chemistry department. Dr. King retired from the U.S. Army's Chemical Research and Development Directorate in 1994 and with his wife, Mary Frances moved to their mountain home in Balsam, NC. Jim and Mary enjoyed retirement in the N.C. Mountains while also maintaining a home in Weirsdale, FL. In either location Jim and Mary were active in church activities through Hazelwood Baptist Church or the Weirsdale First Baptist Church. Whether known as Jim, James of J.W., Dr. King was known and loved by many having maintained friendships over a number of years. This was especially true of the close relationships maintained with his 1951 Plant City H.S. graduation class. Dr. King is survived by his wife of 54 years, Mary Frances Riley King, Weirsdale, FL; son, Dr. Cliff R. King, Henderson, NC; daughter, Ramona L. (Pastor Brent Book) Book, State College, PA; sister, Jan L. King, Sr., J.D., Atlanta, GA; three grandchildren, Chandley, Natalie, and Bethany who with the rest of the family will miss their "Doc". Funeral Service for Dr. James W. King are scheduled for 2 p.m., Monday, April 16, 2007 at the First Baptist Church of Weirsdale. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY (352) 753-4444 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/16/2007 - 4/17/2007.

1409. RYALS, GEORGE "LAMAR", (Obituary No. 1409.) 82 Ocala - George "Lamar" Ryals, passed away peacefully at the age of 82 on April 13, 2007. He was a veteran serving with the US Air Force and Navy during World War II, and Korea. Lamar is survived by his wife of 59, Gene J. Ryals; a sister, Barbara Berry; two sons, Stephen L. Ryals and George K. Ryals; five grandchildren and six grandchildren. The family will be receiving friends Wednesday, April 18, 2007 from 4 to 7 p.m. at Lamar's former residence. Call for directions. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/16/2007 - 4/17/2007.

1410. SPAIN, BEVERLY A., (Obituary No. 1410.) 86 Ocala - Beverly A. Spain, 86, of Ocala, passed away April 14, 2007. Born in Granite City, IL, she came to this area in 1956 from Bedford, IN. She was a retired sales manager and a member of First Christian Church, Ocala. She was an avid Bridge player and also enjoyed ceramics, sewing, arts and crafts. She is survived by her daughters, Sylvia J. Tuchak of West Palm Beach, FL and Claudia S. Denton of Graniteville, SC; grandchildren, Gregory Denton, Cindy Ayres and Travis Tuchak; 5 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Phillip C. Spain and brother, Howard N. Louden. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141 on Wednesday, April 18, 2007 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Funeral Service will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St. Ocala at 2 p.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/17/2007 - 4/18/2007.

1411. WILSON, LOIS I., (Obituary No. 1411.) 72 Ocala - Lois I. Wilson, 72, of Ocala, passed away April 13, 2007 at Hospice's Legacy House. Born in Pontiac, Michigan, she came to this area 21 years ago from Vermont. She was a retired thoroughbred horse trainer and truck driver. In recent years, she worked as an international antique and junk dealer. She also volunteered for Hospice. She is survived by her sons, Norman C. Wilson (Caryl) of Ocala, Curtis Wilson (Brenda) of Hinesburg, VT; daughter, Barbara Morrisey (Francis) of Bennington, VT; sisters,
Eleanor Schmidt of MI and Gail Olson of MT; grandchildren, Lisa, Brandon, Michael, Casey, Katie, Matthew and Patrick; and great grandchildren, Samantha, Christopher and Hayden. She was preceded in death by her husband, Eugene A. Wilson and sister, Grace Pettit of MT. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141 on Wednesday, April 18, 2007 from 6-8 p.m. A Funeral Service will be held at the Funeral Home on Thursday April 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/17/2007 - 4/18/2007.

1412. WRIGHT, JR., CHESTER, F. (Obituary No. 1412.) Ocala - Mr. Chester F. Wright Jr., of Ocala, passed away on Saturday, April 14, 2007 at his residence. He was born in West Palm Beach, Fl and moved to Ocala in 1998 from Lenoir City, TN. He attended the University of Florida before serving in the U.S. Army, Air Force, and Navy. He was a decorated World War II veteran. Mr. Wright retired from Martin Marietta Corporation in Oak Ridge, TN, after over 30 years experience at the U.S. Department of Energy facilities there. He was a lifetime member of the Scottish Rite, and was an avid reader, computer enthusiast, and aspired to be an amateur pilot. He is survived by his wife of 14 years, Louise Wright of Ocala, his brother, Dr. Samuel Wright of Ocala, son Chester F. Wright III and his wife Ruth of Madison, AL, daughter Constance Haithcox and her husband Max of Monroe, NC, daughter Patricia Gullett and her husband Russ of Monroe, NC, stepson Brian Shea and his wife Rose of Parkland, WA, stepdaughter Teresa Carroll and her husband Bruce of Minneapolis, MN, 10 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8pm on Tuesday, April 17, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW St Rd 200, Ocala, Fl. A funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 18, 2007 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/16/2007 - 4/17/2007.

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1414. DECRISTOFORO, SAMUEL J., (Obituary No. 1414.) 85 Ocala - Samuel J. DeCristoforo, 85, died on Sunday, April 1, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Born in Donora, PA. Husband of 54 years to Mary Helen, Father of Alan of Phila, Samuel D. of Ocala, and Mary A. Wilson of Levittown, PA. Grandfather of 7, Great grandfather of 3. Brother of Katherine Pietroboni. He was a Navy WWII Vet in the Pacific. He graduated from Robert Morris College in Pitt, PA. He was retired from US Steel and was a member of the K of C, Elks, and Fairless Hills Fire Co. Interment services Florida National Cemetery, Thursday 2 pm. Arrangements by Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/18/2007 - 4/19/2007.

1415. FERTILE, FRANK T., (Obituary No. 1415.) 87 Ocala, Florida - Frank Fertile, 87, of Ocala, passed away Friday, April 13, 2007. He moved here from Bayside, NY in 1999. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He is survived by daughters, Veronica Montes of Richmond Hill, NY, and Michelle Mongeluzzo of Ocklawaha, FL; son, Michael Fertile of Long Island, NY; favorite son-in-law, Larry Helm of Ocklawaha, FL; sister, Josephine Garufi of Long Island, NY; and 7 grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife of 33 years, Carole Fertile, Visitaton will be held on Tuesday, April 17, 2007 from 2-4pm and 6-8pm with a family Service at 7pm at Hiers Funeral Home. Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, at 11am Wednesday, April 18, with Fr. Michael O'Keefe officiating. Interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/17/2007 - 4/18/2007.

1416. MCLUCAS, ANDREW ROBERTS "BOB", (Obituary No. 1416.) 79 Leesburg - Bob McLucas, 79, or Leesburg, FL. passed away on April 16 after an extended illness. He moved to Leesburg from Pedro in 1973. He worked in the Dairy Industry for years and was fondly known as "Bob the Milkman" by many. He was a Army Veteran and a member of the Leesburg Christian Center. He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Edith McLucas, a daughter & son in law, Gail & Raymond Thompson of Eustis, a son and daughter in law, Wayne & Rhonda McLucas of Oxford, a son & daughter in law, Andy & Angel McLucas of Pensacola, FL, a step daughter, Linda Nelms of Leesburg FL, a step son and daughter in law, Neil & Renee Nelms of Gainesville, one brother Ed & Marjie McLucas of Leesburg, seven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Services will be held Wednesday, April 18, at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel at 10 AM with Pastor Alex Holloway officiating. Family and friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday, April 18 from 9:00 to 10:00 AM. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Lake & Sumter Hospice, 12300 Lane Park Rd, Tavares, FL 32778. Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home, lessburg, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/18/2007 - 4/19/2007.

1417. MIKULAK, J. BRADLEY, (Obituary No. 1417.) 59 Ocala - Mr. J. Bradley Mikulak, 59, of Ocala, passed away April 7th. Born in Cincinnati, OH, he came to this area 41 years ago from South Bend, IN. He was a member of ARC Marion County Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He also enjoyed books, music, singing, and socializing with Ocala neighbors. He is survived by his siblings, Michael, Sharon, Susan and Gregory Mikulak and Rosemarie Nelson, all of Ocala; niece, Marie Schoup of Silver Springs and nephew, Buck Nelson of Summerfield. He was preceded in death by his parents, Mickey and Mary Mikulak. A Memorial Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church (5 SE 17th St., Ocala) on Friday (April 20th) at 1 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to ARC Marion 2800 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL 34471. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES,
1418. MOODY, JR., GEORGE ELWIN, (Obituary No. 1418.) 32 Mountain Home, AR - George Elwin Moody, Jr. of Mountain Home, AR passed away on Fri. April 13, 2007. He was 32. Mr. Moody had lived in Ocala, where he was born, until he moved to Mountain Home, AR a little over a year ago. He was working at Gaston's Resort in Mountain Home. He is survived by his father, George Edwin Moody, Sr. of Ocala and mother, Deborah Jan Karalus of Mountain Home, AR; brother, Darrell Moody of Orlando; sisters, Cathy Moody Smith of Belleview and Jamie Moody Martin of Ocala; and paternal grandmother, Dovie Harvey. Memorial services for Mr. Moody will be held on Sun., April 22, 2007 at 2pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/18/2007 - 4/19/2007.

1419. SPAIN, BEVERLY A., (Obituary No. 1419.) 86 Ocala - Beverly A. Spain, 86, of Ocala, passed away April 14, 2007. Born in Granite City, IL, she came to this area in 1956 from Bedford, IN. She was a retired sales manager and a member of First Christian Church, Ocala. She was an avid Bridge player and also enjoyed ceramics, sewing, arts and crafts. She is survived by her daughters, Sylvia J. Tuchak of West Palm Beach, FL and Claudia S. Denton of Graniteville, SC; grandchildren, Gregory Denton, Cindy Ayres and Travis Tuchak; 5 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Phillip C. Spain and brother, Howard N. Louden. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141 on Wednesday, April 18, 2007 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Funeral Service will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St. Ocala at 2 p.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/18/2007 - 4/19/2007.

1420. WILSON, LOIS I., (Obituary No. 1420.) 72 Ocala - Lois I. Wilson, 72, of Ocala, passed away April 13, 2007 at Hospice's Legacy House. Born in Pontiac, Michigan, she came to this area 21 years ago from Vermont. She was a retired thoroughbred horse trainer and truck driver. In recent years, she worked as an international antique and junk dealer. She also volunteered for Hospice. She is survived by her sons, Norman C. Wilson (Caryl) of Ocala, Curtis Wilson (Brenda) of Hinesburg, VT; daughter, Barbara Morrissey (Francis) of Bennington, VT; sisters, Eleanor Schmidt of MI and Gail Olson of MT; grandchildren, Lisa, Brandon, Michael, Casey, Katie, Matthew and Patrick; and great grandchildren, Samantha, Christopher and Hayden. She was preceded in death by her husband, Eugene A. Wilson and sister, Grace Pettit of MT. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141 on Wednesday, April 18, 2007 from 6-8 p.m. A Funeral Service will be held at the Funeral Home on Thursday April 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/17/2007 - 4/18/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Thursday, April 19, 2007
1421. DECRISTOFORO, SAMUEL J., (Obituary No. 1421.) 85 Ocala - Samuel J. DeCristoforo, 85, died on Sunday, April 1, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Born in Donora, PA. Husband of 54 years to Mary Helen, Father of Alan of Phila, Samuel D. of Ocala, and Mary A. Wilson of Levittown, PA. Grandfather of 7, Great grandfather of 3. Brother of Katherine Pietroboni. He was a Navy WWII Vet in the Pacific. He graduated from Robert Morris College in Pitt, PA. He was retired from US Steel and was a member of the K of C, Elks, and Fairless Hills Fire Co. Interment services Florida National Cemetery, Thursday 2 pm. Arrangements by Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/18/2007 - 4/19/2007.

1422. HAGMAN, SHELBY, (Obituary No. 1422.) 13 Ocala - Shelby Hagman, 13, of Ocala, formerly of Land O' Lakes, passed away Friday, April 13, 2007, as a result of an auto accident. She was born in Dade City, FL and was a 7th grade student at Parrott Middle School in Hernando County. She is survived by her loving family including her father, Scott Hagman of Land O' Lakes; mother & stepfather, Angela Stone & Mike Ferranti; maternal grandparents, Deborah & Larry Wynn, Steve Stone; paternal grandparents, Roy Hagman & Paulette O'Brien, Lexie Hagman; maternal great grandparents, Ethelda Arnold, Jack & Dolores Arnold, Don "Honey" Stone; paternal great grandparents, Bud & Lois Butler, Shirley Hagman and numerous family and friends. A Memorial Service will be held at the Land O' Lakes Church of God, 8337 Land O' Lakes Blvd, on Thursday at 2:00PM. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to Make A Wish Foundation or St. Jude Children's Hospital. You may view and sign the guest book at www.loylessfuneralhome.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/19/2007 - 4/20/2007.

1423. HART, RUBY M. (Obituary No. 1423.) 83 Clearwater - Ruby M. Hart, 83, died Wednesday (April 11, 2007) at Sunset Point Rehab. & Nursing Center, Clearwater. She was born in Lowell, FL and came to Clearwater in 1993 from her native Lowell. She worked as a cook and homemaker. Ruby was a member of Scott Memorial United Methodist Church, Lowell. Survivors include her daughter Sandra Evans, Clearwater; one sister Lillian C. Acosta, Vineland, NJ; one grand daughter, Avis Williams, Edison, NJ, and five great grands. Funeral services will be 11:00 am Saturday, April 21, 2007 at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 1182 Brownell Street, Clearwater, FL 33756, Rev. Leroy Howard, Pastor. Viewing 6-8pm Friday, April 20, 2007 at Young's Funeral Home, 1005 Howard St., Clearwater (727) 442-2388. Interment 11am, Monday, April 23 at United Memorial Cemetery, Reddick. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/19/2007 - 4/20/2007.

1424. HOLT, MAMIE LEE, (Obituary No. 1424.) 88 Ocala - Mamie Lee Holt, 88, died Monday, April 16, 2007 at Palm Garden in Ocala. She was a homemaker who embodied the spirit of the virtuous woman in Proverbs 31. A native of Crystal River, FL, she moved to the Marion County area at an early age. She united in holy matrimony to Willie Holt. This union was blessed for 67 years until he preceded her in death in 2004. Left to cherish her memories are four sons Harold Holt, Willie J. (Katie) Holt, Celvester Holt, and Herbert (Jewel) Holt, all of Ocala; six daughters Margaret Drayton, Jeanette (Horace) Rivers, Juanita Holt, Bessie Holt, Ruby (Garriett) Wilkerson, and Betty Sampson, all of Ocala; 15 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren. Funeral services for Ms. Holt will be held on Sat. April 21, 2007 at 11am, Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, Rev. Jason Sims-Eulogist. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 to 7pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Holt's residence (8279 N.W.
63rd Street, Ocala, FL) on Sat. at 10:15 am to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/19/2007 - 4/20/2007.

1425. MARKHAM, LILLIAN GLISSON, (Obituary No. 1425.) 88 Ocala - Mrs. Markham was born January 24, 1919 in Bowling Green, FL and passed away April 16, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Mrs. Markham was a fourth generation Floridian from a pioneer Peace River Valley family. She was preceded in death by her husbands Carlton T. "Tom" Glisson and Ernest Markham. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala and the Order of the Eastern Star. She is survived by a son and two daughters, Jimmie (Mary) Glisson of Ocala, FL, Dona (Larry) Kochman of Gainesville, FL and Susan (Ross) Walkup of Nokomis, FL. She has nine grandchildren, James Glisson II, Julie Tankersley, Tim Glisson, Clay Hatcher, Josh Hatcher, Matthew Kochman, Adam Walkup, Brain Walkup and Kathy Walkup and four great-grandchildren, Her life will be celebrated by family at a private service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Annie Armstrong Easter Fund, c/o First Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/19/2007 - 4/20/2007.

1426. MCLUCAS, ANDREW ROBERTS "BOB", (Obituary No. 1426.) 79 Leesburg - Bob McLucas, 79, or Leesburg, FL. passed away on April 16 after an extended illness. He moved to Leesburg from Pedro in 1973. He worked in the Dairy Industry for years and was fondly known as "Bob the Milkman" by many. He was a Army Veteran and a member of the Leesburg Christian Center. He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Edith McLucas, a daughter & son in law, Gail & Raymond Thompson of Eustis, a son and daughter in law, Wayne & Rhonda McLucas of Oxford, a son & daughter in law, Andy & Angel McLucas of Pensacola, FL, a step daughter, Linda Nelms of Leesburg FL, a step son and daughter in law, Neil & Renee Nelms of Gainesville, one brother Ed & Marjie McLucas of Leesburg, seven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Services will be held Wednesday, April 18, at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel at 10 AM with Pastor Alex Holloway officiating. Family and friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday, April 18 from 9:00 to 10:00 AM. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Lake & Sumter Hospice, 12300 Lane Park Rd, Tavares, FL 32778. Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home, Lessburg, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/18/2007 - 4/19/2007.

1427. MCMAHON, JULIA MCLAUGHLIN, (Obituary No. 1427.) 95 Ocala - Julia McLaughlin McMahon, 95, Bus Driver died Monday, April 16, 2007 at her residence, funeral service will be held Saturday April 21, 2007 at 11AM at Liberty Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Charles Perry, Pastor with Rev. Isiah James, officiating. Julia McLaughlin McMahon, 95, retired bus driver and Librarian aide, Marion County School Board. She was born in Clairmont, FL to J.W. and Josephine McLaughlin April 18, 1911. Graduated from Fessenden Academy 1929. She was united in marriage to Calvin McMahon, to this union nine children were born. She was active in the women department of the Bethlehem Baptist Association and State Convention. Served as an officer in Liberty Chapel church aid auxiliary, Past Worthy Matron Chapter 138 of Order of Eastern Star. She was preceded in death by daughters Castella Kinsler (Maurice) and Edyth Ryan (James), sons John W. McMahon and infant Wheeler McMahon. She leaves to cherish six children, daughters Minnie Jones (Willie) Merriet Island, FL. Ora Lee Williams
(George), Blitchton, and Dorothy Graham, Santos. Sons Calvin McMahon (Joyce) New Jersey, David McMahon, Atlanta, GA, Warren McMahon, Blitchton. Thirteen (13) grand children, thirty (30) great grands. She was one of eleven (11) children. Five (5) preceded her in death Minnie W. Green (Ellerson), Annie Williams (B.B.), Euleta Pierson (James), Monroe McLaughlin (Carolyn), Samuel McLaughlin (Pauline). Surviving siblings, John McLaughlin, Miami, Robert Clark (Essie) Blitchton, Eunice Vivian Carter (James) Beckley W. VA., Josephine Alexander, Jacksonville, FL., Alice Boatwright (John), Vera Alexander, Reddick and 20 1st cousins. Interment - Liberty Chapel Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" Cunningham's Funeral Home. Visitation: Friday, April 20, 2007 from 9-6PM, Wake 7PM at the funeral home. Saturday viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/19/2007 - 4/20/2007.

1428. MIKULAK, J. BRADLEY, (Obituary No. 1428.) 59 Ocala - Mr. J. Bradley Mikulak, 59, of Ocala, passed away April 7th. Born in Cincinnati, OH, he came to this area 41 years ago from South Bend, IN. He was a member of ARC Marion County Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He also enjoyed books, music, singing, and socializing with Ocala neighbors. He is survived by his siblings, Michael, Sharon, Susan and Gregory Mikulak and Rosemarie Nelson, all of Ocala; niece, Marie Schoup of Silver Springs and nephew, Buck Nelson of Summerfield. He was preceded in death by his parents, Mickey and Mary Mikulak. A Memorial Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church (5 SE 17th St., Ocala) on Friday (April 20th) at 1 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to ARC Marion 2800 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL 34471. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/18/2007 - 4/19/2007.

1429. MOODY, JR., GEORGE ELWIN, (Obituary No. 1429.) 32 Mountain Home, AR - George Elwin Moody, Jr. of Mountain Home, AR passed away on Fri. April 13, 2007. He was 32. Mr. Moody had lived in Ocala, where he was born, until he moved to Mountain Home, AR a little over a year ago. He was working at Gaston's Resort in Mountain Home. He is survived by his father, George Edwin Moody, Sr. of Ocala and mother, Deborah Jan Karalus of Mountain Home, AR; brother, Darrell Moody of Orlando; sisters, Cathy Moody Smith of Belleview and Jamie Moody Martin of Ocala; and paternal grandmother, Dovie Harvey. Memorial services for Mr. Moody will be held on Sun., April 22, 2007 at 2pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/18/2007 - 4/19/2007.

1430. PAPINI, CATHERINE J., (Obituary No. 1430.) 89 Ocala - Mrs. Catherine J. Papini, 89, passed away on April 17, 2007 in Jacksonville, FL. She was born in Omaha, Neb. on May 18, 1917. She moved into the area in 1976 from Chicago, IL. She is a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. She was preceded in death by her loving husband of 67 years Oscar. She is survived by her son Richard Papini of Anna Maria Island, FL. Two daughters Geraldine Delcharco of Jacksonville Beach, FL and Julie Beck of Mettawa, IL. 8 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. Three brothers August Mancuso of IL., Peter and Joseph Mancuso both of FL. Two sisters Connie Pasquinelli of IL. and Irene Cottini of Chicago, IL. There will be a visitation at the Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW SR 200 in Ocala on April 19, 2007 form 6-8PM with a 6:30PM wake service. A funeral mass will be held at the Queen of Peace Catholic Church
on Friday April 20th at 8:30AM with entombment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/19/2007 - 4/20/2007.

1431. TAYLOR, CURTIS, (Obituary No. 1431.) 79 Ocala - Curtis Taylor, 79, passed away on Friday, April 13, 2007 at the Sylvia House. A native of Ocala, born May 20, 1927, he was a retired production worker. Mr. Taylor is survived by: Alice Vernon (Loving Companion) Ocala, FL.; Margaret G. Taylor (dedicated cousin); Three Children: Curtis (Sharon) Taylor, Tall. FL., Krista (Henry) Graham, Ocala, Florida, Reginald Taylor, Ocala, FL.; (10) Grandchildren: Jan, Curita, Jonelle, Sharee, Stephanie and Joseph Taylor (Tallahassee, FL); Herman Jr., & Kevin Washington, (both of Ocala), Rashaundra, Reginald Jr. & ReAginald Taylor (all of Ocala), a host of Greatgrands, Cousins, and Sorrowing friends. He is preceded in death by a daughter (Qwen Maxwell). There will be no public viewing. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/19/2007 - 4/20/2007.

1432. TERBOSS, ROBERT V., (Obituary No. 1432.) 80 Ocala - Robert V. Terboss, 80, died April 17, 2007 at Hospice Legacy House, Ocala. A native of Endicott, NY, he relocated to Marion County in 1993 from Syracuse, NY. A retired Vice President of an Insurance Co. He served in the US Army during WW II, was a member of Joy Lutheran Church. He is survived by his wife of 60 years Therese "Terry" Terboss of Ocala, sons John A. (Sonia) Terboss of N. Miami, FL and Kevin E. (Danielle) Terboss of Tarpon Springs, FL, sister Beverly Hazelton of Endicott, NY as well as by 3 grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, April 21st at 10AM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Parkinson's Foundation or to the Diabetes Assoc. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/19/2007 - 4/20/2007.

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1433. AUSTIN, RUTH K., (Obituary No. 1433.) 99 Silver Springs - Ruth K Austin, 99, died on Saturday April 14, 2007 at Oakhurst Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. A native of Angola, Indiana she came to Silver Springs in 1970 and was a lifelong homemaker and artist. Ruth was a member of Central Christian Church, Ocala and is survived by her children Nancy J. Richmond of Silver Springs; Susan Boyd of Rocky Mount, NC., and Jim Austin of Daytona, FL her brother Bart Golden of Auburn IN. She is the grandmother of 11, great grandmother of 18 and great great grandmother of 2. She was preceded in death by her husband of nearly 70 years James C. Austin (Dec. 3, 2000) and her daughter Joan L. Richmond (Nov. 14, 1995), and her sisters Marjorie, Lois and Lorene. The memorial service will be held Saturday, April 21, 2007 at 2pm with Rev. Bill Peroni officiating at the Forest Lawn Funeral Home Ocala, FL. Interment will be in Angola, IN. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

1434. BEAUVOIS, TAMMY LEE, (Obituary No. 1434.) 38 Belleview - Tammy Lee Beauvois, 38, Cake Decorator, died Monday, April 16, 2007. Survivors: Husband, Doug Shook of Belleview, FL; sons: Kyle Dimuro of Belleview, FL, Christopher R. Shook of Belleview, FL, Joshua Beauvois of Ocala, FL; Daughter: Sara Dimuro of Ocala, FL; Sisters: Chris, Kelly and Janet of Illinois; Brother: Randy of Illinois; Mother: Regina Brown of Illinois. Visitation: Will be held on Friday, April 20, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. at Purcell Funeral Home Chapel. Services will be held on Friday, April 20, 2007 at 7:00 P.M. at Purcell Funeral Home Chapel with Father Peter
1435. HAGMAN, SHELBY, (Obituary No. 1435.) 13 Ocala - Shelby Hagman, 13, of Ocala, formerly of Land O' Lakes, passed away Friday, April 13, 2007, as a result of an auto accident. She was born in Dade City, FL and was a 7th grade student at Parrott Middle School in Hernando County. She is survived by her loving family including her father, Scott Hagman of Land O' Lakes; mother & stepfather, Angela Stone & Mike Ferranti; maternal grandparents, Deborah & Larry Wynne, Steve Stone; paternal grandparents, Roy Hagman & Paulette O'Brien, Lexie Hagman; maternal great-grandparents, Ethelda Arnold, Jack & Dolores Arnold, Don "Honey" Stone; paternal great-grandparents, Bud & Lois Butler, Shirley Hagman and numerous family and friends. A Memorial Service will be held at the Land O' Lakes Church of God, 8337 Land O' Lakes Blvd, on Thursday at 2:00PM. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to Make A Wish Foundation or St. Jude Children's Hospital. You may view and sign the guest book at www.loylessfuneralhome.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/19/2007 - 4/20/2007.

1436. HAMMOND, MARGARET "PAT" ARENDT, (Obituary No. 1436.) 95 Gainesville - Margaret "Pat" Arendt Hammond died Gainesville, Florida Monday, April 16. She was born in Collinsville, Ill., on May 29, 1911. As a young teenager, she moved with her parents to Orlando, Florida, where she graduated from high school. In 1930, she married Dean Hammond, and they moved to Charlotte. Pat worked as an interior designer at Mecklenburg Furniture in Charlotte for many years. An avid tennis and badminton player, she was the first woman in Charlotte to play tennis wearing shorts, scandalous in the early 1930s. She was an active member of Holy Comforter Episcopal Church for 52 years. In 1982, Pat and Dean moved to Ocala, where they were active members of Grace Episcopal Church. In 1991, their daughter, Patricia "Skipper" Hammond, started The Williston Pioneer, a weekly newspaper in nearby Williston. Pat was instrumental in the paper from the beginning, often returning home to Ocala as the sun rose. After Dean died, Pat moved to Williston to be with Skipper. She continued to work for the paper as it grew. She was the customer service representative, answering the phones and handling all classified advertising. She was also the proofreader. Pat continued in this role even after the Pioneer was acquired by Landmark Community Newspapers and after Skipper retired as the paper's editor. She retired only four years ago, at age 92. She is survived by her daughter, Patricia "Skipper" Hammond of Williston; her granddaughter Maggie Levenstein and Maggie's husband David Arsen of Ann Arbor, Michigan.; and great-granddaughters Emily, 15 and Celia, 9. A memorial service for Pat Hammond will be held at Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, April 23. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

1437. HART, RUBY M., (Obituary No. 1437.) 83 Clearwater - Ruby M. Hart, 83, died Wednesday (April 11, 2007) at Sunset Point Rehab. & Nursing Center, Clearwater. She was born in Lowell, FL and came to Clearwater in 1993 from her native Lowell. She worked as a cook and homemaker. Ruby was a member of Scott Memorial United Methodist Church, Lowell. Survivors include her daughter Sandra Evans, Clearwater; one sister Lillian C. Acosta, Vineland, NJ; one grand daughter, Avis Williams, Edson, NJ, and five great grands. Funeral services will be 11:00 am Saturday, April 21, 2007 at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 1182 Brownell
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1442. PATE, WILLIAM A., (Obituary No. 1442.) 98 Sopchoppy - Mr. William A. Pate, 98, of Sopchoppy, FL and formerly of Ocala, passed away on Wed., April 18, 2007. A native of Chipley, FL, Mr. Pate was a retired truck driver for the City of Ocala, and moved to Sopchoppy 20 years ago. He was a member of the Sopchoppy Pentecostal Holiness Church. William is survived by daughters Lelia Roselyn Edwards (husband Donald); Victoria Maxine Hinson; sons George Lydon Pate, Charles Alfred Pate; James Gary Pate; Max Deron Pate (wife Raynia); Mitchell Lydel Pate (wife Nelda); daughter-in-law Ruby Lee Pate and many loving grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Gladys Choice Pate in 1984 and two sons, William Talmage Pate and Richard Arlen Pate. Friends will be received on Sat., April 21st from 9:30-11:00 A.M. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala where chapel services will be held at 11:00 A.M. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

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Maxwell). There will be no public viewing. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference"
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1444. TERBOSS, ROBERT V., (Obituary No. 1444.) 80 Ocala - Robert V. Terboss, 80, died April 17, 2007 at Hospice Legacy House, Ocala. A native of Endicott, NY, he relocated to Marion County in 1993 from Syracuse, NY. A retired Vice President of an Insurance Co. He served in the US Army during WW II, was a member of Joy Lutheran Church. He is survived by his wife of 60 years Therese "Terry" Terboss of Ocala, sons John A. (Sonia) Terboss of N. Miami, FL and Kevin E. (Danielle) Terboss of Tarpon Springs, FL, sister Beverly Hazelton of Endicott, NY as well as by 3 grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, April 21st at 10AM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Parkinson's Foundation or to the Diabetes Assoc. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/19/2007 - 4/20/2007.

1445. TEUTON, SHERMAN R., (Obituary No. 1445.) 65 Palatka - Sherman Teuton passed away on April 3 at his daughter's home in Middleburg, FL. Sherman was a retired Printer. He was born in Ocala, Fl and a resident there until moving to Palatka in 1989. Sherman's survivors include his daughters, Lori Rose of Silver Springs and Brandi Freeman, of Middleburg; 3 Grandchildren: Bo Rose, Chaz Gomillion, and Kristina Rose. He is also survived by his mother, Henrietta Teuton, Ocala, one brother, three sisters, and many friends he considered his extended family. Sherman was loved by all and will be missed by many. His celebration of life services will be held this Sunday. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

1446. THORPE, JR., WALTER SCOTT, (Obituary No. 1446.) 86 Knoxville, TN - Walter Scott Thorpe, Jr., - age 86 of Knoxville, passed away Monday, April 16, 2007. He is survived by his wife, Betty Thorpe; son and daughter-in-law, Ron and Robyn Thorpe of Knoxville; daughters and sons-in-law, Patricia and Bob Hollister of Greenwood, NY; Peggy and Robert Jones of Syracuse, NY; mother-in-law, Marge Ayette of Dunnellon, FL; and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Graveside services will be held at 12 noon on Friday, April 20, 2007 at Knoxville National Cemetery, Col. Bob Mize officiating. Military honors provided by Volunteer State Honor Guard. Mr. Thorpe's guestbook is available at www.highlandmemorialparks.com. HIGHLAND MEMORIAL PARK, FUNERALS and CREMATIONS, 865-588-0567. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

1447. WEYGAND, HILDRETH T., (Obituary No. 1447.) 86 Chaska - Hildreth T. Weygand, 86, of Chaska. Resident of Ocala for 24 years. Preceded in death by her husband, Fred, brother, Paul Claessen, sister, Lillian Johnson. Survived by sons, Jim (Joanne), Dennis (Chris), sister, Gloria Keicher, grandchildren, Christina, James (Jodi Springborn) and great-granddaughter, Josephine. Memorial service is Saturday, 10:30 AM at Auburn Manor, 501 Oak St., Chaska. Private family inurnment. Arrangements by BERTAS FUNERAL HOME 952-448-2137 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Saturday, April 21, 2007

1448. AUSTIN, RUTH K., (Obituary No. 1448.) 99 Silver Springs - Ruth K Austin, 99, died on Saturday April 14, 2007 at Oakhurst Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. A native of Angola,
Indiana she came to Silver Springs in 1970 and was a lifelong homemaker and artist. Ruth was a member of Central Christian Church, Ocala and is survived by her children Nancy J. Richmond of Silver Springs; Susan Boyd of Rocky Mount, NC., and Jim Austin of Daytona, FL her brother Bart Golden of Auburn IN. She is the grandmother of 11, great grandmother of 18 and great great grandmother of 2. She was preceded in death by her husband of nearly 70 years James C. Austin (Dec. 3, 2000) and her daughter Joan L. Richmond (Nov. 14, 1995), and her sisters Marjorie, Lois and Lorene. The memorial service will be held Saturday, April 21, 2007 at 2pm with Rev. Bill Peroni officiating at the Forest Lawn Funeral Home Ocala, FL. Interment will be in Angola, IN. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

1449. BEAUVOIS, TAMMY LEE, (Obituary No. 1449.) 38 Belleview - Tammy Lee Beauvois, 38, Cake Decorator, died Monday, April 16, 2007. Survivors: Husband, Doug Shook of Belleview, FL; sons: Kyle Dimuro of Belleview, FL, Christopher R. Shook of Belleview, FL, Joshua Beauvois of Ocala, FL; Daughter: Sara Dimuro of Ocala, FL; Sisters: Chris, Kelly and Janet of Illinois; Brother: Randy of Illinois; Mother: Regina Brown of Illinois. Visitation: Will be held on Friday, April 20, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. at Purcell Funeral Home Chapel. Services will be held on Friday, April 20, 2007 at 7:00 P.M. at Purcell Funeral Home Chapel with Father Peter Sagorski, officiating. Arrangements by PURCELL FUNERAL HOME, 114 W. Noble Avenue, Bushnell, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

1450. BROWN, W. G. GORDON, (Obituary No. 1450.) 100 Ocala - W. G. Gordon Brown, 100, died on Wednesday, April 18, 2007 at his residence. Born in Edinburgh, Scotland, he was a Senior Executive of the Standard Chartered Bank PLC, London. He retired in 1966 after serving in London, China (Tianjin, Shanghai and Chongquin), Hongkong, India (Calcutta), Malaysia (Singapore, Sabah and Penang) and New York over a period of 40 years. He was appointed a Member of the Order of the British Empire in 1945 for services in New Guinea with the Royal Australian Air Force, during W.W. II. He came to Florida from the Bahamas in 1971 and to Ocala in 1985 after residing in Largo and Palm harbor for (8) and (6) years respectively. He is survived by his (3) daughters, Jill Clements of Surrey, England, Jane and husband Dick Clarke of Columbia, S.C., Lynne Mueller of Ocala, FL., his (9) grandchildren and (10) great-grandchildren. There will be a Memorial Service at Holy Faith Church of Dunnellon, Florida at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, May 19, 2007. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478-4860. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West provided this information. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/21/2007 - 4/22/2007.

1451. CHANCEY, RAY C., (Obituary No. 1451.) 71 Ocala - Mr. Ray C. Chancey, 71, passed away at Munroe Regional Medical Center Ocala. A native of Miami, FL. He had made Ocala his home for the past 40 years moving from Saint Augustine, FL. Worked for the State of Florida for 40 years as a parole Supervisor. Member of Fort King Presbyterian Church and he was an active Elder of the church. Served in the U.S. Marines and the U.S. Army. Survivors: Wife of 47 years Sue Chancey, 2 daughters, Laura B. Chancey-Harris (Robert) of Belleview, FL., Elaine C. Nicholson (Andres) of Summerfield. Granddaughter Terra Nicholson of Summerfield, brother Nat Chancey (Lea) of Casselberry, FL. and sister Judy Breitmoser (Dr. Henry) of Jacksonville, FL. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/21/2007 - 4/22/2007.
HAMMOND, MARGARET "PAT" ARENDT, (Obituary No. 1452.) 95 Gainesville -
Margaret "Pat" Arendt Hammond died Gainesville, Florida Monday, April 16. She was born in
Collinsville, Ill., on May 29, 1911. As a young teenager, she moved with her parents to Orlando,
Florida, where she graduated from high school. In 1930, she married Dean Hammond, and they
moved to Charlotte. Pat worked as an interior designer at Mecklenburg Furniture in Charlotte for
many years. An avid tennis and badminton player, she was the first woman in Charlotte to play
tennis wearing shorts, scandalous in the early 1930s. She was an active member of Holy
Comforter Episcopal Church for 52 years. In 1982, Pat and Dean moved to Ocala, where they
were active members of Grace Episcopal Church. In 1991, their daughter, Patricia "Skipper"
Hammond, started The Williston Pioneer, a weekly newspaper in nearby Williston. Pat was
instrumental in the paper from the beginning, often returning home to Ocala as the sun rose.
After Dean died, Pat moved to Williston to be with Skipper. She continued to work for the paper
as it grew. She was the customer service representative, answering the phones and handling all
classified advertising. She was also the proofreader. Pat continued in this role even after the
Pioneer was acquired by Landmark Community Newspapers and after Skipper retired as the
paper's editor. She retired only four years ago, at age 92. She is survived by her daughter,
Patricia "Skipper" Hammond of Williston; her granddaughter Maggie Levenstein and Maggie's
husband David Arsen of Ann Arbor, Michigan; and great-granddaughters Emily, 15 and Celia, 9.
A memorial service for Pat Hammond will be held at Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala at
10:30 a.m. on Monday, April 23. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 -

LINEBERGER, GEORGE J., (Obituary No. 1453.) 66 Ocala - George J. Lineberger, 66,
born in Charlotte, N. C., Memorial Services will be held Sunday, April 22, 2007 at 5 PM at
Victory Outreach Church, Leesburg, FL. Rev. Bobby E. Williams, pastor officiating. Survivors
include wife, Jean Lineberger, brother-in-law, Alfred Church and a host of other relatives and
friends. For directions to the church please contact the pastor Rev. Bobby E. Williams at 352-
266-6039. Arrangements are under the direction of "Your friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S

NAKU, FRIEDERIKE, (Obituary No. 1454.) 79 Ocala - Friederike Naku, 79, a resident at
On Top of the World, passed away on Tuesday, April 17, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. She
was born in Austria and in 1956, with her husband and two sons, moved from Germany to the
United States. Friederike loved and was loved by her family. She is survived by her loving
husband of 59 years, Virgil Naku of Ocala, FL; her (2) sons, Rolf D. Naku and wife, Margie of
Wayne, PA; and Klaus Naku and wife, Sue of Raleigh, NC; her (5) grandchildren, Kelly Naku,
Erin Naku, Kristina Nusskern, Peter Naku and Kathryn Naku; her (2) great-grandchildren, Paige
Naku and Ryan Naku. Memorial Mass will be held at 10:15 a.m. on Friday, April 27, 2007 at
Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW State Rd 200, Ocala, FL 34476. Interment will
follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family request, donations may be
made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 34478-4860 in Memory of
Friederike Naku. Condolences to the family may be made to www.robertsfuneralhomes.com
1455. PATE, WILLIAM A., (Obituary No. 1455.) 98 Sopchoppy - Mr. William A. Pate, 98, of Sopchoppy, FL and formerly of Ocala, passed away on Wed., April 18, 2007. A native of Chipley, FL, Mr. Pate was a retired truck driver for the City of Ocala, and moved to Sopchoppy 20 years ago. He was a member of the Sopchoppy Pentecostal Holiness Church. William is survived by daughters Lelia Roselyn Edwards (husband Donald); Victoria Maxine Hinson; sons George Lydon Pate, Charles Alfred Pate; James Gary Pate; Max Deron Pate (wife Raynia); Mitchell Lydel Pate (wife Nelda); daughter-in-law Ruby Lee Pate and many loving grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Gladys Choice Pate in 1984 and two sons, William Talmage Pate and Richard Arlen Pate. Friends will be received on Sat., April 21st from 9:30-11:00 A.M. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala where chapel services will be held at 11:00 A.M. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

1456. ROOS, FREDERICKA L., (Obituary No. 1456.) 82 Danbury, CT. - Fredericka L. Roos, 82, formerly of Dunnellon, FL. passed away in Danbury, CT. on Sunday, April 15, 2007. She is survived by her (4) children: her (6) grandchildren and her (2) great grandchildren. Graveside services will be 2PM, Tuesday, April 24, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, FL. 34476, on Tuesday, from 1 til 2 PM. Contributions may be made to the Annie Johnson Center, in Memory of Fredericka L. Roos. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/21/2007 - 4/22/2007.

1457. TEUTON, SHERMAN R., (Obituary No. 1457.) 65 Palatka - Sherman Teuton passed away on April 3 at his daughter's home in Middleburg, FL. Sherman was a retired Printer. He was born in Ocala, Fl and a resident there until moving to Palatka in 1989. Sherman's survivors include his daughters, Lori Rose of Silver Springs and Brandi Freeman, of Middleburg; 3 Grandchildren: Bo Rose, Chaz Gomillion, and Kristina Rose. He is also survived by his mother, Henrietta Teuton, Ocala, one brother, three sisters, and many friends he considered his extended family. Sherman was loved by all and will be missed by many. His celebration of life services will be held this Sunday. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

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Memorial service is Saturday, 10:30 AM at Auburn Manor, 501 Oak St., Chaska. Private family inurnment. Arrangements by BERTAS FUNERAL HOME 952-448-2137 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/20/2007 - 4/21/2007.

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1460. BROWN, W. G. GORDON, (Obituary No. 1460.) 100 Ocala - W. G. Gordon Brown, 100, died on Wednesday, April 18, 2007 at his residence. Born in Edinburgh, Scotland, he was a Senior Executive of the Standard Chartered Bank PLC, London. He retired in 1966 after serving in London, China (Tianjin, Shanghai and Chongquin), Hongkong, India (Calcutta), Malaysia (Singapore, Sabah and Penang) and New York over a period of 40 years. He was appointed a Member of the Order of the British Empire in 1945 for services in New Guinea with the Royal Australian Air Force, during W.W. II. He came to Florida from the Bahamas in 1971 and to Ocala in 1985 after residing in Largo and Palm harbor for (8) and (6) years respectively. He is survived by his (3) daughters, Jill Clements of Surrey, England, Jane and husband Dick Clarke of Columbia, S.C., Lynne Mueller of Ocala, FL., his (9) grandchildren and (10) great-grandchildren. There will be a Memorial Service at Holy Faith Church of Dunnellon, Florida at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, May 19, 2007. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478-4860. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West provided this information. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/21/2007 - 4/22/2007.

1461. CHANCEY, RAY C., (Obituary No. 1461.) 71 Ocala - Mr. Ray C. Chancey, 71, passed away at Munroe Regional Medical Center Ocala. A native of Miami, FL. He had made Ocala his home for the past 40 years moving from Saint Augustine, FL. Worked for the State of Florida for 40 years as a parole Supervisor. Member of Fort King Presbyterian Church and he was an active Elder of the church. Served in the U.S. Marines and the U.S. Army. Survivors: Wife of 47 years Sue Chancey, 2 daughters, Laura B. Chancey-Harris (Robert) of Belleview, FL., Elaine C. Nicholson (Andres) of Summerfield. Granddaughter Terra Nicholson of Summerfield, brother Nat Chancey (Lea) of Casselberry, FL. and sister Judy Breitmoser (Dr. Henry) of Jacksonville, FL. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/21/2007 - 4/22/2007.

1462. COX, JOE B., (Obituary No. 1462.) 69 Belleview - Beloved husband, father, brother, and grandfather Mr. Cox of Belleview passed away on Saturday, April 21, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center of Ocala. A native of Drayton, SC, he had made Belleview his home since 1992, moving from Patterson, NJ. He was a Truck Driver for 30 years and enjoyed country music, bowling, and NASCAR. Survivors include his wife of 48 years Fair G. Cox; 5 children, Joe B. Cox, Jr. of Watchung, NJ, Susan Barbosa of Summerfield, FL, Arthur W. Cox of Allison Park, PA, Robert A. Cox of Hasbrouck Heights, NJ, and John A. Cox of Altamonte Springs, FL; 2 sisters, Shirley Wright of Pacolet, SC, and Lula Rhinehart of Merritt Island, FL; 2 brothers, Thomas Cox of Fort Worth, TX, and Leroy Cox of Lodi, NJ. Visitation will be held Monday, April 23, 2007 from 5-7 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview (5946 SE Robinson Road). Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/22/2007 - 4/23/2007.
DENBLEYKER, STEVEN C., (Obituary No. 1463.) 58 Ocala - Steven C. DenBleyker, 58, a former employee of the Marion County Road Department, died unexpectedly on Sunday, April 15th, 2007 in Ft. Walton Beach, Florida. His parents preceded him in death; he is survived by his sister, Barbara DenBleyker-Axt of La Crescenta, California, his nephew Jimmy Parris of Santa Rosa Beach, Florida; his niece Janice Riley & his niece Patricia Parris, both of Ft. Walton Beach, Florida. He also leaves behind 8 great nieces & nephews as well as his many friends at the Marion County Branch of Florida's Blood Centers, Ocala, Florida. Mr. DenBleyker was born in Ocala in 1949 & lived there until he moved to Ft. Walton Beach two years ago. He was a dedicated blood donor. To him, being a blood donor was the most important accomplishment in his life, having donated a total of 73.375 gallons of blood by the time of his death. Steven will be deeply missed by his family and many friends. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the Marion County Branch of Florida's Blood Center in Ocala. Your gift of blood is a gift of life. Roberts Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL will be handling the services at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/22/2007 - 4/23/2007.

DWYER, RAYMOND P., (Obituary No. 1464.) 85 Summerfield - Mr. Raymond P. Dwyer, 85, of Summerfield, FL passed away on Sat., April 21, 2007 at TimberRidge Rehab. A US Navy veteran and retired steam fitter, Mr. Dwyer was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Summerfield 24 years ago. He was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus. He is survived by his daughter, Patricia Keith of Ocklawaha, FL; daughter-in-law, Barbara Dwyer of Summerfield, 12 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife, Lillian Dwyer; daughter, Lillian Armento; and sons, Raymond and Richard Dwyer. Services for Mr. Dwyer will be held at 10 a.m. on Wed., April 25, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview. Visitation will be held on Tues., April 24, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Belleview, FL from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. Burial will follow in Calverton Cemetery in Long Island, NY at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/22/2007 - 4/23/2007.

LINEBERGER, GEORGE J., (Obituary No. 1465.) 66 Ocala - George J. Lineberger, 66, born in Charlotte, N. C., Memorial Services will be held Sunday, April 22, 2007 at 5 PM at Victory Outreach Church, Leesburg, FL. Rev. Bobby E. Williams, pastor officiating. Survivors include wife, Jean Lineberger, brother-in-law, Alfred Church and a host of other relatives and friends. For directions to the church please contact the pastor Rev. Bobby E. Williams at 352-266-6039. Arrangements are under the direction of "Your friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/21/2007 - 4/22/2007.

MELANCON, MICHAEL ROBERT, (Obituary No. 1466.) 50 Columbia, SC - Memorial service for Michael Robert Melancon, 50, was held Thursday, April 19, 2007 at 7 p.m. at DUNBAR FUNERAL HOME, Devine Street Chapel. Visitation was at 6 p.m., prior to the service, at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to a charity of one's choice. Mr. Melacon died Saturday, April 14, 2007. Born in Lowell, Mass., he was a son of Estelle Lussier Crawley and the late Robert Melancon. He was a graduate of Westford Academy, Westford, Mass. and Lowell University. Formerly employed with Emergency One in Ocala, Fla. and Howden-Buffalo in Camden, he was more recently employed with ESAB in Florence. He was a musician who also enjoyed golf and fishing. Surviving are his wife, Lisa Whitsel Melancon; mother of Lady Lake, Fla.; stepson, Jacob Palma of Columbia; sisters, Paula Mahoney of Bolton, Mass. and

1467. NAKU, FRIEDERIKE, (Obituary No. 1467.) 79 Ocala - Friederike Naku, 79, a resident at On Top of the World, passed away on Tuesday, April 17, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. She was born in Austria and in 1956, with her husband and two sons, moved from Germany to the United States. Friederike loved and was loved by her family. She is survived by her loving husband of 59 years, Virgil Naku of Ocala, FL; her (2) sons, Rolf D. Naku and wife, Margie of Wayne, PA; and Klaus Naku and wife, Sue of Raleigh, NC; her (5) grandchildren, Kelly Naku, Erin Naku, Kristina Nusskern, Peter Naku and Kathryn Naku; her (2) great-grandchildren, Paige Naku and Ryan Naku. Memorial Mass will be held at 10:15 a.m. on Friday, April 27, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW State Rd 200, Ocala, FL 34476. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family request, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860 in Memory of Friederike Naku. Condolences to the family may be made to www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

1468. O'BERRY, VIRGINIA ANNE KLINE, (Obituary No. 1468.) 90 Ft. McCoy - Virginia Anne Kline O'Berry, 90, left to be with Jesus April 14, 2007. Born near Jacksonville, FL, October 26, 1916, Virginia was preceded in death by her husband William (Bill) O'Berry, two daughters: Loretta O'Berry and Sue Anderson; two sisters: Helen Thompson and May McCorvey. A loving mother and grandmother, she is survived by one son: Jerry O'Berry and wife Joyce of Ft. McCoy, FL; one sister: Dorothy Hall and husband Lambert of Dover, FL; four grandchildren: Stephanie Sims of Spring Hill, FL; Jerry O'Berry II of Brookfield, VT; Rebecca and Christopher Anderson of Columbia, SC; and as special mention: her loving son-in-law, Steve Anderson also of Columbia SC; five great grandchildren and many loving nieces and nephews. As a long time member of the Oak Park Baptist Church of Tampa, FL, she and her husband taught Sunday School there for many years. Graveside service and interment will be 11:00 AM on April 25, 2007 at Garden of Memories in Tampa, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/21/2007 - 4/22/2007.

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1470. CAMPBELL, JANE LEIBY, (Obituary No. 1470.) 67 St. Petersburg - Jane Leiby Campbell, 67, of St. Petersburg, died Friday, April 20, 2007 after a long illness. She was born in Pekin, IL and came here in 1969 from Los Angeles, CA. She was Methodist and a former
member of Pasadena Community Church. She received her Bachelor's from the University of Arizona and her Master's from California State University, Long Beach. She was an elementary school teacher in Los Angeles in the 1960's and for the Pinellas County School System since 1970. She was an avid reader and golfer. She is survived by her son, George L. Campbell, Jr. of St. Petersburg; two brothers, Richard G. Leiby of Huntsville, AL and James A. Leiby of Richmond, VA. A memorial service will be 1PM Saturday, April 28, 2007 at ANDERSON-MCQUEEN FUNERAL AND CREMATION CENTERS - NE St. Petersburg, 2201-Dr. ML King Street North, St. Petersburg. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/23/2007 - 4/24/2007.

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1473. DWYER, RAYMOND P., (Obituary No. 1473.) 85 Summerfield - Mr. Raymond P. Dwyer, 85, of Summerfield, FL passed away on Sat., April 21, 2007 at TimberRidge Rehab. A US Navy veteran and retired steam fitter, Mr. Dwyer was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Summerfield 24 years ago. He was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus. He is survived by his daughter, Patricia Keith of Ocklawaha, FL; daughter-in-law, Barbara Dwyer of Summerfield, 12 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife, Lillian Dwyer; daughter, Lillian Armento; and sons, Raymond and Richard Dwyer. Services for Mr. Dwyer will be held at 10 a.m. on Wed., April 25, 2007 at St. Theresa
Catholic Church in Belleview. Visitation will be held on Tues., April 24, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Belleview, FL from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. Burial will follow in Calverton Cemetery in Long Island, NY at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/22/2007 - 4/23/2007.

1474. HALL, ELLEN SUTTON, (Obituary No. 1474.) 98 Dunnellon - Ellen Sutton Hall was born September 7th, 1908 in Greensboro, NC and died April 21st, 2007 at home in Dunnellon, Florida. Mrs. Hall was the wife of John Calvin Hall, deceased. Ellen and John Hall came to Dunnellon first in December 1945, when he and his son-in-law Robert E. Hess opened the Dunnellon Super Market. After Mr. Hall died, in 1990, Mrs. Hall returned to Dunnellon, and until 2006, maintained her own apartment. During their first residency in Dunnellon, Mr. Hall was initiated into the Masonic Order. Later, when they moved to Pinellas Park, both joined the Eastern Stars. Mrs. Hall received her 50-year pin in 2006. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Gloria Williams of Dunnellon, Mrs. Mayadelle Inlow of Crawfordville, eight grandchildren (Dr. Salinda Hess Roch of Montreal, Canada, John Hess of Lutz, Dr. Robert Hess, Jr. of Winter Park, David Williams of Dunnellon, Elizabeth Richardson of Rome, Carol Bugbee of Manila, Phillipines, Charles Hess of Crawfordville, Mary Taschenberger of Ocala), plus 16 great-grandchildren and 6 great-great-grandchildren, as well as many nieces and nephews. Funeral Services will be held Tuesday, April 24, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME with a visitation one hour prior to services, from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. with Rev. Bob Brown officiating. Interment will follow in Dade City, Florida. Information provided by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/23/2007 - 4/24/2007.

1475. KINDER, SHARON L., (Obituary No. 1475.) 61 Ocala - Mrs. Kinder of Ocala, FL, a devoted wife and loving mother passed away on Saturday, April 22, 2007, at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, FL after a long battle with cancer. A native of Lake City, FL, she had made Ocala her home since 1992, coming from Titusville, FL. Mrs. Kinder worked as a Waitress and was Baptist by faith. Survivors include, husband of 44 years, Roy D. Kinder, Sr., son Roy D. Kinder, Jr. (Denise) of Port St. John, FL, and sister Patricia Fields of Lake City, FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County at P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/23/2007 - 4/24/2007.

1476. MELANCON, MICHAEL ROBERT, (Obituary No. 1476.) 50 Columbia, SC - Michael Robert Melancon, 50, died Saturday, April 14, 2007 in Columbia, South Carolina. Born in Lowell, Mass., he was a son of Estelle Lussier Crawley and the late Robert Melancon. He was a graduate of Westford Academy, Westford, Mass. and Lowell University. Formerly employed with Emergency One in Ocala, Fla. and Howden-Buffalo in Camden, S.C., he was more recently employed with ESAB in Florence S.C. He was a musician who also enjoyed golf and fishing. Surviving are his wife, Lisa Whitsel Melancon of Columbia, S.C.; his mother of Lady Lake, Fla.; stepson, Jacob Palma of Columbia S.C.; sisters, Paula Mahoney of Bolton, Mass. and Linda Anderson of Westford, Mass.; mother-in-law and father-in-law, Chuck and Kay Whitsel of Ocala, Fla.; and numerous nieces and nephews. A memorial gathering will be held at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fla. on Wednesday, April 25, 2007 at 7:00 p.m. All family and friends are welcome to come and celebrate Michael’s life. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/22/2007 - 4/24/2007.
1477. O'BERRY, VIRGINIA ANNE KLINE, (Obituary No. 1477.) 90 Ft. McCoy - Virginia Anne Kline O'Berry, 90, left to be with Jesus April 14, 2007. Born near Jacksonville, FL, October 26, 1916, Virginia was preceded in death by her husband William (Bill) O'Berry, two daughters: Loretta O'Berry and Sue Anderson; two sisters: Helen Thompson and May McCorvey. A loving mother and grandmother, she is survived by one son: Jerry O'Berry and wife Joyce of Ft. McCoy, FL; one sister: Dorothy Hall and husband Lambert of Dover, FL; four grandchildren: Stephanie Sims of Spring Hill, FL; Jerry O'Berry II of Brooksfield, VT; Rebecca and Christopher Anderson of Columbia, SC; and as special mention: her loving son-in-law, Steve Anderson also of Columbia SC; five great grandchildren and many loving nieces and nephews. As a long time member of the Oak Park Baptist Church of Tampa, FL, she and her husband taught Sunday School there for many years. Graveside service and interment will be 11:00 AM on April 25, 2007 at Garden of Memories in Tampa, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/22/2007 - 4/23/2007.

1478. WALLACE, WALTER H., (Obituary No. 1478.) 63 Gainesville - Funeral Services for Mr. Wallace will be held on Wednesday, April 25, 2007 at 12:00 noon at New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL with Rev. Gerald Colyer, Eulogist. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Tuesday from 9 to 6 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Norma J. Wallace (2007 SW 7th Street, Ocala, FL) at 11:15 a.m. on Wednesday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Mr. Wallace leaves to cherish his memories: wife, Mary Ann Wallace; children, Eva Wallace Smoak, Maria Wallace, Wilbur Wallace and Wendell Wallace, all of South Carolina, and Walter H. Wallace, Jr. of Gainesville, FL; stepchildren, Marsha Merricks, Patricia Jones-Hines, Linda Bright, Jackie Miller, Walter Anderson, Wayne Jones, Ronnie Jones, Jimmy Jones, and Leroy Jackson; sisters, Lucille Newson of Baltimore, MD, Mae Lewis, Dorothy Waye, and Norma Wallace, all of Ocala, FL; brothers, Fred Wallace of Baltimore, MD, Carl Wallace of Orlando, FL, Mack Wallace and Ray Wallace of Ocala, FL; twenty-five grandchildren; one great-grandchild; two aunts, Martha Myrick of Leesburg, FL and Lillian Wallace of Marianna, FL and many loving nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/23/2007 - 4/24/2007.

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1479. CAMPBELL, JANE LEIBY, (Obituary No. 1479.) 67 St. Petersburg - Jane Leiby Campbell, 67, of St. Petersburg, died Friday, April 20, 2007 after a long illness. She was born in Pekin, IL and came here in 1969 from Los Angeles, CA. She was Methodist and a former member of Pasadena Community Church. She received her Bachelor's from the University of Arizona and her Master's from California State University, Long Beach. She was an elementary school teacher in Los Angeles in the 1960's and for the Pinellas County School System since 1970. She was an avid reader and golfer. She is survived by her son, George L. Campbell, Jr. of St. Petersburg; two brothers, Richard G. Leiby of Huntsville, AL and James A. Leiby of Richmond, VA. A memorial service will be 1PM Saturday, April 28, 2007 at ANDERSON-MCQUEEN FUNERAL AND CREMATION CENTERS - NE St. Petersburg, 2201-Dr. ML King Street North, St. Petersburg. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/23/2007 - 4/24/2007.
1480. DAVIS, WILLIAM MURRAY (BILL), (Obituary No. 1480.) 83 Sparr - William Murray (Bill) Davis, 83, passed away Sunday April 22, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehab & Nursing Center, in Ocala. Bill moved to Sparr from Lecanto, FL in 1948. He was retired from KW and Rush's Tractor Co. in Ocala. Bill was a member of First Baptist Church in Sparr. He was a Marine Engineer, with the Merchant Marines from 1941-1947. He was a former Flagman at Ocala Speedway. Mr. Davis is survived by, Wife Winifred Davis, Sparr, FL, Daughter, Susan Reese, Quincy, FL, Daughter, Jill Huesman, Lake City, FL, son Gary Davis, Hendersonville, TN, Son Daniel Davis, Sparr, FL, Brother, Duane Davis, Live Oak, FL, Brother John Davis, Bushnell, FL, Sister Louise Wilson, Pinecrest, FL, Sister Betty Williams, Tallahassee, FL, 13 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. A Service will be Wednesday, April 25 at First Baptist Church of Sparr at 11 A.M., with Visitation at the church at 10 A.M. Interment at Magnolia Cemetery in Lecanto, FL at 3 P.M. Those who wish to make contributions, First Baptist Church of Sparr, Building Fund. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers Funeral Home 910 Silver Spring Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/25/2007.

1481. FEUERHELM, OVIEDA M. "BEEDIE", (Obituary No. 1481.) 92, Ocala - Ovieda M. "Beedie" Feuerhelm, 92, passed away April 21st. Born in Kissimmee, FL, she came to this area 20 years ago from Tampa. She was a homemaker and Protestant by faith. She is survived by a nephew, Doyle Albritton of Atlanta, GA; nieces, Libby Lawhon of Ft. Myers, FL, Gracie Williams, Betty Pfaff, Juanita Howett ad JoAnne Shau all of Ocala, and Linda Lindstrom of Houston, TX; Many great nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Roy E. Feuerhelm. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141) on Thursday (April 26th) from 10AM - 12 Noon. The Funeral Service will follow the visitation at the Funeral Home at 12 Noon. Interment will be at Woodlawn Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/23/2007 - 4/24/2007.

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1485. SARGENT, RICHARD LEONARD, (Obituary No. 1485.) 83 Ocala - Richard Leonard Sargent, 83, died Saturday, April 21, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Concord, NH, and moved to Ocala 30 years ago. He was a culinary chef and dietician. He is survived by two sons, Mike Sargent, Jr., three daughters Nancy Townsend and Elizabeth Kotasek both of Binghamton, NY and Sheila Persachino of Oceanview, NY, many grandchildren and great grandchildren. preceded in death by his wife Dorothy Sargent and daughter Sandra Sargent. There will be a private memorial service held by his family at a later date. He was an avid Gator fan and he will be greatly missed. H I E R S FUNERAL HOME, OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/25/2007.

1486. SPOTTS, SR., THOMAS E., (Obituary No. 1486.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Thomas E. Spotts, Sr., 73, died April 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. Mr. Spotts was a native of Flint, MI, He was a retired auditor with the State of Conn. he attended Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, received his Bachelors from Syracuse University, vol. @ Habit for Humanity and was a Treasurer for Community Links. He is survived by his wife of 25 years Hilda M. Spotts of Belleview, FL, by three sons Greg K. Pierce of Coventry, CT, Thomas E. Spotts, Jr. of Plainville, CT and Edward J. Morgan of Ocala, by three daughters, Faith S. Tonnotti of Southington, CT. Claudia E. Deary of Oakville, CT and Rose M. Evans of Casselberry, FL as well as by 14 grandchildren. A Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated on Wednesday April 25th at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/25/2007.
1487. VAN FLEET, (Obituary No. 1487.) DORIS, 73, Lowell - Doris Van Fleet, 73, died Sunday, April 22, 2007 at her residence. She was a member of the Maricamp Road Church of Christ and was honored for over 30 years of service by the Florida Thoroughbred Assn. She was a strong supporter of local Marion County charities. She was devoted to her family and children. Survivors include her husband of 55 years, James Van Fleet, Sr., her daughter Vicki Myers of Winter Park, her son James and wife Sandra Van Fleet, Jr. of Lowell, her sister Dessie Adams of Bowling Green, KY and sister in law Judy Brown of Bowling Green, KY, eight grandchildren, seven great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, April 25, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Jeff Robison officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation Tuesday from 5-7 P.M. Memorial contributions may be made to the Marion County charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/25/2007.

1488. VANCE, JOHN ROBERT, (Obituary No. 1488.) 93, Gainesville, John Robert Vance, 93, passed on to be with the Lord early Sunday morning, at the Hospice Care Center on April 22, 2007. John was born in New Philadelphia, Ohio, on September 21, 1913. He was married to the former Geraldine Hahn of Warren, Ohio. He served in the U. S. Navy during WWII aboard the USS Doyle (DD 494). After the war, during the 1950's, John and his bride moved to Florida where he worked at increasing levels of responsibility in finance and business management with noteworthy Florida companies - Arvida Greenhouses, Cypress Gardens (General Manager), Ware Aluminum, Har-Car Windows. During those years he, his wife, Geraldine, and daughter, Romelle, were avid Arabian horse enthusiasts, owners and showpersons. They were active members of the Arabian Horse Association. During years of health, John was an active member, in the Lutheran and Presbyterian Church congregations in the towns where he lived - Miami, Winter Haven, Mt. Dora, Leesburg, and Ocala. John is survived by his loving wife of 73 years, Geraldine of Gainesville, daughter, Romelle Nall of Burlington, NC, a granddaughter Christen and a grandson Ryan. A private memorial service was held at Hospice Care Center, Gainesville, Florida. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida, 4200 N.W. 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Page-Theus Funeral Home, 914 W. Main St., Leesburg, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/25/2007.

1489. WALLACE, WALTER H., (Obituary No. 1489.) 63 Gainesville - Funeral Services for Mr. Wallace will be held on Wednesday, April 25, 2007 at 12:00 noon at New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL with Rev. Gerald Colyer, Eulogist. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Tuesday from 9 to 6 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Norma J. Wallace (2007 SW 7th Street, Ocala, FL) at 11:15 a.m. on Wednesday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Mr. Wallace leaves to cherish his memories: wife, Mary Ann Wallace; children, Eva Wallace Smoak, Maria Wallace, Wilbur Wallace and Wendell Wallace, all of South Carolina, and Walter H. Wallace, Jr. of Gainesville, FL; stepchildren, Marsha Merricks, Patricia Jones-Hines, Linda Bright, Jackie Miller, Walter Anderson, Wayne Jones, Ronnie Jones, Jimmy Jones, and Leroy Jackson; sisters, Lucille Newson of Baltimore, MD, Mae Lewis, Dorothy Waye, and Norma Wallace, all of Ocala, FL; brothers, Fred Wallace of Baltimore, MD, Carl Wallace of Orlando, FL, Mack Wallace and Ray Wallace of Ocala, FL; twenty-five grandchildren; one great-grandchild; two aunts, Martha
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1493. MAGITO, VERONICA, (Obituary No. 1493.) 80 Dunnellon - Veronica Magito, 80, former secretary working for the U.S. Navy, died April 23, 2007 in Dunnellon, Florida. Native of Fox Harbour, New Foundland, Canada, came here from Jackson Township, New Jersey, 23 years. She was a member of the Catholic Faith, member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, FL Member of the Fleet Reserve Assoc. Chapter #186, Inverness, Florida. Member of the

1494. MCKEE, WALTER ROBERT, (Obituary No. 1494.) 79 Ocala - "Walt" Robert McKee, 79, died Monday, April 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Wooster, OH and moved to Leesburg in 1959 and then to Ocala in 1968. He was the former owner of McKee Motors in Leesburg and then later in Ocala. He was past president of St. John Lutheran Congregation and Chairman of the Board of Education, also past president and member of the board of directors of Golden Hills Golf and Country Club. He was a life member of Ocala Elks Lodge. His survivors include his wife of 57 years, Louise, his sons, Michael R. and Douglas S. McKee both of Ocala, his sister Ruth Bottomley of Berkley, WV and his six grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Friday, April 27, 2007 at 11 A.M. at St. John Lutheran Church with Pastor Richard Lineberger officiating. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorial contributions to St. John Lutheran Laymen's League or St. John Family Worship Center at 1915 SE Lake Weir Ave., Ocala, FL 34471, c/o Dick Rath. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/25/2007 - 4/26/2007.

1495. MOSSMAN, CORA, (Obituary No. 1495.) 83 Elyria, OH - Cora Mossman passed away at New Life Hospice on April 18, 2007. She and her husband George lived in the Lorain County area and raised their family here for many years before retiring to Ocala, Florida in 1972. She held several jobs while in Ohio, including working at Ohio Screw Products, Duffin Manufacturing, Muller Packing Co., and at the cafeteria of Firelands High School. For many years, she helped coordinate the Brownhelm Santa Clause effort. It was a task that sometimes involved the whole family in packing and delivering gift bags on Christmas Eve. Cora and George were co-presidents of the Firelands Band Boosters, spearheading efforts to build the Firelands football stadium in the 1960's. After she and her husband retired to Florida in 1972, Cora was employed at Becton-Dickinson (Bard Parker) Medical Supplies in Ocala. She loved to dance, and participated in square dance and clogging competitions, often designing and making her own costumes. Cora's two year struggle with lung cancer left everyone who knew her filled with admiration as she methodically planned for her future. She left this world with grace and dignity, and was at peace. Cora was preceded in death by her parents, Eldridge French and Isabelle (Miller) French, and five siblings: sisters Reneva (Tootsie) Chester, Stella Ann Russel, Bertha Knaul, Dorothy Ferguson, and brother Sheridan French. She is survived by sisters Ondie Messenger, of Marion, Ohio and Florie Mae Rice, of Tennessee, and brother Sherman (Bud) French of Ocala, Florida. Cora's husband, George Mossman, passed away in 1977, followed by her son Zane, in 1999. Daughter Pennie Niemeyer resides in Galt, California, and daughter Geneva (Genny) Dangerfield in Elyria, Ohio. She is also survived by six grandchildren, and several great and great-great grandchildren. A private graveside was held Monday, April 23, 2007, officiated by Rev. Brain Burke, pastor of Wellington Congregational Church. The family
requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to New Life Hospice of Lorain, Ohio, or the Hospice of Marion County, Florida. Arrangements are being handled by the HEMPEL FUNERAL HOME; 373 Cleveland Ave., Amherst, OH 44001. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/25/2007 - 4/26/2007.

1496. SARGENT, RICHARD LEONARD, (Obituary No. 1496.) 83 Ocala - Richard Leonard Sargent, 83, died Saturday, April 21, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Concord, NH, and moved to Ocala 30 years ago. He was a culinary chef and dietician. He is survived by two sons, Mike Sargent, Jr., three daughters Nancy Townsend and Elizabeth Kotasek both of Binghamton, NY and Sheila Persachino of Oceanview, NY, many grandchildren and great grandchildren, preceded in death by his wife Dorothy Sargent and daughter Sandra Sargent. There will be a private memorial service held by his family at a later date. He was an avid Gator fan and he will be greatly missed. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/25/2007.

1497. SPOTTS, SR., THOMAS E., (Obituary No. 1497.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Thomas E. Spotts, Sr., 73, died April 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. Mr. Spotts was a native of Flint, MI, He was a retired auditor with the State of Conn. he attended Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, received his Bachelors from Syracuse University, vol. @ Habit for Humanity and was a Treasurer for Community Links. He is survived by his wife of 25 years Hilda M. Spotts of Bellevue, FL, by three sons Greg K. Pierce of Coventry, CT, Thomas E. Spotts, Jr. of Plainville, CT and Edward J. Morgan of Ocala, by three daughters, Faith S. Tonnotti of Southington, CT, Claudia E. Deary of Oakville, CT and Rose M. Evans of Casselberry, FL as well as by 14 grandchildren. A Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated on Wednesday April 25th at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/25/2007.

1498. TOWNSEND, III, JOHN HENRY, (Obituary No. 1498.) 75 Ocala - John H. Townsend, III, passed away on April 24, 2007 at MRMC. He was born in Rutland, VT and moved to Ocala in 1981. He retired from Lockheed-Martin in 1995. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Patricia of Ocala, daughter, Shelley Townsend of VT, sons Keith Townsend of WV, Mark Townsend of MA, Kevin Townsend and John H. Townsend, IV both of Ocala, 13 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, April 28, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Cornerstone Baptist Church, 37 Dogwood Road, Ocala with Pastor Tim Finch officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/25/2007 - 4/26/2007.

1499. VAN FLEET, DORIS, (Obituary No. 1499.) 73 Lowell - Doris Van Fleet, 73, died Sunday, April 22, 2007 at her residence. She was a member of the Maricamp Road Church of Christ and was honored for over 30 years of service by the Florida Thoroughbred Assn. She was a strong supporter of local Marion County charities. She was devoted to her family and children. Survivors include her husband of 55 years, James Van Fleet, Sr., her daughter Vicki Myers of Winter Park, her son James and wife Sandra Van Fleet, Jr. of Lowell, her sister Dessie Adams of Bowling Green, KY and sister in law Judy Brown of Bowling Green, KY, eight grandchildren, seven great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, April 25, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with
Jeff Robison officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation Tuesday from 5-7 P.M. Memorial contributions may be made to the Marion County charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/25/2007.

1500. VANCE, JOHN ROBERT, (Obituary No. 1500.) 93, Gainesville, John Robert Vance, 93, passed on to be with the Lord early Sunday morning, at the Hospice Care Center on April 22, 2007. John was born in New Philadelphia, Ohio, on September 21, 1913. He was married to the former Geraldine Hahn of Warren, Ohio. He served in the U. S. Navy during WWII aboard the USS Doyle (DD 494). After the war, during the 1950's, John and his bride moved to Florida where he worked at increasing levels of responsibility in finance and business management with noteworthy Florida companies - Arvida Greenhouses, Cypress Gardens (General Manager), Ware Aluminum, Har-Car Windows. During those years he, his wife, Geraldine, and daughter, Romelle, were avid Arabian horse enthusiasts, owners and showpersons. They were active members of the Arabian Horse Association. During years of health, John was an active member, in the Lutheran and Presbyterian Church congregations in the towns where he lived - Miami, Winter Haven, Mt. Dora, Leesburg, and Ocala. John is survived by his loving wife of 73 years, Geraldine of Gainesville, daughter, Romelle Nall of Burlington, NC, a granddaughter Christen and a grandson Ryan. A private memorial service was held at Hospice Care Center, Gainesville, Florida. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida, 4200 N.W. 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Page-Theus Funeral Home, 914 W. Main St., Leesburg, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/25/2007.

1501. WORKMAN, JAMES, W. "JIMMY", (Obituary No. 1501.) 59, Ocala - James W. "Jimmy" Workman, 59, passed away April 24, 2007 at the Estelle's Hospice House. He was born in Kimball, WV and moved to Ocala in 2006 from Paris, TX. He was a retired Master Sergeant for the US Army and enjoyed playing the drums and horseback riding. He is survived by a daughter Shelley L. (Freddy) Goins, a son Travis J. (Sara) Workman both of Ocala, 3 brothers Dusty and Robert Workman both of Orland, FL, and Paul Justice of Tennessee. He is also survived by 4 grandchildren Freddy, Brittany, Brianna, and TJ. A memorial service will be held at 10 A.M. on Monday, April 30th at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL with Dr. Mike Patton officiating. A committal service will be at 2 P.M. on Monday, April 30th at Florida National Cemetery with full military honors. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/25/2007 - 4/26/2007.

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1502. CAMPBELL, HAZEL, (Obituary No. 1502.) 98 Ocala - Mrs. Hazel Campbell, 98, passed away on April 24, 2007 in Ocala, FL. She was born in Parishville, NY. on April 11, 1909. She was a retired Farmer. She moved to Ft. McCoy, FL in 1977 from Gouverneu, NY. She was preceded by her son Earl R. Hartwick. She is survived by her son Edward Hartwick of The Villages, FL. Also 7 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. Roberts Downtown Chapel is handling local arrangements. Services will be in Gouverneur, NY, at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.
1503. COWAN, PAUL CHARLES, (Obituary No. 1503.) 76 Dunnellon - Paul Charles Cowan, 76, died Monday, April 23, 2007 at his residence. Born in Chicago, Illinois, he moved to Dunnellon in 1964 from St. Petersburg, Florida. A member of Holy Faith Episcopal Church and a Charter Member of the Hernando Elks Club. He served in the US Navy during the Korean war. He married Jeani Heichel in 1951. He did many things during his lifetime, Rainbow Springs, Charcoal Business in Romeo, Developer, Real Estate, Manager of Dee River Ranch and the mortgage business. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Jeani Cowan; two sons, Paul Charles (Debbie) Cowan, Jr., of St. Pete and Kennett Cowan III; a brother, John David Cowan from St. Pete; four grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. Memorial service for Mr. Cowan will be Saturday, April 28, 2007 at 11 AM at Roberts Funeral Home with Father Gene Reuman of St. Margarets Episcopal Church officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1504. DAILEY, JAMES O. (Obituary No. 1504.) 79 Williston - James O. Dailey, 79, of Williston, died Saturday April 21, 2007 in Pensacola, Florida. He was born January 16, 1928 in Gainesville, Florida and had the distinction of being the first baby born at Alachua General Hospital. He was delivered by his father Dr. Ira A. Dailey of Micanopy. Jim grew up in Micanopy, graduated from P.K. Young in 1946, and attended Emory University where he obtained a Bachelor of Science in Biology. While serving his country in the US Army Jim met his future wife, Marguerite Dean. Following their 1952 wedding in Alexander City, Alabama, Jim joined the inaugural class of the University of Miami School of Medicine. He graduated in June of 1956. Dr. Dailey served his internship at John Gaston Hospital in Memphis Tennessee. Upon completion of his internship, in July of 1957, the Dailey family moved back to Florida where Dr. Dailey went into private practice. He then moved his practice to Williston in 1961 where he served the community for over 31 years. Dr. Dailey was more than just the family doctor for the community. He was active with the Alachua County Medical Association, volunteered as the Team Doctor for the Bronson High School Football team, and worked as the Levy County Medical Examiner for several years. He served many years on the Williston Memorial Hospital Board of Directors, and led efforts towards a new hospital facility, today known as Natures Coast. Dr. Dailey retired from 35 years of private practice in 1992. Dr. Dailey served his community as more than just a doctor. He was very active in the Williston Lions Club. He volunteered and supported the American Cancer Society. As a member of Williston First Baptist church he was an ordained deacon, a leader of the Royal Ambassadors, and served on the many church committees. Jim had two passions outside of medicine, photography and woodworking. As a medical student he augmented the family income by taking family portraits for his fellow classmates. In later years his family became the main focus of his camera lens. However, woodworking was the hobby that he enjoyed best. Dr. Dailey loved building furniture in his workshop. Of all his pieces the cradles he built for his grandchildren are the family's most cherished treasures. Dr. Dailey was preceded in death by his parents Ira A. & Belle Dailey, his wife of 52 years Marguerite Dailey; his sisters Dorothy Marion and Clyde Scales; and his daughter Patricia Mudgett. Trish, as she was known to family and friends, died unexpectedly after a brief illness on April 7, 2007. He is survived by his sister Marcia (Jim) Wolff; his children Celia (Carl) Dole, Jim (Janet) Dailey, Margaret (James) Neyman and Juliana (Scott) Minium; his son-in-law Donald Mudgett and his 10 grandchildren Stephen, Sarah, Deanna, Danielle, William,
Andrew, Edward, Rachel, Matthew, and Hannah. The funeral will be held Friday April 27, 2007 at 10:00 am, with Rev. Tony Clubb officiating at Williston First Baptist Church. Graveside services will be at the Micanopy Historic Cemetery at 1:00 pm that afternoon. The family will receive friends Thursday, April 26 from 6 to 9 pm at Williston First Baptist Church. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested contributions can be made to the Trish Mudgett Memorial Fund - a fund set up for Trish Mudgett's children (donations can be made at any Wachovia Bank Branch nationwide, Acct # 1010162792342), or donations can be made in Dr. James Dailey's name to the University of Miami Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.


1506. HANSON, LINNEA E., (Obituary No. 1506.) 98 Ocala - Linnea E. Hanson, 98, of Oakhurst Rehab and Nursing Home, died the morning of April 4, 2007. Born Nov. 30, 1908, in Stoneboro, PA. One of her sons, David E. Reynolds is worship pastor at College Park Church of God, Ocala. One of her grandsons, Steve Reynolds, is children's pastor at Meadowbrook Church, Ocala. A Memorial Service will be held at College Park Church of God, 3140 SW 26th St., next to CFCC), Ocala, on Saturday, April 28. Visitation will be at the church from 10 to 11 A.M. and the service will be at 11 A.M. Pastor James Fleming will officiate. Memorial contributions may be made to the College Park Church of God Missions, 3140 S.W. 26th St., Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1507. JONES, RUTH ANN VALEO, (Obituary No. 1507.) 58 Anthony - Ruth Ann Valeo Jones, 58, of Anthony, FL passed away April 23rd at her home. Born in Roslyn Heights, NY, she came to this area 26 years ago from Uniondale, Long Island. She was a thrift store manager for Interfaith Emergency Services in Sparr and Ocala and was Baptist by faith. She is survived by her husband of 27 years, Larry Jones; son, Kenny E. Jones of Anthony, FL; brother, Pat Valeo of East Meadow, NY; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents Patrick Valeo Sr. and Ruth Murphy - Valeo, sisters, Diane Bartlett and Eileen Michie. A Memorial Service will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Saturday (April 28th) at 3PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1508. KINDER, SHARON L., (Obituary No. 1508.) 61 Ocala - Mrs. Kinder of Ocala, FL, a devoted wife and loving mother passed away on Sunday, April 22, 2007, at Munroe Regional
Medical Center, Ocala, FL after a long battle with cancer. A native of Lake City, FL, she had made Ocala her home since 1992, coming from Titusville, FL. Mrs. Kinder worked as a Waitress and was Baptist by faith. Survivors include, husband of 44 years, Roy D. Kinder, Sr., son Roy D. Kinder, Jr. (Denise) of Port St. John, FL, and sister Patricia Fields of Lake City, FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County at P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/23/2007 - 4/26/2007.

1509. MAGITO, VERONICA, (Obituary No. 1509.) 80 Dunnellon - Veronica Magito, 80, former secretary working for the U.S. Navy, died April 23, 2007 in Dunnellon, Florida. Native of Fox Harbour, New Foundland, Canada, came here from Jackson Township, New Jersey, 23 years. She was a member of the Catholic Faith, member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, FL Member of the Fleet Reserve Assoc. Chapter #186, Inverness, Florida. Member of the Highland Golf and Country Club, Williston, Florida. Survivors: Husband, William L. Magito of Dunnellon, daughter, Ann Marie Hudon and husband Tom of Zephyrhills, FL, (3) Grandchildren, Cassie, Caitlyn and Tommy, several brothers and sisters of Canada, many nephews and nieces. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, April 25, 2007 from 6 P.M. til 9 P.M. at Fero Funeral Home - Dunnellon Chapel. Funeral Mass will be on Thursday, April 26, 2007 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon, Florida. Time for Mass will be available at Funeral Home. Burial to follow Mass at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/25/2007 - 4/26/2007.

1510. MAXEY, OLIVER RALEIGH, SR. (Obituary No. 1510.) Gainesville - Oliver Maxey, 92, died Saturday April 21, 2007 at his home. Mr. was born in Santos, FL, and moved to Gainesville over sixty years ago. He was a retired teacher with Alachua County School Board. Mr. Maxey retired in 1983 from Springhill Middle School. He received his BS degree from Bethune Cookman College, and his MS degree from Florida A&M University. He was a member of Friendship Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon, Past Church Sunday School Supt. He was also a member of the N.A.A.C.P., The Powerful Elders, Pleasant Street Historical Society, and the Fla. Retired Teachers Assoc. Survivors include, One son, Oliver R. Maxey, Jr. (Marjorie), St. Petersburg, FL; Two daughters, Vian C. Guinyard (Curtis), Gainesville, FL, Ida M. Condray (Wil), Orlando, FL, and seven grand-children. Funeral Services for Mr. Maxey will be held on Saturday at 10:00 AM April 28, 2007 at Friendship Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. R. L. Slater officiating. Burial will follow in Lincoln Memorial Garden, Ocala, FL under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation Friday 2:00-8:00 PM Chestnut Chapel, and on Saturday in the Friendship Baptist Church one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will form at the home of Mr. Maxey, 915 S.E. 6th Ave at 10:15 AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1511. MCKEE, WALTER ROBERT, (Obituary No. 1511.) 79 Ocala - "Walt" Robert McKee, 79, died Monday, April 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Wooster, OH and moved to Leesburg in 1959 and then to Ocala in 1968. He was the former owner of McKee Motors in Leesburg and then later in Ocala. He was past president of St. John Lutheran Congregation and Chairman of the Board of Education, also past president and member of the board of directors of Golden Hills Golf and Country Club. He was a life member of Ocala Elks

1512. MONTOYA, MICHAEL JAMES, (Obituary No. 1512.) 37 Ocala - Michael James Montoya, 37, passed away April 22, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Albuquerque, NM on June 5, 1969. He was employed by Miller Boats where he made many friends. He attended college at CSU in Ft. Collins, CO and received an Associates Degree in Computer Business. He is survived by his wife Denise Montoya, a son Alexander, step sons Hector and Dennis, a granddaughter Karissa, his mother Kathy Kirsling, brothers Chris Montoya, Reilly and Preston Mein, stepfather Ed Mein, grandmother Mary Kirsling, and several aunts, uncles and cousins. He was preceded in death by his father Frank Montoya, grandfather Rick Kirsling, and grandparents Mariano and Marian Montoya. A memorial service will be held at 7 P.M. Thursday, April 26 at the Legacy Hospice House, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1513. MOSSMAN, CORA, (Obituary No. 1513.) 83 Elyria, OH - Cora Mossman passed away at New Life Hospice on April 18, 2007. She and her husband George lived in the Lorain County area and raised their family here for many years before retiring to Ocala, Florida in 1972. She held several jobs while in Ohio, including working at Ohio Screw Products, Duffin Manufacturing, Muller Packing Co., and at the cafeteria of Firelands High School. For many years, she helped coordinate the Brownhelm Santa Clause effort. It was a task that sometimes involved the whole family in packing and delivering gift bags on Christmas Eve. Cora and George were co-presidents of the Firelands Band Boosters, spearheading efforts to build the Firelands football stadium in the 1960's. After she and her husband retired to Florida in 1972, Cora was employed at Becton-Dickinson (Bard Parker) Medical Supplies in Ocala. She loved to dance, and participated in square dance and clogging competitions, often designing and making her own costumes. Cora's two year struggle with lung cancer left everyone who knew her filled with admiration as she methodically planned for her future. She left this world with grace and dignity, and was at peace. Cora was preceded in death by her parents, Eldridge French and Isabelle (Miller) French, and five siblings: sisters Reneva (Tootsie) Chester, Stella Ann Russel, Bertha Knaul, Dorothy Ferguson, and brother Sheridan French. She is survived by sisters Ondie Messenger, of Marion, Ohio and Florie Mae Rice, of Tennessee, and brother Sherman (Bud) French of Ocala, Florida. Cora's husband, George Mossman, passed away in 1977, followed by her son Zane, in 1999. Daughter Pennie Niemeyer resides in Galt, California, and daughter Geneva (Genny) Dangerfield in Elyria, Ohio. She is also survived by six grandchildren, and several great and great-great grandchildren. A private graveside was held Monday, April 23, 2007, officiated by Rev. Brain Burke, pastor of Wellington Congregational Church. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to New Life Hospice of
1514. SARGENT, RICHARD LEONARD (Obituary No. 1514.), 83 Ocala - Richard Leonard Sargent, 83, died Saturday, April 21, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Concord, NH, and moved to Ocala 30 years ago. He was a culinary chef and dietician. He is survived by two sons, Mike Sargent of Ocala and Richard Sargent, Jr., three daughters Nancy Townsend and Elizabeth Kotasek both of Binghamton, NY and Sheila Persachino of Oceanview, NY, many grandchildren and great grandchildren. preceded in death by his wife Dorothy Sargent and daughter Sandra Sargent. There will be a private memorial service held by his family at a later date. He was an avid Gator fan and he will be greatly missed. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/28/2007.

1515. SELF, MARY MARGARET SHOVAN SUPAL (Obituary No. 1515.) Mary Margaret Shovan Supal Self, of Newport, passed away, Tuesday, April 24, 2007 at her home. She was preceded in death by her sons, Timothy Shovan and Norman L. Shovan. She retired from Hutzel Hospital, Detroit, MI. as Dietary Charge Supervisor. She is survived by her husband, Richard "Duke" Self, of the home; her children, William C. Shovan and wife Cheryl of Belleview, FL., Lawrence P. Shovan of Howell, MI., Joanne Rajewski-Richert and husband Jack, of Cape Coral, FL., David E. Supal of Keego Harbor, MI., Daniel C. Supal, of Summerfield, FL., Rosemary P. Myers and husband John of Littleton, CO., Michael E. Supal, Baton Rouge, LA; daughter in law, Barbara Shovan of Berkley, MI., thirteen grandchildren; and five great grandchildren; and other family and friends. Funeral services will he held 10 A.M., Thursday, April 26, 2007 at the Church of the Good Shepherd, with Father Bob Hofstetter officiating. Burial will follow in Union Cemetery. The family received friends from 6-8pm Wednesday, April 25, 2007 at Manes Funeral Home West Chapel, with a Rosary service following at 8pm. Family and friends may sign the guest register on line at: www.manesfuneralhome.com. Manes Funeral Home, 363 E. Main Street, Newport, TN. 37821 in charge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1516. SIMS-ARTHUR, LUCILLE, (Obituary No. 1516.) 85 Ocala - Lucille Sims-Arthur, 85 of Ocala, FL passed away April 19, 2007. Survivors: Rosa Crockett, daughter, Ocala, FL, Gloria Mount, daughter, Ocala, FL, Gwendolyn Nelson-King, daughter, Ocala, FL, Deloris Nelson-Brown, daughter, Silver Springs, FL, Elijah Nelson, son, Ocala, FL, step-children, William Arthur, Jr., Lake Wales, FL, Jimmie Arthur, Lake Wales, FL, Annie Belle Redding, Summerville, South Carolina, Margaret Woolbright, Ocala, FL, Corene Thompson, FL, Lorene Burch, Atlanta, Georgia, Sheila Williams, Apopka, FL, Elizabeth Robinson, sister, Ocala, FL, Katie Cannon, sister, Ocala, FL, Florence Williams-Ray, sister, Ocala, FL, Roberta McCoy, sister, Ocala, FL, Emily Sims, sister, Daytona Beach, FL, brothers, Lawrence Williams, Jr., Robert Williams, Rev. Robin Williams, all of Ocala, FL, 58 grandchildren, 155 great grandchildren, 43 great-great grandchildren. Sister Arthur was a faithful member of Greater New Bethel Missionary for 63 years. She has finished the race and the battle is won. She can now enter into the Masters Kingdom. Funeral service for Ms. Arthur will be on Sat. April 28, 2007 at 11AM at the Pentecostal Full Gospel Church Worship Center, Apostle Bernard & Missionary Lilly Tuggerson-Overseers. Rev. Dennis Hagins-Eulogist. A wake service will be held on
Thursday, April 26, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church from 6 to 8 PM. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Fri. from 9 to 7PM. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Rosa Crocket (1905 NW 26th Avenue, Ocala, FL) on Sat. at 10:15AM to form the funeral cortege. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.


1519. TOWNSEND, III, JOHN HENRY, (Obituary No. 1519.) 75 Ocala - John H. Townsend, III, passed away on April 24, 2007 at MRMC. He was born in Rutland, VT and moved to Ocala in 1981. He retired from Lockheed-Martin in 1995. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Patricia of Ocala, daughter, Shelley Townsend of VT, sons Keith Townsend of WV, Mark Townsend of MA, Kevin Townsend and John H. Townsend, IV both of Ocala, 13 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, April 28, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Cornerstone Baptist Church, 37 Dogwood Road, Ocala with Pastor Tim Finch officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/25/2007 - 4/26/2007.

1520. VAUGHT, CHRYSTINA ELOYS, (Obituary No. 1520.) 75 Ocala - Funeral Services for Ms. Vaught will be held at St. Joseph AME Church, Rev. Emmett Bright, Pastor, in Sparr, FL on Sat., April 28, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Rev. Charles Evans, Eulogist. Survivors to mourn and cherish the loss of sister Vaught is brother Woodard "WB" Vaught of Miami, FL, son William Franklin Warner of Robin, GA, Uncle Kateaster Bagley of Lake Wales, FL, brother-in-law Rev. Strickland Brown, Sr. of Orange Springs, FL, sister-in-law Willie Bell Vaught of Ocala, FL, nieces and nephews, cousins and friends. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9:00 a.m. until the wake service, which will begin at 7:00 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at St. Joseph AME Church in Sparr, FL on Saturday at 10:30 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.
1521. WELCH, RUSSELL STEWART (PETERSON), (Obituary No. 1521.) 36 Deltona -
Russell Steward (Peterson) Welch, 36, of Deltona, FL, died April 23, 2007 at his residence. Born
in Eustis, FL, Mr. Welch moved from Ocala to Deltona in 2001. Mr. Welch was a graduate of
the University of Central Florida with a Bachelors degree. He worked as a computer consultant
for Clear Systems, LLC in Orlando, FL and Charlotte, NC. He was a member of First Baptist
Church in Orange City, the UCF Alumni Association and was an Eagle Scout. Survivors include
mother and step-father, Kathryn and Benjamin Williams of Umatilla, FL, father James Russell
Peterson of San Diego, CA and daughter Hannah Rose Ollice Welch of Deltona, FL. Funeral
Services will be held Saturday, April 28, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at Allen-Summerhill Chapel,
Orange City. Calling Hours will be 6:30-8:30 p.m. Friday, April 27, 2007 at Allen-Summerhill,
Orange City. Burial will be at Lakeside Memory Gardens in Eustis, FL. In lieu of flowers,
donations may be made to the G. Stewart Welch Fund c/o Mayo Clinic Jacksonville Dept. of
Development, 200 First Street, SW, Rochester MN 55905. Arrangements by ALLEN-
SUMMERHILL FUNERAL HOME, Orange City, FL (386) 775-4664. Published in the Ocala

1522. WORKMAN, JAMES, W. "JIMMY", (Obituary No. 1522.) 59, Ocala - James W.
"Jimmy" Workman, 59, passed away April 24, 2007 at the Estelle's Hospice House. He was born
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for the US Army and enjoyed playing the drums and horseback riding. He is survived by a
daughter Shelley L. (Freddy) Goins, a son Travis J. (Sara) Workman all of Ocala, 3 brothers
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1523. CAMPBELL, HAZEL, (Obituary No. 1523.) 98 Ocala - Mrs. Hazel Campbell, 98, passed
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Villages, FL. Also 7 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. Roberts Downtown Chapel is
handling local arrangements. Services will be in Gouverneur, NY, at a later date. Published in

1524. COLWELL, TRICIA SUZANNE, (Obituary No. 1524.) 40, Ocala - Tricia Suzanne
Colwell, 40, loving mother, daughter, sister and friend, died Tuesday April 24th in a fatal car
accident. Tricia was a native of Ocala, Florida and graduated from St. John Lutheran High
School where she was active in various sports and cheerleading. She received her AA degree
from Central Florida Community College and was a certified interpreter for the hearing
impaired. She was employed by the Marion County School Board and worked at Forest High
School as an interpreter in the ESE program. Tricia is survived by her mother Susan Bounds,
father Chuck Haskins and step mother Karen Haskins all of Ocala, son Jason Colwell 19, daughters Molly Colwell, 15 and Annabelle Colwell 13. Her sisters Lisa Lyall, Lady Lake Florida and Stacey DeWerd, Buford Georgia. Her former husband and friend Lance Colwell of Ocala. Stepsisters Holli Moore, Buford Georgia, Tristi Smith, Angie Blair and step-brother Bo Chaires all of Ocala and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and many dear friends who loved her. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, May 5th, 2 P.M. at Highlands Baptist Church 3530 S.E. Ft. King St. in Ocala. In lieu of flowers please send letters, cards and donations to the Tricia Colwell Children Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 406 Oxford, Florida 34484. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/27/2007 - 4/28/2007.

1525. COWAN, PAUL CHARLES, (Obituary No. 1525.) 76 Dunnellon - Paul Charles Cowan, 76, died Monday, April 23, 2007 at his residence. Born in Chicago, Illinois, he moved to Dunnellon in 1964 from St. Petersburg, Florida. A member of Holy Faith Episcopal Church and a Charter Member of the Hernando Elks Club. He served in the US Navy during the Korean war. He married Jeani Heichel in 1951. He did many things during his lifetime, Rainbow Springs, Charcoal Business in Romeo, Developer, Real Estate, Manager of Dee River Ranch and the mortgage business. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Jeani Cowan; two sons, Paul Charles (Debbie) Cowan, Jr., of St. Pete and Kennett Cowan III; a brother, John David Cowan from St. Pete; four grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. Memorial service for Mr. Cowan will be Saturday, April 28, 2007 at 11 AM at Roberts Funeral Home with Father Gene Reuman of St. Margaret's Episcopal Church officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1526. DAILEY, JAMES O., (Obituary No. 1526.) 79 Williston - James O. Dailey, 79, of Williston, died Saturday April 21, 2007 in Pensacola, Florida. He was born January 16, 1928 in Gainesville, Florida and had the distinction of being the first baby born at Alachua General Hospital. He was delivered by his father Dr. Ira A. Dailey of Micanopy. Jim grew up in Micanopy, graduated from P.K. Young in 1946, and attended Emory University where he obtained a Bachelor of Science in Biology. While serving his country in the US Army Jim met his future wife, Marguerite Dean. Following their 1952 wedding in Alexander City, Alabama, Jim joined the inaugural class of the University of Miami School of Medicine. He graduated in June of 1956. Dr. Dailey served his internship at John Gaston Hospital in Memphis Tennessee. Upon completion of his internship, in July of 1957, the Dailey family moved back to Florida where Dr. Dailey went into private practice. He then moved his practice to Williston in 1961 where he served the community for over 31 years. Dr. Dailey was more than just the family doctor for the community. He was active with the Alachua County Medical Association, volunteered as the Team Doctor for the Bronson High School Football team, and worked as the Levy County Medical Examiner for several years. He served many years on the Williston Memorial Hospital Board of Directors, and led efforts towards a new hospital facility, today known as Natures Coast. He also served on the Board of Directors for The Village in Gainesville. Dr. Dailey retired from 35 years of private practice in 1992. Dr. Dailey served his community as more than just a doctor. He was very active in the Williston Lions Club. He volunteered and supported the American Cancer Society. As a member of Williston First Baptist church he was an ordained deacon, a leader of the Royal Ambassadors, and served on the many church committees. Jim had two passions outside of medicine, photography and woodworking.
As a medical student he augmented the family income by taking family portraits for his fellow classmates. In later years his family became the main focus of his camera lens. However, woodworking was the hobby that he enjoyed best. Dr. Dailey loved building furniture in his workshop. Of all the pieces the cradles he built for his grandchildren are the family's most cherished treasures. Dr. Dailey was preceded in death by his parents Ira A. & Belle Dailey, his wife of 52 years Marguerite Dailey; his sisters Dorothy Marion and Clyde Scales; and his daughter Patricia Mudgett. Trish, as she was known to family and friends, died unexpectedly after a brief illness on April 7, 2007. He is survived by his sister Marcia (Jim) Wolff; his children Celia (Carl) Doles, Jim (Janet) Dailey, Margaret (James) Neyman, and Juliana (Scott) Minium; his son-in-law Donald Mudgett and his 10 grandchildren Stephen, Sarah, Deanna, Danielle, William, Andrew, Edward, Rachel, Matthew, and Hannah. The funeral will be held Friday, April 27, 2007 at 10:00 am, with Rev. Tony Clubb officiating at Williston First Baptist Church. Graveside services will be at the Micanopy Historic Cemetery at 1:00 pm that afternoon. The family will receive friends Thursday, April 26 from 6 to 9 pm at Williston First Baptist Church. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested contributions can be made to the Trish Mudgett Memorial Fund - a fund set up for Trish Mudgett's children (donations can be made at any Wachovia Bank Branch nationwide, Acct # 1010162792342), or donations can be made in Dr. James Dailey's name to the University of Miami Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.


1528. HANSON, LINNEA E., (Obituary No. 1528.) 98 Ocala - Linnea E. Hanson, 98, of Oakhurst Rehab and Nursing Home, died the morning of April 4, 2007. Born Nov. 30, 1908, in Stoneboro, PA. One of her sons, David E. Reynolds is worship pastor at College Park Church of God, Ocala. One of her grandsons, Steve Reynolds, is children's pastor at Meadowbrook Church, Ocala. A Memorial Service will be held at College Park Church of God, 3140 SW 26th St., (next to CFCC), Ocala, on Saturday, April 28. Visitation will be at the church from 10 to 11 A.M. and the service will be at 11 A.M. Pastor James Fleming will officiate. Memorial contributions may be made to the College Park Church of God Missions, 3140 S.W. 26th St., Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1529. JONES, RUTH ANN VALEO, (Obituary No. 1529.) 58 Anthony - Ruth Ann Valeo Jones, 58, of Anthony, FL passed away April 23rd at her home. Born in Roslyn Heights, NY, she came to this area 26 years ago from Uniondale, Long Island. She was a thrift store manager for
Interfaith Emergency Services in Sparr and Ocala and was Baptist by faith. She is survived by her husband of 27 years, Larry Jones; son, Kenny E. Jones of Anthony, FL; brother, Pat Valeo of East Meadow, NY; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents Patrick Valeo Sr. and Ruth Murphy - Valeo, sisters, Diane Bartlett and Eileen Michie. A Memorial Service will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Saturday (April 28th) at 3PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1530. MAXEY, OLIVER RALEIGH, SR. (Obituary No. 1530.) Gainesville - Oliver Maxey, 92, died Saturday April 21, 2007 at his home. Mr. was born in Santos, FL, and moved to Gainesville over sixty years ago. He was a retired teacher with Alachua County School Board. Mr. Maxey retired in 1983 from Springhill Middle School. He received his BS degree from Bethune Cookman College, and his MS degree from Florida A&M University. He was a member of Friendship Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon, Past Church Sunday School Supt. He was also a member of the N.A.A.C.P., The Powerful Elders, Pleasant Street Historical Society, and the Fla. Retired Teachers Assoc. Survivors include, One son, Oliver R. Maxey, Jr. (Marjorie), St. Petersburg, FL; Two daughters, Vian C. Guinyard (Curtis), Gainesville, FL, Ida M. Condray (Wil), Orlando, FL, and seven grandchildren. Funeral Services for Mr. Maxey will be held on Saturday at 10:00 AM April 28, 2007 at Friendship Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. R. L. Slater officiating. Burial will follow in Lincoln Memorial Garden, Ocala, FL under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation Friday 2:00-8:00 PM Chestnut Chapel, and on Saturday in the Friendship Baptist Church one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will form at the home of Mr. Maxey, 915 S.E. 6th Ave at 10:15 AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/28/2007.

1531. MONTOYA, MICHAEL JAMES, (Obituary No. 1531.) 37 Ocala - Michael James Montoya, 37, passed away April 22, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Albuquerque, NM on June 5, 1969. He was employed by Miller Boats where he made many friends. He attended college at CSU in Ft. Collins, CO and received an Associates Degree in Computer Business. He is survived by his wife Denise Montoya, a son Alexander, step sons Hector and Dennis, a granddaughter Karissa, his mother Kathy Kirsling, brothers Chris Montoya, Reilly and Preston Mein, stepfather Ed Mein, grandmother Mary Kirsling, and several aunts, uncles and cousins. He was preceded in death by his father Frank Montoya, grandfather Rick Kirsling, and grandparents Mariano and Marian Montoya. A memorial service will be held at 7 P.M. Thursday, April 26 at the Legacy Hospice House, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1532. SAILOR, MARY JANE "MJ", (Obituary No. 1532.) 85 Champaign, IL - Mary Jane "MJ" Sailor, 85, of Champaign, formerly of Frankfort, IN and Ocala, FL., died at 6:25 PM, Tuesday, April 24, 2007 at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Memorial Services will be held at 1:00 PM, Saturday, April 28, 2007 at Renner-Wikoff Chapel, 1900 S. Philo Rd., Urbana. A reception will follow the memorial service at the funeral home. Mrs. Sailor was born July 28, 1921 at Peoria, IL, a daughter of Arthur P. and Hazel J. Moore Schmidt. She married John Niel Sailor on
June 18, 1950 at Peoria. He preceded her in death on July 13, 1996. Surviving are six children and their spouses, Philip and Lori Sailor of Lancaster, PA, David and Maureen Sailor of St. Louis, MO, Connie and Keith Cripe of Maple Valley, WA, Paul and Connie Sailor of Champaign, IL, Amy and Carl Marsh of Frankfort, IN and Sara and Joseph Poirier of Austin, TX. She is also survived by seventeen grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and many treasured friends and extended family members. Mrs. Sailor served in the Women's Army Corps during World War II. Mrs. Sailor graduated from Bradley University and attended the University of Wisconsin, and the University of California at Los Angeles and taught school in Peoria, IL, Galesburg, IL and Murfreesboro, TN. She was a past member of St. Paul's Methodist Church, Ocala, FL., Eastern Star and Lions Club. She was a member of St. Elizabeth Church in Thomasboro. Mrs. Sailor spent her retirement years in Ocala, Florida, and Champaign, IL. She enjoyed playing Bridge, swimming, and she was an avid reader and a music lover. She will be remembered for her warmth, her humor and her enjoyment of life. Memorials may be made to: St. Elizabeth Church, Thomasboro, IL, or the Salvation Army. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/27/2007 - 4/28/2007.

1533. SARGENT, RICHARD LEONARD, (Obituary No. 1533.) 83 Ocala - Richard Leonard Sargent, 83, died Saturday, April 21, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Concord, NH, and moved to Ocala 30 years ago. He was a culinary chef and dietician. He is survived by two sons, Mike Sargent of Ocala and Richard Sargent, Jr., three daughters Nancy Townsend and Elizabeth Kotasek both of Binghamton, NY and Sheila Persachino of Oceanview, NY, many grandchildren and great grandchildren. preceded in death by his wife Dorothy Sargent and daughter Sandra Sargent. There will be a private memorial service held by his family at a later date. He was an avid Gator fan and he will be greatly missed. Hiers Funeral Home, OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/28/2007.

1534. SELF, MARY MARGARET SHOVAN SUPAL (Obituary No. 1534.) Mary Margaret Shovan Supal Self, of Newport, passed away, Tuesday, April 24, 2007 at her home. She was preceded in death by her sons, Timothy Shovan and Norman L. Shovan. She retired from Hutzel Hospital, Detroit, MI. as Dietary Charge Supervisor. She is survived by her husband, Richard "Duke" Self, of the home; her children, William C. Shovan and wife Cheryl of Belleview, FL., Lawrence P. Shovan of Howell, MI., Joanne Rajewski-Richert and husband Jack, of Cape Coral, FL., David E. Supal of Keego Harbor, MI., Daniel C. Supal, of Summerfield, FL., Rosemary P. Myers and husband John of Littleton, CO., Michael E. Supal, Baton Rouge, LA; daughter in law, Barbara Shovan of Berkley, MI., thirteen grandchildren; and five great grandchildren; and other family and friends. Funeral services will he held 10 A.M., Thursday, April 26, 2007 at the Church of the Good Shepherd, with Father Bob Hofstetter officiating. Burial will follow in Union Cemetery. The family received friends from 6-8pm Wednesday, April 25, 2007 at Manes Funeral Home West Chapel, with a Rosary service following at 8pm. Family and friends may sign the guest register on line at: www.manesfuneralhome.com. Manes Funeral Home, 363 E. Main Street, Newport, TN. 37821 in charge. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

Brown, daughter, Silver Springs, FL, Elijah Nelson, son, Ocala, FL, step-children, William Arthur, Jr., Lake Wales, FL, Jimmie Arthur, Lake Wales, FL, Annie Belle Redding, Summerville, South Carolina, Margaret Woolbright, Ocala, FL, Corene Thompson, FL, Lorene Burch, Atlanta, Georgia, Sheila Williams, Apopka, FL, Elizabeth Robinson, sister, Ocala, FL, Katie Cannon, sister, Ocala, FL, Florence Williams-Ray, sister, Ocala, FL, Roberta McCoy, sister, Ocala, FL, Emily Sims, sister, Daytona Beach, FL, brothers, Lawrence Williams, Jr., Robert Williams, Rev. Robin Williams, all of Ocala, FL, 58 grandchildren, 155 great grandchildren, 43 great-great grandchildren. Sister Arthur was a faithful member of Greater New Bethel Missionary for 63 years. She has finished the race and the battle is won. She can now enter into the Masters Kingdom. Funeral service for Ms. Arthur will be on Sat. April 28, 2007 at 11AM at the Pentecostal Full Gospel Church Worship Center, Apostle Bernard & Missionary Lilly Tuggerson-Overseers. Rev. Dennis Hagins-Eulogist. A wake service will be held on Thursday, April 26, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church from 6 to 8 PM. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Fri. from 9 to 7PM. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Rosa Crocket (1905 NW 26th Avenue, Ocala, FL) on Sat. at 10:15AM to form the funeral cortege. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.


1538. VAUGHT, CHRYSTINA ELOYS, (Obituary No. 1538.) 75 Ocala - Funeral Services for Ms. Vaught will be held at St. Joseph AME Church, Rev. Emmett Bright, Pastor, in Sparr, FL on Sat., April 28, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Rev. Charles Evans, Eulogist. Survivors to mourn and cherish the loss of sister Vaught is brother Woodard "WB" Vaught of Miami, FL, son William Franklin Warner of Robin, GA, Uncle Kateaster Bagley of Lake Wales, FL, brother-in-law Rev. Strickland Brown, Sr. of Orange Springs, FL, sister-in-law Willie Bell Vaught of Ocala, FL, nieces and nephews, cousins and friends. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9:00 a.m. until the wake service, which will begin at 7:00 p.m. Family and friends
are asked to meet at St. Joseph AME Church in Sparr, FL on Saturday at 10:30 a.m. to form the funeral cortège. No viewing following the eulogy. “A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction.” Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

1539. WELCH, RUSSELL STEWART (PETERSON), (Obituary No. 1539.) 36 Deltona - Russell Steward (Peterson) Welch, 36, of Deltona, FL, died April 23, 2007 at his residence. Born in Eustis, FL, Mr. Welch moved from Ocala to Deltona in 2001. Mr. Welch was a graduate of the University of Central Florida with a Bachelors degree. He worked as a computer consultant for Clear Systems, LLC in Orlando, FL and Charlotte, NC. He was a member of First Baptist Church in Orange City, the UCF Alumni Association and was an Eagle Scout. Survivors include mother and step-father, Kathryn and Benjamin Williams of Umatilla, FL, father James Russell Peterson of San Diego, CA and daughter Hannah Rose Ollice Welch of Deltona, FL. Funeral Services will be held Saturday, April 28, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at Allen-Summerhill Chapel, Orange City. Calling Hours will be 6:30-8:30 p.m. Friday, April 27, 2007 at Allen-Summerhill, Orange City. Burial will be at Lakeside Memory Gardens in Eustis, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the G. Stewart Welch Fund c/o Mayo Clinic Jacksonville Dept. of Development, 200 First Street, SW, Rochester MN 55905. Arrangements by ALLEN-SUMMERHILL FUNERAL HOME, Orange City, FL (386) 775-4664. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/27/2007.

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1540. COLON, SAULO, (Obituary No. 1540.) 81 Ocala - Mr. Saulo Colon, 81, of Ocala, FL passed away on April 25, 2007 at Palm Gardens of Ocala. Mr. Colon was a native of Puerto Rico. He was a retired Pleater and a parishioner at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife of 41 years America Colon of Ocala, FL, by his children Saulo Colon Jr., of Puerto Rico, Mayra Spaccauento of Hoboken, NJ, Melvin Colon of Hackensack, NJ and Angel Garcia of Clermont, FL by his brother and sisters, Esteban Colon, Maria Ruth colon, Gerson Colon, by 11 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his brother Benjamin Colon. The family will receive friends on Friday, April 27th between the hours of 3-9 PM. A Mass of the Christian Burial will be held in Puerto Rico on Monday, April 30th. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1541. COLWELL, TRICIA SUZANNE, (Obituary No. 1541.) 40, Ocala - Tricia Suzanne Colwell, 40, loving mother, daughter, sister and friend, died Tuesday April 24th in a fatal car accident. Tricia was a native of Ocala Florida and graduated from St. John Lutheran High School where she was active in various sports and cheerleading. She received her AA degree from Central Florida Community College and was a certified interpreter for the hearing impaired. She was employed by the Marion County School Board and worked at Forest High School as an interpreter in the ESE program. Tricia is survived by her mother Susan Bounds, father Chuck Haskins and step mother Karen Haskins all of Ocala, son Jason Colwell 19, daughters Molly Colwell, 15 and Annabelle Colwell 13. Her sisters Lisa Lyall, Lady Lake Florida and Stacey DeWerd, Buford Georgia. Her former husband and friend Lance Colwell of Ocala. Stepsisters Holli Moore, Buford Georgia, Tristi Smith, Angie Blair and step-brother Bo Chaires all of Ocala and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and many dear friends who loved her. A memorial service
will be held on Saturday, May 5th, 2 P.M. at Highlands Baptist Church 3530 S.E. Ft. King St. in Ocala. In lieu of flowers please send letters, cards and donations to the Tricia Colwell Children Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 406 Oxford, Florida 34484. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/27/2007 - 4/28/2007.

1542. CRIBBS, GLENDA MARIE, (Obituary No. 1542.) 46 Ocala- Glenda Marie Cribbs, 46, passed away on Tues., April 24, 2007. A lifetime resident of Ocala, Ms. Cribbs worked in sales at Construction Tire and Maintenance and was the former owner of Always Wireless. She loved the water (skiing, fishing, diving) and loved to read. She is survived by her daughter, Brittany Cribbs of Frederick, MD; son, Cory Cribbs of Ocala; granddaughter, Faith Clark, of Frederick, MD; father, Robert Johnson of Ocala; mother, Elizabeth Johnson of Ocala; sisters, Laquitta and Jim Sobjeski of Ocala and Sharon and Gary Lindsey of Anthony; brother, Wesley Johnson of South Carolina and several nieces and nephews. Memorial Services for Ms. Cribbs will be held on Sun., April 29, 2007 at 2pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1543. DEMARCO, JOSEPH A. "JOE", (Obituary No. 1543.) 82 Ocala - Joseph A. "Joe" DeMarco, 82, passed away April 26, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Mechanicville, NY and moved to Ocala in 1994 from Oriental, NC. He was a retired Supervisor for the Long Island Lighting Co, was a Catholic, an avid fisherman, liked stamp collecting and was a master gardener. He served in the US Navy in the Pacific Theater during WWII. He is survived by his wife of 54 years Doris DeMarco, sons Richard (Suzanne) DeMarco of Malibu, Ca, Joseph DeMarco of Islip, NY, a daughter Deborah (Larry) DeMarco of Spring Hill, Fl, a sister Margaret Salway of Mechanicville, NY, and 6 grandchildren. Final services and interment will be in Mechanicville, NY. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, Ocala, Fl is in charge of local arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1544. DIJKMAN-KIRK, NELLY, (Obituary No. 1544.) 88 Ocala - Nelly Dijkman-Kirk, 88, 10-28-18 to 4-26-07, on this date, the most wonderful companion and wife rose to take occupancy of a room prepared for her in one of almighty God's Heavenly Mansions which was promised by our Lord and Savior. Nelly was born of Dutch heritage, on the Island of Java; and later settled in Jakarta of the Dutch East Indies, now Indonesia. When she married Marinus J. Dijkman, she traveled with him throughout the islands where he managed a number of rubber plantations. In December, 1941 or January, 1942, the Japanese captured Singapore, Borneo, and most of the archipelago. All considered as "white race" were imprisoned. Nel's father and husband, her mother and sister were held for 3 1/2 years. Her son, and only child was born in a camp, in July 1942. When WWII ended, the family was not released until October, 1945. They were sent to Australia for recovery. Dr. David Fairchild, a famous botanist from Miami, enabled the American Embassy/Australia, and asked the Embassy to find J.J. Ochse whom he had met while sailing the Spanish Spice route in the late 1930's. Fairchild was instrumental in settling in Nelly's family in Miami. Nel's father and husband, with Doctorate degrees established the Department of Tropical Agricultural, at the U. of Miami. Nelly and her husband built the first orchid house in Fairchild's Tropical Garden. When Nelly's husband became fatally ill in 1969 she launched a memorable career as a Real Estate Broker/Sales person. In 1995 she moved to Key Largo, and semi-retired in 1997. Due to lingering health problems which began in 2003, she and her husband Charles Kirk moved to Ocala to enjoy the quiet of a different atmosphere. A brief return
of pneumonia and heart problems hospitalized this dear woman. She moved to a marvelous Hospice, where her true character and Strengths shone through. Survived by her husband Charles Kirk; her sister Ans Arens, West Virginia; her son, Dick J. Dijkman, and daughter-in-law, Brenda (Scottsdale, Ariz.) Jennifer Kirk Stewart, (Jacksonville), Christopher H. Kirk (Miami) Donald J. Kirk his wife, Marisol and two grandsons (Calgary, Canada) Michael T. Smith (Vancouver, Canada) and Daniel C. Hull (Hamilton, Ontario). In lieu of flowers send a contribution to the non-profit "Hospice of Marion County" a marvel of comfort-care, and kindness; P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL. 34478-4860 or Alzheimer's Association 988 Woodcock Rd. Ste 200 Orlando, FL 32803. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1545. GOETHE, PETER "PETE" D., (Obituary No. 1545.) 75 Ocala - Peter "Pete" D. Goethe, 75, passed away on Friday, April 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Parris Island, SC, Mr. Goethe moved from Varnville, SC to Ocala in 1938. He was a member of St. Matthews Lutheran Church. He worked as a Lumberman for Ocala Lumber Sales. He enjoyed hunting and fishing. He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Patricia "Pat" Goethe of Ocala; 3 sons, James Goethe of Tampa, Peter Goethe of Ocala, Jonathan Goethe of Ocala; and 5 grandchildren, James Goethe, Ashley Goethe, Austin Miller, Seth Miller, and Janessa Goethe. A memorial service will be held at 1:30 pm on Sunday, April 29, 2007 at St. Matthews Lutheran Church, 3453 E Silver Springs Blvd with Pastor Anna Figueiro officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to St. Matthews Lutheran Church in the name of Peter D. Goethe. Hiers Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1546. HLUBB, JOHN H., (Obituary No. 1546.) 79 Lady Lake - John H. Hlubb, PGK-PFN-FDD-SSC, 79, passed away at his residence on April 25, 2007. He was a retired postal supervisor; a retired Sgt Major USMC and served in the Korean Conflict. Mr. Hlubb was a member of St. Timothy Catholic Church, was active in the Knights of Columbus Council 10034 and Queen of the Rosary Assembly 2722 of Lady Lake. He is survived by his wife, Ruth, Lady Lake; son, John Hlubb Jr., Marietta, OH; daughter, Susan Farley, Bellefontaine, OH; sister, Edith Downie, Runnermeade, NJ; 6 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be held Thursday, May 3, 2007 at 8:30 AM at St. Timothy Catholic Church, The Villages. Visitation will be Wednesday, May 2, from 6-8 PM at the church. Contributions may be made to the Lake & Sumter Hospice, 12300 Lane Park Road, Taveras, FL 32778. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd. The Villages, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1547. LEE, HUBERT E. (Obituary No. 1547.) 81 Ocala - Hubert E. Lee, 81, died on Thursday, April 26, 2007. He was a native of Ocala and spent most of his life in Greeley, CO and retired to Ocala after his retirement. He operated a trucking company in Greeley and served in the U.S. Army. Mr. Lee is survived by his sisters Mae Cotton of Summerfield and Bertie Briggs of Jacksonville, his brothers Charles Lee of Jesup, GA and James Lee of Ocala and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife Ruth and his brother Willie Lee. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, May 1, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Ray Hoffman officiating. Interment will be in Millwood Cemetery. Visitation will be Tuesday at 10 A.M. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.
1548. MAXEY, OLIVER RALEIGH, (Obituary No. 1548.) SR. Gainesville - Oliver Maxey, 92, died Saturday April 21, 2007 at his home. Mr. was born in Santos, FL, and moved to Gainesville over sixty years ago. He was a retired teacher with Alachua County School Board. Mr. Maxey retired in 1983 from Springhill Middle School. He received his BS degree from Bethune Cookman College, and his MS degree from Florida A&M University. He was a member of Friendship Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon, Past Church Sunday School Supt. He was also a member of the N.A.A.C.P., The Powerful Elders, Pleasant Street Historical Society, and the Fla. Retired Teachers Assoc. Survivors include, One son, Oliver R. Maxey, Jr. (Marjorie), St. Petersburg, FL; Two daughters, Vian C. Guinyard (Curtis), Gainesville, FL, Ida M. Condray (Wil), Orlando, FL, and seven grandchildren. Funeral Services for Mr. Maxey will be held on Saturday at 10:00 AM April 28, 2007 at Friendship Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. R. L. Slater officiating. Burial will follow in Lincoln Memorial Garden, Ocala, FL under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation Friday 2:00-8:00 PM Chestnut Chapel, and on Saturday in the Friendship Baptist Church one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will form at the home of Mr. Maxey, 915 S.E. 6th Ave at 10:15 AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/26/2007 - 4/28/2007.

1549. RUDD, FRANKLIN “FRANK” WYATT (Obituary No. 1549.) 65 Salt Springs - Mr. Franklin "Frank" Wyatt Rudd, 65, passed away Thursday, April 26, 2007. Born in Marianna, Florida, he lived many years in Salt Springs. He was a lineman for Florida Power and Light having retired out of the Palatka office. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran and was a member of the Masons. He graduated from high school in Jacksonville and was a Protestant. Survivors include his wife, Gwynn Rudd, Salt Springs, FL; son: Randy Rudd, Salt Springs, FL; daughter: Robin Grace, Jacksonville, FL; step-daughter: Adina Lewis, Ft. McCoy, FL; and 3 grandchildren, Michael Grace, Jr., Miranda Rudd and Dalton Lenway Lewis. Memorial services will be held 11 AM., Saturday, at the Salt Springs Christian Church with Reverend Walt Miller and Mr. Joe Massey conducting the services. Beyers Funeral Home, Astor. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1550. SAILOR, MARY JANE "MJ", (Obituary No. 1550.) 85 Champaign, IL - Mary Jane "MJ" Sailor, 85, of Champaign, formerly of Frankfort, IN and Ocala, FL., died at 6:25 PM, Tuesday, April 24, 2007 at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Memorial Services will be held at 1:00 PM, Saturday, April 28, 2007 at Renner-Wikoff Chapel, 1900 S. Philo Rd., Urbana. A reception will follow the memorial service at the funeral home. Mrs. Sailor was born July 28, 1921 at Peoria, IL, a daughter of Arthur P. and Hazel J. Moore Schmidt. She married John Niel Sailor on June 18, 1950 at Peoria. He preceded her in death on July 13, 1996. Surviving are six children and their spouses, Philip and Lori Sailor of Lancaster, PA, David and Maureen Sailor of St. Louis, MO, Connie and Keith Cripe of Maple Valley, WA, Paul and Connie Sailor of Champaign, IL, Amy and Carl Marsh of Frankfort, IN and Sara and Joseph Poirier of Austin, TX. She is also survived by seventeen grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and many treasured friends and extended family members. Mrs. Sailor served in the Women's Army Corps during World War II. Mrs. Sailor graduated from Bradley University and attended the University of Wisconsin, and the University of California at Los Angeles and taught school in Peoria, IL, Galesburg, IL and Murfreesboro, TN. She was a past member of St. Paul's Methodist Church,
Ocala, FL., Eastern Star and Lions Club. She was a member of St. Elizabeth Church in Thomasboro. Mrs. Sailor spent her retirement years in Ocala, Florida, and Champaign, IL. She enjoyed playing Bridge, swimming, and she was an avid reader and a music lover. She will be remembered for her warmth, her humor and her enjoyment of life. Memorials may be made to: St. Elizabeth Church, Thomasboro, IL, or the Salvation Army. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/27/2007 - 4/28/2007.

1551. SARGENT, RICHARD LEONARD, (Obituary No. 1551.) 83 Ocala - Richard Leonard Sargent, 83, died Saturday, April 21, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Concord, NH, and moved to Ocala 30 years ago. He was a culinary chef and dietician. He is survived by two sons, Mike Sargent of Ocala and Richard Sargent, Jr., three daughters Nancy Townsend and Elizabeth Kotasek both of Binghamton, NY and Sheila Persachino of Oceanview, NY, many grandchildren and great grandchildren. preceded in death by his wife Dorothy Sargent and daughter Sandra Sargent. There will be a private memorial service held by his family at a later date. He was an avid Gator fan and he will be greatly missed. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/24/2007 - 4/28/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Sunday, April 29, 2007

1552. CHANCEY, RAY C., (Obituary No. 1552.) 71 Ocala - Mr. Chancey of Ocala passed away at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. A native of Miami FL, he had made Ocala his home for the past 40 years, moving from Saint Augustine, FL. He worked for the State of Florida for 40 years as a Parole Supervisor. He was a member of the Fort King Presbyterian Church and he was an active Elder of the church. He served in the U.S. Marines and the U.S. Army. Survivors include his wife of 47 years Sue Chancey, two daughters, Laura B. Chancey-Harris (Robert) of Bellevue, FL and Elaine C. Nicholson (Andres) of Summerfield, FL, granddaughter Terra Nicholson of Summerfield, FL, brother Nat Chancey (Lea) of Casselberry, FL and sister Judy Breitmoser (Dr. Henry) of Jacksonville, FL. Memorial services will be held Friday, May 4, 2007 at 3:00 p.m. at Fort King Presbyterian Church with Rev. James R. Bullock Jr. officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Fort King Presbyterian Church, 13 NE 36th Ave., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/29/2007 - 4/30/2007.

1553. COLON, SAULO, (Obituary No. 1553.) 81 Ocala - Mr. Saulo Colon, 81, of Ocala, FL passed away on April 25, 2007 at Palm Gardens of Ocala. Mr. Colon was a native of Puerto Rico. He was a retired Pleater and a parishioner at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife of 41 years America Colon of Ocala, FL, by his children Saulo Colon Jr., of Puerto Rico, Mayra Spaccuento of Hoboken, NJ, Melvin Colon of Hackensack, NJ and Angel Garcia of Clermont, FL by his brother and sisters, Esteban Colon, Maria Ruth colon, Gerson Colon, by 11 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his brother Benjamin Colon. The family will receive friends on Friday, April 27th between the hours of 3-9 PM. A Mass of the Christian Burial will be held in Puerto Rico on Monday, April 30th. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1554. CRIBBS, GLENDA MARIE, (Obituary No. 1554.) 46 Ocala- Glenda Marie Cribbs, 46, passed away on Tues., April 24, 2007. A lifetime resident of Ocala, Ms. Cribbs worked in sales
at Construction Tire and Maintenance and was the former owner of Always Wireless. She loved the water (skiing, fishing, diving) and loved to read. She is survived by her daughter, Brittany Cribbs of Frederick, MD; son, Cory Cribbs of Ocala; granddaughter, Faith Clark of Frederick, MD; father, Robert Johnson of Ocala; mother, Elizabeth Johnson of Ocala; sisters, Laquitta and Jim Sobjeski of Ocala and Sharon and Gary Lindsey of Anthony; brother, Wesley Johnson of South Carolina and several nieces and nephews. Memorial Services for Ms. Cribbs will be held on Sun., April 29, 2007 at 2pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1555. DEMARCO, JOSEPH A. "JOE", (Obituary No. 1555.) 82 Ocala - Joseph A. "Joe" DeMarco, 82, passed away April 26, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Mechanicville, NY and moved to Ocala in 1994 from Oriental, NC. He was a retired Supervisor for the Long Island Lighting Co, was a Catholic, an avid fisherman, liked stamp collecting and was a master gardener. He served in the US Navy in the Pacific Theater during WWII. He is survived by his wife of 54 years Doris DeMarco, sons Richard (Suzanne) DeMarco of Malibu, Ca, Joseph DeMarco of Islip, NY, a daughter Deborah (Larry) DeMarco of Spring Hill, Fl, a sister Margaret Salway of Mechanicville, NY, and 6 grandchildren. Final services and interment will be in Mechanicville, NY. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, Ocala, Fl is in charge of local arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1556. DIJKMAN-KIRK, NELLY, (Obituary No. 1556.) 88 Ocala - Nelly Dijkman-Kirk, 88, 10-28-18 to 4-26-07, on this date, the most wonderful companion and wife rose to take occupancy of a room prepared for her in one of almighty God's Heavenly Mansions which was promised by our Lord and Savior. Nelly was born of Dutch heritage, on the Island of Java; and later settled in Jakarta of the Dutch East Indies, now Indonesia. When she married Marinus J. Dijkman, she traveled with him throughout the islands where he managed a number of rubber plantations. In December, 1941 or January, 1942, the Japanese captured Singapore, Borneo, and most of the archipelago. All considered as "white race" were imprisoned. Nel's father and husband, her mother and sister were held for 3 1/2 years. Her son, and only child was born in a camp, in July 1942. When WWII ended, the family was not released until October, 1945. They were sent to Australia for recovery. Dr. David Fairchild, a famous botanist from Miami, enabled the American Embassy/Australia, and asked the Embassy to find J.J. Ochse whom he had met while sailing the Spanish Spice route in the late 1930's. Fairchild was instrumental in settling in Nelly's family in Miami. Nel's father and husband, with Doctorate degrees established the Department of Tropical Agricultural, at the U. of Miami. Nelly and her husband built the first orchid house in Fairchild's Tropical Garden. When Nelly's husband became fatally ill in 1969 she launched a memorable career as a Real Estate Broker/Sales person. In 1995 she moved to Key Largo, and semi-retired in 1997. Due to lingering health problems which began in 2003, she and her husband Charles Kirk moved to Ocala to enjoy the quiet of a different atmosphere. A brief return of pneumonia and heart problems hospitalized this dear woman. She moved to a marvelous Hospice, where her true character and Strengths shone through. Survived by her husband Charles Kirk; her sister Ans Arens, West Virginia; her son, Dick J. Dijkman, and daughter-in-law, Brenda (Scottsdale, Ariz.) Jennifer Kirk Stewart, (Jacksonville), Christopher H. Kirk (Miami) Donald J. Kirk his wife, Marisol and two grandsons (Calgary, Canada) Michael T. Smith (Vancouver, Canada) and Daniel C. Hull (Hamilton, Ontario). In lieu of flowers send a contribution to the non-profit "Hospice of Marion County" a marvel of comfort-care, and
1557. GOETHE, PETER "PETE" D., (Obituary No. 1557.) 75 Ocala - Peter "Pete" D. Goethe, 75, passed away on Friday, April 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Parris Island, SC, Mr. Goethe moved from Varnville, SC to Ocala in 1938. He was a member of St. Matthews Lutheran Church. He worked as a Lumberman for Ocala Lumber Sales. He enjoyed hunting and fishing. He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Patricia "Pat" Goethe of Ocala; 3 sons, James Goethe of Tampa, Peter Goethe of Ocala, Jonathan Goethe of Ocala; and 5 grandchildren, James Goethe, Ashley Goethe, Austin Miller, Seth Miller, and Janessa Goethe. A memorial service will be held at 1:30 pm on Sunday, April 29, 2007 at St. Matthews Lutheran Church, 3453 E Silver Springs Blvd with Pastor Anna Figueiro officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to St. Matthews Lutheran Church in the name of Peter D. Goethe. Hiers Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1558. HLUBB, JOHN H., (Obituary No. 1558.) 79 Lady Lake - John H. Hlubb, PGK-PFN-FDD-SSC, 79, passed away at his residence on April 25, 2007. He was a retired postal supervisor; a retired Sgt Major USMC and served in the Korean Conflict. Mr. Hlubb was a member of St. Timothy Catholic Church, was active in the Knights of Columbus Council 10034 and Queen of the Rosary Assembly 2722 of Lady Lake. He is survived by his wife, Ruth, Lady Lake; son, John Hlubb Jr., Marietta, OH; daughter, Susan Farley, Bellefontaine, OH; sister, Edith Downie, Runnermeade, NJ; 6 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be held Thursday, May 3, 2007 at 8:30 AM at St. Timothy Catholic Church, The Villages. Visitation will be Wednesday, May 2, from 6-8 PM at the church. Contributions may be made to the Lake & Sumter Hospice, 12300 Lane Park Road, Taveras, FL 32778. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd. The Villages, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1559. HOUSE, VELMA NORINE, (Obituary No. 1559.) 73 Orange Lake - Mrs. Velma Norine House, 73, passed away on April 27, 2007 in Orange Lake, FL. She was born in Gemmelli, MN on May 7, 1933. She is a retired clerical worker. She is a veteran of the United States Air Force as an Airman First Class. She was a member of the Lady Lake American Legion. She moved here in 1991 from California. She is survived by her husband of 50 years John H. House of Orange Lake, FL, two sons, John P. House of New Hall, CA and Larry C. House of Randall, MN, and also three grandchildren. She was a very family oriented and loving person. She fought a long hard battle against Lou Gehrig Disease and in lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Lou Gehrig Foundation. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL made the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/29/2007 - 4/30/2007.

1560. LEE, HUBERT E., (Obituary No. 1560.) 81 Ocala - Hubert E. Lee, 81, died on Thursday, April 26, 2007. He was a native of Ocala and spent most of his life in Greeley, CO and retired to Ocala after his retirement. He operated a trucking company in Greeley and served in the U.S. Army. Mr. Lee is survived by his sisters Mae Cotton of Summerfield and Bertie Briggs of Jacksonville, his brothers Charles Lee of Jesup, GA and James Lee of Ocala and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife Ruth and his brother Willie Lee.
Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, May 1, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Ray Hoffman officiating. Interment will be in Millwood Cemetery. Visitation will be Tuesday at 10 A.M. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1561. MAYER, GLADYS R., (Obituary No. 1561.) 66 Ocala - Gladys R. Mayer, 66, of Ocala, passed away on Friday, April 27, 2007. Born January 8, 1941 to Kenneth M. and Mattie L. Stine, she was raised in Annapolis, MD with three siblings - William Stine and the late Joyce Humphreys and Wayne Stine. She married her loving husband, Charles A. Mayer, Sr. on November 15, 1959. From there they built a life and family on Long Island, NY. A devoted and inspirational mother to Tami Mayer, Kathryn Granieri, Charles Mayer, Jr., and Patricia Hall, and the best Grandma ever to five grandchildren; Charlie, Ally, Hannah, Luke and Cole. The family would like to invite you to visit with them in celebration of Gladys' love of life, family and friends on Monday, April 30, 2007 at 5:00-7:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERRIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala. Memorial Service will be at 7:00 PM with Rev. Bob Loring officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/29/2007 - 4/30/2007.

1562. RUDD, FRANKLIN "FRANK" WYATT, (Obituary No. 1562.) 65 Salt Springs - Mr. Franklin "Frank" Wyatt Rudd, 65, passed away Thursday, April 26, 2007. Born in Marianna, Florida, he lived many years in Salt Springs. He was a lineman for Florida Power and Light having retired out of the Palatka office. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran and was a member of the Masons. He graduated from high school in Jacksonville and was a Protestant. Survivors include his wife, Gwyn Rudd, Salt Springs, FL; son: Randy Rudd, Salt Springs, FL; daughter: Robin Grace, Jacksonville, FL; step-daughter: Adina Lewis, Ft. McCoy, FL; and 3 grandchildren, Michael Grace, Jr., Miranda Rudd and Dalton Lenway Lewis. Memorial services will be held 11 AM., Saturday, at the Salt Springs Christian Church with Reverend Walt Miller and Mr. Joe Massey conducting the services. Beyers Funeral Home, Astor. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/28/2007 - 4/29/2007.

1563. SANDERS, WEBSTER DALE, (Obituary No. 1563.) 98 Dunedin - Webster Dale Sanders born October 22nd 1908 in Cape Girardeau, Missouri passed away April 22nd 2007 in Ocala Florida. Webster (Sandy) Sanders resided in Dunedin, Florida where he and his wife Marie Ann Kloeppel Sanders retired to after closing their business (Sanders Brake Service) in St. Louis, Missouri in the 1980's. Sandy was a master mechanic and an avid fisherman. His two sons Dale Sanders of Odessa, Florida and Jay Sanders and wife Deborah Sanders of Silver Springs, Florida including grandchildren Webster Dale Sanders II, Candice Lee Sanders, and Jason Sanders also of Silver Springs, Florida as well as his daughter Kay Murray and Husband John Murray and grandchildren Hannah and Samantha Murray of Lutz, Florida survive him. His final request was to have he and his wife's ashes mixed and dispersed on their home soil of Missouri. A memorial service will be held for the immediate family in June in central Missouri to fulfill his final wish. Anyone wishing to make a contribution in his honor can do so by sending it to: Hospice of Marion County, 3231 S.W. 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/29/2007 - 4/30/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Monday, April 30, 2007
1564. CHANCEY, RAY C., (Obituary No. 1564.) 71 Ocala - Mr. Chancey of Ocala passed away at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. A native of Miami FL, he had made Ocala his home for the past 40 years, moving from Saint Augustine, FL. He worked for the State of Florida for 40 years as a Parole Supervisor. He was a member of the Fort King Presbyterian Church and he was an active Elder of the church. He served in the U.S. Marines and the U.S. Army. Survivors include his wife of 47 years Sue Chancey, two daughters, Laura B. Chancey-Harris (Robert) of Bellevue, FL and Elaine C. Nicholson (Andres) of Summerfield, FL, granddaughter Terra Nicholson of Summerfield, FL, brother Nat Chancey (Lea) of Casselberry, FL and sister Judy Breitmoser (Dr. Henry) of Jacksonville, FL. Memorial services will be held Friday, May 4, 2007 at 3:00 p.m. at Fort King Presbyterian Church with Rev. James R. Bullock Jr. officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Fort King Presbyterian Church, 13 NE 36th Ave., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/29/2007 - 4/30/2007.

1565. CRUCE, JAMES E., (Obituary No. 1565.) 82 Belleview - Mr. Cruce of Belleview passed away on Saturday, April 28, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House of Ocala. He was a self-employed appliance repairman. As a life-long resident of Marion County, he was a member of St. Theresa's Catholic Church, the Elks Club in Silver Springs Shores, and the Loyal Order of R.A.T.S. He was also a past member and commander for both the American Legion and the 85th chapter of the DAV in Belleview. His wife, Virginia Cruce, and one daughter, Bonnie Bairstow, precede him in death. Survivors include four children: Barbara Casteel of Belleview, FL; John Cruce of Ocklawaha, FL; Thomas E. Cruce of Ocala, FL; and David Cruce of Ft. Pierce, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions to Sylvia's Hospice House. Visitation and Services will be held on Tuesday, May 1, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. and on Wednesday, May 2, 2007 at 10 a.m., respectively, at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW (5946 SE Robinson Road). Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/30/2007 - 5/1/2007.

1566. DESMOND, RICHARD H., (Obituary No. 1566.) 77 Ocala - Mr. Richard H. Desmond, 77, passed away April 28, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Queens, NY and moved to Ocala in 1990 from Lake Ronkonkoma, NY. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, a US Army veteran of the Korean Conflict, and a lifetime member of the VFW. He is survived by his wife of 55 years Loretta J. Desmond of Ocala, daughters Maurya S. Smith of Ocala, Joyce A (Stephen) Thatford of Lake Ronkonkoma, NY, a son Richard M. Desmond of Brewster, NY, 2 grandchildren Stephen Thatford and Shawn R. Desmond, a stepdaughter Judy Pepitone and a stepson Richard Smith both of Lake Grove, LI, NY. There will be a Funeral Mass at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 2nd at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, May 1st at the funeral home. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/30/2007 - 5/1/2007.

1567. HOOSE, VELMA NORINE, (Obituary No. 1567.) 73 Orange Lake - Mrs. Velma Norine Hoose, 73, passed AWAY on April 27, 2007 in Orange Lake, FL. She was born in Gemmelli, MN on May 7, 1933. She is a retired clerical worker. She is a veteran of the United States Air Force as an Airman First Class. She was a member of the Lady Lake American Legion. She
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1568. KERR, LOU ELLEN UNDERWOOD, (Obituary No. 1568.) 84 Ocala - Lou Ellen Underwood Kerr, 84, died Saturday, April 28, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehab and Nursing Center. She was born in Orlando and lived most of her lifetime in Marion County. She was a retired real estate broker and a member of First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. Her survivors include her daughters, Tricia Claey of Ocala and Diana Massie of St. Petersburg, her sons, John Underwood of Ocala, Donald Underwood of St. Petersburg and Billy Underwood of West Palm Beach, fourteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, May 1, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will be in Woodlawn Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/29/2007 - 4/30/2007.

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1571. CHAPIN, DEB ORAH L., (Obituary No. 1571.) 50 Ocala - Ms. Deborah L. Chapin, 50, of Ocala, Fl passed away at her home on Monday, April 30, 2007. Born in Onedia, NY. Ms. Chapin has lived in Ocala for 15 years since moving from Erieville, NY. She was of Christian faith, loved sewing, and worked as a switchboard operator at The Villages Regional Hospital. She is survived by her son, Nathan Chapin of Ocala; daughter, Melissa & Tim Brown of Ocala; grandson, Darren Brown of Ocala; parents, Ken & Mary Jones of Georgetown, NY; 3 sisters and several nieces and nephews. A visitation will be held at HIER S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Friday, May 4, 2007 from 4 - 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/1/2007 - 5/2/2007.

1572. CRUCE, JAMES E., (Obituary No. 1572.) 82 Belleview - Mr. Cruce of Belleview passed away on Saturday, April 28, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House of Ocala. He was a self-employed appliance repairman. As a life-long resident of Marion County, he was a member of St. Theresa's Catholic Church, the Elks Club in Silver Springs Shores, and the Loyal Order of R.A.T.S. He was also a past member and commander for both the American Legion and the 85th chapter of the DAV in Belleview. His wife, Virginia Cruce, and one daughter, Bonnie Bairstow, precede him in death. Survivors include four children: Barbara Casteel of Belleview, FL; John Cruce of Ocklawaha, FL; Thomas E. Cruce of Ocala, FL; and David Cruce of Ft. Pierce, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions to Sylvia's Hospice House. Visitation and Services will be held on Tuesday, May 1, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. and on Wednesday, May 2, 2007 at 10 a.m., respectively, at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW (5946 SE Robinson Road). Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/30/2007 - 5/1/2007.

1573. DESMOND, RICHARD H. (Obituary No. 1573.) 77 Ocala - Mr. Richard H. Desmond, 77, passed away April 28, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Queens, NY and moved to Ocala in 1990 from Lake Ronkonkoma, NY. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, a US Army veteran of the Korean Conflict, and a lifetime member of the VFW. He is survived by his wife of 55 years Loretta J. Desmond of Ocala, daughters Maurya S. Smith of Ocala, Joyce A (Stephen) Thatford of Lake Ronkonkoma, NY, a son Richard M. Desmond of Brewster, NY, 2 grandchildren Stephen Thatford and Shawn R. Desmond, a stepdaughter Judy Pepitone and a stepson Richard Smith both of Lake Grove, LI, NY. There will be a Funeral Mass at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 2nd at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, May 1st at the funeral home. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/30/2007 - 5/1/2007.

1574. DURGIN, PHYLLIS B., (Obituary No. 1574.) 81 Ocala - Phyllis B. Durgin, 81, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Saturday, April 21, 2007, at Oakhurst Rehabilitation and Nursing Center. Mrs. Durgin was a native of New Jersey. Phyllis is survived by her loving husband, George M. Durgin, Jr., their four daughters, Linda Alfano of Belleair, Florida, Marcia (Dixie) Durgin of Bear, Delaware, Karen Bernaski of Nazareth, Pennsylvania, and Sandra Nielsen of Ocala, Florida. She is also survived by her 7 grandchildren, Rebecca Cavallaro, Kristal Bernaski,
Valerie Bauer, Kimberly Nielsen, Douglas Bernaski, Nicolette Alfano, and Heather Nielsen, as well as 3 great-grandchildren, Kathryn Cavallaro, Nicolas Cavallaro, and Sophia Cavallaro. Phyllis was a member of Fort King Presbyterian Church in Ocala, Florida, where a memorial service was held in celebration of her life on Sunday, April 22, 2007. The family would request donations be made Oakhurst Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, to the attention of Dwayne Graham, Administrator, 1501 SE 24th Road, Ocala, Florida 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/1/2007 - 5/2/2007.

1575. FREEMAN, JERRY D., (Obituary No. 1575.) 55 Ocklawaha - Mr. Freeman of Ocklawaha passed away on Friday, April 27, 2007 at his residence. A native of High Point, NC. He had made Ocklawaha his home for the past 4 years moving from Thomasville, NC. He had worked as a Machinist. He enjoyed fishing and hunting. Survivors include mother, Oneda Christine Freeman, Trinity, NC., adopted father, Bobby Freeman, NC., daughter, Mary A. Peterson (Pete) Silver Springs, FL., stepson Michael Baldwin, NC., brother, Todd Freeman, NC., and sister Lisa Deprato, NC. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/1/2007 - 5/2/2007.

1576. KERR, LOU ELLEN UNDERWOOD, (Obituary No. 1576.) 84 Ocala - Lou Ellen Underwood Kerr, 84, died Saturday, April 28, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehab and Nursing Center. She was born in Orlando and lived most of her lifetime in Marion County. She was a retired real estate broker and a member of First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. Her survivors include her daughters, Tricia Claeyes of Ocala and Diana Massie of St. Petersburg, her sons, John Underwood of Ocala, Donald Underwood of St. Petersburg and Billy Underwood of West Palm Beach, fourteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, May 1, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will be in Woodlawn Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 4/30/2007 - 5/1/2007.

1577. MCKENNA, RICHARD CHARLES, (Obituary No. 1577.) 69 Ocala - Richard C. McKenna, age 69, passed away Sunday, April 29, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of West New York, NJ, he came to Ocala 1986 from Valley Stream, NY. Mr. McKenna served in law enforcement with Nassau County, NY Police Dept. from 1960 - 1980, and retired from The Marion County Sheriff Dept. serving 1986 - 1999. He was a charter member of The Nassau Police Blue Organization and a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. A veteran U.S. Air Force serving in Korea. Survivors include his wife of 50 years Christine, three children, Jacqueline Perrine, Thompson Station, TN., Richard Michael McKenna, Olathe, KS., and Meghann Anne McKenna, Ocala, FL., two brothers, Robert McKenna, Earlton, NY., and Frank McKenna, Woodheaven, NY., four grandchildren and one great-grandchildren. Mass will be 11 a.m. Wednesday, May 2, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be at the church from 9:30 - 10:45 a.m. Interment Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/1/2007 - 5/2/2007.

1578. PEARCE, GRACE BLAKE, (Obituary No. 1578.) 84 Ocala - Grace Blake Pearce, 84, passed away April 28, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1982 from East Quogue, NY. She was a very active member of St. Joseph of the Forest
Catholic Church. She is survived by a daughter Grace (Harry) Ulrich of Ocklawaha, a brother Vincent Kenney of Dedham, Ma., 2 grandchildren Christopher Ulrich and Jeanine Johnson, and a great granddaughter Lyndsey Johnson. There will be a Memorial Mass on Wednesday, May 2, at St Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church at 10:30 a.m. with Fr. Andrew Mallick officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/1/2007 - 5/2/2007.

1579. WEISS, RAYMOND JOHN, (Obituary No. 1579.) 65 Belleview - Mr. Raymond Weiss, 65, of Belleview, FL., passed away on Friday, April 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He had made Belleview his home since 1944, moving from Ohio. He was a retired Assembler for Dayco, and was previously involved with the Florida mining industry. He also attended Florida Military School in Deland, FL. He enjoyed time fishing with his grandson Justin and with his dog Belle. He is survived by his wife, Carole Weiss, and 3 stepchildren: Carol Mendel of NJ; Leigh Howie of Belleview, FL; and Dennis Conklin of NJ. Arrangements by HIERs-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/1/2007 - 5/2/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, May 2, 2007

1580. CHAPIN, DEB ORAH L., (Obituary No. 1580.) 50 Ocala - Ms. Deborah L. Chapin, 50, of Ocala, Fl passed away at her home on Monday, April 30, 2007. Born in Onedia, NY. Ms. Chapin has lived in Ocala for 15 years since moving from Erieville, NY. She was of Christian faith, loved sewing, and worked as a switchboard operator at The Villages Regional Hospital. She is survived by her son, Nathan Chapin of Ocala; daughter, Melissa & Tim Brown of Ocala; grandson, Darren Brown of Ocala; parents, Ken & Mary Jones of Georgetown, NY; 3 sisters and several nieces and nephews. A visitation will be held at HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Friday, May 4, 2007 from 4 - 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/1/2007 - 5/2/2007.

1581. CHRISTOPHER, MARY LOU, (Obituary No. 1581.) 77 Crystal River, FL - Mrs. Mary Lou Christopher, 77, passed away on April 26, 2007 in Crystal River, FL. She was born in Tango, W. VA. She was a homemaker and co-owner with her husband of Henri's Beauty Salon in Silver Springs. She was a Christian and a member of the First Baptist Church of Crystal River. She was an Eleanor W. VA. High School Majorette and a person friend of the First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt. She was a girl scout leader in Ocala. She was preceded in death by her daughter Kristina and her loving husband Henry of 42 years. She moved here in 1962 from Ohio. She is survived by 2 daughters and their spouses Renee June and Rodger F. McPheeters of Citrus County, FL; Denise Lynn and Stephen B. Forrest Jr. of Ocala, FL; 2 grandchildren Jesse and Kristina Ferguson of Ocala, FL; a brother Russell Watts of CA; 2 nephews David and Thomas McGinnis of New Mexico. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL on Saturday, May 5, 2007 from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. with funeral services at 2 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/3/2007.

1582. DURGIN, PHYLLIS B., (Obituary No. 1582.) 81 Ocala - Phyllis B. Durgin, 81, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Saturday, April 21, 2007, at Oakhurst Rehabilitation and Nursing
Center. Mrs. Durgin was a native of New Jersey. Phyllis is survived by her loving husband, George M. Durgin, Jr., their four daughters, Linda Alfano of Belleair, Florida, Marcia (Dixie) Durgin of Bear, Delaware, Karen Bernaski of Nazareth, Pennsylvania, and Sandra Nielsen of Ocala, Florida. She is also survived by her 7 grandchildren, Rebecca Cavallaro, Kristal Bernaski, Valerie Bauer, Kimberly Nielsen, Douglas Bernaski, Nicolette Alfano, and Heather Nielsen, as well as 3 great-grandchildren, Kathryn Cavallaro, Nicolas Cavallaro, and Sophia Cavallaro.

Phyllis was a member of Fort King Presbyterian Church in Ocala, Florida, where a memorial service was held in celebration of her life on Sunday, April 22, 2007. The family would request donations be made Oakhurst Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, to the attention of Dwayne Graham, Administrator, 1501 SE 24th Road, Ocala, Florida 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/1/2007 - 5/2/2007.

1583. FREEMAN, JERRY D., (Obituary No. 1583.) 55 Ocklawaha - Mr. Freeman of Ocklawaha passed away on Friday, April 27, 2007 at his residence. A native of High Point, NC. He had made Ocklawaha his home for the past 4 years moving from Thomasville, NC. He had worked as a Machinist. He enjoyed fishing and hunting. Survivors include mother, Oneda Christine Freeman, Trinity, NC., adopted father, Bobby Freeman, NC., daughter, Mary A. Peterson (Pete) Silver Springs, FL., stepson Michael Baldwin, NC., brother, Todd Freeman, NC., and sister Lisa Deprato, NC. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/1/2007 - 5/2/2007.

1584. HOFFER, ELEANOR CLARA, (Obituary No. 1584.) 86 Ocklawaha - Eleanor Clara Hoffer, 86, of Ocklawaha, died April 26, 2007, at Sylvia's Hospice House. Mrs. Hoffer was born in St. Joseph County, IN., and moved to this area from Nappanee, IN., in 1986. She was a member of Ocklawaha United Methodist Church and a retired factory assembly worker. Mrs. Hoffer is survived by her daughter, Mary Frances Long, Ocala; brother, John Kessler, Orange Springs, FL; sister, Rosemary Langerak, Wilton Manor, FL; and grandson, Keith Atlee Long, Summerfield. Services will be held at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, at 11:30 a.m., with Friday, May 4, 2007, Rev. June Edwards officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association, 1101 SW 20th Ct., Room 169, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/3/2007.

1585. LESLIE, PAUL JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 1585.) 93 Summerfield - Mr. Leslie, a native of Mattoon, IL., has been a resident of Marion County since 1943, died on Sunday, April 29, 2007. He was a retired land surveyor, and he also worked for The State of Florida and The National Forest Service. He was a member of the U.S. Army serving in WWII. Preceded in death by his wife of 61 years Margaret Opal Pebbles Leslie; daughter Elinor Lois Leslie Gaboardi (David); brother Charles Franklin Leslie. Survivors include 6 children, Robert Frank Leslie (Yvonne), Elena Marie Leslie Pruitt, Michael "Wally" Leslie (Loretta Jean) all of Silver Springs; Robbins Nettles Leslie (Carol) of Summerfield; Timothy Hoyt Leslie (B.J.) of Gainesville; and Dr. Paul J. Leslie, Jr. (Sue) of Bryon, GA; a brother Edmond Eugene Leslie of Waukegan, IL. Services will be held 10 a.m., Thursday, May 3, 2007 at the Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church, Lynne, FL. Visitation will held Wednesday, May 2, 2007 from 5 - 7 p.m. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., 34470. Burial will be at The Ocklawaha Bridge Cemetery.
1586. McKenna, Richard Charles, (Obituary No. 1586.) 69 Ocala - Richard C. McKenna, age 69, passed away Sunday, April 29, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of West New York, NJ, he came to Ocala 1986 from Valley Stream, NY. Mr. McKenna served in law enforcement with Nassau County, NY Police Dept. from 1960 - 1980, and retired from The Marion County Sheriff Dept. serving 1986 - 1999. He was a charter member of The Nassau Police Blue Organization and a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. A veteran U.S. Air Force serving in Korea. Survivors include his wife of 50 years Christine, three children, Jacqueline Perrine, Thompson Station, TN., Richard Michael McKenna, Olathe, KS., and Meghann Anne McKenna, Ocala, FL., two brothers, Robert McKenna, Earlton, NY., and Frank McKenna, Woodheaven, NY., four grandchildren and one great-grandchildren. Mass will be 11 a.m. Wednesday, May 2, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be at the church from 9:30 - 10:45 a.m. Interment Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

1587. Pearce, Grace Blake, (Obituary No. 1587.) 84 Ocala - Grace Blake Pearce, 84, passed away April 28, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1982 from East Quogue, NY. She was a very active member of St. Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church. She is survived by a daughter Grace (Harry) Ulrich of Ocklawaha, a brother Vincent Kenney of Dedham, MA., 2 grandchildren Christopher Ulrich and Jeanine Johnson, and a great granddaughter Lyndsey Johnson. There will be a Memorial Mass on Wednesday, May 2, at St Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church at 10:30 a.m. with Fr. Andrew Mallick officiating.

1588. Pierce, Harold R., (Obituary No. 1588.) 81 Gainesville - Harold R. Pierce, 81, passed away April 29, 2007 at the Haven Hospice House in Gainesville. He was born in Corry, PA., and moved to Ocala in 1984 from Asheville, NY. He was a Construction Supervisor, a Methodist, and was a US Army veteran of WWII. He is survived by Alice Pierce his wife of 58 years, daughters Concetta (Mike) Casey of High Springs, FL., and Amy (Wayne) Seifert of Florence, SC., brother Robert Pierce and a sister Frances Whaley both of Corry, PA., 5 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son Dennis. Donations may be made to the American Parkinson's Assoc., 195 Parkinson's Ave., Staten Island, NY., 10305. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, Ocala, FL., is in charge of arrangements.

1589. Schild, Gordon L., (Obituary No. 1589.) 86 Ocala - Gordon L. Schild, age 86, of Ocala (Oak Run), FL., passed away on Sunday, April 29, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Staten Island, NY on January 29, 1921. Mr. Schild worked for Exxon Corp. and retired after 40 years of service. He was a charter member of the Ocala Southwest Lions Club and was a Life Member of VFW Post #4781 of Ocala. He served in the US Army during WWII and was a combat infantryman. He was a Protestant and a member of TimberRidge Community Church. He is survived by a daughter Linda J. Efstatious and 3 grandchildren Eric, Paul and Amber. He was
preceded in death by his wife Marian L. Schild and a son Gordon L. Schild, II. Funeral service for Mr. Schild will be Monday, May 7, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge. Visitation will be at the funeral home 1 hour prior to the service. Committal service with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell also on Monday at 1:30 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/3/2007.


1591. STANLEY, JR., THOMAS R, (Obituary No. 1591.) 60 Silver Springs - Thomas Roland Stanley, Jr., 60, passed away on April 30, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was a lifetime resident of Silver Springs. He was a truck driver and served in the Marine Corp. Mr. Stanley was an avid outdoorsman, enjoyed hunting and boating. He was dedicated to his family and friends. Survived by his wife Aquilla Stanley; sons Michael (wife Patty) Stanley, Tommy Stanley, and Kenneth (wife Nina) Stanley; step-sons Ken Moody, John (wife Holly) Moody and Brian Moody; step-daughters Traci (husband Mike) Bryson and Michelle Rogers. He is also had 15 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Funeral service will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., with Fred Daunhauer officiating. A visitation will be held on Friday evening at Hiers Funeral Home from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/3/2007.

1592. WEISS, RAYMOND JOHN, (Obituary No. 1592.) 65 Belleview - Mr. Raymond Weiss, 65, of Belleview, FL., passed away on Friday, April 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He had made Belleview his home since 1944, moving from Ohio. He was a retired Assembler for Dayco, and was previously involved with the Florida mining industry. He also attended Florida Military School in Deland, FL. He enjoyed time fishing with his grandson Justin and with his dog Belle. He is survived by his wife, Carole Weiss, and 3 stepchildren: Carol Mendel of NJ; Leigh Howie of Belleview, FL; and Dennis Conklin of NJ. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/1/2007 - 5/2/2007.

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1593. ARCHER, MONICA, (Obituary No. 1593.) 69 Ocala - Monica Archer, 69, nurse, will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the Central Baptist Church with Pastor Andy Bloom, Pastor conducting the service. Ms. Archer was born November 28, 1937 in St. Thomas Jamaica, West Indies to Arthur Jarrett and Margaret Graham. She attended school in Jamaica. Survivors include husband, Byron Corbin, Ocala, FL.; 6 brothers, Lloyd Furgerson, London, Eng., George Butler, Queen, NY., Everton Butler, NY., Dennis Grant, Ft. Myers, FL., Henry Butler, London Eng., and Charles Butler, Jamaica. Interment will be at Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, May 4, 2007 from 9 a.m. - 6 p.m., Wake 7 p.m. in Cunningham's Chapel, Saturday at the
1594. BETHUNE, ARNOLD, (Obituary No. 1594.) 96 Flemington - Arnold Bethune, 96, of Flemington, passed away Friday, April 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mr. Bethune was born to the late James Bethune and Annie Rowe in Archer, Florida. He retired from Ford Motor Company in Detroit, Michigan in 1965 and returned back home in that same year and has resided in Flemington since. He was a member of Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Flemington, Florida. He is survived by 8 children, Janie Bethune, Miami, Florida, Jean Bethune, Largo, Florida, Barnell Evans, Ike Evans, Leah Riggien Broomfield, Rosa Evans, all of Clearwater, Florida, Leo Bethune, Detroit, and Ruberdia Grant, Kansas; one daughter who proceeded him in death Thelma Bethune; 23 grandchildren; a host of great grandchildren; three sisters,, Curleane Lazier, Brendon Florida, Rotha Johnson, Clearwater, Florida, and Altmese Tucker of Flemington, Florida; two brothers: Simmie Lee Gordon, Flemington, Florida and Arionza Gordon, Reddick, Florida. Services for Mr. Bethune will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Flemington, Florida at 11 a.m. with Rev. Micheal L. Maeweathers officiating and Rev. Izell James, Sr., delivering the Message. Burial will follow immediately in the Greater New Bethel Cemetery, Flemington, Florida. Services are under the direction of CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, FL (352) 493-1857. Visitation hours will be held on Friday at Greater New Bethel in Flemington from 6 - 8 p.m. and one hour prior to services. "There will be no viewing after the message". The family is asked to assemble at the home of Mrs. Janie Bethune (17440 Hwy. 329 Flemington, Florida) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the cortege. Please have all floral arrangement delivered to the funeral home on Friday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. or the church on Friday from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1595. CHRISTOPHER, MARY LOU, (Obituary No. 1595.) 77 Crystal River, FL - Mrs. Mary Lou Christopher, 77, passed away on April 26, 2007 in Crystal River, FL. She was born in Tango, W. VA. She was a homemaker and co-owner with her husband of Henri's Beauty Salon in Silver Springs. She was a Christian and a member of the First Baptist Church of Crystal River. She was an Eleanor W. VA. High School Majorette and a person friend of the First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt. She was a girl scout leader in Ocala. She is survived by 2 daughters and their spouses Renee June and Rodger F. McPheeters of Citrus County, FL; Denise Lynn and Stephen B. Forrest Jr. of Ocala, FL; 2 grandchildren Jesse and Thomas McGinnis of New Mexico. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL on Saturday, May 5, 2007 from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. with funeral services at 2 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/3/2007.

1596. DIXON, RUSSELL (RUSTY), (Obituary No. 1596.) 32 Ocala - Russell (Rusty) Dixon, 32, passed away Sunday, April 29, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was born and raised in Riverview, FL. He is survived by his sons, Ryan and Alex; parents, Bobby and Ginger Dixon, Plant City; sister, Diane (Chris) Nosbisch, Ocala. Rusty was the general manager of Beef O' Brady's on SW SR
200 for his sister and brother in law. He will be remembered for his smile, larger than life personality and love for his family. Visitation for family and friends will be held today from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. at SERENITY MEADOW FUNERAL HOME, Riverview, FL. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Friday at Bell Shoals Baptist Church, Brandon, FL. Flowers may be ordered through the Ocala Flower Shop at 1-800-771-1378. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1597. FLEMING JOHN, EDWARD, (Obituary No. 1597.) 81 Ocala- John Edward Fleming, 81, died of pneumonia on Sunday, April 22, 2007 at Kindred Hospital in Ocala, Fl. Jack, as he preferred to be called, had resided in Florida for the past eighteen years, moving to this state from Tip City Ohio. Jack was born in Mason City, Iowa on June 8, 1925, and was the youngest child and the only son of the eight children born to his parents Kathryn(Lonergan) Fleming and Edward Fleming. Jack served honorably in the Navy during the World war II, and worked at Hobart Manufacturing in Troy, Ohio for 32 years. He also served on the Troy City Council. As a devoted father and husband, he will be remembered for his loyal and steadfast nature, his "longergan determination," and his never - ending ability to see the positive in every situation. A third generation Irish American, he possessed a subtle charm and wit that made everyone love him. He is survived by his wife, Dollie Fleming in Ocala; his children, Patrick Fleming of Troy, Ohio, Mary Long of Port St. Lucie, Florida and Sheila Patterson of Huber Heights Ohio; his step children, Scott Long of San Antonio, Texas, and Cathy Lybarger of Degraff, Ohio; his sister, Sister Joan Fleming in Rochester, Minnesota; Grandchildren Laura Long of Boston, Massachusetts, Joshua Long of Port St. Lucie, Florida and Grace Patterson of Huber Heights, Ohio; and several step grandchildren. A Military honors memorial service was held on Friday, April 27 at 2p.m. at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Arrangements are under the direction of Hiers- Baxley Funeral Services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1598. FRANKLIN, WILLIE JAMES, (Obituary No. 1598.) 49 Ocala - Willie James Franklin, 49, Laborer, will be held Friday, May 4, 2007 at 2 p.m. in Cunningham's Chapel of Faith. Mr. Franklin was born in Ocala, FL to the late Willie James Franklin, Sr. and Bernice Hope. Survivors: 2 Brothers, Milton C. Franklin, Orlando, FL and Jerome Franklin, Ocala, FL; 2 Sisters, Bernidene Franklin, Ocala, FL and Karla Franklin, Orlando, FL. Visitation: Thursday, May 3, 2007 from 2 p.m.-7:30 p.m. at the funeral home. Thursday in the chapel until service. No viewing after the eulogy. Service entrusted to Cunningham Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1599. GORDON, LORETTA ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 1599.) (SHAW), 94 Ocala - Loretta Elizabeth (Shaw) Gordon, 94, passed away on Tues., April 24, 2007. Friends will be received on Sun., May 6th from 10 A.M. until service time at 11 AM at the Silver Springs Shores 7th Day Adventist church with Pastor Reynold Maxwell officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala under direction of Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007. 1600. HAMPTON, JAMES W., (Obituary No. 1600.) 62 Ocala - James W. Hampton, age 62, of Ocala passed away on Friday, April 27, 2007. Mr. Hampton was born in Tucson, AZ on June 14, 1944. He was a Supervisor for Wells-Fargo in Atlanta, GA. He served for 8 years in the US Air Force during the Vietnam War. He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. His hobbies included fishing and
reading. He is survived by his wife Jane Hampton of Ocala; stepson Lance Thyberg of Ocala; stepdaughter Linda Sales of Lawrenceville, GA; brother Dr. Robert M. Hampton of Ocala, FL; niece Heather Hampton of Waco, TX and nephew Matthew Hampton of Charleston, SC. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Tuesday, May 8 at 11:00am. A Ceilidh in Celebration of his life/memorial service will be held at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Ocala, FL on Saturday, May 19 at 10:00am. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1601. HILL, AZZIE LEE KING, (Obituary No. 1601.) 37 Ocala - Azzie Lee King Hill was born March 20, 1970 in Ocala, Florida. She passed away April 25, 2007 at Munroe Regional Hospital. Azzie Lee King Hill resided in Ocala, Florida with her husband, Willie James Hill and their four children, CorDarrell, CorDonna, CorDarrion, and CorDericka. Survivors include; her mother Lorene Carter King; mother-in-law Catherine White (Willie), both of Ocala; nine sisters, Delonia Hicks (Michael), Tampa, Mazella Tomlin (Edward), Gwen Nixon (Orange), Jackie Franklin, Albertha King, Daphne Russell (Joseph), all of Ocala, Sylvia Littles (Joe), Tarmarsha Nobles, Anquan Nobles, all of Gainesville, and a host of nieces, nephew, and friends. She was a loving, committed and compassionate wife and mother who inspired and encouraged many. She was a wonderful sister, aunt, and friend. Public Viewing will be held Thursday, May 3, 2007 at 7 p.m. Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 5, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1602. HOFFER, ELEANOR CLARA, (Obituary No. 1602.) 86 Ocklawaha - Eleanor Clara Hoffer, 86, of Ocklawaha, died April 26, 2007, at Sylvia's Hospice House. Mrs. Hoffer was born in St. Joseph County, IN., and moved to this area from Nappanee, IN., in 1986. She was a member of Ocklawaha United Methodist Church and a retired factory assembly worker. Mrs. Hoffer is survived by her daughter, Mary Frances Long, Ocala; brother, John Kessler, Orange Springs, FL; sister, Rosemary Langerak, Wilton Manor, FL; and grandson, Keith Atlee Long, Summerfield. Services will be held at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, at 11:30 a.m., with Friday, May 4, 2007, Rev. June Edwards officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association, 1101 SW 20th Ct., Room 169, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/3/2007.

1603. LESLIE, PAUL JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 1603.) 93 Summerfield - Mr. Leslie, a native of Mattoon, IL., has been a resident of Marion County since 1943, died on Sunday, April 29, 2007. He was a retired land surveyor, and he also worked for The State of Florida and The National Forest Service. He was a member of the U.S. Army serving in WWII. Preceded in death by his wife of 61 years Margaret Opal Pebbles Leslie; daughter Elinor Lois Leslie Gaboardi (David); brother Charles Franklin Leslie. Survivors include 6 children, Robert Frank Leslie (Yvonne), Elena Marie Leslie Pruitt, Michael "Wally" Leslie (Loretta Jean) all of Silver Springs; Robbins Nettles Leslie (Carol) of Summerfield; Timothy Hoyt Leslie (B.J.) of Gainesville; and Dr. Paul J. Leslie, Jr. (Sue) of Bryon, GA; a brother Edmond Eugene Leslie of Waukegan, IL. Services will be held 10 a.m., Thursday, May 3, 2007 at the Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church, Lynne, FL. Visitation will be held Wednesday, May 2, 2007 from 5 - 7 p.m. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., 34470. Burial will be at The Ocklawaha Bridge Cemetery.
1604. NICHOLS, SR., JOHN HILTON, (Obituary No. 1604.) 57 Leesburg - John Hilton Nichols, Sr., 57, son of Cassie Tindal Nichols and the late John Willard Nichols, died Friday, April 27, 2007, of a heart attack. If loved could have saved you, John, you would have lived forever. Mr. Nichols was born in Ocala, Florida, and a life long-resident of Florida. He was a Marine veteran, former employee of the FBI, former design coordinator with Home Depot for 15 years, and was currently a district sales manager for Hunter Douglas. John was an avid horse enthusiast, a coffee connoisseur, enjoyed camping, fishing, singing, telling jokes and enjoyed no place more than being outdoors and riding horses. Survivors include his mother, Cassie Tindal Nichols, his life partner and soul mate, Edward Dale Nelson; son, John H. Nichols, Jr. of Lake Worth; daughter, Lisa Draper of Hot Springs, South Dakota; brothers, J.W., of Panama and Ralph of Bellevue, along with many other family and friends too numerous to name. A memorial service celebrating John's life will be held on Sunday, May 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the home of Dale and John, 32900 Whitney Road, Leesburg, FL. 34748. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY, LEESBURG, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1605. PERKINS, ROLAND "PERK", (Obituary No. 1605.) 59 Ocala - Mr. Roland "Perk" Perkins, age 59, of Ocala, Florida died Tuesday, May 1, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. He was born in Berlin, Germany and moved to Ocala in 1994 from Miami, Florida where he retired in 1989 as a Lieutenant with the Coast Guard after serving 23 and one half years. Following his retirement he worked as Supervisor of Construction with the Port of Miami, was director of Safety and Security with Sea Escape Cruise Lines and worked for the Department of Revenue as a Child Support Enforcement Officer. He was a Mason and a member of the Scottish Rite Consistory. He was a member of the Chief Warrant Officers Association and the Retired Officers Association. He is Episcopalian by Faith, and loved playing golf, fishing, going on cruises, playing cards, and traveling, but most of all he loved spending time with his family. He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Andrea of Ocala, Florida; his (3) sons, David M. of Charlotte, N.C., Steven M. of Lakeland, Florida and Ron M. of Ocala, Florida; his brother, Douglas Perkins of Las Cruces, New Mexico and (6) grandchildren. Funeral Services will be at 12 p.m., Friday, May 4, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala, Florida 34476. Interment with Military Honors will follow in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home on Friday from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1606. PIERCE, HAROLD R., (Obituary No. 1606.) 81 Gainesville - Harold R. Pierce, 81, passed away April 29, 2007 at the Haven Hospice House in Gainesville. He was born in Corry, PA., and moved to Ocala in 1984 from Asheville, NY. He was a Construction Supervisor, a Methodist, and was a US Army veteran of WWII. He is survived by Alice Pierce his wife of 58 years, daughters Concetta (Mike) Casey of High Springs, FL., and Amy (Wayne) Seifert of Florence, SC., brother Robert Pierce and a sister Frances Whaley both of Corry, PA., 5 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son Dennis. Donations may be made to the American Parkinson's Assoc., 195 Parkinson's Ave., Staten Island, NY., 10305. ROBERTS
FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, Ocala, FL., is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/3/2007.

1607. SCHILD, GORDON L., (Obituary No. 1607.) 86 Ocala - Gordon L. Schild, age 86, of Ocala (Oak Run), FL., passed away on Sunday, April 29, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Staten Island, NY on January 29, 1921. Mr. Schild worked for Exxon Corp. and retired after 40 years of service. He was a charter member of the Ocala Southwest Lions Club and was a Life Member of VFW Post #4781 of Ocala. He served in the US Army during WWII and was a combat infantryman. He was a Protestant and a member of TimberRidge Community Church. He is survived by a daughter Linda J. Efstathiou and 3 grandchildren Eric, Paul and Amber. He was preceded in death by his wife Marian L. Schild and a son Gordon L. Schild, II. Funeral service for Mr. Schild will be Monday, May 7, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge. Visitation will be at the funeral home 1 hour prior to the service. Committal service with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell also on Monday at 1:30 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/3/2007.

1608. STACY, JOSHUA "JOSH", (Obituary No. 1608.) 19 Silver Springs - Joshua "Josh" Stacey, 19, of Silver Springs, FL., passed away on April 29, 2007. The family will receive friends at New Harvest Church of God, Silver Springs, FL on Saturday, May 5, 2007, between the hours 10 a.m. and 12 p.m., with services beginning at 12 noon. Interment will follow at Ft. McCoy Cemetery. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/3/2007.


1610. STANLEY, JR., THOMAS R., (Obituary No. 1610.) 60 Silver Springs - Thomas Roland Stanley Jr., 60 passed away on April 30, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. he was a lifetime resident of Silver Springs. He was of Baptist Faith. He was a retired truck driver and served in the U.S. Marine Corp. Mr. Stanley was an avid outdoorsman, enjoyed hunting and boating. He was dedicated to his family and friends. He is survived by his wife Aquilla Stanley; sons, Michael (wife Pattie) Stanley, Tommy Stanley, Kenneth (wife Nina) Stanley; 8 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild; sister Wanda (Marty) Penuel, Ocala; 2 devoted nieces, Stephanie Dunn and Marsha Walton; 5 stepchildren and 10 step-grandchildren; step-father, Robert Ezell, Silver Springs. He also had, he was preceded in death by his mother Patsy Ruth Ezell. A Funeral service will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Fred Danuhauer officiating. Family will be receiving friends from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. A visitation will be held on Friday evening at Hiers Funeral Home from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. In lieu of flowers, Memorial contributions to American Diabetes Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/4/2007.

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1611. ARCHER, MONICA, (Obituary No. 1611.) 69 Ocala - Monica Archer, 69, nurse, will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the Central Baptist Church with Pastor Andy Bloom, Pastor conducting the service. Ms. Archer was born November 28, 1937 in St. Thomas Jamaica, West Indies to Arthur Jarrett and Margaret Graham. She attended school in Jamaica. Survivors include husband, Byron Corbin, Ocala, FL.; 6 brothers, Lloyd Furgerson, London, Eng., George Butler, Queen, NY., Everton Butler, NY., Dennis Grant, Ft. Myers, FL., Henry Butler, London Eng., and Charles Butler, Jamaica. Interment will be at Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitations will be Friday, May 4, 2007 from 9 a.m. - 6 p.m., Wake 7 p.m. in Cunningham's Chapel, Saturday at the Church from 10 a.m. until service hour. No Viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1612. BETHUNE, ARNOLD, (Obituary No. 1612.) 96 Flemington - Arnold Bethune, 96, of Flemington, passed away Friday, April 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mr. Bethune was born to the late James Bethune and Annie Rowe in Archer, Florida. He retired from Ford Motor Company in Detroit, Michigan in 1965 and returned back home in that same year and has resided in Flemington since. He was a member of Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Flemington, Florida. He is survived by 8 children, Janie Bethune, Miami, Florida, Jean Bethune, Largo, Florida, Barnell Evans, Ike Evans, Leah Riggien Broomfield, Rosa Evans, all of Clearwater, Florida, Leo Bethune, Detroit, and Ruberdia Grant, Kansas; one daughter who proceeded him in death Thelma Bethune; 23 grandchildren; a host of great grandchildren; three sisters, Curleane Lazier, Brendon Florida, Rohtha Johnson, Clearwater, Florida, and Altmese Tucker of Flemington, Florida; two brothers: Simmie Lee Gordon, Flemington, Florida and Arionza Gordon, Reddick, Florida. Services for Mr. Bethune will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Flemington, Florida at 11 a.m. with Rev. Micheal L. Maeweathers officiating and Rev. Izell James, Sr., delivering the Message. Burial will follow immediately in the Greater New Bethel Cemetery, Flemington, Florida. Services are under the direction of CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, FL (352) 493-1857. Visitation hours will be held on Friday at Greater New Bethel in Flemington from 6 - 8 p.m. and one hour prior to services. “There will be no viewing after the message”. The family is asked to assemble at the home of Mrs. Janie Bethune (17440 Hwy. 329 Flemington, Florida) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the cortege. Please have all floral arrangement delivered to the funeral home on Friday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. or the church on Friday from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1613. DIXON, RUSSELL (RUSTY), (Obituary No. 1613.) 32 Ocala - Russell (Rusty) Dixon, 32, passed away Sunday, April 29, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was born and raised in Riverview, FL. He is survived by his sons, Ryan and Alex; parents, Bobby and Ginger Dixon, Plant City; sister, Diane (Chris) Nosbisch, Ocala. Rusty was the general manager of Beef O' Brady's on SW SR 200 for his sister and brother in law. He will be remembered for his smile, larger than life personality and love for his family. Visitation for family and friends will be held today from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. at SERENITY MEADOW FUNERAL HOME, Riverview, FL. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Friday at Bell Shoals Baptist Church, Brandon, FL. Flowers may be ordered

1614. DOAN, BRENDA K. (BUNNY), (Obituary No. 1614.) 36 Ocala - Brenda K. (Bunny) Doan beloved Daughter, sister and Aunt. passed away on Wednesday, May 2, 2007. She was born in South Bend, Indiana. Moved to Ocala from Constantine, Michigan in 1984. She is survived by her Mother, Rose M. Doan of Ocala; a Sister, Barbara Pape of Bybee, Tennessee; a Brother, Donald Doan of Ocala; and her companion, Richard Dollman of Ocala; several nieces and nephews. she was preceded in death by her father, Michael R. Doan and her brother Michael T. Dean. Information is provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1615. ERTEL, SUSIE, (Obituary No. 1615.) 55 Summerfield - Susie Ertel, 55, of Summerfield, died Thursday, May 3, 2007. Mrs. Ertel was a Payroll Clerk for Tucker Equipment. She was born in Portland, Indiana he moved to Summerfield, FL from Portland, IN in 1982. She was a Baptist and belonged to the White Shrine, Redkey, IN. She is survived by her husband, Terry R. Ertel of Summerfield, FL; father, Charles R. French of Summerfield, FL; brother, Alan French of Portland, IN; sister, Michele Siocum of Ridgeville, IN; several nieces. She is predeceased by her daughter Stephanie Renee Ertel. Viewing will be Sunday, May 6, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at BEYERS FUNERAL HOME, Lady Lake, FL. Interment will be in Portland, IN. For those who wish memorial donations may be made to American Stroke Foundation, 5960 Dearborn, Mission, KS 66202. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1616. FLEMING JOHN, EDWARD, (Obituary No. 1616.) 81 Ocala- John Edward Fleming, 81, died of pneumonia on Sunday, April 22, 2007 at Kindred Hospital in Ocala, Fl. Jack, as he preferred to be called, had resided in Florida for the past eighteen years, moving to this state from Tip City Ohio. Jack was born in Mason City, Iowa on June 8, 1925, and was the youngest child and the only son of the eight children born to his parents Kathryn(Lonergan) Fleming and Edward Fleming. Jack served honorably in the Navy during the World war II, and worked at Hobart Manufacturing in Troy, Ohio for 32 years. He also served on the Troy City Council. As a devoted father and husband, he will be remembered for his loyal and steadfast nature, his "longergan determination," and his never-ending ability to see the positive in every situation. A third generation Irish American, he possessed a subtle charm and wit that made everyone love him. He is survived by his wife, Dollie Fleming in Ocala; his children, Patrick Fleming of Troy, Ohio, Mary Long of Port St. Lucie, Florida and Sheila Patterson of Huber Heights Ohio; his step children, Scott Long of San Antonio, Texas, and Cathy Lybarger of Degraff, Ohio; his sister, Sister Joan Fleming in Rochester, Minnesota; Grandchildren Laura Long of Boston, Massachusetts, Joshua Long of Port St. Lucie, Florida and Grace Patterson of Huber Heights, Ohio; and several step grandchildren. A Military honors memorial service was held on Friday, April 27 at 2p.m. at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Arrangements are under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1617. FRANKLIN, WILLIE JAMES, (Obituary No. 1617.) 49 Ocala - Willie James Franklin, 49, Laborer, will be held Friday, May 4, 2007 at 2 p.m. in Cunningham's Chapel of Faith. Mr. Franklin was born in Ocala, FL to the late Willie James Franklin, Sr. and Bernice Hope.


1619. HAMPTON, JAMES W., (Obituary No. 1619.) 62 Ocala - James W. Hampton, age 62, of Ocala passed away on Friday, April 27, 2007. Mr. Hampton was born in Tucson, AZ on June 14, 1944. He was a Supervisor for Wells-Fargo in Atlanta, GA. He served for 8 years in the US Air Force during the Vietnam War. He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. His hobbies included fishing and reading. He is survived by his wife Jane Hampton of Ocala; stepson Lance Thyberg of Ocala; stepdaughter Linda Sales of Lawrenceville, GA; brother Dr. Robert M. Hampton of Ocala, FL; niece Heather Hampton of Waco, TX and nephew Matthew Hampton of Charleston, SC. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Tuesday, May 8 at 11:00am. A Ceilidh in Celebration of his life/memorial service will be held at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Ocala, FL on Saturday, May 19 at 10:00am. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1620. HILL, AZZIE LEE KING, (Obituary No. 1620.) 37 Ocala - Azzie Lee King Hill was born March 20, 1970 in Ocala, Florida. She passed away April 25, 2007 at Munroe Regional Hospital. Azzie Lee King Hill resided in Ocala, Florida with her husband, Willie James Hill and their four children, CorDarrell, CorDonna, CorDarrion, and CorDericka. Survivors include; her mother Lorene Carter King; mother-in-law Catherine White (Willie), both of Ocala; nine sisters, Delonia Hicks (Michael), Tampa, Mazella Tomlin (Edward), Gwen Nixon (Orange), Jackie Franklin, Albertha King, Daphne Russell (Joseph), all of Ocala, Sylvia Littles (Joe), Tarmarsha Nobles, Anquan Nobles, all of Gainesville; eight brothers, Raymond King III (Carolyn), Johnnie Nobles, Gregory Nobles, Anthony Nobles (Connie), Carl Nobles all of Gainesville, FL; and a host of nieces, nephew, and friends. She was a loving, committed and compassionate wife and mother who inspired and encouraged many. She was a wonderful sister, aunt, and friend. Public Viewing will be held Thursday, May 3, 2007 at 7 p.m. Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 5, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1621. HODGES, SARAH MARIE SLOAN, (Obituary No. 1621.) 59 Ocala - Sarah Marie Sloan Hodges, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on May 1, 2007. Sarah had survived many difficult health issues throughout her entire life, including three kidney transplants and heart valve replacement surgery. Even with all her health difficulties she never waivered from her dedication
to her husband and family. Sarah was an extraordinarily loving person that always thought of others before herself. Sarah personified goodness and kindness. Each of us who knew and loved her, and many complete strangers benefited from her endless generosity. We are all mindful of her gentleness and tireless efforts to make others happy, we are all blessed to have shared in her life, and will carry her in our hearts forever. Sarah was born in Mouthcard, Kentucky, August 23, 1947 to the late Curtis Sloan and Irene Mosley Sloan of Ocala. Sarah grew up in Ocala, and after attending Central Florida Community College, worked for the Marion County School Board. After her marriage to her loving husband, French in 1970, she moved to Tucson, Arizona for 9 years. Sarah and French returned to Ocala in 1979, and established "Sun Valley Mobile Homes" on Pine Street, which they operated together for the last 28 years. Sarah was hard working and appreciated, and gave extra consideration to many of her customers, who in return became her good friends. Sarah is survived by her husband of 37 years, French E. Hodges, of Ocala, her mother, Irene Sloan of Ocala; three sisters, Ginger Brown of Leesburg, FL, Gail Laffey of Orlando, FL and Patricia Potter of Marshville, NC; two brothers, Gary Sloan of Cottonwood, CA and Clinton Sloan of Ocala and by her many nieces and nephews, Gabe, Sarah Marie, Rose, Will, Hannah, Elizabeth, Jordan, Tracy, Nathan and Jeannine. Sarah was preceded in death by her late Father, Curtis Sloan, of Ocala, and her sister, Dot Sloan, of Gainesville, Fl. Funeral services for Sarah Marie Hodges will be held Saturday, May 5, 2007, 11:00 a.m., at the First United Methodist Church, 1126 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala 622-4141). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1622. JONES, EDWARD, (Obituary No. 1622.) 83 Ocala - Edward Jones, 83, heavy duty mechanic, died at Sylvia's House on May 3, 2007. Service will be held Saturday May 5, 2007 at 3:30 p.m. at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. Fred Maeweather, Pastor conducting the service. Mr. Jones was born August 13, 1923, in Winter Haven, FL to the late Rev. George & Rose Jones. Survivors: 2 sisters, Margaret Epps, High Springs, FL and Lillian W. Robinson, Ocala, FL. Interment: Shady Grove Memorial Garden under direction of "Your friends who care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation Friday, May 4, 2007 from 1 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home Saturday at the church from 2:30 p.m. until service hour. Family and friends are ask to meet at the church at 3:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1623. MCPHERSON, JANE (MAE DAMM), (Obituary No. 1623.) 90 St. Peters burg- Jane Mae Damm McPherson, 90, of St. Petersburg, FL, passed away May 1st Born in Muskegon, MI, she was a resident of St. Petersburg since 1943. She was a homemaker, a member of the crystal Cathedral, St. Petersburg Yacht Club and the Pasadena Womens' Club. She is survived by her sons, Hugh M. McPherson (Barbara) of Ocala, FL and Frank C. McPherson Jr. of Senatobia, MS; bother, Peter C Damm of Montague, MI; nieces, Judith B. McAllister, Janis E. Evert and Jane E. Boyden; nephew, James P. Damm; 5 step grandchildren, 14 step great grand children and 7 step great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank C. McPherson; brother, Delbert C. Damm; sister, Dorothy E. Boyden; and nephews, John P. Damm and Joel M. Boyden. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Sunday (May 6th) from 1-3PM. The Funeral Service will follow at 3 PM at the Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers the family requests that
memorial contributions be made to either Goodwill Industries of St. Petersburg, FL or the Baddour Memorial Center. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1624. NICHOLS, SR., JOHN HILTON, (Obituary No. 1624.) 57 Leesburg - John Hilton Nichols, Sr., 57, son of Cassie Tindal Nichols and the late John Willard Nichols, died Friday, April 27, 2007, of a heart attack. If loved could have saved you, John, you would have lived forever. Mr. Nichols was born in Ocala, Florida, and a life long-resident of Florida. He was a Marine veteran, former employee of the FBI, former design coordinator with Home Depot for 15 years, and was currently a district sales manager for Hunter Douglas. John was an avid horse enthusiast, a coffee connoisseur, enjoyed camping, fishing, singing, telling jokes and enjoyed no place more than being outdoors and riding horses. Survivors include his mother, Cassie Tindal Nichols, his life partner and soul mate, Edward Dale Nelson; son, John H. Nichols, Jr. of Lake Worth; daughter, Lisa Draper of Hot Springs, South Dakota; brothers, J.W., of Panama and Ralph of Belleview, along with many other family and friends too numerous to name. A memorial service celebrating John's life will be held on Sunday, May 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the home of Dale and John, 32900 Whitney Road, Leesburg, FL. 34748. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY, LEESBURG, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1625. PALMERI, LOUISE L., (Obituary No. 1625.) 84 Ocala - Louise L. Palmeri, 84, passed away Wednesday, May 2, 2007 at her residence. Louise came here from Long Island, New York in 1974. Ms. Palmeri was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. She was a Dressmaker. She is survived by daughters Rose Ann Palmeri, Ocala and Michele Randles and son-in-law David, Ocala; 3 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Preceded in death by husband Joseph I. Palmeri and daughter Concetta Hill. Funeral services will be 10 a.m., Saturday, May 5, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. William D. Terrell officiating. Visitation will be Friday 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Entombment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Memorial contributions can be made to American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1626. PERKINS, ROLAND "PERK", (Obituary No. 1626.) 59 Ocala - Mr. Roland "Perk" Perkins, age 59, of Ocala, Florida died Tuesday, May 1, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. He was born in Berlin, Germany and moved to Ocala in 1994 from Miami, Florida where he retired in 1989 as a Lieutenant with the Coast Guard after serving 23 and one half years. Following his retirement he worked as Supervisor of Construction with the Port of Miami, was director of Safety and Security with Sea Escape Cruise Lines and worked for the Department of Revenue as a Child Support Enforcement Officer. He was a Mason and a member of the Scottish Rite Consistory. He was a member of the Chief Warrant Officers Association and the Retired Officers Association. He is Episcopalian by Faith, and loved playing golf, fishing, going on cruises, playing cards, and traveling, but most of all he loved spending time with his family. He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Andrea of Ocala, Florida; his (3) sons, David M. of Charlotte, N.C., Steven M. of Lakeland, Florida and Ron M. of Ocala, Florida; his brother, Douglas Perkins of Las Cruces, New Mexico and (6) grandchildren. Funeral Services will be at 12 p.m., Friday, May 4, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala, Florida 34476. Interment with Military Honors will follow in Florida National
Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home on Friday from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1627. SMITH, FLORENCE CLARA, (Obituary No. 1627.) 87 Gainesville - Florence Clara Smith, 87, died peacefully in her sleep in E. T. York Hospice Care Center, Gainesville, FL on May 1, 2007. She was a courageous, remarkable woman who inspired many who knew her. She will not soon be forgotten. Florence was born to Clara Spitteler Petzold and Alfred Petzold on May 13, 1918 in Paterson, NJ., where she spent her early years. Her career was a banking supervisor in NJ where she live in Pequannock. In July 1995 she moved to Marion Landing, Ocala where she truly enjoyed her neighbors and the horses nearby. Her survivors include cousins, including Edwin Kartz, Gordon Kartz, Melanie (Bob) Cummins, Dolores (Paul) Nugent among others, and her friends and caregivers for the last 7 1/2 years, the Ryerson Family - Gene, Beverly, Kris, Anders, Britt and Kjell. Florence lived in Alterra Sterling House for the last six years, appreciating her friends there. A memorial service will be held at Alterra Sterling House, 4607 NW 53rd Ave., Gainesville, FL at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 5, 2007. Burial will be in Patterson, NJ at a later date. Expressions of sympathy may be mad to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL. 32606. MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 S. Main Street, Gainesville, FL., (352) 376-5361 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/5/2007.


1629. STANLEY, JR., THOMAS R., (Obituary No. 1629.) 60 Silver Springs - Thomas Roland Stanley Jr., 60 passed away on April 30, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. he was a lifetime resident of Silver Springs. He was of Baptist Faith. He was a retired truck driver and served in the U.S. Marine Corp. Mr. Stanley was an avid outdoorsman, enjoyed hunting and boating. He was dedicated to his family and friends. He is survived by his wife Aquilla Stanley; sons, Michael (wife Pattie) Stanley, Tommy Stanley, Kenneth (wife Nina) Stanley; 8 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild; sister Wanda (Marty) Penuel, Ocala; 2 devoted nieces, Stephanie Dunn and Marsha Walton; 5 stepchildren and 10 step-grandchildren; step-father, Robert Ezell, Silver Springs. He also had, he was preceded in death by his mother Patsy Ruth Ezell. A Funeral service will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Fred Danuhauer officiating. Family will be receiving friends from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. A visitation will be held on Friday evening at Hiers Funeral Home from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. In lieu of flowers, Memorial contributions to American Diabetes Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/2/2007 - 5/4/2007.

1630. VANTURE, NANCY J., (Obituary No. 1630.) 80 Tallahassee - Nancy was born in Jacksonville on December 26, 1926. She graduated from Andrew Jackson High School and then Florida State University in 1949. She worked for the Red Cross before serving as an officer in the US Air Force from 1950 to 1953. She married Homer S. Vanture in 1953, at which point she
became a homemaker. Her husband became an Episcopal priest in 1961, and they spent the next 35 years actively engaged in spreading the word of God. In addition to leading churches in Monticello, FL, Madison, FL, Valparaiso, FL, Honolulu, HI, and Dunnellon, FL they lead Marriage Encounter weekends, Cursillo retreats, and served in the Order of St. Luke. Following her husband's death in 1986, she remained active in the church as a member of the Catechism Committee of the Episcopal Diocese of Central Florida (Pre-Apostasy) and Bible Study Fellowship. Before moving to Tallahassee, she lived in Dunnellon, FL, where she was a member of Holy Faith Episcopal Church and a founding member of the Episcopal Church of the Advent. She was a devoted follower of Jesus Christ throughout her life. She is survived by five children: Susan J. Jeanguenat (Robert A.) of Orlando; Nancie A. Vanture of Dunnellon, FL; Charles E. Vanture (Jaye) of Tallahassee, FL; George C. Vanture (Donita) of Tucson, AZ; and Homer S. Vanture, Jr. (Holly) of Orlando; and nine grandchildren. The family celebrates her passing into eternity with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and welcomes your prayers of thanksgiving and praise for the glorious life of their mother. She was preceded in death in 1986 by her husband, Rev. Homer S. Vanture, Sr. A Funeral Service will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at the Cathedral Church of St. Luke in Orlando, FL. Arrangements by BEVIS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Saturday, May 5, 2007

1631. BALKO, LISA WADE, (Obituary No. 1631.) 49 Middleburg, FL - Lisa Wade Balko, 49, of Middleburg, Florida went to heaven on April 22, 2007 after a long illness. She was of the Baptist faith. She is survived by her loving husband, John Paul Balko; her mother, Kitty Erwin of Ocala, FL and her stepfather, Oscar Erwin of Ocala, FL; daughters Kristy Bright and Jessica Atkins of Jacksonville, FL; son Beau Bright of Ridgecrest, California; stepsons Mike Balko and wife, April of Middleburg, FL., and stepdaughters Tracie Nolan and husband, Brad of Jacksonville, FL., and Kim Archer and husband, Robbie of MacClenny, FL; two sisters, Debbie James and husband Steve of Citra, FL., and Cara Marple and husband, Tom of Mullica Hills, NJ and two brothers, Brian Wade of California and Roger Wade and wife, Jackie of Jacksonville, FL.; 11 grandchildren and many relatives and friends. Lisa is preceded in death by her father, Robert Wade. There will be a Memorial Service on May 19, 2007 at 2:00 P.M. at the VFW Hall, 2296 Aster Ave., Middleburg, Florida 32068. Information provided by JACKSONVILLE MEMORY GARDENS FUNERAL HOME, 111 Blanding Blvd., Orange Park, FL. 32073. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/6/2007.

1632. DOAN, BRENDA K. (BUNNY) (Obituary No. 1632.), 36 Ocala - Brenda K. (Bunny) Doan beloved Daughter, sister and Aunt. passed away on Wednesday, May 2, 2007. She was born in South Bend, Indiana. Moved to Ocala from Constantine, Michigan in 1984. She is survived by her Mother, Rose M. Doan of Ocala; a Sister, Barbara Pape of Bybee, Tennessee; a Brother, Donald Doan of Ocala; and her companion, Richard Dollman of Ocala; several nieces and nephews. she was preceded in death by her father, Michael R. Doan and her brother Michael T. Dean. Information is provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.
1633. ERTEL, SUSIE (Obituary No. 1633.), 55 Summerfield - Susie Ertel, 55, of Summerfield, died Thursday, May 3, 2007. Mrs. Ertel was a Payroll Clerk for Tucker Equipment. She was born in Portland, Indiana he moved to Summerfield, FL from Portland, IN in 1982. She was a Baptist and belonged to the White Shrine, Redkey, IN. She is survived by her husband, Terry R. Ertel of Summerfield, FL; father, Charles R. French of Summerfield, FL; brother, Alan French of Portland, IN; sister, Michele Siocum of Ridgeville, IN; several nieces. She is predeceased by her daughter Stephanie Renee Ertel. Viewing will be Sunday, May 6, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at BEYERS FUNERAL HOME, Lady Lake, FL. Interment will be in Portland, IN. For those who wish memorial donations may be made to American Stroke Foundation, 5960 Dearborn, Mission, KS 66202. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1634. HAYDEN, JOSEPH M. (Obituary No. 1634.), 49 Ocklawaha - Joseph M. Hayden, 49, passed away Wednesday May 2, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Hayden moved to Ocklawaha from Columbus, Ohio in 1993. He worked as a service technician for Culligan Water. He enjoyed fishing, dirt biking and his family. He liked to listen to Rock-N-Roll music. He is survived by wife Peggy D. Hayden, Ocklawaha; step-son Dale Gibbs, New Paris, OH; daughter Jamie Pugh, Richmond, IN; brothers Kirk Hayden of Scrambletown, Victor Hayden of Ocala; father Hugh Hayden of Ocala; and 4 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by mother Dorothy Hayden, brother Kent Hayden. Visitation will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 S E Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala Sunday May 6, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. All memorial contributions may be made to hospice of Marion County. Post Office Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/7/2007.

1635. HILL, AZZIE LEE KING (Obituary No. 1635.), 37 Ocala - Azzie Lee King Hill was born March 20, 1970 in Ocala, Florida. She passed away April 25, 2007 at Munroe Regional Hospital. Azzie Lee King Hill resided in Ocala, Florida with her husband, Willie James Hill and their four children, CorDarrell, CorDonna, CorDarrion, and CorDericka. Survivors include; her mother Lorene Carter King; mother-in-law Catherine White (Willie), both of Ocala; nine sisters, Delonia Hicks (Michael), Tampa, Mazella Tomlin (Edward), Gwen Nixon (Orange), Jackie Franklin, Albertha King, Daphne Russell (Joseph), all of Ocala, Sylvia Littles (Joe), Tarmarsha Nobles, Anquan Nobles, all of Gainesville; eight brothers, Raymond King III (Carolyn), John Nobles (Valerie), Carey Majors III, McDaniel Woods Jr. (Donika) all of Ocala, Brian R. King (Crystal), California, Johnnie Nobles, Gregory Nobles, Anthony Nobles (Connie), Carl Nobles all of Gainesville, FL; and a host of nieces, nephew, and friends. She was a loving, committed and compassionate wife and mother who inspired and encouraged many. She was a wonderful sister, aunt, and friend. Public Viewing will be held Thursday, May 3, 2007 at 7 p.m. Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 5, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/6/2007.

1636. HODGES, SARAH MARIE SLOAN (Obituary No. 1636.), 59 Ocala Sarah Marie Sloan Hodges, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on May 1, 2007. Sarah had survived many difficult health issues throughout her entire life, including three kidney transplants and heart valve replacement surgery. Even with all her health difficulties she never waivered from her dedication to her husband and family. Sarah was an extraordinarily loving person that always thought of others before herself. Sarah personified goodness and kindness. Each of us who knew and loved
her, and many complete strangers benefited from her endless generosity. We are all mindful of her gentleness and tireless efforts to make others happy, we are all blessed to have shared in her life, and will carry her in our hearts forever. Sarah was born in Mouthcard, Kentucky, August 23, 1947 to the late Curtis Sloan and Irene Mosley Sloan of Ocala. Sarah grew up in Ocala, and after attending Central Florida Community College, worked for the Marion County School Board. After her marriage to her loving husband, French in 1970, she moved to Tucson, Arizona for 9 years. Sarah and French returned to Ocala in 1979, and established "Sun Valley Mobile Homes" on Pine Street, which they operated together for the last 28 years. Sarah was hard working and appreciated, and gave extra consideration to many of her customers, who in return became her good friends. Sarah is survived by her husband of 37 years, French E. Hodges, of Ocala, her mother, Irene Sloan of Ocala; three sisters, Ginger Brown of Leesburg, FL, Gail Laffey of Orlando, FL, and Patricia Potter of Marshville, NC; two brothers, Gary Sloan of Cottonwood, CA and Clinton Sloan of Ocala and by her many nieces and nephews, Gabe, Sarah Marie, Rose, Will, Hannah, Elizabeth, Jordan, Tracy, Nathan and Jeannine. Sarah was preceded in death by her late Father, Curtis Sloan, of Ocala, and her sister, Dot Sloan, of Gainesville, FL. Funeral services for Sarah Marie Hodges will be held Saturday, May 5, 2007, 11:00 a.m., at the First United Methodist Church, 1126 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala 622-4141).


1637. JONES, EDWARD (Obituary No. 1637.), 83 Ocala - Edward Jones, 83, heavy duty mechanic, died at Sylvia's House on May 3, 2007. Service will be held Saturday May 5, 2007 at 3:30 p.m. at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. Fred Maeweather, Pastor conducting the service. Mr. Jones was born August 13, 1923, in Winter Haven, FL to the late Rev. George & Rose Jones. Survivors: 2 sisters, Margaret Epps, High Springs, FL and Lillian W. Robinson, Ocala, FL. Interment: Shady Grove Memorial Garden under direction of "Your friends who care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation Friday, May 4, 2007 from 1 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home Saturday at the church from 2:30 p.m. until service hour. Family and friends are ask to meet at the church at 3:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1638. KING, JASMINE MARY(Obituary No. 1638.), 85 Ocala - The Lord joined hands with Jasmine Mary King, 85, on May 3rd, 2007 for a walk in the Garden of Eden where they were joined by Owen S. King (husband), Carl Miragliotta (husband) and Bruce King (son). Jasmine is survived by her husband, Eugene Diamond; son, Robert King, SC (Ronette); daughter, Michelle King, SC; sister, Gert Emrick, IL; brother, Robert Sesso, SD; two grandsons, Jason King (Donetta Michelle) and Kevin King (Gina), and 3 great grandchildren, Grayson, Jalen and Carli. Jay retired in 1984 from IL AT&T Telephone Company after 31 years service as Manager of an Information Service Office. An avid golfer and water aerobics participant, she is best remembered as "To know her was to love her." She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. A memorial service will be held at Blessed Trinity Church on Monday, May 7th at 10 a.m. Burial will be in Libertyville, IL, at the family cemetery. If desired, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/6/2007.
1639. MCPHERSON, JANE (MAE DAMM) (Obituary No. 1639.), 90 St. Petersburg-Jane Mae Damm McPherson, 90, of St. Petersburg, FL, passed away May 1st Born in Muskegon, MI, she was a resident of St. Petersburg since 1943. She was a homemaker, a member of the Crystal Cathedral, St. Petersburg Yacht Club and the Pasadena Womans’ Club. She is survived by her sons, Hugh M. McPherson (Barbara) of Ocala, FL and Frank C. McPherson Jr. of Senatobia, MS; brother, Peter C Damm of Montague, MI; nieces, Judith B. McAllister, Janis E. Evert and Jane E. Boyden; nephew, James P. Damm; 5 step grandchildren, 14 step great children and 7 step great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank C. McPherson; brother, Delbert C. Damm; sister, Dorothy E. Boyden; and nephews, John P. Damm and Joel M. Boyden. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Sunday (May 6th) from 1-3PM. The Funeral Service will follow at 3 PM at the Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to either Goodwill Industries of St. Petersburg, FL or the Baddour Memorial Center. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1640. PALMERI, LOUISE L.(Obituary No. 1640.), 84 Ocala - Louise L. Palmeri, 84, passed away Wednesday, May 2, 2007 at her residence. Louise came here from Long Island, New York in 1974. Ms. Palmeri was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. She was a Dressmaker. She is survived by daughters Rose Ann Palmeri, Ocala and Michele Randles and son-in-law David, Ocala; 3 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Preceded in death by husband Joseph I. Palmeri and daughter Concetta Hill. Funeral services will be 10 a.m., Saturday, May 5, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. William D. Terrell officiating. Visitation will be Friday 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Entombment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Memorial contributions can be made to American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/5/2007.

1641. RICHARD, LAURIE JAMES (Obituary No. 1641.), 48 Dunnellon - Laurie James Richard, 48, of Dunnellon, FL. died May 2nd, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Lynn, MA, He relocated to Dunnellon from Jupiter, FL in 1993. He was the Assistant Manager of the Sunglass Hut in Ocala. He is survived by his mother, Lou Richard, Dunnellon, brother Robert LeGault, Casselberry, FL and nieces, nephews and grandnephews. Visitation will be at FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon Chapel May 5, 2007 from 1:00p.m. - 2:30p.m. with funeral services at 2:30p.m. Arrangements by Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/6/2007.

1642. SMITH, FLORENCE CLARA (Obituary No. 1642.), 87 Gainesville - Florence Clara Smith, 87, died peacefully in her sleep in E. T. York Hospice Care Center, Gainesville, FL on May 1, 2007. She was a courageous, remarkable woman who inspired many who knew her. She will not soon be forgotten. Florence was born to Clara Spitteler Petzold and Alfred Petzold on May 13, 1918 in Paterson, NJ., where she spent her early years. Her career was a banking supervisor in NJ where she lived in Pequannock. In July 1995 she moved to Marion Landing, Ocala where she truly enjoyed her neighbors and the horses nearby. Her survivors include cousins, including Edwin Kartz, Gordon Kartz, Melanie (Bob) Cummins, Dolores (Paul) Nugent among others, and her friends and caregivers for the last 71/2 years, the Ryerson Family - Gene, Beverly, Krister, Anders, Britt and Kjell. Florence lived in Alterra Sterling House for the last six years, appreciating her friends there. A memorial service will be held at Alterra Sterling House,

1643. THRASH, II, MICHAEL L. (Obituary No. 1643.), 12 Ocala - Michael L. Thrash, II, 12, passed away May 2, 2007 at Shands at Alachua General Hospital in Gainesville, FL. He was born in Ravenna, Ohio and moved to Ocala in 2006 from Lakeland, FL. He enjoyed skateboarding, drawing and designing sports cars. He is survived by his parents Jack R. and Pamela Wyatt of Ocala, brothers Chaz Kortz of Sebring, FL, Damon Thrash of Akron, OH, sisters Amanda McMullen of Ravenna, OH, Brittany Wyatt of Kent, OH, maternal grandmother Carolyn "'Dabadee'" Wyatt of Mogodore, OH, maternal grandfather Carl Hamilton and great grandmother Doris Hamilton both of Norton, VA, aunt Ginny Giannette of Ocala, uncles Greg Hamilton of Ravenna, OH, and Jeff Hamilton of Mogodore, OH, and several other aunts, uncles and cousins. There will be a gathering for family and friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Monday, May 7, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/6/2007.

1644. VANTURE, NANCY J. (Obituary No. 1644.), 80 Tallahassee - Nancy was born in Jacksonville on December 26, 1926. She graduated from Andrew Jackson High School and then Florida State University in 1949. She worked for the Red Cross before serving as an officer in the US Air Force from 1950 to 1953. She married Homer S. Vanture in 1953, at which point she became a homemaker. Her husband became an Episcopal priest in 1961, and they spent the next 35 years actively engaged in spreading the word of God. In addition to leading churches in Monticello, FL, Madison, FL, Valparaiso, FL, Honolulu, HI, and Dunnellon, FL they lead Marriage Encounter weekends, Cursillo retreats, and served in the Order of St. Luke. Following her husband's death in 1986, she remained active in the church as a member of the Catechism Committee of the Episcopal Diocese of Central Florida (Pre-Apostasy) and Bible Study Fellowship. Before moving to Tallahassee, she lived in Dunnellon, FL, where she was a member of Holy Faith Episcopal Church and a founding member of the Episcopal Church of the Advent. She was a devoted follower of Jesus Christ throughout her life. She is survived by five children: Susan J. Jeanguenat (Robert A.) of Orlando; Nancie A. Vanture of Dunnellon, FL; Charles E. Vanture (Jaye) of Tallahassee, FL; George C. Vanture (Donita) of Tucson, AZ; and Homer S. Vanture, Jr. (Holly) of Orlando; and nine grandchildren. The family celebrates her passing into eternity with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and welcomes your prayers of thanksgiving and praise for the glorious life of their mother. She was preceded in death in 1986 by her husband, Rev. Homer S. Vanture, Sr. A Funeral Service will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 5, 2007 at the Cathedral Church of St. Luke in Orlando, FL. Arrangements by BEVIS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/6/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star-Banner, Sunday, May 6, 2007

1645. BALKO, LISA WADE (Obituary No. 1645.), 49 Middleburg, FL - Lisa Wade Balko, 49, of Middleburg, Florida went to heaven on April 22, 2007 after a long illness. She was of the Baptist faith. She is survived by her loving husband, John Paul Balko; her mother, Kitty Erwin of
Ocala, FL and her stepfather, Oscar Erwin of Ocala, FL; daughters Kristy Bright and Jessica Atkins of Jacksonville, FL; son Beau Bright of Ridgecrest, California; stepsons Mike Balko and wife, Bernie of Jacksonville, FL., and Chris Balko and wife, April of Middleburg, FL., and stepdaughters Tracie Nolan and husband, Brad of Jacksonville, FL., and Kim Archer and husband, Robbie of MacClenny, FL; two sisters, Debbie James and husband Steve of Citra, FL., and Cara Marple and husband, Tom of Mullica Hills, NJ and two brothers, Brian Wade of California and Roger Wade and wife, Jackie of Jacksonville, FL.; 11 grandchildren and many relatives and friends. Lisa is preceded in death by her father, Robert Wade. There will be a Memorial Service on May 19, 2007 at 2:00 P.M. at the VFW Hall, 2296 Aster Ave., Middleburg, Florida 32068. Information provided by JACKSONVILLE MEMORY GARDENS FUNERAL HOME, 111 Blanding Blvd., Orange Park, FL. 32073. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/6/2007.

1646. CUBBEDGE, CHRISTIAN SHANE (Obituary No. 1646.), 35 Belleview - Christian Shane Cubbedge, 35, of Belleview, died May 2, 2007. He was born in St. Augustine and was a service technician for Embarq. Mr. Cubbedge was a member of Meadowbrook Church, Ocala. He enjoyed hunting, camping, the outdoors, and going to the beach. Survivors include his wife, Lori S. Cubbedge, Belleview; daughters, Megan and Kristen, Belleview; son, Ryan, Belleview; mother, Shirly (Paul) Buchkovich, Ocala; father, Bruce (Angie) Cubbedge, Hilliard, FL; brothers, Dean, Mercersburg, PA, Adam, Ocala, Graylin, Hilliard, FL; step-brothers, Mike, Rusty and Peter Buchkovich and stepsister, Laurel Buchkovich, all of Ocala; maternal grandfather, William C. Loyd, St. Augustine, FL; paternal grandmother, Jean Cubbedge, Hilliard, FL; many aunts, uncles and cousins. Services will be held at 1 p.m., Wednesday, May 9, 2007, at Meadowbrook Church, Ocala. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/6/2007 - 5/7/2007.

1647. GIST, SR., JOHN "VERDEN" (Obituary No. 1647.), 83 Summerfield - Beloved family man and highly respected friend, Mr. Gist succumbed to a lengthy illness. He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Elsie Marie Gist, and son John V. Gist, Jr. He is survived by wife Jean Gist, grand-daughters Autumn Thomas and Amy Gist of Florida, brother Raymond Gist and sister Joyce Gunter of Tennessee, and numerous other family members in Florida, Tennessee, and Ohio. Mr. Gist enlisted in the Army and served his country during World War II in France, was a member of the First Baptist Church of Summerfield, and highly respected and loved by the family and friends alike. Visitation will be held Monday, April 23, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/6/2007 - 5/7/2007.

1648. HAYDEN, JOSEPH M. (Obituary No. 1648.), 49 Ocklawaha - Joseph M. Hayden, 49, passed away Wednesday May 2, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Hayden moved to Ocklawaha from Columbus, Ohio in 1993. He worked as a service technician for Culligan Water. He enjoyed fishing, dirt biking and his family. He liked to listen to Rock-N-Roll music. He is survived by wife Peggy D. Hayden, Ocklawaha; step-son Dale Gibbs, New Paris, OH; daughter Jamie Pugh, Richmond, IN; brothers Kirk Hayden of Scrambletown, Victor Hayden of Ocala; father Hugh Hayden of Ocala; and 4 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by mother Dorothy Hayden,
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1649. HILL, AZZIE LEE KING (Obituary No. 1649.), 37 Ocala - Azzie Lee King Hill was born March 20, 1970 in Ocala, Florida. She passed away April 25, 2007 at Munroe Regional Hospital. Azzie Lee King Hill resided in Ocala, Florida with her husband, Willie James Hill and their four children, CorDarrell, CorDonna, CorDarrion, and CorDericka. Survivors include; her mother Lorene Carter King; mother-in-law Catherine White (Willie), both of Ocala; nine sisters, Delonia Hicks (Michael), Tampa, Mazella Tomlin (Edward), Gwen Nixon (Orange), Jackie Franklin, Albertha King, Daphne Russell (Joseph), all of Ocala. Sylvia Littles (Joe), Tarmarsha Nobles, Anquan Nobles, all of Gainesville; eight brothers, Raymond King III (Carolyn), John Nobles (Valerie), Carey Majors III, McDaniel Woods Jr. (Donika) all of Ocala, Brian R. King (Crystal), California, Johnnie Nobles, Gregory Nobles, Anthony Nobles (Connie), Carl Nobles all of Gainesville, FL; and a host of nieces, nephew, and friends. She was a loving, committed and compassionate wife and mother who inspired and encouraged many. She was a wonderful sister, aunt, and friend. Public Viewing will be held Thursday, May 3, 2007 at 7 p.m. Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 5, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/3/2007 - 5/6/2007.

1650. KING, JASMINE MARY (Obituary No. 1650.), 85 Ocala - The Lord joined hands with Jasmine Mary King, 85, on May 3rd, 2007 for a walk in the Garden of Eden where they were joined by Owen S. King (husband), Carl Miragliotta (husband) and Bruce King (son). Jasmine is survived by her husband, Eugene Diamond; son, Robert King, SC (Ronette); daughter, Michelle King, SC; sister, Gert Emrick, IL; brother, Robert Sesso, SD; two grandsons, Jason King (Donnet Michelle) and Kevin King (Gina), and 3 great grandchildren, Grayson, Jalen and Carli. Jay retired in 1984 from IL AT&T Telephone Company after 31 years service as Manager of an Information Service Office. An avid golfer and water aerobics participant, she is best remembered as "To know her was to love her." She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. A memorial service will be held at Blessed Trinity Church on Monday, May 7th at 10 a.m. Burial will be in Libertyville, IL, at the family cemetery. If desired, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/6/2007.

1651. RICHARD, LAURIE JAMES (Obituary No. 1651.) 48 Dunnellon - Laurie James Richard, 48, of Dunnellon, FL. died May 2nd, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Lynn, MA, He relocated to Dunnellon from Jupiter, FL in 1993. He was the Assistant Manager of the Sunglass Hut in Ocala. He is survived by his mother, Lou Richard, Dunnellon, brother Robert LeGault, Casselberry, FL and nieces, nephews and grandnephews. Visitation will be at FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon Chapel May 5, 2007 from 1:00p.m. - 2:30p.m. with funeral services at 2:30p.m. Arrangements by Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/6/2007.
1652. ROBERSON, ROSE WARD (Obituary No. 1652.), 88 Ocala - Rose Ward Roberson, 88, passed May 5, 2007 at the Tuscany Hospice House. She was born in Detroit, MI and moved to Ocala in 1925 from there. She was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala. She is survived by her husband, William E. "Bud" Roberson of Ocala; daughters, Martha R. (Doug) Krause and Katherine R. Borden; sons, John F. (Barbara G.) Roberson and Timothy E. (Leslie S.) Roberson, all of Ocala. 9 grandchildren, John & Clint Krause, Kelley Spears, Robyn Roberson, Daniel, Kristyna & Nikki Borden, Trey & Andie Roberson, and 5 great grandchildren, Savannah & Saylor Spears, Trusten, Madison & William Krause. The family will receive friend from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday, May 7th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, May 8th at the funeral home with Dr. Ed Johnson officiating. Private interment services will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donation may be to the First Baptist Church of Ocala or the donors charity of choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/6/2007 - 5/7/2007.

1653. SMITH, FLORENCE CLARA (Obituary No. 1653.), 87 Gainesville - Florence Clara Smith, 87, died peacefully in her sleep in E. T. York Hospice Care Center, Gainesville, FL on May 1, 2007. She was a courageous, remarkable woman who inspired many who knew her. She will not soon be forgotten. Florence was born to Clara Spitteler Petzold and Alfred Petzold on May 13, 1918 in Paterson, NJ., where she spent her early years. Her career was a banking supervisor in NJ where she lived in Pequannock. In July 1995 she moved to Marion Landing, Ocala where she truly enjoyed her neighbors and the horses nearby. Her survivors include cousins, including Edwin Kartz, Gordon Kartz, Melanie (Bob) Cummins, Dolores (Paul) Nugent among others, and her friends and caregivers for the last six years, the Ryerson Family - Gene, Beverly, Krister, Anders, Britt and Kjell. Florence lived in Alterra Sterling House for the last six years, appreciating her friends there. A memorial service will be held at Alterra Sterling House, 4607 NW 53rd Ave., Gainesville, FL at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 5, 2007. Burial will be in Patterson, NJ at a later date. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL. 32606. MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 S. Main Street, Gainesville, FL, 32601, (352) 376-5361. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/4/2007 - 5/6/2007.

1654. SMITH, SR., HOWARD ALLEN "BUDDY" (Obituary No. 1654.), 77 Gainesville - Howard "Buddy" Smith died May 4, 2007 at the VA Nursing Home in Lake City, FL following a lengthy illness. Mr. Smith, a graduate of the University of Florida. He served his country in the US Navy during the Korean War conflict. He retired from Smith's Office Supply, which he owned and operated. He was a past member of North Central Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Miriam Joyce Smith, Gainesville, daughters Connie Ann (Greg) Fales, Citra and Linda Joyce Stroemer, Ocala, son Howard "Allen" (Paula) Smith, Jr., Tallahassee, sister Lillian Rossi, Cataula, GA, brother John Henry Smith, Gainesville, six Grandchildren and three Great Grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held 11 a.m. Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at Forest Meadows Funeral Home Chapel, 725 NW 23rd Ave, Gainesville, FL with a visitation from 10 p.m. till 11 p.m. Graveside Services will follow, with Full Military Honors at 1:30 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers contributions may made to the Alzheimer's Foundation of America. Arrangements are under the care of MORING FUNERAL HOME, MELROSE, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/6/2007 - 5/7/2007.
1655. THRASH, II, MICHAEL L. (Obituary No. 1655.), 12 Ocala - Michael L. Thrash, II, 12, passed away May 2, 2007 at Shands at Alachua General Hospital in Gainesville, FL. He was born in Ravenna, Ohio and moved to Ocala in 2006 from Lakeland, FL. He enjoyed skateboarding, drawing and designing sports cars. He is survived by his parents Jack R. and Pamela Wyatt of Ocala, brothers Chaz Kortz of Sebring, FL, Damon Thrash of Akron, OH, sisters Amanda McMullen of Ravenna, OH, Brittany Wyatt of Kent, OH, maternal grandmother Carolyn "Dabadee" Wyatt of Mogodore, OH, maternal grandfather Carl Hamilton and great grandmother Doris Hamilton both of Norton, VA, aunt Ginny Giannette of Ocala, uncles Greg Hamilton of Ravenna, OH, and Jeff Hamilton of Mogodore, OH, and several other aunts, uncles and cousins. There will be a gathering for family and friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Monday, May 7, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/6/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Monday, May 7, 2007

1656. ALSTON, JESSIE C. (Obituary No. 1656.), 83 Ocala - Jessie C. Alston, 83, of Ocala, passed away May 5th at Hospice's Estelle House. Born in Williston, She was a lifelong resident of the area, a homemaker and a Baptist by faith. She is survived by her son, James K. Collins and daughter, Judith E. Evans both of Ocala; 9 grand 10 great and several great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, S.C. "Dick" Alston and daughter, Frances E. Reza. A graveside service will be held at Orange Hill Cemetery, Williston on Tuesday (May 8th) at 10:30 AM. In lieu of flowers the Family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/7/2007 - 5/8/2007.


1658. CHAMPION, DARRELL R. (Obituary No. 1658.), 79 Ocala - Ocala- Darrell R.. Champion, age 79, passed away Saturday, May 5, 2007 at Estelle's House. He was born in Montpelier, Ohio and came to Ocala in 1949 from Hillsdale, MI. He had worked in Automotive Sales and was a Member of North Side Baptist Church. Ocala, FL. Mr. Champion was a veteran serving with the US Army. He is survived by his wife, Edith L. Champion of Ocala, 2 daughters; Dianna Rae Ingram of Melbourne, FL. and Paula Pava of Joliet, IL. 1 step-son; Warren Wheeler of Tampa three sisters Veda Harger of Ocala, Pauline Jones of Salt Springs, FL, and Thelma McCrary of Monroe, MI. 6 Grandchildren and 12 Great-Grandchildren. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Woodside Baptist Church building fund. Services will be held 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 8, 2007 Graveside at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. 34470 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/7/2007 - 5/8/2007.

1659. CUBBEDGE, CHRISTIAN SHANE (Obituary No. 1659.), 35 Belleview - Christian Shane Cubbedge, 35, of Belleview, died May 2, 2007. He was born in St. Augustine and was a service technician for Embarq. Mr. Cubbedge was a member of Meadowbrook Church, Ocala. He enjoyed hunting, camping, the outdoors, and going to the beach. Survivors include his wife, Lori
S. Cubbedge, Belleview; daughters, Megan and Kristen, Belleview; son, Ryan, Belleview; mother, Shirly (Paul) Buchkovich, Ocala; father, Bruce (Angie) Cubbedge, Hilliard, FL; brothers, Dean, Mercersburg, PA, Adam, Ocala, Graylin, Hilliard, FL; step-brothers, Mike, Rusty and Peter Buchkovich and stepsister, Laurel Buchkovich, all of Ocala; maternal grandfather, William C. Loyd, St. Augustine, FL; paternal grandmother, Je Cubbedge, Hilliard, FL; many aunts, uncles and cousins. Services will be held at 1 p.m., Wednesday, May 9, 2007, at Meadowbrook Church, Ocala. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Tuesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/6/2007 - 5/7/2007.

1660. GIST, SR., JOHN "VERDEN" (Obituary No. 1660.), 83 21 Sep. 1923 - 4 May 2007 Summerfield - Beloved family man and highly respected friend, Mr. Gist succumbed to a lengthy illness. He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Elsie Marie Gist, and son John V. Gist, Jr. He is survived by wife Jean Gist, grand-daughters Autumn Thomas and Amy Gist of Florida, brother Raymond Gist and sister Joyce Gunter of Tennessee, and numerous other family members in Florida, Tennessee, and Ohio. Mr. Gist enlisted in the Army and served his country during World War II in France, was a member of the First Baptist Church of Summerfield, and highly respected and loved by the family and friends alike. Visitation will be held Monday, May 7, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Ocala. Services will be graveside at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, May 8, 2007 at Crum Cemetery, Summerfield. HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/6/2007 - 5/8/2007.

1661. HAYDEN, JOSEPH M. (Obituary No. 1661.), 49 Ocklawaha - Joseph M. Hayden, 49, passed away Wednesday May 2, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Hayden moved to Ocklawaha from Columbus, Ohio in 1993. He worked as a service technician for Culligan Water. He enjoyed fishing, dirt biking and his family. He liked to listen to Rock-N-Roll music. He is survived by wife Peggy D. Hayden, Ocklawaha; step-son Dale Gibbs, New Paris, OH; daughter Jamie Pugh, Richmond, IN; brothers Kirk Hayden of Scrambletown, Victor Hayden of Ocala; father Hugh Hayden of Ocala; and 4 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by mother Dorothy Hayden, brother Kent Hayden. Visitation will be held at HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala Sunday May 6, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. All memorial contributions may be made to hospice of Marion County. Post Office Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/5/2007 - 5/7/2007.

1662. ROBERSON, ROSE WARD (Obituary No. 1662.), 88 Ocala - Rose Ward Roberson, 88, passed May 5, 2007 at the Tuscany Hospice House. She was born in Detroit, MI and moved to Ocala in 1925 from there. She was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala. She is survived by her husband, William E. "Bud" Roberson of Ocala; daughters, Martha R. (Doug) Krause and Katherine R. Borden; sons, John F. (Barbara G.) Roberson and Timothy E. (Leslie S.) Roberson, all of Ocala. 9 grandchildren, John & Clint Krause, Kelley Spears, Robyn Roberson, Daniel, Kristyna & Nikki Borden, Trey & Andie Roberson, and 5 great grandchildren, Savannah & Saylor Spears, Trusten, Madison & William Krause. The family will receive friend from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday, May 7th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, May 8th at the funeral home with Dr. Ed Johnson officiating. Private interment services will follow at
Woodlawn Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donation may be to the First Baptist Church of Ocala or the donors charity of choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/6/2007 - 5/7/2007.

1663. SMITH, SR., HOWARD ALLEN "BUDDY" (Obituary No. 1663.) 77 Gainesville - Howard "Buddy" Smith died May 4, 2007 at the VA Nursing Home in Lake City, FL following a lengthy illness. Mr. Smith, a graduate of the University of Florida. He served his country in the US Navy during the Korean War conflict. He retired from Smith's Office Supply, which he owned and operated. He was a past member of North Central Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Miriam Joyce Smith, Gainesville, daughters Connie Ann (Greg) Fales, Citra and Linda Joyce Stroemer, Ocala, son Howard "Allen" (Paula) Smith, Jr., Tallahassee, sister Lillian Rossi, Cataula, GA, brother John Henry Smith, Gainesville, six Grandchildren and three Great Grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held 11 a.m. Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at Forest Meadows Funeral Home Chapel, 725 NW 23rd Ave, Gainesville, FL with a visitation from 10 p.m. till 11 p.m. Graveside Services will follow, with Full Military Honors at 1:30 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers contributions may made to the Alzheimer's Foundation of America. Arrangements are under the care of MORING FUNERAL HOME, MELROSE, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/6/2007 - 5/7/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, May 8, 2007

1664. ALSTON, JESSIE C. (Obituary No. 1664.), 83 Ocala - Jessie C. Alston, 83, of Ocala, passed away May 5th at Hospice's Estelle House. Born in Williston, She was a lifelong resident of the area, a homemaker and a Baptist by faith. She is survived by her son, James K. Collins and daughter, Judith E. Evans both of Ocala; 9 grand 10 great and several great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, S.C. "Dick" Alston and daughter, Frances E. Reza. A graveside service will be held at Orange Hill Cemetery, Williston on Tuesday (May 8th) at 10:30 AM. In lieu of flowers the Family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/7/2007 - 5/8/2007.

1665. BURKE, EVELYN FOX (Obituary No. 1665.), 89 Williston - Evelyn Fox Burke, 89, of Williston, FL. Died Wednesday, May 2, 2007 at Shands Regional Hospital in Gainesville. She moved to this area 57 years ago from Brunswick, GA. She was an avid volunteer at Nature Coast Regional Hospital in Williston and Meals on Wheels. She was preceded in death by her husband J. Arthur Burke, Sr. and a grandson Calvin Hexton. Survivors include sons; Ronald A. Burke of Brooksville, FL, Jay A. Burke of Sebastian, FL, Brent A. Burke of Winter Park, FL and Kevin A. Burke of Williston, FL; a daughter Karen Hexton of Brandon, Mississippi; a sister Dee Fauzer of Philadelphia, PA.; 4 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Burke will be held at 7 p.m., Monday, May 7, 2007 at the Knauff Funeral Home Chapel in Williston. Visitation will be from 5 - 8 p.m. All arrangements are under the care of KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME in Williston. (352) 528-3481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/7/2007 - 5/9/2007.

1666. CAUSSEAUX, MARJORIE L. (Obituary No. 1666.), 78 Ocala - Beloved Mother, daughter, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, and aunt, passed on May 6, 2007 at her
daughter's home. She was born in the Fellowship area, outside of Ocala and was a life-long resident of Ocala. Marjorie was of the Baptist Faith. She is survived by four children, Renee Arnold (Greg), Orange Springs, Jerry Causseaux, Ocala, Wayne Causseaux (Lou Ann), Dumas, TX., Cheryl Miller (Jim), Ocala; four granddaughters, Melinda Arnold, Citra, Judy Leonetti (Jeff), Citrus Heights, CA., Christie Burnham (Daniel), Hattiesburg, MS., Julie Causseaux, Dumas, Texas; four grandsons, Jeff Arnold (Melisa), Orange Springs, Mark Causseaux (JoAnn), Citra, Josh Miller, Ocala and Chad Causseaux, Dumas, TX.; four sisters, Ruby Hilgendorf, West Palm Beach, Bobbie Porkorney, Melbourne, Beth Burkette, Hudson, Kay Lawshe, St. Augustine; three brothers in law; Lawson Anders, Canton, NC., Doug Burkette, Hudson, and Earl Lawshe, St. Augustine; and numerous great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She is predeceased by her husband, Jesse F. Causseaux, grandson, Jerry B Causseaux, Jr., mother, Mary E. Brantley, father, Floyd Brantley, one brother, Cranford Brantley, two sisters, Virginia Anders and Lottie Blackmon. She enjoyed her grandchildren and great grandchildren. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 10, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/9/2007.

1667. CHAMPION, DARRELL R. (Obituary No. 1667.), 79 Ocala - Ocala Darrell R. Champion, age 79, passed away Saturday, May 5, 2007 at Estelle's House. He was born in Montpelier, Ohio and came to Ocala in 1949 from Hillsdale, MI. He had worked in Automotive Sales and was a Member of North Side Baptist Church. Ocala, FL. Mr. Champion was a veteran serving with the US Army. He is survived by his wife, Edith L. Champion of Ocala, 2 daughters; Dianna Rae Ingram of Melbourne, FL. and Paula Pava of Joliet, IL.. 1 step-son; Warren Wheeler of Tampa three sisters Veda Harger of Ocala, Pauline Jones of Salt Springs, FL, and Thelma McCrary of Monroe, MI. 6 Grandchildren and 12 Great-Grandchildren. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Woodside Baptist Church building fund. Services will be held 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 8, 2007 Graveside at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. 34470 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/7/2007 - 5/8/2007.

1668. FRANKLIN, SARAH JANE (Obituary No. 1668.), 66 Ocala - Sarah Jane Franklin, 66, passed away on May 6, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Punta Gorda, FL., on January 9, 1941. She is a retired Beautician. She moved to Ocala in 1987 from TN. She is preceded in death by her parents Curtis and Lela Mercer and 2 brothers Thomas Clifford Lawrence and Charles Potter. She is survived by her loving husband of 20 years Eugene of Ocala, FL.; 2 sons, Greg Moser of Sweetwater, TN., and Gary Moser of Ocala, FL., daughter, Betty Black of Vonore, TN.; 7 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild; 2 brothers, W.C. Mercer of Ocala and Joe Potter of Zephyrhills, FL.; a sister Kathy Odom of Cape Coral, FL. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL will be handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/9/2007.

1669. GIBSON, CHARLES EDWARD (Obituary No. 1669.), 74 Reddick - Charles Edward Gibson, 74, Air Force Veteran, and retired retail clerk, died at home in Fairfield on April 30, 2007. He is survived by sisters, Evelyn Mainor, Jimmie Faye Poole, Jean (Clyde) Glennon, Ophelia (J.D.) Carver, S.I.L. Nora Gibson, and many nieces and nephew. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. on Friday, May 11, 2007 at Fairfield Presbyterian Church with the Rev.

1670. GIST, SR., JOHN "VERDEN" (Obituary No. 1670.), 83 21 Sep. 1923 - 4 May 2007 Summerfield - Beloved family man and highly respected friend, Mr. Gist succumbed to a lengthy illness. He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Elsie Marie Gist, and son John V. Gist, Jr. He is survived by wife Jean Gist, grand-daughters Autumn Thomas and Amy Gist of Florida, brother Raymond Gist and sister Joyce Gunter of Tennessee, and numerous other family members in Florida, Tennessee, and Ohio. Mr. Gist enlisted in the Army and served his country during World War II in France, was a member of the First Baptist Church of Summerfield, and highly respected and loved by the family and friends alike. Visitation will be held Monday, May 7, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Ocala. Services will be graveside at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, May 8, 2007 at Crum Cemetery, Summerfield. HIER-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/6/2007 - 5/8/2007.

1671. HAYNER, JOHN P. (Obituary No. 1671.), 67 Ocala - John P. Hayner, 67, passed away Saturday, May 5, 2007 in Ocala, FL. A native of Albany, N.Y. Mr. Hayner moved to Ocala in 1998 from Greenwich, N.Y. He was a retired investigator with the State University of New York at Albany Police Dept. He served in the US Army. John was an avid animal lover and advocate. He is survived by his wife Jaye B. Hayner, Ocala; numerous cousins including Carol Elmendorf (Albert), Latham, N.Y., Michael Elmendorf (Laurie), Albany, N.Y., Michael Elmendorf II, Latham, N.Y., Ken Kearsing, Ocala and his beloved Kitty Kids. Memorial contributions may be made to Feisty Acers, Inc., c/o Edna Nute, 4493 NE 147th Ct., Williston, FL. 32696. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/6/2007 - 5/8/2007.

1672. HOLLINGSWORTH, MARGARET MARIE (Obituary No. 1672.), 87 Ocala- Margaret Marie Hollingsworth, 87, born June 18, 1919, departed on Friday, May 4, 2007 to be in the Heavenly arms of our Lord. She lived in Ocala/Dunnellon for 20 years before moving to Panama City 9 years ago. She was Wesleyan by Faith and now has found everlasting peace that only God can provide. left to cherish her memories are two daughters, Joyce Hollingsworth Zappone, Panama City, and her husband John and Linda Carol Askew, Marianna and her husband Donald; sister, Lucille Curtis of Norman, Oklahoma; her grandchildren, Samantha Devries of Ocala, Stacey Zappone of Panama City; two great grandchildren, Jacob and Kyla of Panama City. She was greeted in Heaven on this day and now celebrates with her late husband Samuel E. Hollingsworth, Sr., and her sons Samuel (Pete) E. Hollingsworth, Jr., William James Dandridge, and her grandson David Askew. Services will be held Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel 2 p.m. Friends may come to the funeral home from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. prior to the service to pay their respects. Pastor Dale Travis will be conducting the service. Burial will follow at the Good Shepherd Cemetery. Please join us as we celebrate the life of our precious Mother and Grandmother. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/9/2007.
1673. LUNDY, EDWARD LAWRENCE (Obituary No. 1673.), 94 Ocala - Edward Lawrence Lundy, born April 18, 1913, in Bradford, Yorkshire, England, and was a citizen of these United States because his Dad, Edward Lundy, had attained his citizenship before Ed was of age. Ed attended Syracuse University, graduating in 1946. He was predeceased by his beloved wife, Janet. He taught school and worked as a guidance counselor at Mohawk and Rochester, New York, for approximately 21 years and retired in 1970. He served our country in the U.S. Army, and received decorations and citations. Surviving family members, a sister, Maureen Ferriday; nephew, Pat Ferriday; son, Carl Hawley and wife Millicent; granddaughter, Diane Svehlak; grandson, Stephen Hawley; and other loving family members. Ed enjoyed reading, traveling, gardening and music. Interment services to be scheduled later. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME of Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/9/2007.

1674. VINSON, ANNIE MAE, (Obituary No. 1674.) 76 Ocklawaha - Ms. Vinson entered into rest on May 2, 2007. She was preceded in death by her husband, Nathaniel Vinson, Sr., and five sons, Lewis Vinson, Nathaniel Vinson, Jr., David Vinson, John Vinson, and Dennis Vinson. She leaves to cherish her memories one daughter, Julia Golden, Wetumpka, ALB; six sons, Willie Vinson, Clinton Vinson, Danny Vinson, all of Ocala, FL., Reginald Vinson, Fredrick Vinson, Jack Vinson, Calvin Vinson all of Montgomery, ALB., four sisters, Mae Will McKenzie, Montgomery, ALB., Piccola Walker, Chicago, ILL., Betty Rose, Gratsville, ALB., Molly McMillian, Westland ALB.; three brothers, cecil Ross, McKinley Ross both of Montgomery, ALB and William Ross, Tampa, FL., 22 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren and 7 great great grandchildren. Wake services will be held at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME Chapel on Wednesday, at 6 p.m. Viewing will be on Tuesday, May 8 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Funeral services will be held at Good Hope Baptist Church, Wetumpka, AL., on Saturday, May 12 at 11 a.m. Burial will be in Good Hope Baptist Church, Wetumpka, ALB. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/9/2007.

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1675. BIBEAU, GLENN ARTHUR (Obituary No. 1675.), 60 Ocala - Glenn Arthur Bibeau, 60, of Ocala, passed away May 4th. Born in Springfield, Massachusetts, he came to this area 3 years ago from Port St. Lucie, FL. He was a maintenance technician for St. John's Lutheran Church, Ocala, an Air Force Veteran of Vietnam and Lutheran by faith. He is survived by his daughter, Kimberly Miller of Panama City Beach, FL.; father, Arthur Bibeau (Virginia) of Ocala; mother, Evelyn (Donald) Roach of Ocala; brother, Wayne Bibeau of Vero Beach, FL.; sister, Julia Fairman of Ocala, former wife Sheila Weathers of Wewahitchka, FL.; 3 nephews, Michael and Joshua Fairman and Edward Bibeau; 2 nieces, Ginny Fairman and Vanessa Bibeau. He was preceded in death by his wife, Kathleen M. Bibeau. A memorial service will be held at St. John's Lutheran Church (1915 SE Lake Weir Ave. Ocala 629-1794) on Saturday (May 12th) at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family request that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1676. BURKE, EVELYN FOX (Obituary No. 1676.), 89 Williston - Evelyn Fox Burke, 89, of Williston, FL. Died Wednesday, May 2, 2007 at Shands Regional Hospital in Gainesville. She
moved to this area 57 years ago from Brunswick, GA. She was an avid volunteer at Nature Coast Regional Hospital in Williston and Meals on Wheels. She was preceded in death by her husband J. Arthur Burke, Sr. and a grandson Calvin Hexton. Survivors include sons; Ronald A. Burke of Brooksville, FL, Jay A. Burke of Sebastian, FL, Brent A. Burke of Winter Park, FL and Kevin A. Burke of Williston, FL; a daughter Karen Hexton of Brandon, Mississippi; a sister Dee Fauzer of Philadelphia, PA.; 4 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Burke will be held at 7 p.m., Monday, May 7, 2007 at the Knauff Funeral Home Chapel in Williston. Visitation will be from 5 - 8 p.m. All arrangements are under the care of KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME in Williston. (352) 528-3481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/7/2007 - 5/9/2007.

1677. CAUSSEAUX, MARJORIE L. (Obituary No. 1677.), 78 Ocala - Beloved Mother, daughter, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, and aunt, passed on May 6, 2007 at her daughter's home. She was born in the Fellowship area, outside of Ocala and was a life-long resident of Ocala. Marjorie was of the Baptist Faith. She is survived by four children, Renee Arnold (Greg), Orange Springs, Jerry Causseaux, Ocala, Wayne Causseaux (Lou Ann), Dumas, TX.; Cheryl Miller (Jim), Ocala; four granddaughters, Melinda Arnold, Citra, Judy Leonetti (Jeff), Citrus Heights, CA., Christie Burnham (Daniel), Hattiesburg, MS., Julie Causseaux, Dumas, Texas; four grandsons, Jeff Arnold (Melisa), Orange Springs, Mark Causseaux (JoAnn), Citra, Josh Miller, Ocala and Chad Causseaux, Dumas, TX; four sisters, Ruby Hilgendorf, West Palm Beach, Bobbie Porkorney, Melbourne, Beth Burkette, Hudson, Kay Lawshe, St. Augustine; three brothers in law; Lawson Anders, Canton, NC., Doug Burkette, Hudson, and Earl Lawshe, St. Augustine; and numerous great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She is predeceased by her husband, Jesse F. Causseaux, grandson, Jerry B Causseaux, Jr., mother, Mary E. Brantley, father, Floyd Brantley, one brother, Cranford Brantley, two sisters, Virginia Anders and Lottie Blackmon. She enjoyed her grandchildren and great grandchildren. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 10, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/9/2007.

1678. DELEN DK, WALTER E. (Obituary No. 1678.), 72 Ocala - Walter E. Delendik, 72, passed away on May 8, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. He was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1995 from Shaftsburg, VT. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus and enjoyed fishing, hunting, and photography. He was a US Navy veteran. he is survived by a daughter Donna Barba of Yorktown, VA and was preceded in death by his wife Eileen Delendik. A gathering will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL on Thursday, May 10 from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. with a prayer service at 1 p.m. with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1679. FIORELLI, JOSEPHINE "JO" (Obituary No. 1679.), 76 Ocala - Josephine "Jo" Fiorelli went to Heaven on Monday, May 7, 2007, at her residence after her long illness. She was born on May 18, 1930 in Stanford, Connecticut. She was the daughter of Joseph and Carmella Fiorelli. Her faith and determination to live, greatly exceeded her doctor's prediction. Jo was a secretary in Washington, D.C. for several years for Congressman from Connecticut, and Wisconsin. She was a retired employee of Civil Service for the Federal Government. Jo is
survived by her husband, Richard Bowker of Ocala, Florida. Niece- Diane Kapoor and family of Monroe, Connecticut. She is also survived by cousins- Rocco and William Fiorelli of Fairfield, Connecticut, Sheila Hirsch of North Haven, Connecticut, Marlene Magalnick of Stamford, Connecticut, Pina Calogero of Willowdale, Ontario, Canada, Mafalda Bertoni of Scarborough, Ontario, Canada, and numerous friends. Jo was an artist that displayed her work at various area art shows and was a member of the Brick City and Ocala art groups. She was a longtime volunteer at the Appleton museum and Central Florida Community College. She was also a member of Beta Sigma Phi sorority. Jo was courageous, remarkable woman who inspired many who knew her. She will not soon be forgotten. At her request, there will be no memorial service. If desired, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc. PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 34478 in memory of Jo. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1680. FRANKLIN, SARAH JANE (Obituary No. 1680.), 66 Ocala - Sarah Jane Franklin, 66, passed away on May 6, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Punta Gorda, FL., on January 9, 1941. She is a retired Beautician. She moved to Ocala in 1987 from TN. She is preceeded in death by her parents Curtis and Lela Mercer and 2 brothers Thomas Clifford Lawrence and Charles Potter. She is survived by her loving husband of 20 years Eugene of Ocala, FL; 2 sons, Greg Moser of Sweetwater, TN., and Gary Moser of Ocala, FL., daughter, Betty Black of Vonore, TN.; 7 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild; 2 brothers, W.C. Mercer of Ocala and Joe Potter of Zephyrhills, FL.; a sister Kathy Odom of Cape Coral, FL. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL will be handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/9/2007.

1681. GIBSON, CHARLES EDWARD (Obituary No. 1681.), 74 Reddick - Charles Edward Gibson, 74, Air Force Veteran, and retired retail clerk, died at home in Fairfield on April 30, 2007. He is survived by sisters, Evelyn Mainor, Jimmie Faye Poole, Jean (Clyde) Glennon, Ophelia (J.D.) Carver, S.L. Nora Gibson, and many nieces and nephew. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. on Friday, May 11, 2007 at Fairfield Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Bruce Seaman, and Rev. Gene Anderson officiating. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Glen Gibson Scholarship Fund. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/9/2007.

1682. HAYNER, JOHN P. (Obituary No. 1682.), 67 Ocala - John P. Hayner, 67, passed away Saturday, May 5, 2007 in Ocala, FL. A native of Albany, N.Y. Mr. Hayner moved to Ocala in 1998 from Greenwich, N.Y. He was a retired investigator with the State University of New York at Albany Police Dept. He served in the US Army. John was an avid animal lover and advocate. He is survived by his wife Jaye B. Hayner, Ocala; numerous cousins including Carol Elmendorf (Albert), Latham, N.Y., Michael Elmendorf (Laurie), Albany, N.Y., Michael Elmendorf II, Latham, N.Y., Ken Kearsing, Ocala and his beloved Kitty Kids. Memorial contributions may be made to Feisty Abers, Inc., c/o Edna Nute, 4493 NE 147th Ct., Williston, FL. 32696. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/9/2007.

1683. HOLLINGSWORTH, MARGARET MARIE (Obituary No. 1683.), 87 Ocala- Margaret Marie Hollingsworth, 87, born June 18, 1919, departed on Friday, May 4, 2007 to be in the
Heavenly arms of our Lord. She lived in Ocala/Dunnellon for 20 years before moving to Panama City 9 years ago. She was Wesleyan by Faith and now has found everlasting peace that only God can provide. left to cherish her memories are two daughters, Joyce Hollingsworth Zappone, Panama City, and her husband John and Linda Carol Askew, Marianna and her husband Donald; sister, Lucille Curtis of Norman, Oklahoma; her grandchildren, Samantha Devries of Ocala, Stacey Zappone of Panama City, Jonathan Zappone of Ocala, Kristen Morello of Panama City, and Donnie Askew of Panama City; two great grandchildren, Jacob and Kyla of Panama City. She was greeted in Heaven on this day and now celebrates with her late husband Samuel E. Hollingsworth, Sr., and her sons Samuel Pete E. Hollingsworth, Jr., William James Dandridge, and her grandson David Askew. Services will be held Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel 2 p.m. Friends may come to the funeral home from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. prior to the service to pay their respects. Pastor Dale Travis will be conducting the service. Burial will follow at the Good Shepherd Cemetery. Please join us as we celebrate the life of our precious Mother and Grandmother. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1684. HOVIS, RAY KLINE (Obituary No. 1684.), 88 Ashville, OH - Ray Kline Hovis, 88, of Ashville, passed away Sunday, May 6, 2007. Ray was born October 7, 1918 in Chestnut Ridge, Pennsylvania, the son of the late Caleb and Edna (Kline) Hovis. He is survived by his loving wife of 62 years, Emma June Haugh Hovis, whom he married June 30, 1945 in West Freedom, Pennsylvania; two children, Gail (Lee) Curry, Hayesville, NC., and Gary (Karen) Hovis, Ashville; 4 grandchildren, Zack (Lee) Curry, Kyle (Crystal) Curry, Nick and Leslee Brynn Hovis; 4 great grandchildren, Hannah, Noah, Tyler, and Belle Curry. He was preceded in death by brothers, Arnold and Clell, and sister, Edith Saltzmann. Ray was an active member of Bellevue (Florida) UM Church. He was retired from the USAF, a member of the 391st Bombardment Group, serving in Europe in WWII and in Vietnam. His Air Force career allowed Ray and June to make their home over the years in Alaska, Arizona, Pennsylvania, Delaware and Ashville, Ohio. The spent their retirement years in Fairfield Glade, TN and Bellevue, FL and recently returned to Ashville. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society (1-800-227-2345 or www.cancer.org) or Bellevue UM Church, P.O. Box 567, Bellevue, FL 34421 or Hedges Chapel CCCU, 15495 Winchester Rd., Ashville, OH 43103. Funeral service will be Thursday, 2 p.m. at Hedges Chapel CCCU, Rev. Dale Dixon officiating. Friends may call at the OLIVER-CHEEK FUNERAL HOME, 420 W. Main, Ashville, Wednesday 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. and at Hedges Chapel CCCU, Thursday 1 p.m. to 2 p.m., prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1685. LUNDY, EDWARD LAWRENCE (Obituary No. 1685.), 94 Ocala - Edward Lawrence Lundy, born April 18, 1913, In Bradford, Yorkshire, England, and was a citizen of these United States because his Dad, Edward Lundy, had attained his citizenship before Ed was of age. Ed attended Syracuse University, graduating in 1946. He was predeceased by his beloved wife, Janet. He taught school and worked as a guidance counselor at Mohawk and Rochester, New York, for approximately 21 years and retired in 1970. He served our country in the U.S. Army, and received decorations and citations. Surviving family members, a sister, Maureen Ferriday; nephew, Pat Ferriday; son, Carl Hawley and wife Millicent; granddaughter, Diane Svehlak; grandson, Stephen Hawley; and other loving family members. Ed enjoyed reading, traveling,

1686. MARTIN, RONALD WAYNE (Obituary No. 1686.), 73 Ocala - Ronald Wayne Martin, 73, passed away Sunday, May 6, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House, Ocala, Fl. He was born in Cleveland, OH, and moved to Miami in 1946. He received a BS degree from the University of Miami, and an MLS degree from Florida State University. Mr. Martin served with the U. S. Army Signal Corps during the Korean War. During his early career he worked in broadcasting at WTAL and WTNT in Tallahassee and later at WGBS in Miami. In 1972 he joined the staff of the Florida International University. During his 26 years there he became Department Head of the Instructional Resource Center and was active in a number of University and State committees, including having been elected to the Board of Directors of the Florida Assoc of Media in Education. Mr. Martin was known as the "Voice of FIU" having narrated many recordings for a variety of campus units, was the voice for the first telephone registration system and FIU's new employee orientation program. In addition he was editor of the in-house newsletter "Top of the Stacks" for 22 years. Mr. Martin moved to Ocala in 1999 and was a member of the Joy Lutheran Church. He is survived by his wife of 46 years Ruth B. Martin of Ocala, sons David of Ocala, and Kenneth (Katy) of Orlando, Fl, 4 grandchildren, and a sister Coleen Story of Clearwater, Fl. Private graveside services will be held at Florida National Cemetery and a memorial service will be held at Joy Lutheran Church at 2:30pm on Sunday, May 20th. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Joy Lutheran Church, 7045 SW 83rd Place, Ocala, Fl 34476 or make contribution payable to the FIU Foundation, addressed to the Ronald W Martin Scholarship, FIU Foundation, MARC 510, Florida International University, Miami, Fl 33199. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW ST Rd 200, Ocala, Fl is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1687. NICHOLS, NORMA "GINGER" (Obituary No. 1687.), 80 Ocala - Norma "Ginger" Nichols, 80, passed away Monday May 7, 2007 at Munro Regional Medical Center. Ms. Nichols came here from La Porte, IN in 1954. Norma was a member of Central Christian Church. She was a volunteer with Ocala Public Library. She is survived by, 2 daughters, Nancy Nichols, Ocala and Jane Waddington, Ocala, 2 sisters, Janice Semrau, The Villages, Carol Kessler, La Porte, IN, 2 brothers, Roger Gains, La Porte, IN, Richard Gains, Michigan City, IN, 4 grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A graveside service will be held Friday May 11, 2007 et Highland Memorial Park at 2 p.m. Visitation will be Thursday from 5 -7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 S E Silver Springs Blvd. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1688. NICHOLSON, FRANKLIN P. (Obituary No. 1688.), 54 Citra - Franklin P. Nicholson, 54 of Citra. Died Sunday, May 6, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Brooklyn, NY came to this area in 1982 from Long Island, NY. Franklin's passion was woodworking always seeing the beauty that wood had to offer. Franklin was of the Catholic Faith. His father Franklin Nicholson of Citra survives him. Sister- Barbara Matonti, her husband Arthur of Deer Park, NY, 2 nephews Arthur and Brian both of NY. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES,
RODRIGUEZ, SR., CARLOS R. (Obituary No. 1689.), 77 Ocala Mr. Carlos R. "Mon" Rodriguez, Sr., age 77, of Ocala, Florida died Sunday, May 6, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. He was born in Guyanilla, Puerto Rico and moved to Ocala in 1997 from Cabo Rojo, Puerto Rico. As a graduate of the University of Puerto Rico, he for 31 years served as Superintendent of both Corco Oil Refinery in Puerto Rico and Amarada-Hess Refinery in St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands. He served in the U.S. Army During both the Korean War and the Viet Nam War. He was a member of the Lions Club, The Hunters Association and the Boqueron Yacht Club in Puerto Rico. He was a member of the United Methodist Church, New Life Church of Marion Oaks and he loved fishing, hunting, gourmet cooking and fixing things. He is survived by his loving wife of (50) years, Arlene F. Rodriguez of Ocala, FL., his (4) sons, Dr. Carlos F. and wife, Denise Rodriguez of Ocala, FL., Rafael A. and wife Carol Rodriguez of Yauco, Puerto Rico, Carlos R. and wife Belky Rodriguez, Jr. of St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands and Javier A. Rodriguez of Ocala, FL., his sister Marjie R. Mangual of San Juan, Puerto Rico and (7) grandchildren. Funeral Services will be 12:30 PM Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL. 34476 with interment to follow with Military Honors at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home, one hour prior to service time. The family request donations, in lieu of flowers, be made to The SDS/MSA Support Group, P.O. Box 279, Coupland, TX 78615

SPITZER, EDNA FLORENCE (Obituary No. 1690.), 94 Ocala - Edna Florence Spitzer, 94, died in her home in Ocala on Friday, May 4, 2007. Mrs. Spitzer was born in Elkton, Virginia on August 11, 1912. A retired homemaker, she has lived in Florida since 1967. Mrs. Spitzer was preceded in death by her mother, Ethel Gertrude Herndon, father George Edward McDaniel, husband Roy McKinley Spitzer, daughter Evelyn Jean George, and son John Whitfield Spitzer. Survivors include, her son-in-law, Issaic Otis George, Virginia, her daughter-in-law, Eula Mae Spitzer, Florida, 16 grandchildren, 36 great grandchildren, and 31 great great grandchildren. A Memorial service will be held on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 1 p.m. at the Lighthouse (Hwy 301 in Belleview, FL) Brother Garmes will be officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

VINSON, ANNIE MAE (Obituary No. 1691.), 76 Ocala - Ms. Vinson entered into rest on May 2, 2007. She was preceded in death by her husband, Nathaniel Vinson, Sr., and five sons, Lewis Vinson, Nathaniel Vinson, Jr., David Vinson, John Vinson, and Dennis Vinson. She leaves to cherish her memories one daughter, Julia Golden, Wetumpka, AL; six sons, Willie Vinson, Clinton Vinson, Danny Vinson, all of Ocala, FL., Reginald Vinson, Fredrick Vinson, Jack Vinson, Calvin Vinson all of Montgomery, AL., four sisters, Mae Will McKenzie, Montgomery, AL., Piccola Walker, Chicago, IL., Betty Rose, Gratsville, AL., Molly McMillian, Westland AL.; three brothers, cecil Ross, McKinley Ross both of Montgomery, AL and William Ross, Tampa, FL., 22 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren and 7 great-great grandchildren. Wake services will be held at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME Chapel on Wednesday, at 6 p.m. Viewing will be on Tuesday, May 8 at Sellers Funeral Home from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Funeral
services will be held at Good Hope Baptist Church, Wetumpka, AL., on Saturday, May 12 at 11 a.m. Burial will be in Good Hope Baptist Church, Wetumpka, AL. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/10/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Thursday, May 10, 2007

1692. ALLMAN, SR., RICHARD "ROCKY" (Obituary No. 1692.), 33 Ocala - Richard "Rocky" Allman, Sr., 33, of Ocala passed away on Friday, May 4, 2007. Born in Alachua, Rocky has lived most of his life in Ocala. He was a member of First Love Church in Ocala and worked for Tru Green Chem Lawn. He loved Motorcycling and his children. He is survived by his daughter, Elexis Ann Allman of Ocala; son, Richard Dean Allman, Jr. of Ocala; father, Richard Recard of Orange Lake; brothers, Thomas (Lessette) Allman and Tony (Christine) Yancey of Ocala, and Wayne Mayfield of Griffin, GA; and sister Chaunda Cart of Hernando. He was preceded in death by his mother, Shirley Robinson. Services for Mr. Allman will be held on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 5 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be held on Friday, May 11, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. at Hiers Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Sheila Skittenhelm, 10195 SE 36th Ave, #2, Belleview, FL 34420 for his children. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1693. AMTHOR, JR., FRANKLIN R. (Obituary No. 1693.), 83 Summerfield - Franklin Amthor, 83 died Tuesday, May 8, 2007. Mr. Amthor was a retired Vice President of Engineering for G.E. & Westinghouse and a Army Air Corps WWII bomber pilot receiving a Purple Heart and a Silver Star. His hobbies were fishing, golfing, and fixing things around the house. Survivors include his wife Lyla, Summerfield; sons Franklin, Birmingham, AL; Carl, Harrisburg, PA; Terry, Arlington, VA; Eric, Christiansburg, VA; daughter, Tamara Galbraith, Dallas, TX; grandchildren, Phillip, Rachel, Sarah, Christopher and Michael Ryder. A memorial service will be held Wednesday, May 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd, The Villages, FL. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery with Military Honors. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or WWII Memorial, 1-800-639-4492. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1694. BIBEAU, GLENN ARTHUR (Obituary No. 1694.) 60 Ocala - Glenn Arthur Bibeau, 60, of Ocala, passed away May 4th. Born in Springfield, Massachusetts, he came to this area 3 years ago from Port St. Lucie, FL. He was a maintenance technician for St. John's Lutheran Church, Ocala, an Air Force Veteran of Vietnam and Lutheran by faith. He is survived by his daughter, Kimberly Miller of Panama City Beach, FL; father, Arthur Bibeau (Virginia) of Ocala; mother, Evelyn (Donald) Roach of Ocala; brother, Wayne Bibeau of Vero Beach, FL; sister, Julia Fairman of Ocala, former wife Sheila Weathers of Wewahitchka, FL; 3 nephews, Michael and Joshua Fairman and Edward Bibeau; 2 nieces, Ginny Fairman and Vanessa Bibeau. He was preceded in death by his wife, Kathleen M. Bibeau. A memorial service will be held at St. John's Lutheran Church (1915 SE Lake Weir Ave. Ocala 629-1794) on Saturday (May 12th) at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family request that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.
1695. CULPEPPER, EMMA LEWIS (Obituary No. 1695.), 92 Ocala - Mrs. Emma Lewis Culpepper, 92, transitation on May 5, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Culpepper was a retired house parent for the State of Florida. She was a member of Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, President of the Mass Choir, Deaconess Ministry, Mother of Shades Beige club and the Senior Citizen Golden age Club. She leaves to cherish her memories, devoted children, Betty Culpepper Isaac, Wayne Culpepper, Sr., (both of Ocala, FL), Daunte Culpepper (Kim) of Southwest Ranches, FL., Teretha McKinney, Nathaniel Lewis (Alice), Benjamin Gadson (Alisha), Annette Follins (Raymond), Ethel Burgess (Isaac), Geraldine Gadson, all of Ocala, FL., Leola Gadsden, J.B. Gadson, (both of St. Petersburg, FL)., 12 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and godchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Culpepper will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, FL., Dr. George W. Lee, Pastor. Public visitation will be held on Friday at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church from 1 p.m. until 7 p.m. Interment will follow in the Jerusalem Cemetery. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1696. DELENDIK, WALTER E. (Obituary No. 1696.), 72 Ocala - Walter E. Delendik, 72, passed away on May 8, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. He was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1995 from Shaftsbury, VT. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus and enjoyed fishing, hunting, and photography. He was a US Navy veteran. he is survived by a daughter Donna Barba of Yorktown, VA and was preceded in death by his wife Eileen Delendik. A gathering will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL on Thursday, May 10 from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. with a prayer service at 1 p.m. with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1697. EUBANKS, CHARLES FRANKLIN (Obituary No. 1697.), 63 Ocala - Charles Franklin Eubanks, 63, died Sunday, May 6, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in New Bern, NC, August 15, 1943. He spent much of his life in South Florida. He is survived by his Wife Cheryl, and his two daughters Kim Harding Eubanks and Debbie Ogelsby. Two Sons, David and Glenn. His four Grandchildren Kyle, Shane, Charlie and Hannah. His brother James Eubanks of Gainesville, GA. His sister Shirley Lynch of Decatur, GA. Visitation will be Thursday, May 10, 2007 from 2-4 p.m. with military Honors at 4 p.m., at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1698. FIORELLI, JOSEPHINE "JO" (Obituary No. 1698.), 76 Ocala - Josephine "Jo" Fiorelli went to Heaven on Monday, May 7, 2007, at her residence after her long illness. She was born on May 18, 1930 in Stamford, Connecticut. She was the daughter of Joseph and Carmella Fiorelli. Her faith and determination to live, greatly exceeded her doctor's prediction. Jo was a secretary in Washington, D.C. for several years for Congressman from Connecticut, and Wisconsin. She was a retired employee of Civil Service for the Federal Government. Jo is survived by her husband, Richard Bowker of Ocala, Florida. Niece- Diane Kapoor and family of Monroe, Connecticut. She is also survived by cousins- Rocco and William Fiorelli of Fairfield, Connecticut, Sheila Hirsch of North Haven, Connecticut, Marlene Magalnick of Stamford,
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1699. HARDY, ETHEL MAE (Obituary No. 1699.), 65 Ocala - Ms. Hardy went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, May 6, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Zion United Methodist Church with Rev. Altheria Lenon, Pastor conducting the services. She is survived by children, Theresa Hughes, Roland Hardy, Debbie Hardy, and Frank Hardy; brothers, Willie James Hardy and Willie Coleman, Jr.; sisters, Lula Mae Whitaker, Shelly Ann Scott, Lillian Glover, Mary Ingelton, and Betty Barren; 14 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Visitation will be Friday, May 11, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1700. HOLLINGSWORTH, MARGARET MARIE (Obituary No. 1700.), 87 Ocala - Margaret Marie Hollingsworth, 87, born June 18, 1919, departed on Friday, May 4, 2007 to be in the Heavenly arms of our Lord. She lived in Ocala/Dunnellon for 20 years before moving to Panama City 9 years ago. She was Wesleyan by Faith and now has found everlasting peace that only God can provide. left to cherish her memories are two daughters, Joyce Hollingsworth Zappone, Panama City, and her husband John and Linda Carol Askew, Marianna and her husband Donald; sister, Lucille Curtis of Norman, Oklahoma; her grandchildren, Samantha Devries of Ocala, Stacey Zappone of Panama City, Jonathan Zappone of Ocala, Kristen Morello of Panama City, and Donnie Askew of Panama City; two great grandchildren, Jacob and Kyla of Panama City. She was greeted in Heaven on this day and now celebrates with her late husband Samuel E. Hollingsworth, Sr., and her sons Samuel Pete E. Hollingsworth, Jr., William James Dandridge, and her grandson David Askew. Services will be held Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel 2 p.m. Friends may come to the funeral home from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. prior to the service to pay their respects. Pastor Dale Travis will be conducting the service. Burial will follow at the Good Shepherd Cemetery. Please join us as we celebrate the life of our precious Mother and Grandmother. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1701. HOVIS, RAY KLINE (Obituary No. 1701.), 88 Ashville, OH - Ray Kline Hovis, 88, of Ashville, passed away Sunday, May 6, 2007. Ray was born October 7, 1918 in Chestnut Ridge, Pennsylvania, the son of the late Caleb and Edna (Kline) Hovis. He is survived by his loving wife of 62 years, Emma June Haugh Hovis, whom he married June 30, 1945 in West Freedom, Pennsylvania; two children, Gail (Lee) Curry, Hayesville, NC., and Gary (Karen) Hovis, Ashville; 4 grandchildren, Zack (Lee) Curry, Kyle (Crystal) Curry, Nick and Leslee Brynn
Hovis; 4 great grandchildren, Hannah, Noah, Tyler, and Belle Curry. He was preceded in death by brothers, Arnold and Clell, and sister, Edith Saltzmann. Ray was an active member of Belleview (Florida) UM Church. He was retired from the USAF, a member of the 391st Bombardment Group, serving in Europe in WWII and in Vietnam. His Air Force career allowed Ray and June to make their home over the years in Alaska, Arizona, Pennsylvania, Delaware and Asheville, Ohio. The spent their retirement years in Fairfield Glade, TN and Belleview, FL and recently returned to Asheville. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society (1-800-227-2345 or www.cancer.org) or Belleview UM Church, P.O. Box 567, Belleview, FL 34421 or Hedges Chapel CCCU, 15495 Winchester Rd., Ashville, OH 43103. Funeral service will be Thursday, 2 p.m. at Hedges Chapel CCCU, Rev. Dale Dixon officiating. Friends may call at the OLIVER-CHEEK FUNERAL HOME, 420 W. Main, Ashville, Wednesday 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. and at Hedges Chapel CCCU, Thursday 1 p.m. to 2 p.m., prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1702. KING, ARINA (Obituary No. 1702.), 87 Ocala - Arina King, 87, homemaker, died on May 8, 2007 at Leesburg Regional Medical Center. She was a member of First Bethel Baptist Church Royal, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1703. LEMBO, LOUIS "LOUIE" (Obituary No. 1703.), 80 Ocala - Mr. Louis "Louie" Lembo, 80, passed away on May 4, 2007 at his home. He was born in Paterson, N.J. and moved to Marion County in 1972. He was the owner & operator of a NightClub. He was a 2nd class Petty Officer in the U.S. Navy during WWII. Survivors: son, Louis F. & Susan Lembo of Seminole, FL, sisters: Josephine & Harry Good of Salisbury Mills, N.Y., Anne Marie Lamela of Mahwah, N.J., 6 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren, close friends Jodye & Steve Strickland of Ocala. Memorial Service will be on Friday, May 11, 2007 at 4:30 p.m. at ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1704. MARTIN, RONALD WAYNE (Obituary No. 1704.), 73 Ocala - Ronald Wayne Martin, 73, passed away Sunday, May 6, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House, Ocala, Fl. He was born in Cleveland, OH, and moved to Miami in 1946. He received a BS degree from the University of Miami, and an MLS degree from Florida State University. Mr. Martin served with the U. S. Army Signal Corps during the Korean War. During his early career he worked in broadcasting at WTAL and WTNT in Tallahassee and later at WGBS in Miami. In 1972 he joined the staff of the Florida International University. During his 26 years there he became Department Head of the Instructional Resource Center and was active in a number of University and State committees, including having been elected to the Board of Directors of the Florida Assoc of Media in Education. Mr. Martin was known as the "Voice of FIU" having narrated many recordings for a variety of campus units, was the voice for the first telephone registration system and FIU's new employee orientation program. In addition he was editor of the in-house newsletter "Top of the Stacks" for 22 years. Mr. Martin moved to Ocala in 1999 and was a member of the Joy Lutheran Church. He is survived by his wife of 46 years Ruth B. Martin of Ocala, sons David of Ocala, and Kenneth (Katy) of Orlando, Fl, 4 grandchildren, and a sister Coleen Story of Clearwater, Fl. Private graveside services will be held at Florida National Cemetery and a memorial service will be held at Joy Lutheran Church at 2:30pm on Sunday, May 20th. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Joy Lutheran Church, 7045 SW 83rd Place, Ocala, Fl 34476 or make contribution payable to the FIU Foundation.

1705. MAXWELL, CATHERINE (Obituary No. 1705.), 78 Ocala - Catherine Maxwell, 78, house wife of Ocala, FL. Funeral Service will be held Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. G. W. Lee, Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Maxwell was born in Waycross, GA to the late Moses Wilford and Maggie Mae Watson. Survivors: 5 sons, James Maxwell, St. Louis, MO; George Maxwell, Hartford, CT; Ozell Maxwell, Robert Maxwell, and Willie Ray Taylor, Ocala, FL; 2 daughters, Maggie Busby, Ocala, FL; Gwendolyn Clark Morgan, Columbia, TN; 4 brothers, William Rackard, Orlando, FL; Ralph Rackard, St. Augustine, FL; David Rackard, Tallahassee, FL Kenneth Cherry, Savannah, GA; 32 grands; 46 great grands; 2 great great grands. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens, under the direction of "Your Friends Who Cares" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday, May 11, 2007 from 9 a.m.-7:30 p.m. at the Funeral Home also Saturday at the church from 10 a.m. until service hour, No viewing after eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1706. NICHOLS, NORMA "GINGER" (Obituary No. 1706.), 80 Ocala - Norma "Ginger" Nichols, 80, passed away Monday May 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Ms. Nichols came here from La Porte, IN in 1954. Norma was a member of Central Christian Church. She was a volunteer with Ocala Public Library. She is survived by, 2 daughters, Nancy Nichols, Ocala and Jane Waddington, Ocala, 2 sisters, Janice Semrau, The Villages, Carol Kessler, La Porte, IN, 2 brothers, Roger Gains, La Porte, IN, Richard Gains, Michigan City, IN, 4 grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A graveside service will be held Friday May 11, 2007 et Highland Memorial Park at 2 p.m. Visitation will be Thursday from 5 -7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 S E Silver Springs Blvd. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.


1708. PERRY, SR., FREEMAN (Obituary No. 1708.), 82 Flemington, FL - Freeman Perry, Sr., 82, mechanical lab technician, Flemington, FL will be held Saturday, May 12, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church at 11 a.m. with Rev. Michael Maeweather, Pastor presiding and Rev. Donnie James Eulogy. Mr. Perry attended Marion Public School and Florida A&M University. He was a US Army veteran. He was born March 3, 1925 in Flemington, FL to the late Willie Perry and Carrie Evans. Survivors include wife, Cherry Lee Perry, Flemington, FL; 2 sons, Freeman Perry, Jr., Lewes, DE., and Clarence Perry, Flemington, FL; 1 brother,
Charlie Perry, Flemington, FL; 2 sisters, Ellen Moore, Orlando, FL., and Mary Perry, Bronx, NY; 4 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Interment will be at New Bethel Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, May 11, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the funeral home. Wake at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. Saturday at the church from 10 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1709. RODRIGUEZ, SR., CARLOS R. (Obituary No. 1709.), 77 Ocala Mr. Carlos R. "Mon" Rodriguez, Sr., age 77, of Ocala, Florida died Sunday, May 6, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. He was born in Guyanilla, Puerto Rico and moved to Ocala in 1997 from Cabo Rojo, Puerto Rico. As a graduate of the University of Puerto Rico, he for 31 years served as Superintendent of both Corco Oil Refinery in Puerto Rico and Amarada-Hess Refinery in St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands. He served in the U.S. Army During both the Korean War and the Viet Nam War. He was a member of the Lions Club, The Hunters Association and the Boqueron Yacht Club in Puerto Rico. He was a member of the United Methodist Church, New Life Church of Marion Oaks and he loved fishing, hunting, gourmet cooking and fixing things. He is survived by his loving wife of (50) years, Arlene F. Rodriguez of Ocala, FL., his (4) sons, Dr. Carlos F. and wife, Denise Rodriguez of Ocala, FL., Rafael A. and wife Carol Rodriguez of Yauco, Puerto Rico, Carlos R. and wife Belky Rodriguez, Jr. of St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands and Javier A. Rodriguez of Ocala, FL., his sister Marjie R. Mangual of San Juan, Puerto Rico and (7) grandchildren. Funeral Services will be 12:30 PM Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL. 34476 with interment to follow with Military Honors at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home, one hour prior to service time. The family request donations, in lieu of flowers, be made to The SDS/MSA Support Group, P.O. Box 279, Coupland, TX 78615 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1710. SANDERFER, LEONA M. (Obituary No. 1710.), 80 Silver Springs - Leona Sanderfer, 80 passed away May 8, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She came to Florida in 1958 from their hometown of West Point, KY. She was born February 5, 1927 in Rock Haven, KY., to John and Laura Keith. Leona and her husband Joe, of 56 years, managed Lindale Mobile Home Park for over 20 years. After her husband's death in 2003 Leona managed the park until she retired in November 2006. Since that time she enjoyed every day being with her family and especially her grandson "RJ". At the time of her death she was surrounded by what matters to her most her children and grandchildren. Leona was one of eleven children and is survived by her loving brother, Kenneth Keith of Louisville, KY and her devoted children, Linda Burgess, South Carolina, Irene Kane and husband Marty, Ocala, Joey Sanderfer and wife Pam of Silver Springs, Anna Kendrick of Ocala, Jack and wife Patty of Belleview. Grandchildren, Michelle, T.J., Kory, Jesse, Diane, Bobby, James, Martin, Joey, Bradie, Shannon, Wendy, Jeremiah, Joshua, R.J. and 23 great grandchildren. A graveside service will be held Friday, May 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park with Chaplain Tom Carson officiating. In lie of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Choice Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.
1711. SPITZER, EDNA FLORENCE (Obituary No. 1711.), 94 Ocala - Edna Florence Spitzer, 94, died in her home in Ocala on Friday, May 4, 2007. Mrs. Spitzer was born in Elkton, Virginia on August 11, 1912. A retired homemaker, she has lived in Florida since 1967. Mrs. Spitzer was preceded in death by her mother, Ethel Gertrude Herndon, father George Edward McDaniel, husband Roy McKinley Spitzer, daughter Evelyn Jean George, and son John Whitfield Spitzer. Survivors include, her son-in-law, Issaic Otis George, Virginia, her daughter-in-law, Eula Mae Spitzer, Florida, 16 grandchildren, 36 great grandchildren, and 31 great great grandchildren. A Memorial service will be held on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 1 p.m. at the Lighthouse (Hwy 301 in Belleview, FL) Brother Garmes will be officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/9/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1712. THORNES, DEACON EVANS LAWTON (Obituary No. 1712.), 92 Ocala - Deacon Evans Lawton Thornes, 92, went home to be with the Lord on May 5, 2007. Funeral services will be Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. at Bethlehem Baptist Church with Rev. Jason Sims officiating. He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Kathelia Thornes; daughters, Nancy Ellis and Shana Laster; son, Jimmy Thorne; 7 grandchildren. Visitation will be on Friday, May 11, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1713. VINSON, ANNIE MAE (Obituary No. 1713.), 76 Ocala - Ms. Vinson entered into rest on May 2, 2007. She was preceded in death by her husband, Nathaniel Vinson, Sr., and five sons, Lewis Vinson, Nathaniel Vinson, Jr., David Vinson, John Vinson, and Dennis Vinson. She leaves to cherish her memories one daughter, Julia Golden, Wetumpka, AL; six sons, Willie Vinson, Clinton Vinson, Danny Vinson, all of Ocala, FL., Reginald Vinson, Fredrick Vinson, Jack Vinson, Calvin Vinson all of Montgomery, AL.; four sisters, Mae Will McKenzie, Montgomery, AL., Piccola Walker, Chicago, IL., Betty Rose, Gratsville, AL., Molly McMillian, Westland AL.; three brothers, cecil Ross, McKinley Ross both of Montgomery, AL and William Ross, Tampa, FL., 22 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren and 7 great-great grandchildren. Wake services will be held at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME Chapel on Wednesday, at 6 p.m. Viewing will be on Tuesday, May 8 at Sellers Funeral Home from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Funeral services will be held at Good Hope Baptist Church, Wetumpka, AL., on Saturday, May 12 at 11 a.m. Burial will be in Good Hope Baptist Church, Wetumpka, AL. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/8/2007 - 5/10/2007.

1714. VOSLOH, WILLIAM R. (Obituary No. 1714.), 91 Ocala - William R. Vosloh, 91, of Ocala, FL passed away Tuesday, May 8, 2007 in Ocala. He was born in Bloomfield, IN on February 4, 1916. He moved to the Ocala area from Cockeysville, Maryland. Mr. Vosloh attended Wabash College and then graduated from Indiana University School of Law. He retired from USF & G as a Claims Manager in Baltimore for over 30 years. Mr. Vosloh was a Presbyterian. Earlier in his life he coached Little League Baseball. He was an avid Indiana Basketball fan. He is survived by his wife of 57 years Joanne K. Vosloh of Ocala; son John (wife: Carol) K. Vosloh of Buford, GA; daughter Susanne (husband: Richard) Kipp of Ocala; brother Channing M. Vosloh of Bloomington, IN; niece Channa Beth Butcher of Martinsville, IN; 4 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL
1715. WHITE, JOSEPH E. (Obituary No. 1715.), 74 Citra - Joseph E. White, 74, of Citra, passed away May 4th at his home. Born in Dillon, Montana, he came to this area 24 years ago from Cross, SC. He was a retired contractor, US Army Veteran and Baptist by faith. He is survived by his son, Jerry White of Greenville, SC; step-sons, Donnie McCoy of Citra and Robert McCoy of California; step-daughters, Helen Merkley of Lake City and Bonnie Kirchgessner of Tallahassee; brothers, James M. White of Sparr and David White of Boise, Idaho; sister, Donna Bell Gilson of Washington, UT; several grandchildren, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, Magdealene White and sister, Mary Ellen Foster. A Graveside Service will be held at Millwood Cemetery, Reddick on Saturday (May 12th) at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, (606 SW 2nd Ave. 622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1716. WIED, JR., WALTER E. (Obituary No. 1716.), 87 Ocala - Walter E. Wied, Jr., age 87, of Ocala (OTOW) passed away on Tuesday, May 8, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Waupaca, Wisconsin on June 3, 1919. Mr. Wied worked for Allis Chalmers Corp. in Milwaukee, Wisc. as a Supervisor where he retired after 38 years. After retirement he moved to the Ocala area and eventually moved to On Top of The World where he and his wife enjoyed all the activities and their many friends. He was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church where he was active in the choir and the Men's Club. His hobbies included golf and bowling. He was an avid Milwaukee Brewers and Green Bay Packers fan. He was also a former member of the Lions Club. He is survived by his wife of 63 years Margaret D. Wied of Ocala (OTOW); son Donald (wife: Karen) Wied of Plainfield, Wisc.; son Dennis Wied of Milwaukee, Wisc.; daughter Nancy Krebs of Wauwatosa, Wisc.; daughter Denise (husband: David) Blanchard of Ocala, FL; sister Lois Severns of Stevens Point, Wisc.; sister Janet Wied of Plover, Wisc.; grandchildren Christopher, Curtis, Gregory, Julie, Jennifer, Jonathon and Nathan; great grandchildren Conner, Carter and Ava. He was predeceased by an infant granddaughter Jessica and son in law George. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Funeral service for Mr. Wied will be Saturday, May 12, 2:00pm at Ocala West United Methodist Church. Cremation will follow. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE. (352) 873-4114 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1717. WOODARD, TITUS RUSSELL (Obituary No. 1717.), 23 Ocala - Titus died on May 3, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at Bethel Baptist Church, Marion Oaks with Rev. Delbert Thompson Pastor, Rev. Reginald Thomas, Eulogist. Survivors include, mother, Jacqueline Woodard; sister, Amber Burse; father, Titus Woodard; maternal grandfather, Frank Lewis. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory that will never fade." Visitation will be on Friday, May 11, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

from Long Island, NY and was a former Nassau County police officer. Upon coming to Ocala, he was a cook in a number of nursing homes and assisted living facilities in Marion County, including The Bridge. Michael was of the Catholic faith and an avid outdoorsman. He is survived by 3 daughters, Dena Reinold and Laura Zuzio, both of Ocala, and Dawn Lodati of Huntington, NY; son, Michael Zuzio, Jr. of Bethpage, NY; sister, Patricia Guida of Palm Harbor, FL; parents, Pellegrino and Emilia Zuzio of New Port Richey, FL; grandchildren, Laura, Rose, Anthony, Nicholas and Rebecca. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, May 10, 2007 at 9 a.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Friday, May 11, 2007

1719. ALLMAN, SR., RICHARD "ROCKY" (Obituary No. 1719.), 33 Ocala - Richard "Rocky" Allman, Sr., 33, of Ocala passed away on Friday, May 4, 2007. Born in Alachua, Rocky has lived most of his life in Ocala. He was a member of First Love Church in Ocala and worked for Tru Green Chem Lawn. He loved Motorcycling and his children. He is survived by his daughter, Elexis Ann Allman of Ocala; son, Richard Dean Allman, Jr. of Ocala; father, Richard Recard of Orange Lake; brothers, Thomas (Lessette) Allman and Tony (Christine) Yancey of Ocala, and Wayne Mayfield of Griffin, GA; and sister Chaunda Cart of Hernando. He was preceded in death by his mother, Shirley Robinson. Services for Mr. Allman will be held on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 5 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be held on Friday, May 11, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. at Hiers Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Sheila Skittenhelm, 10195 SE 36th Ave, #2, Belleview, FL 34420 for his children. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1720. AMTHOR, JR., FRANKLIN R. (Obituary No. 1720.), 83 Summerfield - Franklin Amthor, 83 died Tuesday, May 8, 2007. Mr. Amthor was a retired Vice President of Engineering for G.E. & Westinghouse and a Army Air Corps WWII bomber pilot receiving a Purple Heart and a Silver Star. His hobbies were fishing, golfing, and fixing things around the house. Survivors include his wife Lyla, Summerfield; sons Franklin, Birmingham, AL; Carl, Harrisburg, PA; Terry, Arlington, VA; Eric, Christiansburg, VA; daughter, Tamara Galbraith, Dallas, TX; grandchildren, Phillip, Rachel, Sarah, Christopher and Michael Ryder. A memorial service will be held Wednesday, May 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd, The Villages, FL. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery with Military Honors. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or WWII Memorial, 1-800-639-4492. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1721. BETTS, SHERRY LEE (Obituary No. 1721.), 53 Summerfield - Mrs. Sherry Lee Betts, 53, of Summerfield passed away on Thursday, May 10, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Oneonta, NY, Mrs. Betts has lived most of her life in Marion County. She was a homemaker and loved to play darts. She is survived by her husband, Roger Bibeau of Summerfield; daughters, Samantha Gallup of Albany, GA and Racheal Lehman and Heaven Allman of Summerfield; sons, Richard Lawrence of Hickory, NC and Stephen Betts of Richmondville, NY; mother, Ruey Gould of Belleview, FL; sisters, Cynthia Jones of Summerfield, Susan Knotts of Ocala, Teresa Smith of Redhook, NY and Linda K. Martin of

1722. CHASSE, BRIAN MICHAEL (Obituary No. 1722.), 48 Ocala - Mr. Brian Michael Chasse, 48, passed away on May 5, 2007 in Ocala. He was born in Bethpage, NY, on May 21, 1958. He was an alarm technician. He moved here in 1987 from New York. He loved music and played the guitar. He is preceded in death by his parents, Felix and Dorothy Chasse. He is survived by his son Zachary of Ocala, FL; He has three brothers, Gerard of Portland, OR., Robert of Somersham, UK., and Ronald of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; He was Catholic by faith and a good father and a brother. A viewing will be Friday, May 11, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala and services will be on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 10 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/12/2007.

1723. CULPEPPER, EMMA LEWIS (Obituary No. 1723.), 92 Ocala - Mrs. Emma Lewis Culpepper, 92, transitation on May 5, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Culpepper was a retired house parent for the State of Florida. She was a member of Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, President of the Mass Choir, Deaconess Ministry, Mother of Shades Beige club and the Senior Citizen Golden age Club. She leaves to cherish her memories, devoted children, Betty Culpepper Isaac, Wayne Culpepper, Sr., (both of Ocala, FL), Daunte Culpepper (Kim) of Southwest Ranches, FL., Teretha McKinney, Nathaniel Lewis (Alice), Benjamin Gadson (Alisha), Annette Follins (Raymond), Ethel Burgess (Isaac), Geraldine Gadson, all of Ocala, FL., Leola Gadsden, J.B. Gadson, (both of St. Petersburg, FL), 12 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and godchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Culpepper will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, FL., Dr. George W. Lee, Pastor. Public visitation will be held on Friday at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church from 1 p.m. until 7 p.m. Interment will follow in the Jerusalem Cemetery. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1724. DENBLEYKER, STEVEN (Obituary No. 1724.), 58 Ocala - Mr. Steven DenBleyker, 58, a former employee of the Marion County Road Dept., passed away on April 15, 2007 in Ft. Walton Beach, FL. A graveside service will take place at Woodlawn Cemetery on Sunday, May 20, 2007 in 1 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. will be handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/12/2007.

1725. EUBANKS, CHARLES FRANKLIN (Obituary No. 1725.), 63 Ocala - Charles Franklin Eubanks, 63, died Sunday, May 6, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in New Bern, NC, August 15, 1943. He spent much of his life in South Florida. He is survived by his Wife Cheryl, and his two daughters Kim Harding Eubanks and Debbie Ogelsby. Two Sons, David and Glenn. His four Grandchildren Kyle, Shane, Charlie and Hannah. His brother James Eubanks of Gainesville, GA. His sister Shirley Lynch of Decatur, GA. Visitation will be Thursday, May 10,
2007 from 2-4 p.m. with military Honors at 4 p.m., at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1726. HARDY, ETHEL MAE (Obituary No. 1726.), 65 Ocala - Ms. Hardy went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, May 6, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Zion United Methodist Church with Rev. Altheria Lenon, Pastor conducting the services. She is survived by children, Theresa Hughes, Roland Hardy, Debbie Hardy, and Frank Hardy; brothers, Willie James Hardy and Willie Coleman, Jr.; sisters, Lula Mae Whitaker, Shelly Ann Scott, Lillian Glover, Mary Ingelton, and Betty Barren; 14 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Visitation will be Friday, May 11, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1727. HARRIS, VIRGINIA C. (Obituary No. 1727.), 84 Ocala - Virginia C. Harris, 84, of Ocala, FL passed away on May 9, 2007. A resident of Marion County since 1985. She is survived by five daughters, Virginia Cullen, Elizabeth Godduhn, Jacklynn Owen, Laurie Feliciano, and Eileen Harris; three sons, Richard, Edgar and Donald Harris; two sisters, Margie Otto and Netta Tierney; 20 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. The family will receive friends on Saturday, May 12, 2007 between the hours of 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. & 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday from 12 noon till 2 p.m., with services beginning at 2 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East. Interment will be held on Monday at Florida National Cemetery. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Cancer Society. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/12/2007.

1728. KING, ARINA (Obituary No. 1728.), 87 Ocala - Arina King, 87, homemaker, died on May 8, 2007 at Leesburg Regional Medical Center. She was a member of First Bethel Baptist Church Royal, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1729. LEMBO, LOUIS "LOUIE" (Obituary No. 1729.), 80 Ocala - Mr. Louis "Louie" Lembo, 80, passed away on May 4, 2007 at his home. He was born in Paterson, N.J. and moved to Marion County in 1972. He was the owner & operator of a NightClub. He was a 2nd class Petty Officer in the U.S. Navy during WWII. Survivors: son, Louis F. & Susan Lembo of Seminole, FL, daughters: Laura Lembo and Jan Lembo-Quiros both of Ocala, sisters: Josephine & Harry Good of Salisbury Mills, N.Y., Anne Marie Lamela of Mahwah, N.J., 6 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren, close friends Jodye & Steve Strickland of Ocala. Memorial Service will be on Friday, May 11, 2007 at 4:30 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/12/2007.

1730. MAXWELL, CATHERINE (Obituary No. 1730.), 78 Ocala - Catherine Maxwell, 78, house wife of Ocala, FL. Funeral Service will be held Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. G. W. Lee, Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Maxwell was born in Waycross, GA to the late Moses Wilford and Maggie Mae Watson. Survivors: 5 sons, James Maxwell, St. Louis, MO; George Maxwell, Hartford, CT; Ozell Maxwell, Robert Maxwell, and Willie Ray Taylor, Ocala, FL; 2 daughters, Maggie Busby,
Ocala, FL; Gwendolyn Clark Morgan, Columbia, TN; 4 brothers, William Rackard, Orlando, FL; Ralph Rackard, St. Augustine, FL; David Rackard, Tallahassee, FL Kenneth Cherry, Savannah, GA; 32 grands; 46 great grands; 2 great great grands. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens, under the direction of "Your Friends Who Cares" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME.

Visitation: Friday, May 11, 2007 from 9 a.m.-7:30 p.m. at the Funeral Home also Saturday at the church from 10 a.m. until service hour, No viewing after eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1731. PERRY, SR., FREEMAN (Obituary No. 1731.), 82 Flemington, FL - Freeman Perry, Sr., 82, mechanical lab technician, Flemington, FL will be held Saturday, May 12, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church at 11 a.m. with Rev. Michael Maeweather, Pastor presiding and Rev. Donnie James Eulogy. Mr. Perry attended Marion Public School and Florida A&M University. He was a US Army veteran. He was born March 3, 1925 in Flemington, FL to the late Willie Perry and Carrie Evans. Survivors include wife, Cherry Lee Perry, Flemington, FL; 2 sons, Freeman Perry, Jr., Lewes, DE., and Clarence Perry, Flemington, FL; 1 brother, Charlie Perry, Flemington, FL; 2 sisters, Ellen Moore, Orlando, FL., and Mary Perry, Bronx, NY; 4 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Interment will be at New Bethel Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, May 11, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the funeral home. Wake at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. Saturday at the church from 10 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1732. ROBERTS, DOLORES (Obituary No. 1732.), 77 Ocala - Mrs. Dolores Roberts, 77, passed away May 9, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Pembroke Pines, FL. She was Jewish, and loved her family and animals. She is survived by daughters, Geri Roberts of Ocala, April Roberts of North Miami Beach, FL.; and a granddaughter, Meghan Thrasher of Ocala; sister June Ritter of Hollywood, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, Morton Roberts. Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. on Friday, May 11, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Rabbi Samuel Herman officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/12/2007.

1733. SANDERFER, LEONA M. (Obituary No. 1733.), 80 Silver Springs - Leona Sanderfer, 80 passed away May 8, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She came to Florida in 1958 from their hometown of West Point, KY. She was born February 5, 1927 in Rock Haven, KY., to John and Laura Keith. Leona and her husband Joe, of 56 years, managed Lindale Mobile Home Park for over 20 years. After her husband's death in 2003 Leona managed the park until she retired in November 2006. Since that time she enjoyed every day being with her family and especially her grandson "RJ". At the time of her death she was surrounded by what matters to her most her children and grandchildren. Leona was one of eleven children and is survived by her loving brother, Kenneth Keith of Louisville, KY and her devoted children, Linda Burgess, South Carolina, Irene Kane and husband Marty, Ocala, Joey Sanderfer and wife Pam of Silver Springs, Anna Kendrick of Ocala, Jack and wife Patty of Belleview. Grandchildren, Michelle, T.J., Kory, Jesse, Diane, Bobby, James, Martin, Joey, Bradie, Shannon, Wendy, Jeremiah, Joshua, R.J. and 23 great grandchildren. A graveside service will be held Friday, May 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at

1734. STASIAK (nee Korwatch), DORIS (Obituary No. 1734.), 76 Ocala - Doris Stasiak (nee Korwatch), 76, died May 9, 2007 after a short illness. Born July 4, 1930 in Yonkers, NY to Michael and Katharine (nee Patrick) Korwatch, Doris was a graduate of Commerce High School. On February 4, 1951 she married Theodore Stasiak at St. Michael's Ukrainian Catholic Church in Yonkers, NY. Doris spent most of her life living on Long Island where she worked as a dental receptionist and enjoyed boating with her family and friends. She was a member and officer of Home Extension and an active parishioner at Ukrainian Family Catholic Church. In Florida, she was a member of TimberRidge Community Church where she was a part of the Prayer Bear Ministry and Head of the Sunshine and Visitation Committee. She was predeceased by her husband, Ted, and a brother, Lt. Harry Korwatch. Surviving are her son, Ted, of Ocala, FL., her sister, Kathryn Kerpchar (Michael) of Thornwood, New York, 2 nieces, Jill and Kate and 3 grand nephews, Max, Michael and Adam. A memorial service will be held Tuesday, May 15, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. A memorial gathering will be held at the funeral home prior to the service from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. A luncheon will follow the service and will be held at the Marion Landing Clubhouse at 12:30 p.m. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/12/2007.

1735. THORNES, DEACON EVANS LAWTON (Obituary No. 1735.), 92 Ocala - Deacon Evans Lawton Thornes, 92, went home to be with the Lord on May 5, 2007. Funeral services will be Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. at Bethlehem Baptist Church with Rev. Jason Sims officiating. He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Kathelia Thornes; daughters, Nancy Ellis and Shana Laster; son, Jimmy Thorne; 7 grandchildren. Visitation will be on Friday, May 11, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1736. VOSLOH, WILLIAM R. (Obituary No. 1736.), 91 Ocala - William R. Vosloh, 91, of Ocala, FL passed away Tuesday, May 8, 2007 in Ocala. He was born in Bloomfield, IN on February 4, 1916. He moved to the Ocala area from Cockeysville, Maryland. Mr. Vosloh attended Wabash College and then graduated from Indiana University School of Law. He retired from USF & G as a Claims Manager in Baltimore for over 30 years. Mr. Vosloh was a Presbyterian. Earlier in his life he coached Little League Baseball. He was an avid Indiana Basketball fan. He is survived by his wife of 57 years Joanne K. Vosloh of Ocala; son John (wife: Carol) K. Vosloh of Buford, GA; daughter Susanne (husband: Richard) Kipp of Ocala; brother Channing M. Vosloh of Bloomington, IN; niece Channa Beth Butcher of Martinsville, IN; 4 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE, Ocala, FL (352) 873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.
1737. WHITE, JOSEPH E. (Obituary No. 1737.), 74 Citra - Joseph E. White, 74, of Citra, passed away May 4th at his home. Born in Dillon, Montana, he came to this area 24 years ago from Cross, SC. He was a retired contractor, US Army Veteran and Baptist by faith. He is survived by his son, Jerry White of Greenville, SC; step-sons, Donnie McCoy of Citra and Robert McCoy of California; step-daughters, Helen Merkley of Lake City and Bonnie Kirchgessner of Tallahassee; brothers, James M. White of Sparr and David White of Boise, Idaho; sister, Donna Bell Gilson of Washington, UT; several grandchildren, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, Magdealene White and sister, Mary Ellen Foster. A Graveside Service will be held at Millwood Cemetery, Reddick on Saturday (May 12th) at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, (606 SW 2nd Ave. 622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1738. WIED, JR., WALTER E. (Obituary No. 1738.), 87 Ocala - Walter E. Wied, Jr., age 87, of Ocala (OTOW) passed away on Tuesday, May 8, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Waupaca, Wisconsin on June 3, 1919. Mr. Wied worked for Allis Chalmers Corp. in Milwaukee, Wisc. as a Supervisor where he retired after 38 years. After retirement he moved to the Ocala area and eventually moved to On Top of The World where he and his wife enjoyed all the activities and their many friends. He was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church where he was active in the choir and the Men's Club. His hobbies included golf and bowling. He was an avid Milwaukee Brewers and Green Bay Packers fan. He was also a former member of the Lions Club. He is survived by his wife of 63 years Margaret D. Wied of Ocala (OTOW); son Donald (wife: Karen) Wied of Plainfield, Wisc.; son Dennis Wied of Milwaukee, Wisc.; daughter Nancy Krebs of Wauwautosa, Wisc.; daughter Denise (husband: David) Blanchard of Ocala, FL; sister Lois Severns of Stevens Point, Wisc.; sister Janet Wied of Plover, Wisc.; grandchildren Christopher, Curtis, Gregory, Julie, Jennifer, Jonathon and Nathan; great grandchildren Conner, Carter and Ava. He was predeceased by an infant granddaughter Jessica and son in law George. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Funeral service for Mr. Wied will be Saturday, May 12, 2:00pm at Ocala West United Methodist Church. Cremation will follow. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE. (352) 873-4114 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1739. WOODARD, TITUS RUSSELL (Obituary No. 1739.), 23 Ocala - Titus died on May 3, 2007. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Bethel Baptist Church, Marion Oaks with Rev. Delbert Thompson Pastor, Rev. Reginald Thomas, Eulogist. Survivors include, mother, Jacqueline Woodard; sister, Amber Burse; father, Titus Woodard; maternal grandfather, Frank Lewis. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory that will never fade." Visitation will be on Friday, May 11, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

1740. ZUZIO, MICHAEL A. (Obituary No. 1740.), 56 Ocala - Michael A. Zuzio, 56, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, May 7, 2007. A native of Brooklyn, New York, he came here in 1987 from Long Island, NY and was a former Nassau County police officer. Upon coming to Ocala, he was a cook in a number of nursing homes and assisted living facilities in Marion County, including The Bridge. Michael was of the Catholic faith and an avid outdoorsman. He is
survived by 3 daughters, Dena Reinold and Laura Zuzio, both of Ocala, and Dawn Lodati of Huntington, NY; son, Michael Zuzio, Jr. of Bethpage, NY; sister, Patricia Guida of Palm Harbor, FL; parents, Pellegrino and Emilia Zuzio of New Port Richey, FL; grandchildren, Laura, Rose, Anthony, Nicholas and Rebecca. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, May 10, 2007 at 9 a.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/11/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Saturday, May 12, 2007

1741. ADAMS, VIRGIL L. (Obituary No. 1741.), 84 Ocala - Virgil L. Adams, 84, of Ocala, Florida, died on Friday, May 11th at Legacy House. He was born on May 31, 1922 in Bay City Michigan. He was the Beloved husband of Margaret for 41 years. He was the Father of Ellen Livingston, of Troy, Michigan, Eric Adams of N. Lauderdale, Florida and Margie Adams of Wixom, Michigan. He is also survived by two sisters, Dorothy of Oakhurst, California and Bernice of Las Vegas, Nevada and one brother Raymond of Sun City, Arizona. He was a Grandfather of three and Great Grandfather of one. He was a retired toolmaker for General Motors in Romulus, Michigan. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to Hospice of Marion County. Services will be held on Tuesday, May 15th at Queen of Peace Catholic Church at 1 p.m. in the Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1742. BETTS, SHERRY LEE (Obituary No. 1742.), 53 Summerfield - Mrs. Sherry Lee Betts, 53, of Summerfield passed away on Thursday, May 10, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Oneonta, NY, Mrs. Betts has lived most of her life in Marion County. She was a homemaker and loved to play darts. She is survived by her husband, Roger Bibeau of Summerfield; daughters, Samantha Gallup of Albany, GA and Racheal Lehman and Heaven Allman of Summerfield; sons, Richard Lawrence of Hickory, NC and Stephen Betts of Richmondville, NY; mother, Ruey Gould of Belleview, FL; sisters, Cynthia Jones of Summerfield, Susan Knotts of Ocala, Teresa Smith of Redhook, NY and Linda K. Martin of Ohio; brothers, Earl Kusnerak and Walter Smith of Hickory, NC, Kenneth Smith of Fleetwood, NC and Stanley Gould of Richmondville, NY; and 10 grandchildren. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/12/2007.

1743. CHASSE, BRIAN MICHAEL (Obituary No. 1743.), 48 Ocala - Mr. Brian Michael Chasse, 48, passed away on May 5, 2007 in Ocala. He was born in Bethpage, NY, on May 21, 1958. He was an alarm technician. He moved here in 1987 from New York. He loved music and played the guitar. He is preceded in death by his parents, Felix and Dorothy Chasse. He is survived by his son Zachary of Ocala, FL; He has three brothers, Gerard of Portland, OR., Robert of Somersham, UK., and Ronald of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; He was Catholic by faith and a good father and a brother. A viewing will be Friday, May 11, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala and services will be on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 10 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/12/2007.
1744. COULTHURST, JAMES L. "JIM" (Obituary No. 1744.), 86 Belleview - James L. "Jim" Coulthurst, 86, of Belleview, died Thursday, May 10, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Washburn, Wisconsin, he moved to this area from Three Lakes, Wisconsin in 1986. He was a member of Belleview United Methodist Church, and served in the US Army during World War II. He is survived by his wife Ann Coulthurst, daughter Nicola Nelson of IL, son Nick Egoroff of FL, 2 grandsons James and Grant Speakman of IL. He is preceded in death by his daughter Lynda Speakman. A memorial service will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, May 13, 2007 at Belleview United Methodist Church with Rev. Jon-Marc MacLean officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to United Methodist Children's Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1745. CROFT, EUNICE APEL (Obituary No. 1745.), 85 Silver Springs - Mrs. Croft of Silver Springs, FL passed away on Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at West Marion Hospital, Ocala, FL. A native of East Liverpool, Ohio, she has made Silver Springs her home since 1997 moving from Wellsville, Ohio. She was a homemaker and a devoted member of the Living Hope Community Church of Ocala. Preceded in death by her husband of 60 years Edmend Croft. Beloved mother of two daughters Carol L. Nelson and Sharon L. Hall of Hagerstown, MD, six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. Services will be held at 12:00 p.m. on Monday, May 14, 2007 at HIES FUNERAL HOME and conducted by Dr. Gerald E. Simmons, burial will follow at The Florida National Cemetery. Visitation will be held 2-4 p.m. on Sunday, May 13, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1746. DENBLEYKER, STEVEN (Obituary No. 1746.), 58 Ocala - Mr. Steven DenBleyker, 58, a former employee of the Marion County Road Dept., passed away on April 15, 2007 in Ft. Walton Beach, FL. A graveside service will take place at Woodlawn Cemetery on Sunday, May 20, 2007 in 1 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. will be handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/12/2007.

1747. GREEN, EARL M. "RED" (Obituary No. 1747.), 90 Warren, Ohio - Earl M. "Red" Green, 90, Willowbrook Dr. NE Warren, died 2:05 p.m. Sunday, May 6, 2007 at Windsor House of Champion following a short illness. He was born January 7, 1917 in Youngstown the son of Michael and Ella (Phillips) Landolt. He was a lifetime area resident moving to Florida in 1982 and returning to Warren in 2004. He served in the US Navy during WWII and was a millwright at Youngstown Sheet and Tube for 10 years and at Packard Electric for 34 years retiring in 1982. "Red" as he was known, was a 60 year member of Western Reserve Masonic Lodge #507 of West Farmington, BPO Elks Lodge #295, and the Warren Moose Lodge. He was a charter member of Bristol Springs Country Club, and a member of the North Bristol Christian Church. He enjoyed hunting and fishing and had traveled the world with his wife. He was preceded in death by his wife of 66 years, Dorothe N. (Norton) Green whom he married September 28, 1940, a sister Florence Venzieio, half-brother Charles Green, and half sister Eleanor. He is survived by a brother William Green Sr. nephews William Green Jr. and Carl Green all of Orlando, FL, nephews Carl Venzieio of Liberty Twp., Thomas Munson of Cortland, and niece Barbara Beach of Bristolville, numerous great nieces and nephews and great great nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be 3 p.m. Saturday, May 12, 2007 at ROBERTS-CLARK CHAPEL where
friends will be received for 1 hour prior to the service. Pastor Dale Briggs will officiate. Western Reserve Masonic Lodge will conduct memorial service at 1:45 p.m. His ashes will be entombed in the Forest Lawn Cemetery Mausoleum, Ocala, FL. Material contributions may be made to Hospice of the Valley 5190 Market St. Youngstown, OH 44512-2198 or to the North Bristol Christian Church 1955 Hyde Oakfield Rd. Bristolville, OH 44402. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1748. HANSON, EVERETT E. "POPSICLE" (Obituary No. 1748.), 75 Everett E. "Popsicle" Hanson, age 75, passed away Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at E. T. York Hospice Care Center in Gainesville, FL. Mr. Hanson was born in Bushnell, FL and was a lifetime resident of the area. He served in the United States Army and also worked as a heavy equipment operator on the railroad. He was an honorary member of Cracker Boys Hunt Club, lifetime member of Am Vets and NRA and also a member of Moose Legion. Mr. Hanson is survived by his sisters, Evelyn Crosby of Brooksville, FL; Betty Beckham of Gainesville, FL; 3 nephews, 2 nieces, 7 step grandchildren and 7 step great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Elma "Peggy" Hanson and son, Gene Hanson. A Graveside Service will be held Tuesday, May 15, 2007 at 11:00 A.M. at Providence Cemetery in Windsor. The Family will receive friends Monday, May 14, 2007, 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at Williams-Thomas Hawthorne Funeral Home, US 301 South at Lake Avenue. Those who wish may make a memorial contribution to Hospice of North Central Florida. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS HAWTHORNE (352) 481-4599. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1749. HARRIS, VIRGINIA C. (Obituary No. 1749.), 84 Ocala - Virginia C. Harris, 84, of Ocala, FL passed away on May 9, 2007. A resident of Marion County since 1985. She is survived by five daughters, Virginia Cullen, Elizabeth Godduhn, Jacklynn Owen, Laurie Feliciano, and Eileen Harris; three sons, Richard, Edgar and Donald Harris; two sisters, Margie Otto and Netta Tierney; 20 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. The family will receive friends on Saturday, May 12, 2007 between the hours of 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. & 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday from 12 noon till 2 p.m., with services beginning at 2 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East. Interment will be held on Monday at Florida National Cemetery. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Cancer Society. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/12/2007.

1750. HATCHETT, ROBERT JEFFERIES (Obituary No. 1750.), 86 Orange Lake - Robert Jefferies Hatchett, 86, of Orange Lake, passed away on Sunday, May 6, 2007 at the V.A. Medical Center in Gainesville. He was born in Orange Lake in 1920 and was a lifelong resident of Marion County. Mr. Hatchett was preceded in death by four brothers and two sisters. He is survived by three nieces, three nephews, and two sisters-in-law. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, May 14, 2007, in the McIntosh Cemetery, with Rev. James R. Walkup officiating. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1751. LEMBO, LOUIS "LOUIE" (Obituary No. 1751.), 80 Ocala - Mr. Louis "Louie" Lembo, 80, passed away on May 4, 2007 at his home. He was born in Paterson, N.J. and moved to Marion County in 1972. He was the owner & operator of a NightClub. He was a 2nd class Petty
Officer in the U.S. Navy during WWII. Survivors: son, Louis F. & Susan Lembo of Seminole, FL, daughters: Laura Lembo and Jan Lembo-Quiros both of Ocala, sisters: Josephine & Harry Good of Salisbury Mills, N.Y., Anne Marie Lamela of Mahwah, N.J., 6 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren, close friends Jodye & Steve Strickland of Ocala. Memorial Service will be on Friday, May 11, 2007 at 4:30 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/12/2007.

1752. PENa, BAUDELINO (Obituary No. 1752.), 76 Ocala - Baudelino Pena, 76, of Ocala, passed away on May 10, 2007. Native of Natagaima, Tolima, Colombia, came herein 1996 from Queens, NY. Parishioner of Blessed Trinity....survived by wife Patricia; daughter Diana McAbee; son Ivan Pena; brothers Felipe, Juan, Teofilo, Jorge, Rafael; sister Carmenza; grandchildren Anthony and Andre. Memorial mass Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 10 a.m. at La Guadalupana Catholic Church, 11153 W. Hwy 40, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1753. ROBERTS, DOLORES (Obituary No. 1753.), 77 Ocala - Mrs. Dolores Roberts, 77, passed away May 9, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Pembroke Pines, FL. She was Jewish, and loved her family and animals. She is survived by daughters, Geri Roberts of Ocala, April Roberts of North Miami Beach, FL.; and a granddaughter, Meghan Thrasher of Ocala; sister June Ritter of Hollywood, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, Morton Roberts. Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. on Friday, May 11, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Rabbi Samuel Berman officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1754. SANDERFER, LEONA M. (Obituary No. 1754.), 80 Silver Springs - Leona Sanderfer, 80, passed away May 8, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She came to Florida in 1958 from their hometown of West Point, KY. She was born February 5, 1927 in Rock Haven, KY., to John and Laura Keith. Leona and her husband Joe, of 56 years, managed Lindale Mobile Home Park for over 20 years. After her husband's death in 2003 Leona managed the park until she retired in November 2006. Since that time she enjoyed every day being with her family and especially her grandson "RJ". At the time of her death she was surrounded by what matters to her most her children and grandchildren. Leona was one of eleven children and is survived by her loving brother, Kenneth Keith of Louisville, KY and her devoted children, Linda Burgess, South Carolina, Irene Kane and husband Marty, Ocala, Joey Sanderfer and wife Pam of Silver Springs, Anna Kendrick of Ocala, Jack and wife Patty of Belleview. Grandchildren, Michelle, T.J., Kory, Jesse, Diane, Bobby, James, Martin, Joey, Bradie, Shannon, Wendy, Jeremiah, Joshua, R.J. and 23 great grandchildren. A graveside service will be held Friday, May 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park with Chaplain Tom Carson officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Choice Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1755. STASIAK (nee Korwatch), DORIS (Obituary No. 1755.), 76 Ocala - Doris Stasiak (nee Korwatch), 76, died May 9, 2007 after a short illness. Born July 4, 1930 in Yonkers, NY to Michael and Katharine (nee Patrick) Korwatch, Doris was a graduate of Commerce High School.
On February 4, 1951 she married Theodore Stasiak at St. Michael's Ukrainian Catholic Church in Yonkers, NY. Doris spent most of her life living on Long Island where she worked as a dental receptionist and enjoyed boating with her family and friends. She was a member and officer of Home Extension and an active parishioner at Ukrainian Family Catholic Church. In Florida, she was a member of TimberRidge Community Church where she was a part of the Prayer Bear Ministry and Head of the Sunshine and Visitation Committee. She was predeceased by her husband, Ted, and a brother, Lt. Harry Korwatch. Surviving are her son, Ted, of Ocala, FL., her sister, Kathryn Kerpchar (Michael) of Thornwood, New York, 2 nieces, Jill and Kate and 3 grand nephews, Max, Michael and Adam. A memorial service will be held Tuesday, May 15, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. A memorial gathering will be held at the funeral home prior to the service from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. A luncheon will follow the service and will be held at the Marion Landing Clubhouse at 12:30 p.m. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/12/2007.

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1756. ADAMS, VIRGIL L. (Obituary No. 1756.), 84 Ocala - Virgil L. Adams, 84, of Ocala, Florida, died on Friday, May 11th at Legacy House. He was born on May 31, 1922 in Bay City Michigan. He was the Beloved husband of Margaret for 41 years. He was the Father of Ellen Livingston, of Troy, Michigan, Eric Adams of N. Lauderdale, Florida and Margie Adams of Wixom, Michigan. He is also survived by two sisters, Dorothy of Oakhurst, California and Bernice of Las Vegas, Nevada and one brother Raymond of Sun City, Arizona. He was a Grandfather of three and Great Grandfather of one. He was a retired toolmaker for General Motors in Romulus, Michigan. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to Hospice of Marion County. Services will be held on Tuesday, May 15th at Queen of Peace Catholic Church at 1 p.m. in the Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1757. CATHCART, RONALD A. (Obituary No. 1757.), 67 Ocala - Ronald A. Cathcart, 67, of Ocala, died May 10, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. He was born in Springfield, MA and moved to this area from Ft. Lauderdale, FL in 1977. Mr. Cathcart was a retired truck driver for Evans Concrete. He was Baptist by faith and a veteran of the US Army Air Corps serving in Korea. Survivors include his wife, Carolyn of Ocala; daughter, Laura Langford of Louisiana; sons, Lenny Cathcart of Eustis, FL, Julius Moore of Ocala, Terry Moore of Orlando, John Moore of Bellevue; brother, Dennis Cathcart of Sarasota; sister, Patricia "Trish" Tomasovich of Ocala; half-brother, Bob "Tex" Burger of Melbourne; 15 grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and other loving family and friends. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m., Monday, May 14, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. A gathering will be 30 minutes prior to the service. Family requests no flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/13/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1758. CIRINO, SR., RAYMOND WILLIAM (Obituary No. 1758.), 86 Ocala - Ray was born in Bethlehem, PA on Nov. 15th, 1920. He passed away on May 7th at Munroe Regional Hospital. He graduated high school in 1939, but not before entering the Jimmy Dorsey talent shown in
New York. After winning second place on trumpet, he was called to join the Dorsey band. He chose to graduate high school and turned down the offer. At age 15, he started his own band, which worked Pocono Summer Resorts. From that time forward, music became his lifelong profession. In 1942, he volunteered for the US Army, joined the Aberdeen Proving Ground 324th Special Services Orchestra and was soon chosen to direct the Base Dance Band. The service bands lead Victory Bond Parades and official military events during WWII. He was honorably discharged from the Army in 1945 and for three years toured on the road with various combos, both in the east and mid-west. Ray's talent continued to grow when he studied arranging and composing with professionals in the Northeast. To take advantage of the G.I. Bill, Ray applied to Julliard and the University of Miami. While attending college he performed on piano, trumpet, electric bass and composed arrangements for singers and musical groups along Florida's Gold Coast. Upon receiving his Bachelor of Music degree in music, he married fellow classmate Delia Graham, settled in North Miami Beach and raised a family. Ray performed cutting edge Jazz from Palm Beach to the Miami Beach Strip for 34 years. During this time one of his bands played summers in Cocoa Beach at the Cape Colony Inn. He befriended the 7 Mercury Astronauts who frequented the club, and jammed with spaceman greats, John Glenn and Alan Shepard, who played trumpet and saxophone. Ray and Delia moved to Ocala in 1982. His band performed for the original Grand Opening of the Appleton Museum, and more recently, MRMC's new addition. Since then, the JUST FRIENDS Trio can be heard in the Palmer Lobby every Monday where he played piano. He kept a busy music schedule until his health began to fail in April of this year. Ray is a member of Broadcast Music, INC. (BMI). He wrote incidental music for feature films with his film composer son. Locally, he is a member of SHASTA, NAMI and Druid Hills United Methodist Church. He is survived by his wife, Delia, three sons, Charles and Raymond, Jr. of Los Angeles, CA and Albert of Belleview, FL. He has two grandsons, Ell and Zachary. A surviving older brother, Albert, resides in Sun City Center, FL. Two sisters preceded him death. A memorial service will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, May 13, 2007 at Belleview United Methodist Church with Rev. Jon-Marc MacLean officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to United Methodist Children's Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/13/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1759. COULTHURST, JAMES L. "JIM" (Obituary No. 1759.), 86 Belleview - James L. "Jim" Coulthurst, 86, of Belleview, died Thursday, May 10, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Washburn, Wisconsin, he moved to this area from Three Lakes, Wisconsin in 1986. He was a member of Belleview United Methodist Church, and served in the US Army during World War II. He is survived by his wife Ann Coulthurst, daughter Nicola Nelson of IL, son Nick Egoroff of FL, 2 grandsons James and Grant Speakman of IL. He is preceded in death by his daughter Lynda Speakman. A memorial service will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, May 13, 2007 at Belleview United Methodist Church with Rev. Jon-Marc MacLean officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to United Methodist Children's Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1760. CROFT, EUNICE APEL (Obituary No. 1760.), 85 Silver Springs - Mrs. Croft of Silver Springs, FL passed away on Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at West Marion Hospital, Ocala, FL. A native of East Liverpool, Ohio, she has made Silver Springs her home since 1997 moving from Wellsville, Ohio. She was a homemaker and a devoted member of the Living Hope Community Church of Ocala. Preceded in death by her husband of 60 years Edmend Croft. Beloved mother of two daughters Carol L. Nelson and Sharon L. Hall of Hagerstown, MD, six grandchildren and
eight great-grandchildren. Services will be held at 12:00 p.m. on Monday, May 14, 2007 at HIER'S FUNERAL HOME and conducted by Dr. Gerald E. Simmons, burial will follow at The Florida National Cemetery. Visitation will be held 2-4 p.m. on Sunday, May 13, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1761. EASTEP, DOROTHY EARLY (Obituary No. 1761.), 78 Micanopy - A celebration of Life Ceremony will be held at Dorothy's home on May 19, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. Our beloved mother, grandmother/nana, sister and friend died unexpectedly, but peacefully at her home, on April 18. Dot was a retired professional pianist and well-known piano teacher in the Micanopy and Gainesville areas for over four decades. She cherished her family, friends and many pets. Dot was lively and independent woman. She will be missed. Dot was born in Quantico, Virginia on April 15, 1929. She moved to Pennsylvania in 1945 and to Florida in 1953. Dot had many fond memories of growing up in the town of Quantico, surrounded by a Marine base and the FBI training facility. In 2005 she was pleased to visit Quantico and reunite with a close friend she had not seen for almost 60 years. She took pleasure in traveling to visit children and grandchildren in Texas, Arizona and Alberta, Canada. Dot's last weeks were also fun and enjoyable. She spoke with family members recently. She spent two weeks on a European tour to celebrate her 78th birthday. She enjoyed time with close friends, including the Lunch Bunch, during her last days. Dot and Ed served in the Peace Corps stationed in Guatemala, during the early 1980's. Dot was a charter member of the Marine Corps Heritage Foundation and supporter of the National Museum of the Marine Corps Museum in Quantico. Local volunteer activity included several positions in the Friends of the Micanopy Library, the Micanopy Mad Hatters Red Hat group (Queen), Micanopy Homemakers Club (FAHCE) and the Micanopy Fall Festival Committee. Dot was predeceased by her husband of 52 years, Edgar Daniel Eastep, in December 1999, and by her parents Ben and Grovie Early. She is survived by daughter and family, Susan and Charles Ramirez (sons Danny and Frank), son and family Michael and Bush Eastep (son Benjamin), brother and family Benjamin and Shizuno Early (daughter Nancy Byron). If desired, donations may be made in Dorothy's name to the Friends of Micanopy Library (352-466-3122), or to a charity of your choice. The family wishes to express their thanks to Dot's many friends who made her life enjoyable, especially the last few years when she and her pets lived alone in the Micanopy family home. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN 352-376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/13/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1762. GREEN, EARL M. "RED" (Obituary No. 1762.), 90 Warren, Ohio - Earl M. "Red" Green, 90, Willowbrook Dr. NE Warren, died 2:05 p.m. Sunday, May 6, 2007 at Windsor House of Champion following a short illness. He was born January 7, 1917 in Youngstown the son of Michael and Ella (Phillips) Landolt. He was a lifetime area resident moving to Florida in 1982 and returning to Warren in 2004. He served in the US Navy during WWII and was a millwright at Youngstown Sheet and Tube for 10 years and at Packard Electric for 34 years retiring in 1982. "Red" as he was known, was a 60 year member of Western Reserve Masonic Lodge #507 of West Farmington, BPO Elks Lodge #295, and the Warren Moose Lodge. He was a charter member of Bristol Springs Country Club, and a member of the North Bristol Christian Church. He enjoyed hunting and fishing and had traveled the world with his wife. He was preceded in death by his wife of 66 years, Dorothe N. (Norton) Green whom he married September 28, 1940, a sister Florence Venzeio, half-brother Charles Green, and half sister Eleanor. He is survived by
a brother William Green Sr. nephews William Green Jr. and Carl Green all of Orlando, FL, nephews Carl Venzeio of Liberty Twp., Thomas Munson of Cortland, and niece Barbara Beach of Bristolville, numerous great nieces and nephews and great great nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be 3 p.m. Saturday, May 12, 2007.

ROBERTS-CLARK CHAPEL where friends will be received for 1 hour prior to the service. Pastor Dale Briggs will officiate. Western Reserve Masonic Lodge will conduct memorial service at 1:45 p.m. His ashes will be entombed in the Forest Lawn Cemetery Mausoleum, Ocala, FL. Material contributions may be made to Hospice of the Valley 5190 Market St. Youngstown, OH 44512-2198 or to the North Bristol Christian Church 1955 Hyde Oakfield Rd. Bristolville, OH 44402. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1763. HANSON, EVERETT E. "POPSICLE" (Obituary No. 1763.), 75 Everett E. "Popsicle" Hanson, age 75, passed away Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at E. T. York Hospice Care Center in Gainesville, FL. Mr. Hanson was born in Bushnell, FL and was a lifetime resident of the area. He served in the United States Army and also worked as a heavy equipment operator on the railroad. He was an honorary member of Cracker Boys Hunt Club, lifetime member of Am Vets and NRA and also a member of Moose Legion. Mr. Hanson is survived by his sisters, Evelyn Crosby of Brooksville, FL; Betty Beckham of Gainesville, FL; 3 nephews, 2 nieces, 7 step grandchildren and 7 step great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Elma "Peggy" Hanson and son, Gene Hanson. A Graveside Service will be held Tuesday, May 15, 2007 at 11:00 A.M. at Providence Cemetery in Windsor. The Family will receive friends Monday, May 14, 2007, 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at Williams-Thomas Hawthorne Funeral Home, US 301 South at Lake Avenue. Those who wish may make a memorial contribution to Hospice of North Central Florida. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS HAWTHORNE (352) 481-4599. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1764. HATCHETT, ROBERT JEFFERIES (Obituary No. 1764.), 86 Orange Lake - Robert Jefferies Hatchett, 86, of Orange Lake, passed away on Sunday, May 6, 2007 at the V.A. Medical Center in Gainesville. He was born in Orange Lake in 1920 and was a lifelong resident of Marion County. Mr. Hatchett was preceded in death by four brothers and two sisters. He is survived by three nieces, three nephews, and two sisters-in-law. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, May 14, 2007, in the McIntosh Cemetery, with Rev. James R. Walkup officiating. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1765. HODGSON, THOMAS PATRICK (HAWG) (Obituary No. 1765.), 25 Ocala - Thomas Patrick (Hawg), 25, passed away on Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at his residence. He had lived most of his lifetime in Ocala and his favorite hobbies were fishing and playing golf. He and his father Eric owned and operated Father & Son Painting Contractors. He is survived by his father Eric of Ocala and his companion Cayce Watkins of Ocala and numerous friends. A memorial service will be held on Monday, May 14, 2007 at 6:00 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Pastor Ken Brown officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/13/2007 - 5/14/2007.
1766. MAYHEW, ROBERT JAMES (Obituary No. 1766.), 54 Silver Springs - Robert James Mayhew, 54 of Silver Springs, FL passed away May 11, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center after a long illness. He was born in Ft. Rucker, AL and moved to the Silver Springs area as a young boy. He was a Vietnam Veteran, a former EMT/Paramedic for Marion County, and a member of the Paralyzed Veterans Assoc. He was also a Cub Master for Pack 201 in the forest. He is survived by his wife Jackie Mayhew, son Robert Jr., daughter Teresa M. Farrell, granddaughter Brooke Farrell, grandson Sydney Mayhew, and great granddaughter Aryanna McGee, all of Silver Springs. He is also survived by a granddaughter Tori Murray of Port St. Lucie, brother Ted Mayhew of Silver Springs, sister Cheryl Powell of Raleigh, NC, and sister Sandy Christenbury also NC. A small memorial for family and friends will be held at the family home on Saturday, May 19th from 5 to 9 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/13/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1767. PENA, BAUDELINO (Obituary No. 1767.), 76 Ocala - Baudelino Pena, 76, of Ocala, passed away on May 10, 2007. Native of Natagaima, Tolima, Colombia, came herein 1996 from Queens, NY. Parishioner of Blessed Trinity....survived by wife Patricia; daughter Diana McAbee; son Ivan Pena; brothers Felipe, Juan, Teofilo, Jorge, Rafael; sister Carmenza; grandchildren Anthony and Andre. Memorial mass Saturday, May 12, 2007 at 10 a.m. at La Guadalupana Catholic Church, 11153 W. Hwy 40, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1768. ROBERTS, DOLORES (Obituary No. 1768.), 77 Ocala - Mrs. Dolores Roberts, 77, passed away May 9, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Pembroke Pines, FL. She was Jewish, and loved her family and animals. She is survived by daughters, Geri Roberts of Ocala, April Roberts of North Miami Beach, FL.; and a granddaughter, Meghan Thrasher of Ocala; sister June Ritter of Hollywood, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, Morton Roberts. Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. on Friday, May 11, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Rabbi Samuel Berman officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/11/2007 - 5/13/2007.

1769. SANDERFER, LEONA M. (Obituary No. 1769.), 80 Silver Springs - Leona Sanderfer, 80 passed away May 8, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She came to Florida in 1958 from their hometown of West Point, KY. She was born February 5, 1927 in Rock Haven, KY., to John and Laura Keith. Leona and her husband Joe, of 56 years, managed Lindale Mobile Home Park for over 20 years. After her husband's death in 2003 Leona managed the park until she retired in November 2006. Since that time she enjoyed every day being with her family and especially her grandson "RJ". At the time of her death she was surrounded by what matters to her most her children and grandchildren. Leona was one of eleven children and is survived by her loving brother, Kenneth Keith of Louisville, KY and her devoted children, Linda Burgess, South Carolina, Irene Kane and husband Marty, Ocala, Joey Sanderfer and wife Pam of Silver Springs, Anna Kendrick of Ocala, Jack and wife Patty of Belleview. Grandchildren, Michelle, T.J., Kory, Jesse, Diane, Bobby, James, Martin, Joey, Bradie, Shannon, Wendy, Jeremiah, Joshua, R.J. and 23 great grandchildren. A graveside service will be held Friday, May 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park with Chaplain Tom Carson officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial
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1770. WHETZEL, VICTOR C. (Obituary No. 1770.), 79 Summerfield - Victor C. Whetzel, 79, died May 11, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. He was born in Nokesville, VA on Nov. 8, 1927. He moved to Central Florida in 1974 from Bangor, PA. A Navy veteran of WWII, he was a retired carpenter, and a member of Victory Baptist Church, Summerfield, Moose Lodge #1199, American Legion #284, VFW (Life Member) #8083, and DAV (Life Member) #85. He formed "THE COUNTRY ROADS" band in 1974 and is well known for playing venues all over Central Florida. He is survived by his wife of 47 years Patricia A. Whetzel of Summerfield, FL; sons Robert C. Whetzel (Suzi) of Lakeland, FL and Victor W. Whetzel (Sharon) of Summerfield, FL; daughter Carla Marie Finnegan of Paw Paw, West Virginia; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held in the near future. Memorial donations in his honor may be made to The Humane Society, 10699 SW 105th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34481 or the SPCA of Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/13/2007 - 5/14/2007.

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1775. GLENN, RICHARD R. (Obituary No. 1775.), 73 Ocala - Richard R. Glenn, age 73, of Ocala passed away May 13, 2007 at Sylvia's House. He was born August 11, 1933 in Brooklyn, NY. He was a veteran serving in the US Navy, and he retired form the Norwalk Board of Education as the head custodian. he was an avid bowler and a member of the Silver Springs Moose Lodge No. 1199. Preceded in death by his parents Robert and Mildred Glenn and his sister Barbara Costello. Richard is survived by his wife of 30 years, Eva B. Glenn of Ocala, stepson, Wesley James of Brooklyn, NY., his brother-in-law, James A. Costello of Stratford, CT., nieces, Carol Bass of Fairfield, CT., Joan Cataldo of Shelton, CT., and Kathy Barnett of Melbourne, FL., nephew, Dennis Timms of Jacksonville, NC., and several great nieces and nephews. Graveside services pending at Highland Memorial Park with entombment to follow. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1776. HATCHETT, ROBERT JEFFERIES (Obituary No. 1776.), 86 Orange Lake - Robert Jefferies Hatchett, 86, of Orange Lake, passed away on Sunday, May 6, 2007 at the V.A. Medical Center in Gainesville. He was born in Orange Lake in 1920 and was a lifelong resident of Marion County. Mr. Hatchett was preceded in death by four brothers and two sisters. He is survived by three nieces, three nephews, and two sisters-in-law. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, May 14, 2007, in the McIntosh Cemetery, with Rev. James R. Walkup officiating. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/12/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1777. HODGSON, THOMAS PATRICK (HAWG) (Obituary No. 1777.), 25 Ocala - Thomas Patrick (Hawg), 25, passed away on Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at his residence. He had lived most of his lifetime in Ocala and his favorite hobbies were fishing and playing golf. He and his father Eric owned and operated Father & Son Painting Contractors. He is survived by his father Eric of Ocala and his companion Cayce Watkins of Ocala and numerous friends. A memorial service will be held on Monday, May 14, 2007 at 6:00 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Pastor Ken Brown officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/13/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1778. HOLLETT, MELVIN A. (Obituary No. 1778.), 68 Ocala - Melvin A. Hollett, 68, passed away on May 12, 2007 in Ocala, FL. A native of Monroe, Michigan, he came to this area 23 years ago. He retired from Winn-Dixie as a Meat Cutter working here in Ocala for the past 15
years. He was an avid deer hunter and enjoyed time with his family. He was of the Catholic Faith. He is survived by his wife Frances J. Hollett, a son, Mark Hollett, a brother, Bob Hollett and two grandchildren: Sarah Hollett and Travis Dennison, all of Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/14/2007 - 5/15/2007.

1779. MAYHEW, ROBERT JAMES (Obituary No. 1779.), 54 Silver Springs - Robert James Mayhew, 54 of Silver Springs, FL passed away May 11, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center after a long illness. He was born in Ft. Rucker, AL and moved to the Silver Springs area as a young boy. He was a Vietnam Veteran, a former EMT/Paramedic for Marion County, and a member of the Paralyzed Veterans Assoc. He was also a Cub Master for Pack 201 in the forest. He is survived by his wife Jackie Mayhew, son Robert Jr., daughter Teresa M. Farrell, granddaughter Brooke Farrell, grandson Sydney Mayhew, and great granddaughter Aryanna McGee, all of Silver Springs. He is also survived by a granddaughter Tori Murray of Port St. Lucie, brother Ted Mayhew of Silver Springs, sister Cheryl Powell of Raleigh, NC, and sister Sandy Christenbury also NC. A small memorial for family and friends will be held at the family home on Saturday, May 19th from 5 to 9 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/13/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1780. SANDERFER, LEONA M. (Obituary No. 1780.), 80 Silver Springs - Leona Sanderfer, 80 passed away May 8, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She came to Florida in 1958 from their hometown of West Point, KY. She was born February 5, 1927 in Rock Haven, KY., to John and Laura Keith. Leona and her husband Joe, of 56 years, managed Lindale Mobile Home Park for over 20 years. After her husband's death in 2003 Leona managed the park until she retired in November 2006. Since that time she enjoyed every day being with her family and especially her grandson "RJ". At the time of her death she was surrounded by what matters to her most her children and grandchildren. Leona was one of eleven children and is survived by her loving brother, Kenneth Keith of Louisville, KY and her devoted children, Linda Burgess, South Carolina, Irene Kane and husband Marty, Ocala, Joey Sanderfer and wife Pam of Silver Springs, Anna Kendrick of Ocala, Jack and wife Patty of Belleview. Grandchildren, Michelle, T.J., Kory, Jesse, Diane, Bobby, James, Martin, Joey, Bradie, Shannon, Wendy, Jeremiah, Joshua, R.J. and 23 great grandchildren. A graveside service will be held Friday, May 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park with Chaplain Tom Carson officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Choice Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/10/2007 - 5/14/2007.

1781. WHETZEL, VICTOR C. (Obituary No. 1781.), 79 Summerfield - Victor C. Whetzel, 79, died May 11, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. He was born in Nokesville, VA on Nov. 8, 1927. He moved to Central Florida in 1974 from Bangor, PA. A Navy veteran of WWII, he was a retired carpenter, and a member of Victory Baptist Church, Summerfield, Moose Lodge #1199, American Legion #284, VFW (Life Member) #8083, and DAV (Life Member) #85. He formed "THE COUNTRY ROADS" band in 1974 and is well known for playing venues all over Central Florida. He is survived by his wife of 47 years Patricia A. Whetzel of Summerfield, FL; sons Robert C. Whetzel (Suzi) of Lakeland, FL and Victor W. Whetzel (Sharon) of Summerfield, FL; daughter Carla Marie Finnegan of Paw Paw, West Virginia; seven grandchildren; and five great-
grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held in the near future. Memorial donations in his honor may be made to The Humane Society, 10699 SW 105th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34481 or the SPCA of Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/13/2007 - 5/14/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, May 15, 2007

1782. CLIFTON, EDWARD STEPHEN (Obituary No. 1782.), 41 Ocala - Mr. Edward Stephen "Eddie" Clifton, age 41, of Ocala, Florida died on Friday, May 11, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Lewes, Delaware and moved to Ocala, Florida in 2006 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. He was a welder with JRS Custom Fabrications of Ocala. He was a member of Ocala Life center and attended Church at the Springs. He loved fishing, horseback riding, hanging out with his friends and his Bible Study. He is survived by his parents, Frank and Gertrude A. "Trudy" Barrett of Peyton, Colorado, his (2) brothers, Lloyd Clifton of Virginia Beach, VA., and Scott Clifton of Ft. Lauderdale, FL., also a niece, Brittney Clifton of Norfolk, VA. There will be a visitation at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, Florida 34471, today from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. A memorial service will follow at 2 p.m. at the Trinity Baptist Church, 1700 SE 58th Ave., Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/16/2007.

1783. GENDRON, YVETTE L.G. (Obituary No. 1783.), 77 Dunnellon - Yvette Gendron, 77, of Dunnellon, Florida, passed away at her residence, Saturday, May 12, 2007 with her husband of 52 years, Donald at her side. A native of Paris, France, she moved to Dunnellon in 2003, coming from Attleboro, Massachusetts. Mrs. Gendron was a member of St. John The Baptist Catholic Church. She is survived by her husband, Donald J. Gendron of Dunnellon and several nieces and nephews. A Catholic Memorial Mass will be said, Thursday, May 17, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at St. John Baptist Catholic Church with Fr. Joe Pinchock, officiating. A repast will follow the Mass. Inurnment will follow at Florida National Cemetery at a later date. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/16/2007.

1784. GLENN, RICHARD R. (Obituary No. 1784.), 73 Ocala - Richard R. Glenn, age 73, of Ocala passed away May 13, 2007 at Sylvia's House. He was born August 11, 1933 in Brooklyn, NY. He was a veteran serving in the US Navy, and he retired form the Norwalk Board of Education as the head custodian. he was an avid bowler and a member of the Silver Springs Moose Lodge No. 1199. Preceded in death by his parents Robert and Mildred Glenn and his sister Barbara Costello. Richard is survived by his wife of 30 years, Eva B. Glenn of Ocala, stepson, Wesley James of Brooklyn, NY., his brother-in-law, James A. Costello of Stratford, CT., nieces, Carol Vass of Fairfield, CT., Joan Cataldo of Shelton, CT., and Kathy Barnett of Melbourne, FL., nephew, Dennis Timms of Jacksonville, NC., and several great nieces and nephews. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 15, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park with entombment to follow. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/14/2007 - 5/16/2007.

1785. HOLLETT, MELVIN A. (Obituary No. 1785.), 68 Ocala - Melvin A. Hollett, 68, passed away on May 12, 2007 in Ocala, FL. A native of Monroe, Michigan, he came to this area 23 years ago. He retired from Winn-Dixie as a Meat Cutter working here in Ocala for the past 15
years. He was an avid deer hunter and enjoyed time with his family. He was of the Catholic Faith. He is survived by his wife Frances J. Hollett, a son, Mark Hollett, a brother, Bob Hollett and two grandchildren: Sarah Hollett and Travis Dennison, all of Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/14/2007 - 5/15/2007.

1786. KITCHEN, DENNIS (Obituary No. 1786.), 48 Fort McCoy - Mr. Kitchen, 48, of Fort McCoy, formerly of Rockford, Michigan passed away on Wednesday, May 9, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He worked as a driver for Kamminga & Roodevoets Construction in Grand Rapids, MI before moving to Florida to care for his wife's Grandfather and lived out his last few wonderful years with his loving wife Sandra. Dennis's favorite things were taking his boat down the river to fish, feeding the birds on the back porch then settling on the back porch to watch them, especially the humming birds. He will be remembered by his family as a loving husband, father, brother and son-in-law, leaving behind wife Sandra Kitchen; daughter Ashley Kitchen; three sisters Judy, Lynn, and Darlene; nieces and nephew. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/16/2007.

1787. RUSSELL, JOHN SMART (Obituary No. 1787.), 87 Ocala - John Smart Russell, 87, of Ocala, FL., died May 9, 2007 at the Malcolm Randall VA Medical Center, Gainesville, FL after a lengthy illness. He was a high school teacher in Willoughby, Ohio. He leaves a loving wife, Beth of Cumming, GA; four grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Services to be held at Ocala West United Methodist Church, Friday, May 18, 2007 at 10 a.m. Interment at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE - CLEARWATER, FL. 727-467-0922. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/16/2007.

1788. SCHLIE, THOMAS F. (Obituary No. 1788.), 81 Ocala - Thomas F. Schlie, 81, of Belleview, FL., died Wednesday, May 9, 2007 at his residence after a long illness. Born in Brooklyn, NY, was a retired Electrician for the Rail Road. Tom was a Navy Vet. And a member of the VFW. He enjoyed collecting trains, and setting up his Christmas town display. He enjoyed playing poker. He was of the Catholic Faith. Tom is survived by daughter Tracy Russ of Belleview, FL., son Walter Schlie of NY., son Billy Schlie of Mastic, NY., son Bobby Schlie of VA., son Thomas Schlie, Jr. of Mastic, NY., daughter Debbie Thomas of Mastic, NY., brother Bud Schlie of Belmont, NY., sister Rose Donahue of NY., sister Jean Henis of Melbourne, FL., 15 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/16/2007.

1789. STANDLEY, CHARTON DEAN (Obituary No. 1789.), 55 Ocala - C. Dean Standley, 55, of Ocala, FL., formerly of East Liverpool, Ohio, died Thursday, May 10, 2007, following a brief illness. He was born in East Liverpool, January 24, 1952, a son of the late Paul W. Standley and Ruth J. Barnhart Standley. Mr. Standley graduated from East Liverpool High School in 1970. He was employed as a warehouseman for several companies. He leaves behind a son, Christopher Daniel; two brothers, Paul M. Standley of Centerville, OH., and Tom A. Standley of Dickson, TN.; two sisters, Nancy J. Waite and Marsha L Welsh of Medina, OH. he was preceded in death
by his twin brother, C. Daniel Standley. In lieu of flowers contributions may be to the Millennium Dog Park in Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/16/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, May 16, 2007

1790. CLIFTON, EDWARD STEPHEN (Obituary No. 1790.), 41 Ocala - Mr. Edward Stephen "Eddie" Clifton, age 41, of Ocala, Florida died on Friday, May 11, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Lewes, Delaware and moved to Ocala, Florida in 2006 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. He was a welder with JRS Custom Fabrications of Ocala. He was a member of Ocala Life center and attended Church at the Springs. He loved fishing, horseback riding, hanging out with his friends and his Bible Study. He is survived by his parents, Frank and Gertrude A. "Trudy" Barrett of Peyton, Colorado, his (2) brothers, Lloyd Clifton of Virginia Beach, VA., and Scott Clifton of Ft. Lauderdale, FL., also a niece, Brittney Clifton of Norfolk, VA. There will be a visitation at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, Florida 34471, today from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. A memorial service will follow at 2 p.m. at the Trinity Baptist Church, 1700 SE 58th Ave., Ocala, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/16/2007.

1791. FRANKLIN, JOSEPH E. (Obituary No. 1791.), 69 Ocala - Mr. Joseph Earl Franklin, 69, of Ocala passed away on Sunday, May 13, 2007 at home. He was born in Gadsden, Alabama and moved to Ocala in 1982. He retired as SFC from the US Army in 1977, with 22 years service. He was a member of the VFW, DAV, and the Purple Heart Association. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Marilyn Franklin of Ocala; his daughter, Susannah Franklin; and three grandchildren, Kelli, Katie, and Coleby of Volusia County, FL; three sisters, Dorcas Trueman of Huntington Beach, CA., Gwen Lovell and Wanda Wallace from Gadsden, AL. He was preceded in death by a sister, Angela Bradberry; mother, Gladys and father, Richmond B. Franklin. Joseph loved football and was an avid U. of Alabama Crimson Tide fan and enjoyed playing golf. He loved antique collectibles, and was a devoted grandfather and loved family gatherings. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, May 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at 2:30 p.m. Visitation will be Wednesday, May 16, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/17/2007.

1792. GENDRON, YVETTE L.G. (Obituary No. 1792.), 77 Dunnellon - Yvette Gendron, 77, of Dunnellon, Florida, passed away at her residence, Saturday, May 12, 2007 with her husband of 52 years, Donald at her side. A native of Paris, France, she moved to Dunnellon in 2003, coming from Attleboro, Massachusetts. Mrs. Gendron was a member of St. John The Baptist Catholic Church. She is survived by her husband, Donald J. Gendron of Dunnellon and several nieces and nephews. A Catholic Memorial Mass will be said, Thursday, May 17, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at St. John Baptist Catholic Church with Fr. Joe Pinchock, officiating. A repast will follow the Mass. Inurnment will follow at Florida National Cemetery at a later date. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/16/2007.

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1794. HILL, PAUL C. (Obituary No. 1794.), 42 Oconto, WI - Paul C. Hill, 42, Oconto Falls, WI, formerly of Ocala, died Saturday afternoon, May 12, 2007. Paul had been a long distance truck driver following a 10 year career in the US Navy. He is survived by his parents, Mary Hill, Ocala; John (Judy) Hill, Oconto, WI; two brothers, John Hill, Jr., NJ and Dan (Donna) Hill, Celebration, FL. Visitation with the urn present will take place at JONES FUNERAL SERVICE in Oconto Falls, 920-848-2222 or visit: www.jonesfuneral.com after 10 a.m. Friday, May 11, 2007 until the time of services at 11 a.m. Friday. Burial with Military honors will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery, Oconto Falls, WI. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/17/2007.

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1796. PROSSER, DAVID WARREN (Obituary No. 1796.), 92 Silver Springs - David Warren Prosser, born January 22, 1915, passed away May 11, 2007. David & Elsie were married June 21, 1940 and Elsie passed away April 2, 1985. David and Irma married April 26, 1986. David retired from Sears, Roebuck after 26 years and also from Waterloo Central School System after 8 years. He was a Life Member of Hydrant Hose Co. # 1, in Geneva, New York with 72 years of service, also 60 years service Boy Scouts of America, Silver Beaver Recipient and Advancement Committee Chairman, Ruling Elder Several Years 1st Presbyterian Church in Waterloo, New York, Member St. George Anglican Cathedral in Ocala, Florida. He wintered here for many years and was a year round resident for 3 years. Among his survivors are his wife Irma M. Prosser, daughter Carol P. (Lauren) Bushnell of Palm Harbor, step daughter Amy Bastian-Follett of Ocala, Florida, step son Jan A. (Wendy) Martin of Alexandria Bay, New York, niece Judith Rinebold, 12 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street, Ocala, Florida 34471 or Hospice of
Marion County, Legacy House, PO box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478. Services will be held May 27, 2007 at 8 a.m. at St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street in Ocala, Florida and June 2, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Mull Funeral Home, 113 Virginia Street, Waterloo, New York, 13165. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/17/2007.

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1800. STEVENS, SR., STEVEN O. (Obituary No. 1800.), 47 Summerfield - Steven O. Stevens, Sr., 47 of Summerfield, FL passed away on May 14, 2007. A Traditional Family Man and a Servant of God. He graduated from Bethle Bible College and served as Pastor at Sonlight Baptist Church. He served his county in the U.S. Navy. Steven is survived by His wife of 22 years Nancy L. Stevens, four sons, Jesse L. Stevens, Brandon M, Stevens, Steven O. Stevens, Jr., and Christopher S. Stevens and his daughter, Amy L. Stevens, all of Summerfield, FL, his mother, Georgia Stevens, a brother William A. Stevens, two sisters, Barbara Ann Mullins and Gina McCandless and #3 grandchildren as well as his faithful dog Stiches. The family will receive friends on Thursday May 17th between the hours 4 - 7 p.m. and Fri. from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m., with services beginning at 12 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST.
Interment will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/17/2007.

1801. WILLIAMS, CHARLES DENVER "DEMP" (Obituary No. 1801.), 80 Orange Lake - Mr. Charles Denver "Demp" Williams, 80, of Orange Lake passed away on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at Palm Gardens of Ocala. He was born in Parma, MO and moved to Marion County in 1968. He retired in 1989 from the University of Florida where he was an electrician. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Ruby E. Williams of Orange Lake; sister, Pearl Louise Williams Moore of Orange Lake; daughters, Sharon Sue Mackey of Jackson, MO and Shirley Ann Drochter of Manchester, MO; granddaughters, Theresa Hensley of Ocala, Ashley Drochter of Charleston, SC, Rachel and Katie Ellen Drochter of St. Louis, MO; grandsons, Richard V. Chambers of Orange Lake, David and Michael Chambers of Citra, and Johnny Wayne Gaines of Kelso, MO; great granddaughters, Taylor Hensley of Ocala and Bradly Gaines of Cape Girardeau, MO and several nieces and nephew. He was preceded in death by 2 daughters, Dereth Ellen Williams Pursell and Deborah Kay Williams Chambers. Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 18, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow in Millwood Cemetery in Reddick. Visitation will be Thursday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/17/2007.

1802. YONKOSKY, JOHN A. (Obituary No. 1802.), 69 Summerfield - John A. Yonkosky, 69, of Summerfield (formerly Buffalo, NY) died May 13, 2007. Husband of The Late Judith A.; loving father to Katherine Szymkowiak; John (Lisa); Michael; David (Mary) Yonkosky. Cherished grandfather to Timothy, David, Jaclyn, John, Nicholas, and Jennifer. Also survived by many sisters, brothers, nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors. Memorial service will be held Thursday, May 17th at 6:30 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Flowers gratefully declined. Memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/17/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Thursday, May 17, 2007

1803. BROWN, ROBERT R.J. (Obituary No. 1803.), 72 Ocala - Robert (RJ) Jerome Brown, 72, Staff Sergeant US Army Retired, passed away on May 13, 2007 at his residence. He was a native of Williston. Mr. Brown was Baptist. He leaves to mourn his memory a devoted wife, Jesena Brown of Ocala, 2 daughters Kim Brown and Ann Goodson of Ocala, one son Thaddeus Brown of Ocala, 9 grandchildren, 1 great grandchild and host of cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Mr. R.J. Brown will be held on Saturday, May 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Welcome Strangers Baptist Church, Rev. George Grimsley Pastor. Public visitation on Thursday from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Welcome Strangers Baptist Church and on Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Cunningham's Funeral Home and from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at O.B. Samuel Funeral Home, Williston. The family will gather at 10:15 a.m. at 2109 NW 24th Road to form the cortege. Services entrusted to O.B. SAMUEL FUNERAL HOME, "Dedicated to those we serve". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.
1804. FAULKNER, PATRICK KELLY (Obituary No. 1804.), 53 Naples - Capt. Patrick Kelly Faulkner, 53, died May 2, 2007 in Managua, Nicaragua. He was born December 2, 1953 in Jackson, OH and moved with his family to Naples, FL in 1966. "Capt. Pat," to all who knew and loved him, was the incredible "big guy" that always made people laugh. He owned and operated Elite Concrete Pumping and Falcon Sound, Inc., both Florida corporations. Capt. Pat moved to Ocala, FL in 1984 where he met and married his loving wife, Kells, on St. Patrick's Day, 1985. Over the past 22 years, he traveled the world sport fishing onboard his beloved "Striker" sport fishing boat. His travels, always in search of the elusive blue marlin, took him to some of the most exotic, virtually uncharted and unfished waters of the Western Hemisphere. Capt. Pat died suddenly at the age of 53 on yet another world fishing tour. Tight lines, Capt. Pat! He is survived by his wife and soul mate, Kells; his sister, Lucinda Faulkner Hogue, her husband, Harley; their three children, Jennifer, Joshua and Sara; a brother, David Faulkner; niece, Angela; his aunt, Joan Kelly Dever; and extended family. In accordance with his wishes, there will be a private ceremony at sea. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to National Coalition for Marine Conservation, 4 Royal Street S.E., Leesburg, VA 20175. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1805. FERGUSON, JANET L. (Obituary No. 1805.), 73 Ocala - Janet L. Ferguson, 73, of Ocala, FL. passed away on May 15, 2007. A native of Pomcroy, OH., she came here in 1994 from West Carrollton, OH and was a retired secretary for Monarch Marking, a division of Pitney Bowes, in Miamisburg, OH. Janet attended the First Assembly of God Church, Ocala; was Past President of VFW Post 3438 Ladies Auxiliary and member of Order of the Eastern Star, both of West Carrollton, OH. She is survived by her husband of 31 years, Alfred D. "Dan" Ferguson of Ocala; sons Greg Pearson of west Carrollton, OH, and Chris Pearson of Ocala; daughter Janice Muckenstrum of Columbus, OH; sister Donna Burford of West Carrolton, OH; grandchildren Christopher (Bo), Nicholas, Jon, Dan, Holly and Joe and numerous great grandchildren. Janet was preceded in death by brothers Andrew and Jack Burford and a grandchild, Carly Pearson. Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 18th at 2:00P.M. from FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Interment will be private at later date in West Carrollton, OH. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1806. FRANKLIN, JOSEPH E. (Obituary No. 1806.), 69 Ocala - Mr. Joseph Earl Franklin, 69, of Ocala passed away on Sunday, May 13, 2007 at home. He was born in Gadsden, Alabama and moved to Ocala in 1982. He retired as SFC from the US Army in 1977, with 22 years service as Sergeant First Class SFC, Combat Medic with 1st Bn. 5th Infantry Reg., 25th Division Class of 1966 out of Cu Chi, Vietnam from 1966-1967. He served the Recon Platoon & 1st Platoon of Bravo Company at the Head Battalion Medic. His second tour in Vietnam was a medical regulator to med evacuate injured from the battlefields. Doc was well respected and loved by all his peers who served with him. As a 100% total combat disabled veteran, he worked on his computer to help other veteran receive disabilities benefits. His award included a the Purple Heart, Bronze Star OLC for valor which are among 14 other military awards. He was a member of the VFW, DAV, and the Purple Heart Association. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Marilyn Franklin of Ocala; his daughter, Susannah Franklin; and three grandchildren, Kelli, Katie, and Coleby of Volusia County, FL; three sisters, Dorcas Trueman of Huntington Beach, CA., Gwen Lovell and Wanda Wallace from Gadsden, AL. He was preceded in death by a sister, Angela Bradberry; mother, Gladys and father, Richmond B. Franklin. Joseph loved football and
was an avid U. of Alabama Crimson Tide fan and enjoyed playing golf. He loved antique collectibles, and was a devoted grandfather and loved family gatherings. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, May 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at 2 30 p.m. Visitation will be Wednesday, May 16, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1807. HILL, PAUL C. (Obituary No. 1807.), 42 Oconto, WI - Paul C. Hill, 42, Oconto Falls, WI, formerly of Ocala, died Saturday afternoon, May 12, 2007. Paul had been a long distance truck driver following a 10 year career in the US Navy. He is survived by his parents, Mary Hill, Ocala; John (Judy) Hill, Oconto, WI; two brothers, John Hill, Jr., NJ and Dan (Donna) Hill, Celebration, FL. Visitation with the urn present will take place at JONES FUNERAL SERVICE in Oconto Falls, 920-848-2222 or visit: www.jonesfuneral.com after 10 a.m. Friday, May 11, 2007 until the time of services at 11 a.m. Friday. Burial with Military honors will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery, Oconto Falls, WI. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/17/2007.

1808. KENNEDY, GRETCHEN GRACE (Obituary No. 1808.), 97 Ocala - Gretchen Grace Kennedy, 97, died on May 16, 2007. A native of Staten Island, NY, she moved to Ocala in 1991. She was a member of South Baptist Church in Staten Island where she taught Sunday School for over 40 years. She attended Trinity Baptist Church of Ocala. Survivors include her son, John Kennedy of Ocala, her daughter, Jane Fink of Sunnyville, CA., three grandchildren and four grandchildren. Funeral services will be Friday, May 18, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., with Pastor Mickey Graves officiating. Visitation will be Thursday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Navajo Ministries, P.O. Box 1230, Farmington, NM 87499. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1809. MACKEY, INEZ (Obituary No. 1809.), 91 Boardman - Inez Mackey, 91, died Friday May 11, 2007 at her home. Born in Alachuha, FL. She moved to Boardman in 1949. She was a member of Campus Church of Christ. Survivors include one daughter Ernestine C. Tate, Gainesville, FL. Four sons; Alexander Mackey, Jr. Boardman, FL. John W. Mackey, Gainesville, FL., Clarence Mackey, Sr. Flemington, FL., Roger L. Mackey Boardman, FL. Seventeen Grandchildren and a host of Great grands. Funeral Services for Mrs. Mackey, will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, May 19, 2007 at Campus Church Of Christ with Brother Eric Brown Officiating. Burial will follow in Boardman Cemetery under the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Mrs. Mackey will repose on Friday in the Chestnut Chapel 2:00 - 8:00 PM and on Sat at Campus Church one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will form at the church 10:30 AM "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1810. PROSSER, DAVID WARREN (Obituary No. 1810.), 92 Silver Springs - David Warren Prosser, born January 22, 1915, passed away May 11, 2007. David & Elsie were married June 21, 1940 and Elsie passed away April 2, 1985. David and Irma married April 26, 1986. David retired from Sears, Roebuck after 26 years and also from Waterloo Central School System after 8 years. He was a Life Member of Hydrant Hose Co. # 1, in Geneva, New York with 72 years of
service, also 60 years service Boy Scouts of America, Silver Beaver Recipient and Advancement Committee Chairman, Ruling Elder Several Years 1st Presbyterian Church in Waterloo, New York, Member St. George Anglican Cathedral in Ocala, Florida. He wintered here for many years and was a year round resident for 3 years. Among his survivors are his wife Irma M. Prosser, daughter Carol P. (Lauren) Bushnell of Palm Harbor, step daughter Amy Bastian-Follett of Ocala, Florida, step son Jan A. (Wendy) Martin of Alexandria Bay, New York, niece Judith Rinebold, 12 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street, Ocala, Florida 34471 or Hospice of Marion County, Legacy House, PO box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478. Services will be held May 27, 2007 at 8 a.m. at St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street in Ocala, Florida and June 2, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Mull Funeral Home, 113 Virginia Street, Waterloo, New York, 13165. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/17/2007.

1811. RUSSELL, JOHN SMART (Obituary No. 1811.), 87 Ocala - John Smart Russell, 87, of Ocala, FL., died May 10, 2007 at the Malcom Randall VA Medical Center, Gainesville, FL after a lengthy illness. He was a high school teacher in Willoughby, Ohio. He leaves a loving wife, Helen and daughter, Holly of Ocala, FL; a son John and wife Beth of Cumming, GA; four grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Services to be held at Ocala West United Methodist Church, Friday, May 18, 2007 at 10 a.m. Interment at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE - CLEARWATER, FL. 727-524-9202. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1812. STAVIG, ORREN M. (Obituary No. 1812.), 85 Ocala - Mr. Orren Marlowe Stavig, age 85, passed away May 14, 2007 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, Florida. Mr. Stavig was born in Webster, South Dakota and moved to the Ocala area from Deluth, Minnesota in 1990. He is survived by his loving wife of 15 years, Marianne Stavig; three daughters, Joy Carter of Alexandria, Minnesota, Cheryl Humbarger of Battle Creek, Michigan, and Holly Dahl of Lakeville, Minnesota; 7 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Virginia Stavig, his parents Ole Marcus and Laura Stavig, and brother Jack Stavig. Interment will be at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, May 18, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with military honors. The family will receive friends on Friday May 18, 2007 between 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. ROBERTS BRUCE WEST CHAPEL, 6241 SW Hwy 200 Ocala will be handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1813. STEVENS, SR., STEVEN O. (Obituary No. 1813.), 47 Summerfield - Steven O. Stevens, Sr., 47 of Summerfield, FL passed away on May 14, 2007. A Traditional Family Man and a Servant of God. He graduated from Bethle Bible College and served as Pastor at Sonlight Baptist Church. He served his county in the U.S. Navy. Steven is survived by His wife of 22 years Nancy L. Stevens, four sons, Jesse L. Stevens, Brandon M, Stevens, Steven O. Stevens, Jr., and Christopher S. Stevens and his daughter, Amy L. Stevens, all of Summerfield, FL, his mother, Georgia Stevens, a brother William A. Stevens, two sisters, Barbara Ann Mullins and Gina McCandless and #3 grandchildren as well as his faithful dog Stiches. The family will receive friends on Thursday May 17th between the hours 4 - 7 p.m. and Fri. from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m., with services beginning at 12 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. Interment will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce

1814. TOWNSEND, LONNIE C. (Obituary No. 1814.), 60 Dunnellon - Lonnie C. Townsend, 60, passed away on May 11, 2007. Born in Dunnellon, FL and was a retired heavy equipment operator for Florida Power. He is survived by his wife Barbara Townsend; his children, Jerall Townsend, Keith Townsend, Kimberly Chesteen, Lonnita Griffin and Lonnie C. Townsend, III; 11 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren; 8 brothers and 7 sisters; 2 uncles and 4 aunts. Funeral services for Mr. Lonnie C. Townsend, Jr., will be held Saturday, May 18, 2007 at 1 p.m. at the Beulah Baptist Church with Pastor Warren Hardaway officiating. Visitation will be on Thursday from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry (Baseline Chapel). Interment will be in Dunnellon Community Center. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1815. WILLIAMS, CHARLES DENVER "DEMP" (Obituary No. 1815.), 80 Orange Lake - Mr. Charles Denver "Demp" Williams, 80, of Orange Lake passed away on Saturday, May 12, 2007 at Palm Gardens of Ocala. He was born in Parma, MO and moved to Marion County in 1968. He retired in 1989 from the University of Florida where he was an electrician. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Ruby E. Williams of Orange Lake; sister, Pearl Louise Williams Moore of Orange Lake; daughters, Sharon Sue Mackey of Jackson, MO and Shirley Ann Drochter of Manchester, MO; granddaughters, Theresa Hensley of Ocala, Ashley Drochter of Charleston, SC, Rachel and Katie Ellen Drochter of St. Louis, MO; grandsons, Richard V. Chambers of Orange Lake, David and Michael Chambers of Citra, and Johnny Wayne Gaines of Kelso, MO; great granddaughters, Taylor Hensley of Ocala and Kaylee Chambers of Orange Lake; great grandsons, Jordan Hensley of Ocala and Bradley Gaines of Cape Girardeau, MO and several nieces and nephew. He was preceded in death by 2 daughters, Dereth Ellen Williams Pursell and Deborah Kay Williams Chambers. Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 18, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow in Millwood Cemetery in Reddick. Visitation will be Thursday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/17/2007.

1816. YONKOSKY, JOHN A. (Obituary No. 1816.), 69 Summerfield - John A. Yonkosky, 69, of Summerfield (formerly Buffalo, NY) died May 13, 2007. Husband of The Late Judith A.; loving father to Katherine Szymkowiak; John (Lisa); Michael; David (Mary) Yonkosky. Cherished grandfather to Timothy, David, Jaclyn, John, Nicholas, and Jennifer. Also survived by many sisters, brothers, nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors. Memorial service will be held Thursday, May 17th at 6:30 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Flowers gratefully declined. Memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/17/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Friday, May 18, 2007

1817. BOSTICK, MILDRED WILLIAMS, (Obituary No. 1817.) 65 Tampa, Florida - Ms. Mildred Bostick, 65, passed away, Tuesday, May 8, 2007. She was retired from the Dinner Bell Restaurant. She is survived by her one daughter, Patricia Bostick, Ripley TN. Three sons, Dale
(Thelma) Bostick, Tampa, Jeffery Bostick, Ocala, Carl (Miriam) Bostick, Jr. Orlando. A devoted Granddaughter, Whitney Gates, Ocala, Devoted Niece, Rhonda Pryor, Dunnellon. One Aunt, Shirley Blanford, Dunnellon, Three brothers Robert (Francis) Hunter, Dunnellon, Dennis (Deloris) Williams, Wayne (Linda) Hunter, Tampa. Best friend Pearl Anderson of St. Pete, A host of Grandchildren, and Great Grandchildren, Nieces & Nephews. Mildred will be missed by all of her family and friends. We will all miss your love, your kindness and gracious presence. Memorial services will be held at Mount Olive AME Church 11799 Summit Ave, Dunnellon, Florida on Saturday, May 19, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1818. BROWN, ROBERT, R.J. (Obituary No. 1818.), 72 Ocala - Robert (RJ) Jerome Brown, 72, Staff Sergeant US Army Retired, passed away on May 13, 2007 at his residence. He was a native of Williston. Mr. Brown was Baptist. He leaves to mourn his memory a devoted wife, Jesena Brown of Ocala, 2 daughters Kim Brown and Ann Goodson of Ocala, one son Thaddeus Brown of Ocala, 9 grandchildren, 1 great grandchild and host of cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Mr. R.J. Brown will be held on Saturday, May 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Welcome Strangers Baptist Church, Rev. George Grimsley Pastor. Public visitation on Thursday from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Welcome Strangers Baptist Church and on Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Cunningham's Funeral Home and from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at O.B. Samuel Funeral Home, Williston. The family will gather at 10:15 a.m. at 2109 NW 24th Road to form the cortege. Services entrusted to O.B. SAMUEL FUNERAL HOME, "Dedicated to those we serve". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1819. FAULKNER, PATRICK KELLY (Obituary No. 1819.), 53 Naples - Capt. Patrick Kelly Faulkner, 53, died May 2, 2007 in Managua, Nicaragua. He was born December 2, 1953 in Jackson, OH and moved with his family to Naples, FL in 1966. "Capt. Pat," to all who knew and loved him, was the incredible "big guy" that always made people laugh. He owned and operated Elite Concrete Pumping and Falcon Sound, Inc., both Florida corporations. Capt. Pat moved to Ocala, FL in 1984 where he met and married his loving wife, Kells, on St. Patrick's Day, 1985. Over the past 22 years, he traveled the world sport fishing onboard his beloved "Striker" sport fishing boat. His travels, always in search of the elusive blue marlin, took him to some of the most exotic, virtually uncharted and unfishes waters of the Western Hemisphere. Capt. Pat died suddenly at the age of 53 on yet another world fishing tour. Tight lines, Capt. Pat! He is survived by his wife and soul mate, Kells; his sister, Lucinda Faulkner Hogue, her husband, Harley; their three children, Jennifer, Joshua and Sara; a brother, David Faulkner; niece, Angela; his aunt, Joan Kelly Dever; and extended family. In accordance with his wishes, there will be a private ceremony at sea. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to National Coalition for Marine Conservation, 4 Royal Street S.E., Leesburg, VA 20175. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1820. FERGUSON, JANET L (Obituary No. 1820.), 73 Ocala- Janet L. Ferguson, 73, of Ocala, FL. passed away on May 15, 2007. A native of Pomcroy, OH., she came here in 1994 from West Carrollton, OH and was a retired secretary for Monarch Marking, a division of Pitney Bowes, in Miamisburg, OH. Janet attended the First Assembly of God Church, Ocala; was Past President of VFW Post 3438 Ladies Auxiliary and member of Order of the Eastern Star, both of West Carrollton, OH. She is survived by her husband of 31 years, Alfred D. "Dan" Ferguson of
Ocala; sons Greg Pearson of west Carrollton, OH, and Chris Pearson of Ocala; daughter Janice Muckenstrum of Columbus, OH; sister Donna Burford of West Carrollton, OH; grandchildren Christopher (Bo), Nicholas, Jon, Dan, Holly and Joe and numerous great grandchildren. Janet was preceded in death by brothers Andrew and Jack Burford and a grandchild, Carly Pearson. Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 18th at 2:00P.M. from FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Interment will be private at later date in West Carrollton, OH. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1821. FRANKLIN, JOSEPH E. (Obituary No. 1821.), 69 Ocala - Mr. Joseph Earl Franklin, 69, of Ocala passed away on Sunday, May 13, 2007 at home. He was born in Gadsden, Alabama and moved to Ocala in 1982. He retired as SFC from the US Army in 1977, with 22 years service as Sergeant First Class SFC, Combat Medic with 1st Bn. 5th Infantry Reg., 25th Division Class of 1966 out of Cu Chi, Vietnam from 1966-1967. He served the Recon Platoon & 1st Platoon of Bravo Company at the Head Battalion Medic. His second tour in Vietnam was a medical regulator to med evacuate injured from the battlefields. Doc was well respected and loved by all his peers who served with him. As a 100% total combat disabled veteran, he worked on his computer to help other veteran receive disabilities benefits. His award included a the Purple Heart, Bronze Star OLC for valor which are among 14 other military awards. He was a member of the VFW, DAV, and the Purple Heart Association. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Marilyn Franklin of Ocala; his daughter, Susannah Franklin; and three grandchildren, Kelli, Katie, and Coleby of Volusia County, FL; three sisters, Dorcas Trueman of Huntington Beach, CA., Gwen Lovell and Wanda Wallace from Gadsden, AL. He was preceded in death by a sister, Angela Bradberry; mother, Gladys and father, Richmond B. Franklin. Joseph loved football and was an avid U. of Alabama Crimson Tide fan and enjoyed playing golf. He loved antique collectibles, and was a devoted grandfather and loved family gatherings. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, May 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at 2 30 p.m. Visitation will be Wednesday, May 16, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/16/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1822. HAMM, WILLIE RAY (Obituary No. 1822.), 79 Ocala - Willie Ray Hamm, formerly of Alleghany County, departed this life May 15, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born May 9, 1928 to Willie McKinley and Frances Nora Osborne Hamm who preceded him in death. Ray enjoyed driving for Greyhound Bus Lines and retired in 1983 after 26 years of service and drove part time for Trailways after retirement. He was a loving father and grandfather and enjoyed fishing with his grandson, working the hayfields on his tractor and raising yearling calves during spring through fall. He spent his winters in Ocala, Florida and moved from Sparta to Ocala in 2004. Surviving are 2 daughters, Nora Ruth Hamm McMillan of Anderson, South Carolina and Rebeca Rayeann Hamm McBride of Spring, Texas, four grandchildren, Nicholas McMillan of Anderson, South Carolina and Makenzie, Andrew and Madison McBride of Spring, Texas. Also surviving is the mother of his daughters, Myrtle Church of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, his long-time companion Ennice Monk of Ocala, Florida, one aunt, Carrie Miller of Phoenix, Arizona, two nephews Lonnie Ray Hamm and Robert Hamm of Sparta, a special cousin, Roy Houser of Sparta. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, May 19th, at the GRANDVIEW MEMORIAL Chapel. Burial will follow in the Landmark Cemetery at Whitehead. The family will gather at the funeral home one hour prior to the service. Flowers are
appreciated or memorials may be made to the Landmark Cemetery Fund, c/o Raymond Crouse, 388 Pruitt Road, Sparta, NC 28675 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1823. HERRIN, RUTH VAUGHN (Obituary No. 1823.), 85 Ocklawaha - Ruth Vaughn Herrin, 85, of Ocklawaha, passed away May 15, 2007 at her home. Born in Ocala, she was a lifelong resident of the area, a member of the First Christian Church of Ocala and Ocala Women’s club. She is survived by her sons, Sammie J. Herrin of Ocklawaha and Bill Herrin of Signal Mountain, TN; grandchildren, Sondra Grandfield, Nancy Goldman, and Michael Herrin; great grandchildren, Kristin Baroni, Emily Grandfield, Nancy Grandfield and Jackson Goldman. She was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel J. "Sam” Herrin. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141 on Sunday, May 20, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral service will be held at the Funeral Home on Monday, May 21, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1824. KENNEDY, GRETCHEN GRACE (Obituary No. 1824.), 97 Ocala - Gretchen Grace Kennedy, 97, died on May 16, 2007. A native of Staten Island, NY, she moved to Ocala in 1991. She was a member of South Baptist Church in Staten Island where she taught Sunday School for over 40 years. She attended Trinity Baptist Church of Ocala. Survivors include her son, John Kennedy of Ocala, her daughter, Jane Fink of Sunnyville, CA., three grandchildren and four grandchildren. Funeral services will be Friday, May 18, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., with Pastor Mickey Graves officiating. Visitation will be Thursday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Navajo Ministries, P.O. Box 1230, Farmington, NM 87499. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1825. MACKEY, INEZ (Obituary No. 1825.), 91 Boardman - Inez Mackey, 91, died Friday May 11, 2007 at her home. Born in Alachua, FL. She moved to Boardman in 1949. She was a member of Campus Church of Christ. Survivors include one daughter Ernestine C. Tate, Gainesville, FL. Four sons; Alexander Mackey, Jr. Boardman, FL. John W. Mackey, Gainesville, FL., Clarence Mackey, Sr. Flemington, FL., Roger L. Mackey Boardman, FL. Seventeen Grandchildren and a host of Great grands. Funeral Services for Mrs. Mackey, will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, May 19, 2007 at Campus Church Of Christ with Brother Eric Brown Officiating. Burial will follow in Boardman Cemetery under the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Mrs. Mackey will repose on Friday in the Chestnut Chapel 2:00 - 8:00 PM and on Sat at Campus Church one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will form at the church 10:30 AM "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1826. PATTERSON, JANICE LACY (Obituary No. 1826.), 47 Anthony - Mrs. Janice Lacy Patterson, age 47, of Anthony, FL died Saturday, May 12, 2007. Mrs. Patterson was born on August 10, 1959 in Lake Wales, FL. Survivors include her husband, Robert Patterson of Anthony, FL; children, James Robert Patterson of Ellijay, GA., and Jennifer Flores of Ocala, FL; parents, Marvin and Frances Lacy of Lake Wales, FL; brother, Darrell Lacy of West Palm, FL;
sister, Linda Dickey of TX; and 1 grandchild. Private services are planned. BERNHARDT FUNERAL HOME, Ellijay, GA., 706-635-4325, are in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1827. PORTER, IOLA GRAY (Obituary No. 1827.), 92 Ocala - Mrs. Iola Gray Porter, 92, Transitioned from Earth to Heaven on May 7, 2007 at Hawthorne Village, Ocala, Florida. She was born in Otter Creek, Florida. She moved to Ocala, Florida from Jacksonville, Florida. She was a member of New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, Florida. She served on the Usher Board, Choir, Deaconess Ministry until her health began to fail. She also worked as a beautician for 38 years. She leaves behind her family and friends to celebrate her transition and to cherish her memories; husband of 66 years: Deacon James Porter of Ocala, Florida; daughter: Barbara Stacy of Bronson, Florida; two grandchildren, six great grandchildren; two sisters: Willie M. Cromp and Dorothy Edwards both of Bronson, Florida; brother: Oscar Gray of Jacksonville, Florida. Funeral services for Mrs. Iola Gray Porter will be held on Saturday, May 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. at The New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, 606 Southwest Broadway Street, Ocala, Florida 34474 with the Reverend Stanley Jacobs, Pastor, conducting the services. Interment will be in John Milton Cemetery in Bronson, Florida. Visitation Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 N.W. 10th St., Ocala from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday at the Church, 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1828. RUSSELL, JOHN SMART (Obituary No. 1828.), 87 Ocala - John Smart Russell, 87, of Ocala, FL, died May 10, 2007 at the Malcom Randall VA Medical Center, Gainesville, FL after a lengthy illness. He was a high school teacher in Willoughby, Ohio. He leaves a loving wife, Helen and daughter, Holly of Ocala, FL; a son John and wife Beth of Cumming, GA; four grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Services to be held at Ocala West United Methodist Church, Friday, May 18, 2007 at 10 a.m. Interment at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE - CLEARWATER, FL. 727-524-9202. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/15/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1829. STAVIG, ORREN M. (Obituary No. 1829.), 85 Ocala - Mr. Orren Marlowe Stavig, age 85, passed away May 14, 2007 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, Florida. Mr. Stavig was born in Webster, South Dakota and moved to the Ocala area from Deluth, Minnesota in 1990. He is survived by his loving wife of 15 years, Marianne Stavig; three daughters, Joy Carter of Alexandria, Minnesota, Cheryl Humbarger of Battle Creek, Michigan, and Holly Dahl of Lakeville, Minnesota; 7 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Virginia Stavig, his parents Ole Marcus and Laura Stavig, and brother Jack Stavig. Interment will be at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, May 18, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with military honors. The family will receive friends on Friday May 18, 2007 between 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. ROBERTS BRUCE WEST CHAPEL, 6241 SW Hwy 200 Ocala will be handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1830. TOWNSEND, LONNIE C. (Obituary No. 1830.), 60 Dunnellon - Lonnie C. Townsend, 60, passed away on May 11, 2007. Born in Dunnellon, FL and was a retired heavy equipment operator for Florida Power. He is survived by his wife Barbara Townsend; his children, Jerall Townsend, Keith Townsend, Kimberly Chesteen, Lonnita Griffin and Lonnie C. Townsend, III;
11 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren; 8 brothers and 7 sisters; 2 uncles and 4 aunts. Funeral services for Mr. Lonnie C. Townsend, Jr., will be held Saturday, May 18, 2007 at 1p.m. at the Beulah Baptist Church with Pastor Warren Hardaway officiating. Visitation will be on Thursday from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry (Baseline Chapel). Interment will be in Dunnellon Community Center. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/18/2007.

1831. TROWSERS, CONRAD ANTHONY (Obituary No. 1831.), 49 Ocala - Mr. Conrad Anthony Trowers, age 49, Transitioned from Earth to Heaven on May 9, 2007 in Sumter County, Florida. He was born in Waterbury, CT., on April 3, 1958. He was employed at Cross Roads Prevention at Life Streams Behavior. He was a member of Episcopal Church at The Advent. He is survived by his wife: Jacqueline Trowers of Ocala, Florida; three daughters: Sheena (Eddie) Trowers, Shakera Trowers, and Chanel (Lewis) Trowers all of Ocala, Florida; one grandson; two sisters: Jewel Escobar of North Bergen, NJ., and Jacky Maisey of Ocala, Florida; one brother: Boswell (Cindy) Trowers III of Ocala, Florida. Funeral Services for Mr. Conrad Anthony Trowers will be on Saturday, May 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. at The Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 9225 SW 27th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34476 with Dr. Fred Maeweathers Sr., Pastor, conducting the services. Interment will follow at a later date. Visitation Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 NW 10th St., Ocala from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday at the Church 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

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1832. ARMSTRONG, DENNIS L. (Obituary No. 1832.), 72 Ocala - Dennis L. Armstrong died April 16 at the age of 72. He is survived by his daughter and her husband, Pam and Tony Escarcega of Ocala; his daughter and her husband, Mindy and George Wolfe, and granddaughter, Crystal Armstrong, all of Cocoa, FL; his daughter, Liz Armstrong of Englewood, FL; grandson, Brandon Armstrong of San Francisco, CA; granddaughter, Amanda Webb of Jacksonville, FL; his brother and his wife, Bill and Billie Armstrong, and their children Wendy, Scott, and. Chris Armstrong and their families, all of Ocala, FL. Born October 21, 1934 in Council Bluffs, IA. He graduated in 1957, married Jacqueline Baldwin from St. Louis, MO, and had three daughters. Armstrong enjoyed a lucrative and life-long career in sales, first, as a representative for Brown Shoe Co., and then Lowell Shoe Co. He received numerous Achievement Awards, and owned shoe stores in Ocala, and Englewood, FL. Steeped in strong Midwestern values, Armstrong became the unwavering family center for his daughters when his 18 year marriage to Jacqueline dissolved, and he continued nurturing and loving his family until his death. in the 1990's he brought his grandson to live with him in Englewood, FL. Brandon credits his grandfather with "saving my life," and giving him the ambition and confidence to graduate from the culinary apprenticeship program at The Greenbrier, a five-star resort in West Virginia. Armstrong's life changed dramatically in 1990 when he suffered a dissecting aorta, followed in 1996 by a risky aneurysm repair surgery, which injured his spinal cord leaving him unable to walk. Not one to despair he embraced his limitation and courageously lived the remainder of his life independently and graciously. He moved to Ocala in 1998 to live closer to daughter Pam and her husband Tony Escarega (owner of TouchDown Painting), and his brother, Bill (then-owner of
Armstrong Homes), and family. Sports were Armstrong's passion both as participant and spectator. A highlight of his post-college sports was when, while he lived in Gainesville, his nephew played football for U of F. As co-owners of the Ocala Speedway, his nephew Scott and Chris gave him the opportunity to work there. He sped around on his power wheelchair involved in many aspects of the Speedway and grew to love and be loved by many people there. His friend, Lou Tremblay (Speedway Manager), honored him with a heartwarming tribute at the Speedway on April 20, and wrote a moving eulogy on their website. His sunny smile and warm heart will be greatly, greatly missed. A memorial service will be held at The Church Triumphant in Ocala, FL on Saturday, May 26, at 1 p.m. Food and beverage will be provided after the service. Any questions please call Pam Escarcega (352) 690-7053. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/19/2007 - 5/20/2007.

1833. BOSTICK, MILDRED WILLIAMS, (Obituary No. 1833.) 65, Tampa, Florida - Ms. Mildred Bostick, 65, passed away, Tuesday, May 8, 2007. She was retired from the Dinner Bell Restaurant. She is survived by her one daughter, Patricia Bostick, Ripley TN. Three sons, Dale (Thelma) Bostick, Tampa, Jeffery Bostick, Ocala, Carl (Miriam) Bostick, Jr. Orlando. A devoted Granddaughter, Whitney Gates, Ocala, Devoted Niece, Rhonda Pryor, Dunnellon. One Aunt, Shirley Blanford, Dunnellon, Three brothers Robert (Francis) Hunter, Dunnellon, Dennis (Deloris) Williams, Wayne (Linda) Hunter, Tampa. Best friend Pearl Anderson of St. Pete, A host of Grandchildren, and Great Grandchildren, Nieces & Nephews. Mildred will be missed by all of her family and friends. We will all miss your love, your kindness and gracious presence. Memorial services will be held at Mount Olive AME Church 11799 Summit Ave, Dunnellon, Florida on Saturday, May 19, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1834. FONTAINE, ROSELINE A. (Obituary No. 1834.), 90 Ocala - Roseline "Rose" A. Fontaine, 90, passed away at Estelle's House on Sunday, May 13, 2007. She was born September 30, 1916 in Chicago, Illinois. Rose was preceded in death by her husband Lawrence Fontaine, Sr. She is survived by a son Lawrence Fontaine, Jr., daughter-in-law, Lenita Fontaine, grandchildren, Lisa Dorsey of Ocala and Laura Fontaine of Ocala, two great grandchildren, Alexis Rose Dorsey and Alex Thomas Dorsey of Ocala. After cremation, she will join her husband of 55 years at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/19/2007 - 5/20/2007.

1835. HAMM, WILLIE RAY (Obituary No. 1835.), 79 Ocala - Willie Ray Hamm, formerly of Alleghany County, departed this life May 15, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born May 9, 1928 to Willie McKinley and Frances Nora Osborne Hamm who preceded him in death. Ray enjoyed driving for Greyhound Bus Lines and retired in 1983 after 26 years of service and drove part time for Trailways after retirement. He was a loving father and grandfather and enjoyed fishing with his grandson, working the hayfields on his tractor and raising yearling calves during spring through fall. He spent his winters in Ocala, Florida and moved from Sparta to Ocala in 2004. Surviving are 2 daughters, Nora Ruth Hamm McMillan of Anderson, South Carolina and Rebeca Rayeann Hamm McBride of Spring, Texas, four grandchildren, Nicholas McMillan of Anderson, South Carolina and Makenzie, Andrew and Madison McBride of Spring, Texas, Also surviving is the mother of his daughters, Myrtle Church of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, his long-time companion Ennice Monk of Ocala, Florida, one aunt, Carrie Miller of Phoenix, Arizona, two
nephews Lonnie Ray Hamm and Robert Hamm of Sparta, a special cousin, Roy Houser of Sparta. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, May 19th, at the GRANDVIEW MEMORIAL Chapel. Burial will follow in the Landmark Cemetery at Whitehead. The family will gather at the funeral home one hour prior to the service. Flowers are appreciated or memorials may be made to the Landmark Cemetery Fund, c/o Raymond Crouse, 388 Pruitt Road, Sparta, NC 28675. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1836. HERRIN, RUTH VAUGHN (Obituary No. 1836.), 85 Ocklawaha - Ruth Vaughn Herrin, 85, of Ocklawaha, passed away May 15, 2007 at her home. Born in Ocala, she was a lifelong resident of the area, a member of the First Christian Church of Ocala and Ocala Women's club. She is survived by her sons, Sammie J. Herrin of Ocklawaha and Bill Herrin of Signal Mountain, TN; grandchildren, Sondra Grandfield, Nancy Goldman, and Michael Herrin; great grandchildren, Kristin Baroni, Emily Grandfield, Nancy Grandfield and Jackson Goldman. She was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel J. "Sam" Herrin. Visitations will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141 on Sunday, May 20, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral service will be held at the Funeral Home on Monday, May 21, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/20/2007.

1837. MACKEY, INEZ (Obituary No. 1837.), 91 Boardman - Inez Mackey, 91, died Friday May 11, 2007 at her home. Born in Alachua, FL. She moved to Boardman in 1949. She was a member of Campus Church of Christ. Survivors include one daughter Ernestine C. Tate, Gainesville, FL. Four sons; Alexander Mackey, Jr. Boardman, FL. John W. Mackey, Gainesville, FL., Clarence Mackey, Sr. Flemington, FL., Roger L. Mackey Boardman, FL. Seventeen Grandchildren and a host of Great grands. Funeral Services for Mrs. Mackey, will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, May 19, 2007 at Campus Church Of Christ with Brother Eric Brown Officiating. Burial will follow in Boardman Cemetery under the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Mrs. Mackey will repose on Friday in the Chestnut Chapel 2:00 - 8:00 PM and on Sat at Campus Church one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will form at the church 10:30 AM "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/17/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1838. MAGIDSON, MATTHEW F. (Obituary No. 1838.), 78 Ocala, Mr. Magidson Florida on Thursday, May 17, 2007 after a long illness. He was 78 years old. Born in Brooklyn, NY, Mr. Magidson lived in Tamarac, Florida before moving to Ocala four years ago. He was a self-employed Tax Attorney for 45 years, before retiring in 1990. Mr. Magidson graduated in 1951 from Pace College with a B. S. (Bachelor of Science) degree; 1955 from Brooklyn Law School with a J.D. (Juris Doctor); and 1962 from New York University with a L.L.M. (Master of Law In Taxation) Mr. Magidson served in U.S. Army, with honorable discharge in 1947. Mr. Magidson is survived by his wife Estelle (nee Bloom) of Ocala, Florida; and his sons Bruce Magidson and his wife Diane of Hillsboro, ND; and Jory Magidson and his wife Caren of Morristown, NJ. He is also survived by his brother Mel Magidson, as well as his two grandchildren: Jessica and Eric Magidson. A graveside service for Mr. Magidson will be held on Monday, May 21, 2007 at 12:00PM (noon) at Beth Israel Cemetery, Cedar Knolls, NJ. Interment will follow. Donations in
1839. PATTERSON, JANICE LACY (Obituary No. 1839.), 47 Anthony - Mrs. Janice Lacy Patterson, age 47, of Anthony, FL died Saturday, May 12, 2007. Mrs. Patterson was born on August 10, 1959 in Lake Wales, FL. Survivors include her husband, Robert Patterson of Anthony, FL; children, James Robert Patterson of Ellijay, GA., and Jennifer Flores of Ocala, FL; parents, Marvin and Frances Lacy of Lake Wales, FL; brother, Darrell Lacy of West Palm, FL; sister, Linda Dickey of TX; and 1 grandchild. Private services are planned. BERNHARDT FUNERAL HOME, Ellijay, GA., 706-635-4325, are in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1840. PAWLOWSKI, KENNETH JAMES (Obituary No. 1840.), 53 Silver Springs - Mr. Kenneth James Pawlowski, 53, passed away in Ocala, FL on May 14, 2007. He was born in Great Lakes, IL on November 7, 1953. He was a Truck Driver. He moved to Silver Springs, FL in 2003 and came here from Delaware. He is preceded in death by his father Alexander. He is survived by his son Michael and his wife Regina of Georgetown, DE and two grandchildren, two brothers Joe Pawlowski and his wife Jennifer of Tulsa, OK, Bobby and his wife Kim of Scrambletown, FL, two sisters Kathy Zachary and Debbie Pawlowski, both of Ocala, FL, his mother Louise Pawlowski of Ocala, FL, several nieces and nephews. He loved to build model airplanes. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL handling the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/19/2007 - 5/20/2007.

1841. PORTER, IOLA GRAY (Obituary No. 1841.), 92 Ocala - Mrs. Iola Gray Porter, 92, Transitioned from Earth to Heaven on May 7, 2007 at Hawthorne Village, Ocala, Florida. She was born in Otter Creek, Florida. She moved to Ocala, Florida from Jacksonville, Florida. She was a member of New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, Florida. She served on the Usher Board, Choir, Deaconess Ministry until her health began to fail. She also worked as a beautician for 38 years. She leaves behind her family and friends to celebrate her transition and to cherish her memories; husband of 66 years: Deacon James Porter of Ocala, Florida; daughter: Barbara Stacy of Bronson, Florida; two grandchildren, six great grandchildren; two sisters: Willie M. Cromp and Dorothy Edwards both of Bronson, Florida; brother: Oscar Gray of Jacksonville, Florida. Funeral services for Mrs. Iola Gray Porter will be held on Saturday, May 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. at The New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, 606 Southwest Broadway Street, Ocala, Florida 34474 with the Reverend Stanley Jacobs, Pastor, conducting the services. Interment will be in John Milton Cemetery in Bronson, Florida. Visitation Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 N.W. 10th St., Ocala from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday at the Church, 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1842. TROWERS, CONRAD ANTHONY (Obituary No. 1842.), 49 Ocala - Mr. Conrad Anthony Trowers, age 49, Transitioned from Earth to Heaven on May 9, 2007 in Sumter County, Florida. He was born in Waterbury, CT., on April 3, 1958. He was employed at Cross Roads
Prevention at Life Streams Behavior. He was a member of Episcopal Church at The Advent. He is survived by his wife: Jacqueline Trowers of Ocala, Florida; three daughters: Sheena (Eddie) Trowers, Shakera Trowers, and Chanel (Lewis) Trowers all of Ocala, Florida; one grandson; two sisters: Jewel Escobar of North Bergen, NJ., and Jacky Maisey of Ocala, Florida; one brother: Boswell (Cindy) Trowers III of Ocala, Florida. Funeral Services for Mr. Conrad Anthony Trowers will be on Saturday, May 19, 2007 at 11 a.m. at The Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 9225 SW 27th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34476 with Dr. Fred Maeweathers Sr., Pastor, conducting the services. Interment will follow at a later date. Visitation Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 NW 10th St., Ocala from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday at the Church 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/19/2007.

1843. WILLIAMS, LLOYD HOLLIS (Obituary No. 1843.), 80 Ocala- Mr. Lloyd Williams, 80, died May 18, 2007. He was born in Macks Creek, Missouri on August 27, 1926 and lived in Ocala for 56 years. Lloyd is survived by his wife, Jean Coming Williams of Ocala; sister Ruby Koerper; daughters Terri and (Ken) Ryder of Ocklawaha and Susan and (Jerry) Krieger of Pavo, GA.; stepchildren Donna and Greg Coming of Ocala, grandchildren Staci King and husband Rod of Ocala; Kelli Ryder and Husband Matt of Ocala; Amber Peebles and husband Josh of Tallahassee. He is also survived by five great grandchildren; Cody and Chase King; Kennedy Ryder; Dylan and Braden Peebles. Lloyd is predeceased by his first wife of 37 years. Jerri Williams. He was a WWII veteran, member of Ocala Elks Club, Ocala Moose Lodge, and past patron of Ocala Eastern Star and a member of Trinity Baptist Church in Ocala. He was a partner in starting the Ocala Mounted Sheriffs Posse Search and Rescue Team and also partnered to start the Marion County Saddle Club. He retired from the United States Postal Service after serving 30 years here in Marion County. Lloyd spent the last 10 years of his life doing what he most loved; volunteering at Marion Therapeutic Riding Association. He passed on his knowledge and expertise of horses and horsemanship to many who have had the wonderful opportunity to have worked with him. He will be remembered and loved by his friends and family. Friends will be received for viewing on Sunday, May 20th from 2-4P.M. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where chapel services will be held on Monday, May 21st at 1:00P.M with Revs, Mickey Graves and Phil Wade officiating. Interment will follow in FOREST LAWN MEMORY GARDENS. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/19/2007 - 5/20/2007.

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1844. AMANTEA, LOUIS (Obituary No. 1844.), 88 Silver Springs - Louis Amantea, 88, of Silver Springs, FL, passed away on May 18, 2007. A native of Brooklyn, NY and a retired Tool and Die Maker, he relocated to Marion County in 1988. He served his country during WWII in the U.S. Army/Air Corp. Louie was a Former Governor with the Moose Lodge and a parishioner of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife Anna P. Serfilippi of Silver Springs, daughter, Annette Amantea of Clearwater, FL, his son Louis Amantea of Sound Beach, NY, several grandchildren, including Donald S. Whitmore of Silver Springs and numerous great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first two wives, Theresa and Irene, and by daughter Patty Amantea. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, May 22nd between the hours of 4-7 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East. Funeral Services will be held on Wednesday, May 23rd at 10:00 a.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be held at
Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the Alzheimer's Foundation. Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1845. ANGLIN, LINDA ANN (Obituary No. 1845.), 61 Warner Robins, GA - Linda Ann Anglin, 61, of Warner Robins, GA and formerly of Ocala, FL, passed away on May 15, 2007 at Houston Medical Center in Warner Robins. A native of Miami, she moved to Georgia five years ago from Ocala and also spent a great deal of her life in Miami. Linda was a parishioner of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Warner Robins and a jewelry store owner. She is survived by her husband of 25 years, Barry Patrick Anglin of Warner Robins; daughter Lisa Hill of Ocala; daughter Pamela Westerman of Albany, GA; son Dirk Simmons of Warner Robins; mother Gerline Peterson of Ocala; brother Philip Michael Fox of Ocala; brother Patrick James Fox of Cookeville, TN; sister Donna Jo Fox of Pompano Beach, FL; sister Tammy Jo Russo of Rockaway, NJ; sisters Patricia Yurman, Laura Fox, and Maryann Fox, all of Miami, FL; grandchildren Dana, Kenny, Marina, Marly, Grace and Kim and great grandchildren Emily and Kaden. Mrs. Anglin was preceded in death by a son, the late Jimmy Stoltz, in 2001. Friends will be received on Sun., May 20th from 1-3 and 6-8 at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Mon., May 21st at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala with Fr. Patrick O'Doherty, Celebrant. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1846. ARMSTRONG, DENNIS L. (Obituary No. 1846.), 72 Ocala - Dennis L. Armstrong died April 16 at the age of 72. He is survived by his daughter and her husband, Pam and Tony Escarcega of Ocala; his daughter and her husband, Mindy and George Wolfe, and granddaughter, Crystal Armstrong, all of Cocoa, FL; his daughter, Liz Armstrong of Englewood, FL; grandson, Brandon Armstrong of San Francisco, CA; granddaughter, Amanda Webb of Jacksonville, FL; his brother and his wife, Bill and Billie Armstrong, and their children Wendy, Scott, and. Chris Armstrong and their families, all of Ocala, FL. Born October 21, 1934 in Council Bluffs, IA. He graduated in 1957, married Jacqueline Baldwin from St. Louis, MO, and had three daughters. Armstrong enjoyed a lucrative and life-long career in sales, first, as a representative for Brown Shoe Co., and then Lowell Shoe Co. He received numerous Achievement Awards, and owned shoe stores in Ocala, and Englewood, FL. Steeped in strong Midwestern values, Armstrong became the unwavering family center for his daughters when his 18 year marriage to Jacqueline dissolved, and he continued nurturing and loving his family until his death. in the 1990's he brought his grandson to live with him in Englewood, FL. Brandon credits his grandfather with "saving my life," and giving him the ambition and confidence to graduate from the culinary apprenticeship program at The Greenbrier, a five-star resort in West Virginia. Armstrong's life changed dramatically in 1990 when he suffered a dissecting aorta, followed in 1996 by a risky aneurysm repair surgery, which injured his spinal cord leaving him unable to walk. Not one to despair he embraced his limitation and courageously lived the remainder of his life independently and graciously. He moved to Ocala in 1998 to live closer to daughter Pam and her husband Tony Escarega (owner of TouchDown Painting), and his brother, Bill (then-owner of Armstrong Homes), and family. Sports were Armstrong's passion both as participant and spectator. A highlight of his post-college sports was when, while he lived in Gainesville, his nephew played football for U of F. As co-owners of the Ocala Speedway, his nephew Scott and Chris gave him the opportunity to work there. He sped around on his power wheelchair involved
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1847. BASSETT, RAY S. (Obituary No. 1847.), 81 Ocala - Ray S. Bassett, 81, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Thursday, May 17, 2007 at St. Luke's Hospital in Jacksonville, FL. A native of Monticello, FL, he had made Ocala his home since 1971, moving from Tallahassee, FL. He was part owner of North Florida Transport in Summerfield, FL and stock holder of Bassett Dairy in Monticello, FL. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corp during WWII. Survivors include: daughter, Cile MacKinnon of The Villages, FL; two sons, Ray S. Bassett, Jr. of Okeechobee, FL and Robert A. Bassett of Tallahassee, FL; three brothers, H. Burt Bassett of Tallahassee, FL, Curry J. Bassett of Punta Gorda, FL and James C. Bassett, Sr. of Perry, FL; seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Visitation will be held from 2-5 p.m., with a service at 4:30 p.m., Sunday, May 20, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME. A Graveside Service will be held the following day, Monday, May 21, 2007 at 12 p.m. at Roseland Cemetery, Monticello, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to National D-Day Museum at 945 Magazine Street, New Orleans, Louisiana 701301. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1848. KATHARINE BELL (Obituary No. 1848.), 95 Ocala - Miss. Katharine Bell, passed away April 14th at her home. Born in Prattville, AL, she came to this area in 1948. She retired after 17 years of service as the manager of the CFCC book store. She was a member of Grace Episcopal Church for over 50 years, a US Army WAC, WWII Veteran and a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, General Robert Bullock Chapter, Ocala and the VFW. She is survived by her daughter, Mary Jo Oboy of Spanaway, WA; niece and caregiver, Virginia Grouby of Ocala and nieces, Marie Grouby of Alexandria, VA and Alelaide Williams (Lauden) of Birmingham, AL; nephews, Joseph Grouby and Britt Grouby (Inez) of Alexandria, VA; 4 great nephews and 1 great niece; 4 grand, 11 great and 5 great great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at Grace Episcopal Church (503 SE Broadway St., Ocala 622-7881) on Tuesday (May 22nd) at 10:30 AM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Grace Episcopal Memorial Fund. Interment will occur in Prattville, AL at a later date. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2ND Ave. Ocala 622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1849. DOUGHERTY, DOLLY TAYLOR (Obituary No. 1849.), 86 Windermere - Dolly Taylor Dougherty, 86, of Windermere, passed away peacefully at home Monday, May 14, 2007 after a brief illness. She was born October 16, 1920 in Cincinnati, OH. She married the love of her life Capt. Raymond E. (Bud/Doc) Dougherty of Pittsburgh in 1948. She traveled the world with Doc, living in Hawaii and Japan among other places. In 1968, they moved to Ocala, FL where Dolly was widely known and loved for many years as "Miss Dolly" the children's librarian at the Ocala Public Library. She spent many happy years of retirement staying very active at Spanish Oaks in
Ocala. In 1999, she relocated to Windermere to live with her daughter and her family. Dolly was preceded in death by her beloved husband R.E. Dougherty; parents Walter W. Taylor, Sr. and Emma Runge Taylor; sisters, Jessie Hopper, Jean Taylor, Darce Crist; brother, W.W. Taylor, Jr.; and grandson Douglas Williams, Sr. She is survived by her daughters, Daryl (Russell) Jurkovich of Silesia, MT, Nancy (John) Spears of Windermere, FL; sons, F. Jay (Brook) of Pacific Palisades, CA, and Rex (Linda) of Valrico, FL; grandchildren Jenna Sanz-Agero, Darren Williams, Ryan and Randy Dougherty, Alicia Dougherty, Hunter and Savannah Spears; three great grandchildren; as well as many nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to VITAS Hospice Charitable Fund, 5151 Adanson St., Suite 200, Orlando, FL 32804, or to the charity of your choice. A life celebration memorial is planned for Saturday, August 4, 2007 in Windermere, FL at 2:00 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1850. DOYON, FRANCES A. (Obituary No. 1850.), 72 Dunellon - Frances A. Doyon, 72, of Dunellon, FL died May 19, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Pittston, PA, she relocated to Dunellon from South Windsor, CT in 1998. She retired as a secretary with the Food Services Division of Canteen Company and was active in several quilting clubs. She is survived by her husband of 51 years, Emil Doyon, Dunnellon; sons, Gary Doyon and wife Manon, Anderson, SC and James Doyon, Elizabethtown, NC; grandson, Jeffrey Doyon, Manchester, CT and granddaughters, Danielle and Erin Doyon, Anderson, SC; and brother Robert Ruganis and wife Lee, Plant City, FL. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1851. FONTAINE, ROSELINE A. (Obituary No. 1851.), 90 Ocala - Roseline "Rose" A. Fontaine, 90, passed away at Estelle's House on Sunday, May 13, 2007. She was born September 30, 1916 in Chicago, Illinois. Rose was preceded in death by her husband Lawrence Fontaine, Sr. She is survived by a son Lawrence Fontaine, Jr., daughter-in-law, Lenita Fontaine, grandchildren, Lisa Dorsey of Ocala and Laura Fontaine of Ocala, two great grandchildren, Alexis Rose Dorsey and Alex Thomas Dorsey of Ocala. After cremation, she will join her husband of 55 years at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/19/2007 - 5/20/2007.

1852. HERRIN, RUTH VAUGHN (Obituary No. 1852.), 85 Ocklawaha - Ruth Vaughn Herrin, 85, of Ocklawaha, passed away May 15, 2007 at her home. Born in Ocala, she was a lifelong resident of the area, a member of the First Christian Church of Ocala and Ocala Women's club. She is survived by her sons, Sammie J. Herrin of Ocklawaha and Bill Herrin of Signal Mountain, TN; grandchildren, Sondra Grandfield, Nancy Goldman, and Michael Herrin; great grandchildren, Kristin Baroni, Emily Grandfield, Nancy Grandfield and Jackson Goldman. She was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel J. "Sam" Herrin. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141 on Sunday, May 20, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral service will be held at the Funeral Home on Monday, May 21, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/21/2007.
1853. MAGIDSON, MATTHEW F. (Obituary No. 1853.), 78 Ocala, Mr. Magidson Florida on Thursday, May 17, 2007 after a long illness. He was 78 years old. Born in Brooklyn, NY, Mr. Magidson lived in Tamarac, Florida before moving to Ocala four years ago. He was a self-employed Tax Attorney for 45 years, before retiring in 1990. Mr. Magidson graduated in 1951 from Pace College with a B.S. (Bachelor of Science) degree; 1955 from Brooklyn Law School with a J.D. (Juris Doctor); and 1962 from New York University with a L.L.M. (Master of Law In Taxation) Mr. Magidson served in U.S. Army, with honorable discharge in 1947. Mr. Magidson is survived by his wife Estelle (nee Bloom) of Ocala, Florida; and his sons Bruce Magidson and his wife Diane of Hillsboro, ND; and Jory Magidson and his wife Caren of Morristown, NJ. He is also survived by his brother Mel Magidson, as well as his two grandchildren: Jessica and Eric Magidson. A graveside service for Mr. Magidson will be held on Monday, May 21, 2007 at 12:00PM (noon) at Beth Israel Cemetery, Cedar Knolls, NJ. Interment will follow. Donations in Mr. Magidson's name would be greatly appreciated and can be made to: American Diabetes Association, CenterPointe II, Suite 103, 1160 Route 22 East, Bridgewater, NJ, 08807; or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105. Funeral arrangements were under the care of DANGLER FUNERAL HOME, INC., MORRIS PLAINS, NJ. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/19/2007 - 5/20/2007.

1854. PAWLOWSKI, KENNETH JAMES (Obituary No. 1854.), 53 Silver Springs - Mr. Kenneth James Pawlowski, 53, passed away in Ocala, FL on May 14, 2007. He was born in Great Lakes, IL on November 7, 1953. He was a Truck Driver. He moved to Silver Springs, FL in 2003 and came here from Delaware. He is preceded in death by his father Alexander. He is survived by his son Michael and his wife Regina of Georgetown, DE and two grandchildren, two brothers Joe Pawlowski and his wife Jennifer of Tulsa, OK, Bobby and his wife Kim of Scrambletown, FL, two sisters Kathy Zachary and Debbie Pawlowski, both of Ocala, FL, his mother Louise Pawlowski of Ocala, FL, several nieces and nephews. He loved to build model airplanes. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL handling the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/19/2007 - 5/20/2007.

1855. SINNAMON, MARION D. (Obituary No. 1855.), 84 Ocala - Marion D. Sinnamon, 84, passed away on Friday, May 18, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. A resident of Ocala, she moved here from Philadelphia, PA in 1979. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She enjoyed gardening, dancing, playing bridge, and attending concerts. She also loved her pets and grandchildren. She is survived by her son, Robert H. Sinnamon, Jr. (Karen) of Chalfont, PA; son Thomas H. Sinnamon (Sue) of Chalfont, PA; daughter M. Susan Sinnamon (John) of Ocala; and nine grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Robert H. Sinnamon. A visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 22, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. A funeral mass will be held at a later date in Chalfont, PA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1856. WILLIAMS, LLOYD HOLLIS (Obituary No. 1856.), 80 Ocala- Mr. Lloyd Williams, 80, died May 18, 2007. He was born in Macks Creek, Missouri on August 27, 1926 and lived in Ocala for 56 years. Lloyd is survived by his wife, Jean Coming Williams of Ocala; sister Ruby Koerper; daughters Terri and (Ken) Ryder of Ocklawaha and Susan and (Jerry) Krieger of Pavo, GA.; stepchildren Donna and Greg Coming of Ocala, grandchildren Staci King and husband Rod of Ocala; Kelli Ryder and Husband Matt of Ocala; Amber Peebles and husband Josh of
Tallahassee. He is also survived by five great grandchildren; Cody and Chase King; Kennedy Ryder; Dylan and Braden Peebles. Lloyd is predeceased by his first wife of 37 years, Jerri Williams. He was a WWII veteran, member of Ocala Elks Club, Ocala Moose Lodge, and past patron of Ocala Eastern Star and a member of Trinity Baptist Church in Ocala. He was a partner in starting the Ocala Mounted Sheriffs Posse Search and Rescue Team and also partnered to start the Marion County Saddle Club. He retired from the United States Postal Service after serving 30 years here in Marion County. Lloyd spent the last 10 years of his life doing what he most loved; volunteering at Marion Therapeutic Riding Association. He passed on his knowledge and expertise of horses and horsemanship to many who have had the wonderful opportunity to have worked with him. He will be remembered and loved by his friends and family. Friends will be received for viewing on Sunday, May 20th from 2-4P.M. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where chapel services will be held on Monday, May 21st at 1:00P.M with Revs, Mickey Graves and Phil Wade officiating. Interment will follow in FOREST LAWN MEMORY GARDENS. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions in Lloyd's memory to Stirrups 'N Saddles, 4246 W. Hwy 318, Citra, FL 32113 or Marion Therapeutic Riding Assoc., P.O. Box 6832, Ocala, FL 34473. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/19/2007 - 5/21/2007.

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1857. AMANTEA, LOUIS (Obituary No. 1857.), 88 Silver Springs - Louis Amantea, 88, of Silver Springs, FL, passed away on May 18, 2007. A native of Brooklyn, NY and a retired Tool and Die Maker, he relocated to Marion County in 1988. He served his country during WWII in the U.S. Army/Air Corp. Louie was a Former Governor with the Moose Lodge and a parishioner of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife Anna P. Serfilippi of Silver Springs, daughter, Annette Amantea of Clearwater, FL, his son Louis Amantea of Sound Beach, NY, several grandchildren, including Donald S. Whitmore of Silver Springs and numerous great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first two wives, Theresa and Irene, and by daughter Patty Amantea. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, May 22nd between the hours of 4-7 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East. Funeral Services will be held on Wednesday, May 23rd at 10:00 a.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be held at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the Alzheimer's Foundation. Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1858. ANGLIN, LINDA ANN (Obituary No. 1858.), 61 Warner Robins, GA - Linda Ann Anglin, 61, of Warner Robins, GA and formerly of Ocala, FL, passed way on May 15, 2007 at Houston Medical Center in Warner Robins. A native of Miami, she moved to Georgia five years ago from Ocala and also spent a great deal of her life in Miami. Linda was a parishioner of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Warner Robins and a jewelry store owner. She is survived by her husband of 25 years, Barry Patrick Anglin of Warner Robins; daughter Lisa Hill of Ocala; daughter Pamela Westerman of Albany, GA; son Dirk Simmons of Warner Robins; mother Gerline Peterson of Ocala; brother Philip Michael Fox of Cookeville, TN; sister Donna Jo Fox of Pompano Beach, FL; sister Tammy Jo Russo of Rockaway, NJ; sisters Patricia Yurman, Laura Fox, and Maryann Fox, all of Miami, FL; grandchildren Dana, Kenny, Marina, Marly, Grace and Kim and great grandchildren Emily and Kaden. Mrs. Anglin was preceded in death by a son, the late Jimmy Stoltz, in 2001. Friends will
be received on Sun., May 20th from 1-3 and 6-8 at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Mon., May 21st at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala with Fr. Patrick O'Doherty, Celebrant. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1859. BASSETT, RAY S. (Obituary No. 1859.), 81 Ocala - Ray S. Bassett, 81, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Thursday, May 17, 2007 at St. Luke's Hospital in Jacksonville, FL. A native of Monticello, FL, he had made Ocala his home since 1971, moving from Tallahassee, FL. He was part owner of North Florida Transport in Summerfield, FL and stock holder of Bassett Dairy in Monticello, FL. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corp during WWII. Survivors include: daughter, Cile MacKinnon of The Villages, FL; two sons, Ray S. Bassett, Jr. of Okeechobee, FL and Robert A. Bassett of Tallahassee, FL; three brothers, H. Burt Bassett of Tallahassee, FL, Curry J. Bassett of Punta Gorda, FL and James C. Bassett, Sr. of Perry, FL; seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Visitation will be held from 2-5 p.m., with a service at 4:30 p.m., Sunday, May 20, 2007 at HIER S FUNERAL HOME. A Graveside Service will be held the following day, Monday, May 21, 2007 at 12 p.m. at Roseland Cemetery, Monticello, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to National D-Day Museum at 945 Magazine Street, New Orleans, Louisiana 701301. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1860. BELL, KATHARINE (Obituary No. 1860.), 95 Ocala- Miss. Katharine Bell, passed away April 14th at her home. Born in Prattville, AL, she came to this area in 1948. She retired after 17 years of service as the manager of the CFCC book store. She was a member of Grace Episcopal Church for over 50 years, a US Army WAC, WWII Veteran and a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, General Robert Bullock Chapter, Ocala and the VFW. She is survived by her daughter, Mary Jo Oboy of Spanaway, WA; niece and caregiver, Virginia Grouby of Ocala and nieces, Marie Grouby of Alexandria, VA and Alelaide Williams (Lauden) of Birmingham, AL; nephews, Joseph Grouby and Britt Grouby (Inez) of Alexandria, VA; 4 great nephews and 1 great niece; 4 grand, 11 great and 5 great great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at Grace Episcopal Church (503 SE Broadway St., Ocala 622-7881) on Tuesday (May 22nd) at 10:30 AM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Grace Episcopal Memorial Fund. Interment will occur in Prattville, AL at a later date. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2ND Ave. Ocala 622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1861. COOK, EVELYN (Obituary No. 1861.), 81 Ocala - Mrs. Evelyn Cook, 81, of Ocala passed away on Sun., May 20, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. Mrs. Cook was born in Manchester, NH and moved to Ocala from Merrimack, NH in 1994. She is survived by her husband, Walter F. Cook of Ocala; sister-in-law, Lovell Renstrom of Shreveport, LA; nieces, Sharon Renstrom of Tewksbury, MA and Donna Renstrom of Shreveport, LA; and nephew, Carl Renstrom of Austin, TX. The family will be having no local services. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 9695 SW 110th St, Ocala, FL are in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/21/2007 - 5/22/2007.
1862. DOUGHERTY, DOLLY TAYLOR (Obituary No. 1862.), 86 Windermere - Dolly Taylor Dougherty, 86, of Windermere, passed away peacefully at home Monday, May 14, 2007 after a brief illness. She was born October 16, 1920 in Cincinnati, OH. She married the love of her life Capt. Raymond E. (Bud/Doc) Dougherty of Pittsburgh in 1948. She traveled the world with Doc, living in Hawaii and Japan among other places. In 1968, they moved to Ocala, FL where Dolly was widely known and loved for many years as "Miss Dolly" the children's librarian at the Ocala Public Library. She spent many happy years of retirement staying very active at Spanish Oaks in Ocala. In 1999, she relocated to Windermere to live with her daughter and her family. Dolly was preceded in death by her beloved husband R.E. Dougherty; parents Walter W. Taylor, Sr. and Emma Runge Taylor; sisters, Jessie Hopper, Jean Taylor, Darce Crist; brother, W.W. Taylor, Jr.; and grandson Douglas Williams, Sr. She is survived by her daughters, Daryl (Russell) Jurkovich of Silesia, MT, Nancy (John) Spears of Windermere, FL; sons, F. Jay (Brook) of Pacific Palisades, CA, and Rex (Linda) of Valrico, FL; grandchildren Jenna Sanz-Agero, Darren Williams, Ryan and Randy Dougherty, Alicia Dougherty, Hunter and Savannah Spears; three great grandchildren; as well as many nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to VITAS Hospice Charitable Fund, 5151 Adanson St., Suite 200, Orlando, FL 32804, or to the charity of your choice. A life celebration memorial is planned for Saturday, August 4, 2007 in Windermere, FL at 2:00 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1863. DOYON, FRANCES A. (Obituary No. 1863.), 72 Dunnellon - Frances A. Doyon, 72, of Dunnellon, FL died May 19, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Pittston, PA, she relocated to Dunnellon from South Windsor, CT in 1998. She retired as a secretary with the Food Services Division of Canteen Company and was active in several quilting clubs. She is survived by her husband of 51 years, Emil Doyon, Dunnellon; sons, Gary Doyon and wife Manon, Anderson, SC and James Doyon, Elizabethtown, NC; grandson, Jeffrey Doyon, Manchester, CT and granddaughters, Danielle and Erin Doyon, Anderson, SC; and brother Robert Ruganis and wife Lee, Plant City, FL. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1864. HERRIN, RUTH VAUGHN (Obituary No. 1864.), 85 Ocklawaha - Ruth Vaughn Herrin, 85, of Ocklawaha, passed away May 15, 2007 at her home. Born in Ocala, she was a lifelong resident of the area, a member of the First Christian Church of Ocala and Ocala Women's club. She is survived by her sons, Sammie J. Herrin of Ocklawaha and Bill Herrin of Signal Mountain, TN; grandchildren, Sondra Grandfield, Nancy Goldman, and Michael Herrin; great grandchildren, Kristin Baroni, Emily Grandfield, Nancy Grandfield and Jackson Goldman. She was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel J. "Sam" Herrin. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141 on Sunday, May 20, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral service will be held at the Funeral Home on Monday, May 21, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/18/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1865. SINNAMON, MARION D. (Obituary No. 1865.), 84 Ocala - Marion D. Sinnamon, 84, passed away on Friday, May 18, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. A resident of Ocala, she moved here from Philadelphia, PA in 1979. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic
Church. She enjoyed gardening, dancing, playing bridge, and attending concerts. She also loved her pets and grandchildren. She is survived by her son, Robert H. Sinnamon, Jr. (Karen) of Chalfont, PA; son Thomas H. Sinnamon (Sue) of Chalfont, PA; daughter M. Susan Sinnamon (John) of Ocala; and nine grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Robert H. Sinnamon. A visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 22, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. A funeral mass will be held at a later date in Chalfont, PA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/20/2007 - 5/21/2007.

1866. WALSTON, JANICE K. (Obituary No. 1866.), 61 Wildwood - A steadfast and faithful servant of the Lord was called home to Heaven on Saturday, May 19, 2007. She gently slipped away surrounded by those who loved her and whose lives has been blessed by her love and friendship. She was a single mother who struggled and sacrificed all her life to raise her wonderful son and only child, David. Jan was born in Freeport, Illinois on August 14, 1945, and moved to Florida in 1969. She spent most of her life in Wildwood, Florida, where she worked hard to provide for herself and David. At various times during her career, she owned two beauty salons, a cleaning service, and during the early 1980's, she owned and operated the Coffee House Restaurant in Wildwood. She never met a stranger and she never missed an opportunity to share her faith in the Lord. Her passing will leave a hole in our lives. Jan was one of ten brothers and sisters and is predeceased by her Father and Mother, Earl and Irene Pontnack, and her brother, Dick Pontnack. She is survived by her loving and devoted son, David Walston, eight brothers and sisters, Betty Merboth, Lois McMullen, Melvin Pontnack, Marvin Pontnack, Judy Busker, Larry Pontnack, Linda Arend, and Jerry Pontnack, and 29 nieces and nephews. A celebration of Jan's life will be held Tuesday, May 22, 2007, at 11:00 a.m. at BANKS-PAGE THEUS FUNERAL HOME in Wildwood, and visitation with her family and friends will be Monday, May 21, 2007, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Arrangements have been entrusted to The Banks/Page Theus Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 410 North Webster Street, Wildwood, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/21/2007 - 5/22/2007.

1867. WILLIAMS, LLOYD HOLLIS (Obituary No. 1867.), 80 Ocala- Mr. Lloyd Williams, 80, died May 18, 2007. He was born in Macks Creek, Missouri on August 27, 1926 and lived in Ocala for 56 years. Lloyd is survived by his wife, Jean Coming Williams of Ocala; sister Ruby Koerper; daughters Terri and (Ken) Ryder of Ocklawaha and Susan and (Jerry) Krieger of Pavo, GA.; stepchildren Donna and Greg Coming of Ocala, grandchildren Staci King and husband Rod of Ocala; Kelli Ryder and Husband Matt of Ocala; Amber Peebles and husband Josh of Tallahassee. He is also survived by five great grandchildren; Cody and Chase King; Kennedy Ryder; Dylan and Braden Peebles. Lloyd is predeceased by his first wife of 37 years. Jerri Williams. He was a WWII veteran, member of Ocala Elks Club, Ocala Moose Lodge, and past patron of Ocala Eastern Star and a member of Trinity Baptist Church in Ocala. He was a partner in starting the Ocala Mounted Sheriffs Posse Search and Rescue Team and also partnered to start the Marion County Saddle Club. He retired from the United States Postal Service after serving 30 years here in Marion County. Lloyd spent the last 10 years of his life doing what he most loved; volunteering at Marion Therapeutic Riding Association. He passed on his knowledge and expertise of horses and horsemanship to many who have had the wonderful opportunity to have worked with him. He will be remembered and loved by his friends and family. Friends will be received for viewing on Sunday, May 20th from 2-4P.M. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where chapel services will be held on Monday, May 21st at 1:00P.M with Revs,
Mickey Graves and Phil Wade officiating. Interment will follow in FOREST LAWN MEMORY GARDENS. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions in Lloyd's memory to Stirrups 'N Saddles, 4246 W. Hwy 318, Citra, FL 32113 or Marion Therapeutic Riding Assoc., P.O. Box 6832, Ocala, FL 34473. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/19/2007 - 5/21/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, May 22, 2007

1868. BERRY, JOHN THOMAS (Obituary No. 1868.), 82 Ocala- John Thomas Berry, 82, died on Sunday May 20, 2007. A native of York PA, he moved to Ocala in 1981 from Oakland Park, FL. He was a retired firefighter for the Oakland Park Fire Dept. and a member of Abundant Harvest Ministries of Ocala. He is survived by his sons, James Berry and John Owen Berry both of Ocala, his brother David berry of Owensboro, KY, eight grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Kathryn. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 2:00 P.M. at Abundant Harvest Ministries, 3200 N.E. 25th Avenue with his son James Berry Officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Abundant Harvest Ministries. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1869. COOK, EVELYN (Obituary No. 1869.), 81 Ocala - Mrs. Evelyn Cook, 81, of Ocala passed away on Sun., May 20, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. Mrs. Cook was born in Manchester, NH and moved to Ocala from Merrimack, NH in 1994. She is survived by her husband, Walter F. Cook of Ocala; sister-in-law, Lovell Renstrom of Shreveport, LA; nieces, Sharon Renstrom of Tewksbury, MA and Donna Renstrom of Shreveport, LA; and nephew, Carl Renstrom of Austin, TX. The family will be having no local services. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 9695 SW 110th St, Ocala, FL are in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/21/2007 - 5/22/2007.

1870. DOCKUM, MARY H. (Obituary No. 1870.), 77 Dunnellon - Mary H. Dockum, 77, died May 19, 2007. Retired AVON District Manager, 20 yrs from the Ft. Worth, TX office. Mary was a member of Florida Red Hat Society. Loved to dance, also loved to play bingo & bunco and shuffle board. Preceded in death Lawrence & Mary G. (Becktell) Enyeart. She is survived by (2) sons: John Miller (wife, Rose), Orlando, FL and Jim Miller (wife, Shirley), Kokomo, IN; (2) daughters: Susan Chilcutt, Bunker Hill, IN and Debbie Dockum Massey (companion, Roy Rheinfrank) Kokomo, IN; (1) grandson: Matthew Chilcutt (Fiancé? - Maggie Jackson) Bunker Hill, IN; (1) granddaughter: Nancy Lewis (husband - Thomas) Kokomo, IN; great granddaughter: Leanne Lewis, Kokomo, IN. Also surviving are step grandchildren and step great grandchildren; brother: Richard Enyeart, Melbourne, FL. Preceded in death by her parents, a brother Robert Enyeart, and a son-in-law, Larry G. Chilcutt. Mary had many friends, including Dottie Greer of Peru and Dee Hartwick of Illinois. Funeral held Thursday, May 24, 2007 at Flowers-Leedy Funeral Home at 10a.m. Minster Chaplain Steve Fleck and Steve Watson. Burial place Mt. Hope Cemetery, Peru, IN. Friends may call from 4-8 p.m. (Wednesday) at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1871. ERP, MARK J. (Obituary No. 1871.), 36 Ocala - Mark J. Erp, 36, died May 20, 2007. He was born in Hollywood, FL and subsequently moved to Ocala and was a resident for the past 20 years. He was a land developer. His survivors include his mother, Karen D. Erp of Sunrise, FL, his father, James J. Erp of Ocala, his son, Tyler Brady Erp of Ocala, his sisters, Heather, Megan
and Brenna Erp all of Ocala, his grandmothers Carmela Ramputi of Tamarac, FL and Ann Erp of Summerfield and many loving aunts, uncles, and cousins. A gathering of friends will be from 6-7 p.m. on Thursday, May 24, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY TIMBERRIDGE CHAPEL with services at 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1872. KRULIKOWSKI, III, STANLEY "STAN" (Obituary No. 1872.), 49 Murfreesboro, TN - Stan Krulikowski, 49, of Murfreesboro, TN passed away on Friday, May 18, 2007. He is survived by his wife, Mary Biggs Krulikowski, daughter Ashley and son, Jeremy as well as numerous family and friends. Stan was a wonderful Christian teacher for over 20 years in Ocala. He taught at Forest High School, Lake Weir Middle School and North Marion Middle School. He was a member of First Baptist Church for many years. A memorial celebration of Stan's life will be held at First Baptist Church, Ocala, on Saturday, May 26, at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations to a memorial fund may be made at any Wachovia Bank in his name or trustee, Patricia Biggs. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1873. LONDER, ABE (Obituary No. 1873.), 93 Ocala - Abe Londer, age 93, of Ocala, Florida died Saturday, May 19, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. He was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Beverly Hills, Florida. He served in the U.S. Army during W. W. II and was a member of the Jewish War Veterans Association. For many years he worked as a mail sorter for the U.S. Postal Service. Abe loved traveling, dancing, swimming and working out in the Gym with his friends. He is survived by his loving wife of (31) years, Irene E. Londer of Ocala, FL, his step-son, William and wife Susan Healy of Floral City, FL, his (2) step daughters, Lisa Ura of Pembroke Pines, FL and Marie McNamara of Aurora, Colorado, (5) grandchildren and (2) great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., Wednesday, May 23, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, Florida 34476 with entombment to follow with Military Honors in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. The Family will receive friends at the Funeral Home one hour prior to service time. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1874. MICHIKAIK, ANTHONY G. (Obituary No. 1874.), 72 Dunnellon - Anthony G. Michniak, 72, died Saturday, May 19, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was a scheduling supervisor of communication for the Texas Department of Public Safety for 18 years. He was born in Bobtown, Pennsylvania and moved to Dunnellon in 1997 from Corpus Christi, Texas. He was a member of the Texas Department of Public Safety Officers Association, life member of the VFW #4791, life member of the disabled veterans, disabled veteran after 261/2 years as a master sergeant with the US Air Force. Mr. Michniak was survivored by four sons, Anthony Michniak, Jr. of St. Augustine, Florida, Michael R. Michniak of Tampa, Florida, Eric Michniak of Tampa, Florida and Steven Winter of Virginia Beach, Virginia: One daughter, Sandra Kissmann of Austin, Texas and three grandchildren. A memorial service will be Thursday, May 24 at 4 p.m. with Rev. William Long officiating. The cremains will be taken to Florida National Cemetery on Friday. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1875. WALSTON, JANICE K. (Obituary No. 1875.), 61 Wildwood - A steadfast and faithful servant of the Lord was called home to Heaven on Saturday, May 19, 2007. She gently slipped
away surrounded by those who loved her and whose lives has been blessed by her love and friendship. She was a single mother who struggled and sacrificed all her life to raise her wonderful son and only child, David. Jan was born in Freeport, Illinois on August 14, 1945, and moved to Florida in 1969. She spent most of her life in Wildwood, Florida, where she worked hard to provide for herself and David. At various times during her career, she owned two beauty salons, a cleaning service, and during the early 1980's, she owned and operated the Coffee House Restaurant in Wildwood. She never met a stranger and she never missed an opportunity to share her faith in the Lord. Her passing will leave a hole in our lives. Jan was one of ten brothers and sisters and is predeceased by her Father and Mother, Earl and Irene Pontnack, and her brother, Dick Pontnack. She is survived by her loving and devoted son, David Walston, eight brothers and sisters, Betty Merboth, Lois McMullen, Melvin Pontnack, Marvin Pontnack, Judy Busker, Larry Pontnack, Linda Arend, and Jerry Pontnack, and 29 nieces and nephews. A celebration of Jan's life will be held Tuesday, May 22, 2007, at 11:00 a.m. at BANKS-PAGE THEUS FUNERAL HOME in Wildwood, and visitation with her family and friends will be Monday, May 21, 2007, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Arrangements have been entrusted to The Banks/Page Theus Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 410 North Webster Street, Wildwood, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/21/2007 - 5/22/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, May 23, 2007

1876. BERRY, JOHN THOMAS (Obituary No. 1876.), 82 Ocala- John Thomas Berry, 82, died on Sunday May 20, 2007. A native of York PA, he moved to Ocala in 1981 from Oakland Park, FL. He was a retired firefighter for the Oakland Park Fire Dept. and a member of Abundant Harvest Ministries of Ocala. He is survived by his sons, James Berry and John Owen Berry both of Ocala, his brother David berry of Owensboro, KY, eight grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Kathryn. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 2:00 P.M. at Abundant Harvest Ministries, 3200 N.E. 25th Avenue with his son James Berry Officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Abundant Harvest Ministries. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1877. CANNON, BEVERLY F. (Obituary No. 1877.) Gainesville - Beverly F. Cannon, 70, resident of Gainesville, Florida, died Friday, May 18, 2007, in the Woodlands Care Center, following a brief illness. Mrs. Cannon resided most of her life in Gainesville, a graduate of Gainesville High School, Class of 1955 and she was the daughter of the late George Thomas and Leila May Mobley Fulton. Mrs. Cannon was employed as the Executive Secretary, Facilities and Transportation Division of the School Board of Alachua County for 32 years, prior to her retirement on March 31, 2002. Mrs. Cannon was the unofficial "Historian" for the School Board on property and facility issues and she was most certainly the foremost resident authority regarding the use of a hyphen in the name of the administration building, Kirby-Smith. Beverly was the test case user for several generations of evolving computer and word processing systems introduced at the School Board. She would learn them, help Information Resources debug them and then teach them to her co-workers, often writing the user's manual adopted by the School Board for in-service training. Apart from her family, Beverly's most significant relationship was her 22 year association with Fred Sivia as his secretary. Together, they formed an incomparable team of incredibly dedicated public servants who guided their Facilities and Transportation Division, which was recognized statewide as being extraordinary. Mrs. Cannon was a Certified
Master Graphoanalyst, she was the membership secretary of the Gainesville High School "Has Beens" organization when it began and she was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Gainesville. Her personal interests included her children, her grandchildren, gardening and scrapbooking. Survivors include: her Husband, Jim Cannon, of Gainesville; Two Daughters, Donna Rose and Sherry Moore, both of Gainesville; Two Sons, Tommy Cook of Gainesville and Chuck Cook of Boston, Mass.; One brother, George Fulton, of Olympia, WA. and Five Grandchildren: William Smith, Tyler Cook, Erica Cook, Sydney Moore and Samantha Moore. Memorial services will be conducted Friday, May 25, 2007, at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel of Williams-Thomas Funeral Home Westarea, 823 N.W. 143rd Street, with Rev. Mark Becker officiating. The family will receive friends on Thursday, May 24, 2007, from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be in the form of memorial donations to the Fred Sivia and Beverly Cannon Fund, administered by the Alachua County Public Schools Foundation, Inc. (ACPSF, Inc.), 1725 SE 1st Avenue, Gainesville, Florida, 32641; (352) 955-7003. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA (352) 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1878. DOCKUM, MARY H. (Obituary No. 1878.), 77 Dunnellon - Mary H. Dockum, 77, died May 19, 2007. Retired AVON District Manager, 20 yrs from the Ft. Worth, TX office. Mary was a member of Florida Red Hat Society. Loved to dance, also loved to play bingo & bunco and shuffle board. Preceded in death Lawrence & Mary G. (Becktell) Enyeart. She is survived by (2) sons: John Miller (wife, Rose), Orlando, FL and Jim Miller (wife, Shirley), Kokomo, IN; (2) daughters: Susan Chilcutt, Bunker Hill, IN and Debbie Dockum Massey (companion, Roy Rheinfrank) Kokomo, IN; (1) grandson: Matthew Chilcutt (Fiancé - Maggie Jackson) Bunker Hill, IN; (1) granddaughter: Nancy Lewis (husband - Thomas) Kokomo, IN; great granddaughter: Brooklyn Lewis, Kokomo, IN. Also surviving are step grandchildren and step great grandchildren; brother: Richard Enyeart, Melbourne, FL. Preceded in death by her parents, a brother Robert Enyeart, and a son-in-law, Larry G. Chilcutt. Mary had many friends, including Dottie Greer of Peru and Dee Hartwick of Illinois. Funeral held Thursday, May 24, 2007 at Flowers-Leedy Funeral Home at 10a.m. Minster Chaplain Steve Fleck and Steve Watson. Burial place Mt. Hope Cemetery, Peru, IN. Friends may call from 4-8 p.m. (Wednesday) at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1879. ERP, MARK J. (Obituary No. 1879.), 36 Ocala - Mark J. Erp, 36, died May 20, 2007. He was born in Hollywood, FL and subsequently moved to Ocala and was a resident for the past 20 years. He was a land developer. His survivors include his mother, Karen D. Erp of Sunrise, FL, his father, James J. Erp of Ocala, his son, Tyler Brady Erp of Ocala, his sisters, Heather, Megan and Brenna Erp all of Ocala, his grandmothers Carmela Ramputi of Tamarac, FL and Ann Erp of Summerfield and many loving aunts, uncles, and cousins. A gathering of friends will be from 6-7 p.m. on Thursday, May 24, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY TIMBER RIDGE CHAPEL with services at 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1880. FITCH (RIZZO), JOSEPHINE "JOSIE" M (Obituary No. 1880.), Summerfield - Josephine "Josie" M. (Rizzo) Fitch, 92, of Summerfield, FL., passed away on May 20, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House, Summerfield. A native of Mt. Morris, NY and a retired seamstress, she relocated to Marion County in 1974 from East Rochester, NY. She attended the Church at the Springs, was a member of the Women of the Moose Chapter # 1142, an avid Bingo player,
enjoyed cruises, ceramics, cooking and baking. Josie is survived by her daughters, Theresa Rizzo of Summerfield, FL., Marian Rizzo of Ocala, FL., and Rose Lee and her husband Michael of Summerfield; a step-daughter, Dorothy Ferne and her husband of Tom, Ashland, KY; sister, Mary LaPlaca and her husband Joe of Summerfield, FL; sister-in-law, Norma Casby of Clinton, MO; as well as 13 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren and numerous step grandchildren and step great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her first, husband Anthony Rizzo, and her second husband, Francis Fitch. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, May 24, 2007 at 10 a.m. the Village View Community Church, Summerfield. Inurnment will be held at the Highland Memorial Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Heart Association. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1881. HODGE, THOMAS (Obituary No. 1881.), 75 Newberry - Thomas N. Hodge, age 75, died on Tuesday, May 22, 2007 suddenly at his home. He was born and raised in Gilchrist County, and was a lifetime resident of Newberry. He was a retired truck driver for B.F.I. He was an avid fisherman and gardener. He also served in the Army during the Korean Conflict. He is survived by his loving wife Alma C. Hodge of Newberry; his daughters Connie Hodge of Bell and Lisa Hodge of Newberry; his mother Vina Pittman of Trenton, his brothers Travis Hodge of Sorrento, FL and Willie Hodge of Gainesville; his sisters Nadine Stokes of Chiefland and Minnie Bowman of Gainesville; four grandchildren and three great granddaughters. Graveside funeral services will be held Thursday, May 24, 2007 at 11:00A.M. at the Newberry Cemetery with Andy Cook officiating. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES OF NEWBERRY, 352-472-3999. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/24/2007.

1882. KRULIKOWSKI, III, STANLEY "STAN" (Obituary No. 1882.), 49 Murfreesboro, TN - Stan Krulikowski, 49, of Murfreesboro, TN passed away on Friday, May 18, 2007. He is survived by his wife, Mary Biggs Krulikowski, daughter Ashley and son, Jeremy as well as numerous family and friends. Stan was a wonderful Christian teacher for over 20 years in Ocala. He taught at Forest High School, Lake Weir Middle School and North Marion Middle School. He was a member of First Baptist Church for many years. A memorial celebration of Stan's life will be held at First Baptist Church, Ocala, on Saturday, May 26, at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations to a memorial fund may be made at any Wachovia Bank in his name or trustee, Patricia Biggs. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1883. LANGFORD, JOHN KIRBY, JR. (Obituary No. 1883.), Lake Butler - John Kirby Langford Jr., 78, CWO4 John Kirby Langford Jr. 78 Of Lake Butler passed away peacefully at the V. A. Medical Center in Lake City Tuesday morning, May 22, 2007, with his best friend and devoted wife, Pat by his side. John was born in Lake Butler, the son of the Late John K. Langford Sr. and Russell Rivers Langford. He graduated from Union County High School and for the next 28 years he was enlisted in the Army. He retired in 1978. After retiring, he moved back to Lake Butler, where he was employed with the Dept. of Corrections and also sold real estate. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Lake Butler. He is survived by his loving wife: Pat Plouffe Langford of Lake Butler. 4 Daughters: Karen Baden of Phoenix City, Ala.; Sandra Markus of Waupun, Wis.; Terry Pearson of Madison, Wis. And Kim Langford
of El Paso, Texas, 2 Sons: John W. Langford of Mooresville, N., C. and Kenneth Langford of Copperas, Cave, Texas. 3 Stepdaughters: Gisele Lepage and Nicole Duval both of Ottawa, Canada and Annette Vynne of Westminster, Mass. 3 Stepsons: Claude; Richard and Michael Lalonde all of Ottawa, Canada. 19 Grandchildren and 8 Great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Fri-day May 25, 2007 at 11:00 A.M. in the First United Methodist Church of Lake Butler, with Rev. Arthur Peter-son and Rev. David Puller officiating. Interment will follow in Dekle Cemetery, under the care of Archer Funeral Home of Lake Butler. Family will receive friends at the funeral home from 6 to 8 P. M. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/24/2007.

1884. LONDER, ABE (Obituary No. 1884.), 93 Ocala - Abe Londer, age 93, of Ocala, Florida died Saturday, May 19, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice. He was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Beverly Hills, Florida. He served in the U.S. Army during W. W. II and was a member of the Jewish War Veterans Association. For many years he worked as a mail sorter for the U.S. Postal Service. Abe loved traveling, dancing, swimming and working out in the Gym with his friends. He is survived by his loving wife of (31) years, Irene E. Londer of Ocala, FL, his step-son, William and wife Susan Healy of Floral City, FL, his (2) step daughters, Lisa Ura of Pembroke Pines, FL and Marie McNamara of Aurora, Colorado, (5) grandchildren and (2) great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., Wednesday, May 23, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, Florida 34476 with entombment to follow with Military Honors in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. The Family will receive friends at the Funeral Home one hour prior to service time. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1885. MARKHAM, GLYNN (Obituary No. 1885.), 80 Alachua - Glynn Markham, age 80, died Sunday, May 20, 2007 at E.T. Hospice Care Center. Glynn was born in Lake City, FL and moved to Gainesville, he has lived in Alachua, FL since 1966. Glynn formerly worked for Graham-Jones Paper Co. for 17 years. He was Co-Owner of Gainesville Paper Co. for 8 years. Glynn also owned and operated the Rebel House Restaurant for 33 years. Glynn is a member of the First Baptist Church of Alachua, where he was a Deacon. Glynn served in the U.S. Navy During W.W. II and Korea, in W.W.II he was stationed aboard a Destroyer, the USS McCook, during the D-Day invasion. He was CO-Founder of the D-Day Veterans Group in Alachua County, was a member of the V.F.W., Sons of Confederate Veterans and a member of the Alachua Lions Club. Glynn was one of the most patriotic people and was well known to everyone. He played taps at a lot of Military Services. His parents, Dorphus Roe and Bessie Lee Markham, 3 brothers and 1 sister preceded him in death. Survivors include his wife, Frances Gentry Markham of Alachua, FL, Daughter and Son-in-law, Cynthia and Stephen Andrews of Lake City, FL, son and daughter-in-law, Fredrick L. and Nancy Markham of Knoxville, TN., sister, Clorece Hayes of Hoschton, GA. and four grandchildren, Brian and Michael Andrews, Martha and Andrew Markham. The family will receive friends at the First Baptist Church of Alachua, FL. Wednesday morning from 10:00 - 11:00 A.M. The Funeral will follow at 11:00 A.M., burial will follow at Newnansville Cemetery, Alachua, FL., with Military Honors. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Florida Baptist Children's Home, C/O First Baptist Church of Alachua, Alachua, Florida. MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES,

1886. MCHENRY, MARTHA CHARLENE (Obituary No. 1886.) Gainesville - Martha Charlene McHenry, age 79, of Gainesville, Florida, died Friday May 18, 2007 at the home of her daughter. She was born in Wheeling, West Virginia on August 10, 1927 and grew up in St. Clairsville, Ohio. She married Roger McHenry and they raised their family in Gahanna, Ohio. She is survived by two daughters, Carol Wilson and her husband Ron of Gainesville, Florida and Joyce Powell and her husband Martin of Glasgow, Kentucky; Five grandchildren, Colleen, David, Marty, Emily and Jameson. A private funeral service is planned at the home of Carol Wilson on Thursday. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/24/2007.

1887. MICHNIAK, ANTHONY G. (Obituary No. 1887.), 72 Dunnellon - Anthony G. Michniak, 72, died Saturday, May 19, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was a scheduling supervisor of communication for the Texas Department of Public Safety for 18 years. He was born in Bobtown, Pennsylvania and moved to Dunnellon in 1997 from Corpus Christi, Texas. He was a member of the Texas Department of Public Safety Officers Association, life member of the VFW #4791, life member of the disabled veterans, disabled veteran after 261/2 years as a master sergeant with the US Air Force. Mr. Michniak was survived by four sons, Anthony Michniak, Jr. of St. Augustine, Florida, Michael R. Michniak of Tampa, Florida, Eric Michniak of Tampa, Florida and Steven Winter of Virginia Beach, Virginia: One daughter, Sandra Kissmann of Austin, Texas and three grandchildren. A memorial service will be Thursday, May 24 at 4 p.m. with Rev. William Long officiating. The cremains will be taken to Florida National Cemetery on Friday. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/23/2007.

1888. SHELLEY, JOHN SAMUEL, (Obituary No. 1888.) Turkey Creek - Mr. John Samuel Shelley, 58, died May 20, 2007 at his home in Turkey Creek. He was a Paratrooper with the 173rd Airborne in the United States Army and received the Purple Heart for service in Vietnam. He is survived by wife, Laurel D. Shelley; son, Charles Kinding also survives. Funeral Services for Mr. Shelley will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, May 24, 2007 in the chapel of Evans-Carter Funeral Home. Visitation with the family will be Wednesday evening 6:00 - 8:00 pm at the funeral home. Evans-Carter Funeral Home, 220 North Main Street, High Springs, has charge of all arrangements, 454-2444. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/24/2007.

1889. VIDAL, ALBERT PIERRE (Obituary No. 1889.), 84, Gainesville - Pierre Vidal, 84, died at Haven Hospice on Saturday, May 19, 2007. Born at Alachua General Hospital in Gainesville on December 19, 1922, Pierre was a Navy bomber pilot in WWII of the VPB109 squadron out of San Diego, California. Pierre returned from the war to his hometown of Gainesville and earned a Pharmacy degree from the University of Florida in 1948. He joined the family pharmacy business with his father Albert and his brother Jack. Pierre and his wife Betty owned and operated the City Drug Company on E. University Avenue until they closed for business in 1987. In 1997 Pierre and his wife Betty sold their home of 50 years on NW 10th Avenue and moved to the family homeplace in Evinston, Florida where generations of his family have lived since 1882. Pierre continued to work as a retail pharmacist into his early 80's. Pierre was a ruling elder of First Presbyterian Church in downtown Gainesville and a founding elder of Faith
Presbyterian Church in 1973. Pierre was a beloved husband, brother, father, and grandfather. Pierre is survived by his wife of 61 years, Betty; his brother John A. "Jack" Vidal of Gainesville; his cousin Donald Hester of Ft. Lauderdale; his three sons Dennis P. Vidal of Evinston, Lauris G. Vidal of Evinston, and Albert J. Vidal of Ocala; and seven grandchildren. Receiving of friends will be held at Faith Presbyterian Church, 5916 N.W. 39th Avenue, Gainesville on Wednesday, May 23rd from 7:00-9:00pm and a memorial service will be held Thursday, May 24 at 11:00am at Community Presbyterian Church, 2009 N. US Hwy 441, McIntosh. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Legacy Ministry, P.O. Box 373, Evinston, FL 32633 or to Haven Hospice of Gainesville, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/25/2007.

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1890. ANDERSON, DANTE DEWITT "SHIPHTY" (Obituary No. 1890.) Gainesville - Dante, Age 16, 11th Grade Student/Eastside High School, National Basketball Standout, 2005/2006 Eastside High School State Championship MVP, one of 10 Players selected nationally by Reebok to play in Italy, A Member of the AAU Jacksonville Lee Bulls, and a former Member of the Running Rattlers and the Gainesville Motivators Basketball Teams, 1 of 150 Basketball Players chosen from around the Country to attend the Reebok Basketball Camp, 1 of 4 MVP chosen at the Camp. Dante received numerous awards and recognition for his athletic and academic abilities. He was admired and respected among his peers and troubled males for his compassion. Dante died Saturday, May 19, 2007, in Gainesville, Florida as the result of an Automobile Accident. He was a Partner of PASSAGE Family Church. Services will be held 3:00PM Saturday, May 26, 2007, at the Eastside High School Auditorium (with his Pastor, Senior Pastor George B. Dix, Jr. delivering the Eulogy. Burial will follow at Pine Grove Cemetery. Dante will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday 2:00-8:00PM. Dante will be lovingly missed by his Mother - Assoc. Pastor Sheila Baker-Bell of Gainesville, FL; Father - Dewitt Anderson of Gainesville, FL; Brothers - Robert "Shake" Baker (& Tamara) of Davie, FL and Benjamin Bell of Gainesville, FL; Sisters - Whantavia Nelson (MonTrellis), Oluwatoyin "Toy" Baker (& Delvin), Edwina White, and Janta Bell of Gainesville, FL; Grandmother - Dorothy Edwards (& James) of Campville, FL (Gloria Nelson preceded him in death); Uncles - Van Anderson, William Wims, Jr. (& LaSchelle), Franklin Green Jr., Eddie Green of Gainesville, FL; Aunts - Sharon Harrison (& Ron) of Denver, CO, Min. Velinda Davis (& Elijah), Angela Daniels (& Brian), Felicia Green, and Regina Green (Jeanette Wims preceded him in death); And a host of Grand Aunts & Uncles, Cousins & Friends. Contributions may be made to The Dante Anderson Memorial Scholarship Fund/co Alachua County Public School Board Fund, 1725 SE Pt Avenue, Gainesville, FL 32641. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL, (352) 376-2437. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1891. BERRY, JOHN THOMAS (Obituary No. 1891.), 82 Ocala- John Thomas Berry, 82, died on Sunday May 20, 2007. A native of York PA, he moved to Ocala in 1981 from Oakland Park, FL. He was a retired firefighter for the Oakland Park Fire Dept. and a member of Abundant
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1892. BRYANT, ALICE N. (Obituary No. 1892.), 87 Ocala - Alice N. Bryant, age 87, of Ocala, FL., passed away in Tuesday, May 22, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala. Born in Dover Plains, NY on November 4, 1919. She graduated from Kessler Business College and worked as a bank clerk in Poughkeepsie, NY., until her marriage in 1943 to Richard G. Bryant. She moved to Statesville, NC., to live with his family while he served in the Navy for the duration of the war. After the war the lived in Cross City, FL while Mr. Bryant was a telephone line foreman. In 1954 they moved to Ocala, and started a chicken farm, selling and delivering eggs to private homes and business. She later worked at The Marion County Property Appraiser's Office until retirement. She was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. Preceded in death by husband Richard G. "Dick" Bryant. Survivors include daughter, Libby Bryant of Alexandria, VA; two brothers, Edwin Northrop of Central Manor, NY., and Raymond J. Northrop of Hudson, NY; one sister, Margaret M. Hall of Dover Plains, NY. Services will be at 11 a.m. on Friday, May 25, 2007 at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. Burial will be at Oakwood Cemetery in Statesville, NC. Visitation will be on Thursday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1893. CAMERON, KARI MYERS (Obituary No. 1893.), 37 Ocala - Mrs. Kari Myers Cameron, age 37, of Ocala died May 22, 2007 at her home. Born in Gainesville, FL on April 25, 1970, Kari graduated in 1988 from Buchholz High School and from UCF in 1992 with a degree in Communicative Disorders. Kari met her husband Scott Cameron at UCF and they married on May 15, 1993. They have 3 children and Kari was very active in their school activities and sports. She enjoyed family trips to Disney and loved the beach. Kari led a fulfilling life enriched by numerous friends and leaves behind a large multi-generation family that will love her and will all miss her dearly. Kari is survived by her husband, Scott Cameron; sons, Tyler, 10 and Alex, 7; daughter, Savannah, 5; parents, Lewis and Betsy Lou Myers of Gainesville; sister, Grace Myers Chesser of Gainesville; brother, Doug Myers of Newberry; and numerous nieces and nephews. Services will be held on Friday, May 25, 2007 at 10 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be on Thursday, May 24, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Interment will be at Forest Meadows Central in Gainesville. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 2100 SE 17th St., Suite 110, Ocala, FL. 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1894. CANNON, BEVERLY F. (Obituary No. 1894.) Gainesville - Beverly F. Cannon, 70, resident of Gainesville, Florida, died Friday, May 18, 2007, in the Woodlands Care Center, following a brief illness. Mrs. Cannon resided most of her life in Gainesville, a graduate of Gainesville High School, Class of 1955 and she was the daughter of the late George Thomas and Leila May Mobley Fulton. Mrs. Cannon was employed as the Executive Secretary, Facilities and Transportation Division of the School Board of Alachua County for 32 years, prior to her
retirement on March 31, 2002. Mrs. Cannon was the unofficial "Historian" for the School Board on property and facility issues and she was most certainly the foremost resident authority regarding the use of a hyphen in the name of the administration building, Kirby-Smith. Beverly was the test case user for several generations of evolving computer and word processing systems introduced at the School Board. She would learn them, help Information Resources debug them and then teach them to her co-workers, often writing the user's manual adopted by the School Board for in-service training. Apart from her family, Beverly's most significant relationship was her 22 year association with Fred Sivia as his secretary. Together, they formed an incomparable team of incredibly dedicated public servants who guided their Facilities and Transportation Division, which was recognized statewide as being extraordinary. Mrs. Cannon was a Certified Master Graphoanalyst, she was the membership secretary of the Gainesville High School "Has Beens" organization when it began and she was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Gainesville. Her personal interests included her children, her grandchildren, gardening and scrapbooking. Survivors include: her Husband, Jim Cannon, of Gainesville; Two Daughters, Donna Rose and Sherry Moore, both of Gainesville; Two Sons, Tommy Cook of Gainesville and Chuck Cook of Boston, Mass.; One brother, George Fulton, of Olympia, WA. and Five Grandchildren: William Smith, Tyler Cook, Erica Cook, Sydney Moore and Samantha Moore. Memorial services will be conducted Friday, May 25, 2007, at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel of Williams-Thomas Funeral Home Westarea, 823 N.W. 143rd Street, with Rev. Mark Becker officiating. The family will receive friends on Thursday, May 24, 2007, from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be in the form of memorial donations to the Fred Sivia and Beverly Cannon Fund, administered by the Alachua County Public Schools Foundation, Inc. (ACPSF, Inc.), 1725 SE 1st Avenue, Gainesville, Florida, 32641; (352) 955-7003. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA (352) 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1895. CARNEGIE, THEODORE, SR. (Obituary No. 1895.), 80 Williston - Mr. Theodore Carnegie Sr., age 80, a resident of Williston was born in Dade City to the late Nora B. Lesilie and Louise Carnegie. He graduated from Dade City High School, served in the united states army for Two Years, then moved to Williston and became employed with Whitehurst Construction company as a truck driver and later retired. Mr. Carnegie was a member of Church of God By Faith in Williston, Florida, and after his health began to fail he resided in Williston Health care center and on May 15, 2007 he was transported to Haven Hospice Center where he died on May 19,2007. He is survived by a Devoted Wife Alice Carnegie, 9 children: Theodore Carnegie, Jr., Merial Mills (Ernest), Levy County, NAACP President Aljoseph Carnegie Sr. (Elizabeth) Miracle Vision Pastor Elder Carl Carnegie(Janie), Oliver Carnegie (Elouise), Evangelist Felicia Carnegie Days(Eugene), Co-Director of Teams of the Move Levy County, Virginia Carnegie Floyd (Danny) Andre Carnegie Sr. (Renee), and Quanda Carnegie Parker (Quinton), a host of grandchildren and great grands, siblings: Eula Conley, Nora Barney, Avis Seabrook Joseph Carnegie Sr. and Virginia McDonald. Services for Mr. Carnegie will be held on Saturday at 3:00pm at Unity Temple, Williston Florida with Dr. Elder James Williams, Sr. Officiating Burial will follow in the New Hope Cemetery Williston, Florida. Visitation Hours for Mr. Carnegie ill be held an Friday at Miracle Vision Outreach Center in Raleigh, FL from 6-7pm and 1 hour prior to services. "There will be no viewing after the Message." "Everlasting Memories and Love" Family Owned and Operated Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.
1896. FITCH (RIZZO), JOSEPHINE "JOSIE" M. (Obituary No. 1896.), Summerfield - Josephine "Josie" M. (Rizzo) Fitch, 92, of Summerfield, FL., passed away on May 20, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House, Summerfield. A native of Mt. Morris, NY and a retired seamstress, she relocated to Marion County in 1974 from East Rochester, NY. She attended the Church at the Springs, was a member of the Women of the Moose Chapter # 1142, an avid Bingo player, enjoyed cruises, ceramics, cooking and baking. Josie is survived by her daughters, Theresa Rizzo of Summerfield, FL., Marian Rizzo of Ocala, FL., and Rose Lee and her husband Michael of Summerfield; a step-daughter, Dorothy Ferne and her husband of Tom, Ashland, KY; sister, Mary LaPlaca and her husband Joe of Summerfield, FL; sister-in-law, Norma Casby of Clinton, MO; as well as 13 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren and numerous step grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her first, husband Anthony Rizzo, and her second husband, Francis Fitch. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, May 24, 2007 at 10 a.m. the Village View Community Church, Summerfield. Inurnment will be held at the Highland Memorial Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Heart Association. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1897. FOSTER, MARIE (Obituary No. 1897.), 86 Ocala - Mrs. Foster went home to be with Jesus on May 16, 2007. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Canaan Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. Jerome Gamble, Pastor. She is survived by one sister, Ernestine Stevenson; a host of loving nieces and nephews other relatives and friends. Wake services will be held at Mt. Canaan Baptist Church on Thursday, 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Public Visitation will be held on Friday, May 25, 2007 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1898. GORDON, SELMA LEE (Obituary No. 1898.), 79 Flemington, FL - Mrs. Selma Lee Gordon, 79, passed away on May 15, 2007 at Shands Teaching Hospital. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Gordon leaves to cherish a devoted and loving husband, Mr. Simmie L. Gordon, Flemington, FL; daughter, Mrs. Patricia Jones-Mason of Flemington, FL; 3 granddaughters, Daurice Gordon, Andrea Jones, and Vancece Jones; 1 great grandson, D'Andre" Thaggard; 2 adopted granddaughters, JaZAreyah Flowers and Derrica Flowers. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 26, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church, Flemington, FL. Public visitation will be held at the church on Friday evening, May 25, 2007 from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. Mrs. Gordon will lie in repose at the church on Saturday from 10 a.m. until time of service. Interment will follow in Greater New Bethel Cemetery, Flemington, FL. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1899. GREEN, ROSA LEE (Obituary No. 1899.), 96 Anthony - Rosa Lee Green, age 96, of Anthony crossed over on Monday, May 21, 2007 to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ at New Horizon Rehabilitation Center, Ocala. She was a lifelong member of Mt. Olive A.M.E. Church, Anthony, FL. She enjoyed all church functions and really loved her family. Mother Rosa Lee Green is survived by her sister, Kate (Sylvestor) White and a host of nieces, nephews,
cousins, and sorrowing friends. Home Going Celebration will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the New Hope Baptist Church, 2240 NE 86th Lane, Anthony, FL., with Rev. Charles Caldwell, Eulogist. There will be a wake service on Thursday, May 24, 2007 from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Mt. Olive A.M.E. Church, 8715 NE 27th Terrace, Anthony, FL., Public visitation will be held at Mt. Olive A.M.E. Church Anthony, FL., on Friday, May 25, 2007 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Burial will be in the Mt. Olive Cemetery, Anthony, FL. Services entrusted to MARVIN C. ZANDERS FUNERAL HOME, INC., Apopka, FL (407) 886-3388 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1900. HAMPTON, JR. CURTIS L. (Obituary No. 1900.), 16 Curtis Lee Hampton, Jr. 16, died Saturday, May 19, 2007 he was a student at Horizon A Gainesville Native he was a member at Mt. Moriah Baptist Church. Curtis was an avid sports fan. Survivors include his mother Marian Myers, Gainesville, FL Father & Step mother Curtis L. Annette C Hampton, Sr. Ft. White, FL. One brother Terrell Myers, Two sisters Shevon Cummings Tracy D. Fuller all of Gainesville, FL. Maternal Grandmother Willie K. Roundtree, Paternal Grandfather Curtis Grady both of Gainesville, FL. Funeral Services for Mr. Hampton will be held on Sat. May 26, 2007 at 11:00 AM Mt. Moriah Baptist Church with Rev. F.N. Gallmon officiating entombment will follow in Forest Meadows Central Park under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation Friday 2:00- 8:00 PM. and on Sat at the church hour before the service There will be no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will form at the home 1409 S.E. 20th St at 10:15 AM "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1901. HODGE, THOMAS (Obituary No. 1901.), 75 Newberry - Thomas N. Hodge, age 75, died on Tuesday, May 22, 2007 suddenly at his home. He was born and raised in Gilchrist County, and was a lifetime resident of Newberry. He was a retired truck driver for B.F.I. He was an avid fisherman and gardener. He also served in the Army during the Korean Conflict. He is survived by his loving wife Alma C. Hodge of Newberry; his daughters Connie Hodge of Bell and Lisa Hodge of Newberry; his mother Vina Pittman of Trenton, his brothers Travis Hodge of Sorrento, FL and Willie Hodge of Gainesville; his sisters Nadine Stokes of Chiefland and Minnie Bowman of Gainesville; four grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Graveside funeral services will be held Thursday, May 24, 2007 at 11:00A.M. at the Newberry Cemetery with Andy Cook officiating. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES OF NEWBERRY, 352-472-3999. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/24/2007.

1902. HOUSTON, ALLEN SR. (Obituary No. 1902.), 65 Gainesville - Allen Houston, Sr. 65, Retired Tile Setter, died Friday, May 18, 2007 at his home following an extended illness. He was born in Greenville, Fla. and had lived in Gainesville for 42 years. He was a veteran of the US Army and a member of Springerhill Baptist Church where he served as a deacon, Member of The Prayer Band Ministry, Youth Ministry, Van Driver, Member of The Springhill Inspirational Choir, The Male Chorus, Church School Teacher. He was also a member of The Southside Gospel Choir. Survivors include his devoted wife Linda Houston, Two sons Allen Houston, Jr., Ervin Mack, Three daughters Debra Dallas, Tonya Houston, Tarra Houston all of Gainesville, FL. Two sisters Ida Smith, Gainesville, FL. Bertha Alexander, Pinetta, FL. One brother Ernest Houston, Rochester, NY and nine Grandchildren. Funeral Services for Mr. Houston will be held
at 11:00 AM Saturday, May 26, 2007 at Springhill Baptist Church with Rev. Adrian S. Taylor officiating. Burial will follow in Forest Meadows East Memorial Park under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave. The cortege will form at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Houston, 814 S.E. 19th Terrace at 10:15 AM. Visitation Friday Chestnut Chapel 2:00 - 8:00 PM. The family will receive friends at the chapel Friday from 4:00 - 5:00 PM on Friday and on Saturday at the Church one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1903. JENKINS, ERVINE LYNN SR (Obituary No. 1903.). 88 Hawthorne - Ervine Lynn Jenkins Sr., age 88, died May 16, 2007 at Shands at U.F. Mr. Jenkins was a member of Trinity United Missionary Baptist Church in Hawthorne and a W.W.II Army Veteran. He retired from Florida Rock Industries. He's survived by his wife, Leola Gordon Jenkins, Hawthorne, FL; 4 sons, Ervine (Irene) Jenkins, Jr., Palatka, FL, Nathaniel (Hattie) Jenkins, Hawthorne, FL, Willie James (Pat) Douglas, Palatka, FL, Tommie (Carolyn) Jenkins, Interlachen, FL; 2 daughters, Susie Laverne (Herbert) Jordan, Huntsville, Ala., Constance Christine (Carl) Williams, Archer, FL; step children, Clarence (Maryann) Ivey, Hawthorne, FL, Deborah Jones, Huntsville, Ala., Lillian Jenkins, Cocoa, FL; 2 sisters, Lulabell (Lindsey) Griffin, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Beatrice Slater, Hawthorne, FL; 30 grandchildren, and a host of great grands, great-great grands other relatives and friends. Funeral Services will be held 11:00 a.m. Saturday, May 26, 2007 at Trinity United Missionary Baptist Church, Hawthorne, FL, with Dr. Clarence Woods officiating. Burial will be in Gilgal Cemetery. Viewing hours on Friday at the funeral home from 2-8 p.m. and Saturday at the church 30 minutes prior to service: No viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will forma at Ervine & Leola Jenkins home 10:30 a.m. Saturday. Services Entrusted To PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOME, INC. 21400 S.E. Hawthorne Rd., Hawthorne, FL (352) 481-2903. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1904. JENKINS, JOHNIE (Obituary No. 1904.), 70 Cross City, FL - Mr. Johnnie Jenkins, Age 70, a Resident of Cross Cit, Fl. was born in Rosehill, Mississippi and moved to Cross City many years ago. Mr. Jenkins was a retired Construction Worker and a member of Royal Temple Church in Christ, Cross City Fl. Mr. Johnnie Jenkins is Survived by: wife Josephine Jenkins, Mother: Sylvia Plummer both of Cross City, Fl. three daughters: Curlie Mae Brown (Daniel) and Corles Ingram (Harold)both of Lake City, Fl. Three Sons: Johnnie Jenkins Jr. (Sonja), Johnny Johnson (Maryland) both of Jacksonville, Fl and Forlepay Jenkins of Cross City, Fl. 15 grandchildren and 3 great grands one sister in law Pearl Jenkins of New York, and one son Percy Johnson who proceeded him in death. Services For Mr. Jenkins will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 11:00 am at Royal Temple Church in Christ, Cross City, FL. Burial will follow in the Eugene Memorial Cemetery in Cross City Fl. Visitation hours will be held at Carnegie Funeral Home in he Wade Greenlee Memorial Chapel from 7 - 8pm the family is asked to assemble at the home of Mrs. Jenkins, 447 NE 121st Street) Cross City on Saturday at 10:30 to form the cortege. Arrangements are under the Direction of Carnegie Funeral Home 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida 32626 (352) 493-1857. "Everlasting Memories and Love" Family Owned and Operated Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1905. LANGFORD, JOHN KIRBY, JR., (Obituary No. 1905.) Lake Butler - John Kirby Langford Jr., 78, CWO4 John Kirby Langford Jr. 78 Of Lake Butler passed away peacefully at
the V. A. Medical Center in Lake City Tuesday morning, May 22, 2007, with his best friend and devoted wife, Pat by his side. John was born in Lake Butler, the son of the Late John K. Langford Sr. and Russell Rivers Langford. He graduated from Union County High School and for the next 28 years he was enlisted in the Army. He retired in 1978. After retiring, he moved back to Lake Butler, where he was employed with the Dept. of Corrections and also sold real estate. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Lake Butler. He is survived by his loving wife: Pat Plouffe Langford of Lake Butler. 4 Daughters: Karen Baden of Phenix City, Ala.; Sandra Markus of Waupun, Wis.; Terry Pearson of Madison, Wis. And Kim Langford of El Paso, Texas, 2 Sons: John W. Langford, of Mooresville, N., C. and Kenneth Langford of Copperas, Cave, Texas. 3 Stepdaughters: Gisele Lepage and Nicole Duval both of Ottawa, Canada and Annette Vynne of Westminster, Mass. 3 Stepsons: Claude; Richard and Michael Lalonde all of Ottawa, Canada. 19 Grandchildren and 8 Great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Friday May 25, 2007 at 11:00 A.M. in the First United Methodist Church of Lake Butler, with Rev. Arthur Peterson and Rev. David Puller officiating. Interment will follow in Dekle Cemetery, under the care of Archer Funeral Home of Lake Butler. Family will receive friends at the funeral home from 6 to 8 P. M. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/24/2007.

1906. MAIER, MATTHEW CHRISTIAN (Obituary No. 1906.), 23 Clermont - Matthew Christian Maier, 23, passed away on Monday, May 21, 2007 at South Lake Hospital in Clermont. Matthew was a resident in Clermont, and moved there from Ocala. While he lived in Ocala, he attended Hillcrest Public School. He enjoyed watching movies. He was a loving son. He is survived by his mother Brenda Sue Miller Maier of Ocala; father, Franklin J. Maier, Jr.; two brothers Jason Maier or Ocala, Jay Boggs of Indiana; sister Christina Maier of Ocala; grandmother Odessa Miller of Ocala; and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at the Ocala Worship Center, 1845 SW 1st Ave. A visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Friday, May 25, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1907. MARKHAM, GLYNN (Obituary No. 1907.), 80 Alachua - Glynn Markham, age 80, died Sunday, May 20, 2007 at E.T. Hospice Care Center. Glynn was born in Lake City, FL and moved to Gainesville, he has lived in Alachua, FL since 1966. Glynn formerly worked for Graham-Jones Paper Co. for 17 years. He was Co-Owner of Gainesville Paper Co. for 8 years. Glynn also owned and operated the Rebel House Restaurant for 33 years. Glynn is a member of the First Baptist Church of Alachua, where he was a Deacon. Glynn served in the U.S. Navy During W.W. II and Korea, in W.W.II he was stationed aboard a Destroyer, the USS McCook, during the D-Day invasion. He was Co-Founder of the D-Day Veterans Group in Alachua County, was a member of the V.F.W., Sons of Confederate Veterans and a member of the Alachua Lions Club. Glynn was one of the most patriotic people and was well known to everyone. He played taps at a lot of Military Services. His parents, Dorphus Roe and Bessie Lee Markham, 3 brothers and 1 sister preceded him in death. Survivors include his wife, Frances Gentry Markham of Alachua, FL, Daughter and Son-in-law, Cynthia and Stephen Andrews of Lake City, FL, son and daughter-in-law, Fredrick L. and Nancy Markham of Knoxville, TN., sister, Clorece Hayes of Hoschton, GA. and four grandchildren, Brian and Michael Andrews, Martha and Andrew Markham. The family will receive friends at the First Baptist Church of
Alachua, FL. Wednesday morning from 10:00 - 11:00 A.M. The Funeral will follow at 11:00 A.M., burial will follow at Newnansville Cemetery, Alachua, FL., with Military Honors. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Florida Baptist Children's Home, C/O First Baptist Church of Alachua, Alachua, Florida. MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 S. Main St., Gainesville, FL., 352-376-5361 are in care of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/24/2007.

1908. MCHENRY, MARTHA CHARLENE (Obituary No. 1908.) Gainesville - Martha Charlene McHenry, age 79, of Gainesville, Florida, died Friday May 18, 2007 at the home of her daughter. She was born in Wheeling, West Virginia on August 10, 1927 and grew up in St. Clairsville, Ohio. She married Roger McHenry and they raised their family in Gahanna, Ohio. She is survived by two daughters, Carol Wilson and her husband Ron of Gainesville, Florida and Joyce Powell and her husband Martin of Glasgow, Kentucky; Five grandchildren, Colleen, David, Marty, Emily and Jameson. A private funeral service is planned at the home of Carol Wilson on Thursday. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/24/2007.

1909. MCNEIL, BEATRICE (Obituary No. 1909.), 101 Gainesville - Beatrice McNeil, 101, died Sunday at Shands Hospital U of F. She was born in the Monteocha Community and has lived here in Gainesville all of her life. She was a member of Old Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church where she served on the Mother's Board and a Choir Member she was also a member of Jerusalem Prayer Band. Survivors include: Daughter Mable Mingo, Gainesville, FL. four grandchildren and nine great grand children. Funeral services for Mrs. McNeil will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 3:00 PM Jerusalem Church Of God By Faith with Elder Daniel Gainey, Host Pastor, and Rev. Tommy Brantley officiating. Burial will follow in Rhuta Branch Cemetery under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. The cortege will form at the home of Mrs. McNeil, 1527 N.E. 40th Place at 2:15 PM Visitation Friday 2:00 - 8:00 PM and on Saturday at Jerusalem Church of God By Faith. One hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1910. MCQUEEN, LUCY VIRGINIA (Obituary No. 1910.), 88 Feb. 2, 1919-May 18, 2007 Salt Springs - Lucy Virginia McQueen, 88, of NE 133rd Street, a lifetime homemaker, died Friday at her daughter's home on Kenilworth Avenue in South Daytona under the care of her Granddaughter, Sister, and Hospice of Ormond Beach. Mrs. McQueen was born in Blakely, GA and moved to Salt Springs in 1979. She has since been a member of Kerr Shores Park. She loved her small community, friends, and family. She enjoyed gardening, playing cards, and crossword puzzle books. Mrs. McQueen's death was preceded by her husband of 49 years, Milton D. McQueen. Survivors include a daughter, M. Maxcine Chellino, South Daytona, FL, a son Mark McQueen, Salt Springs, FL; grandchildren, Melissa Ferro and companion, George Greer, South Daytona, FL; Justin Pintor, South Daytona, South Daytona, FL; Amanda Pintor and Megan McQueen, Ocala, FL; and a great granddaughter, Alexis Ferro, South Daytona, FL; sisters, Callie Rimer, Robbinsville, NC; Lea Feuerberg, Newport Beach, CA; Judy Weiss, Yucaipa, CA; and a brother, Ernest Hodges, Bartow, FL. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME. 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL is in charge. The family will receive friends Friday from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. Services will be at the funeral home Saturday at 11 a.m. Memorial donation can be made to Hospice of
1911. MICHNIAK, ANTHONY G. (Obituary No. 1911.), 72 Dunnellon - Anthony G. Michniak, 72, died Saturday, May 19, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was a scheduling supervisor of communication for the Texas Department of Public Safety for 18 years. He was born in Bobtown, Pennsylvania and moved to Dunnellon in 1997 from Corpus Christi, Texas. He was a member of the Texas Department of Public Safety Officers Association, life member of the VFW #4791, life member of the disabled veterans, disabled veteran after 26 1/2 years as a master sergeant with the US Air Force. Mr. Michniak was survived by four sons, Anthony Michniak, Jr. of St. Augustine, Florida, Michael R. Michniak of Tampa, Florida, Eric Michniak of Tampa, Florida and Steven Winter of Virginia Beach, Virginia: One daughter, Sandra Kissmann of Austin, Texas and three grandchildren. A memorial service will be Thursday, May 24 at 4 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, with Rev. William Long officiating. The cremains will be taken to Florida National Cemetery on Friday. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1912. MILLER, LOUISE (Obituary No. 1912.), 74 Chiefland - Louise Miller, 74, of Chiefland, passed away May 22, 2007 in Gainesville, FL. Mrs. Miller was born in Otter Creek and has lived in this area all her life. She enjoyed the outdoors, hunting and fishing. She is survived by her daughter, Ann Jefferson of Georgia, sons Robert Watson & Jimmy Miller, both of Alabama, Danny Miller, Charles Miller, George Miller, & Mark Miller, all of Chiefland, Bill Miller of Macclenny, FL, and Jerry Miller of Winter Haven, FL. Sisters, Sandra Jenkins, Pennsylvania and Dorothy Dowless of Gainesville, brothers Arthur Anderson of California and Hershal Anderson of Otter Creek, FL. And many grandchildren, great grandchildren, great great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, Garold A. Miller. Graveside Services will be held Sat. May 26 at 10:00 AM at Shiloh Cemetery in Cedar Key with Pastor Jamie Brock officiating. Visitation will be Friday night from 5-7 PM at the funeral home. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 1301 N. Young Blvd, Chiefland is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1913. NEAL, BEATRICE JORDAN "MA BEA (Obituary No. 1913.) " Archer, Florida. Mrs. Neal, Age 93, Member of Female Protective Society Lodge #4, St. Peter & St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church (both of Archer, FL), The First Division Ministers, Deacons & Layman Union, entered into eternal rest on Tuesday, May 15, 2007, at her residence. The Homegoing Celebration will be held 10:30AM Saturday, May 26, 2007, at the Female Protective Society Temple (Gainesville, FL) with Rev. Dwayne McBride officiating. Burial will follow at the Newnansville Cemetery (Alachua, FL). Mrs. Neal will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday (2:00-8:00PM) - At the Temple on Saturday 30 minutes prior to the Service - And with the Processional. The Procession will form at the residence of Cedric & Sheila Moss, 16022 SW 79th Avenue, Archer, FL at 9:45AM. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/30/2007.
1914. RUSHING, WILLIAM LARRY (Obituary No. 1914.), 52 Ocala - Funeral Services for Mr. Rushing will be held at the Sanctuary of Hope Missionary Baptist Church, Citra, FL on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. Rev. Nathaniel Hart, Sr. will conduct the eulogy. Burial will be in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and Friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Minnie Welch, 1117 NW 11th Ave., Ocala, FL on Saturday at 10 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Mr. Rushing is survived by a wife, Gwendolyn A. Rushing; children, La Toyia C. Rushing of St. Pete, FL., Aundrella L Sinclair of Ocala, FL., Shaquita T. Rushing of Wildwood, FL., and William L. Rushing, Jr., of St. Pete, FL.; 9 grandchildren; sisters, Minnie R. Welch, Dora, Maxey, Willie M. Robinson, and one brother, Ed Rushing, Jr., all of Ocala, FL. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1915. SHELLEY, JOHN SAMUEL (Obituary No. 1915.), Turkey Creek - Mr. John Samuel Shelley, 58, died May 20, 2007 at his home in Turkey Creek. He was a Paratrooper with the 173rd Airborne in the United States Army and received the Purple Heart for service in Vietnam. He is survived by wife, Laurel D. Shelley; son, Charles Kinding also survives. Funeral Services for Mr. Shelley will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, May 24, 2007 in the chapel of Evans-Carter Funeral Home. Visitation with the family will be Wednesday evening 6:00 - 8:00 pm at the funeral home. Evans-Carter Funeral Home, 220 North Main Street, High Springs, has charge of all arrangements, 454-2444. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/24/2007.

1916. SMITH, GILBERT LOUIS (Obituary No. 1916.), 88 Silver Springs - Gilbert Smith passed after a brief illness Tuesday, May 22, 2007. Native to Akron, OH, he retired with 36 yrs. service from Goodyear Aerospace Corp. Gilbert moved to Silver Springs in 1976 and enjoyed more than 30 yrs. of retirement. He married his loving wife Kathleen in Dec. 1941. He is also survived by sons Gerry and wife Karen, and Thom and wife Sandy. His grandchildren Tim Smith and Laura and husband Matt Good reside in Akron, OH. Private services will be held. Donations in lieu flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Gilbert. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1917. SMITH, PEARL BLACKWELL (Obituary No. 1917.), 92 Ocala - Pearl Blackwell Smith, 92, passed away on May 16, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Smith was a life long resident of Ocala and a retired cook. She was preceded in death by her husband, James V. Smith. She is survived by her seven children: sons, Hughland A. Smith of Clearwater, FL., Clarence (Mary) Smith of Tampa, FL., and Rev. Winston (Janet) Smith of Jacksonville, FL., daughters, Geraldine Jackson of Ocala, FL., Carolyn B. Smith of Somerset, NJ., Beverly S. Watson of East Brunswick, NJ., and Barbara S. Wells of Wesley Chapel, FL; 20 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren, and 9 great-great grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and many caring friends. Mrs. Pearl B. Smith requested no (PUBLIC) viewing of her remains. You may still sign the registar. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. George W. Lee, Pastor. Interment will follow in the Mt. Olive Cemetery, Summerfield, FL. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.
1918. VIDAL, ALBERT PIERRE (Obituary No. 1918.), 84, Gainesville - Pierre Vidal, 84, died at Haven Hospice on Saturday, May 19, 2007. Born at Alachua General Hospital in Gainesville on December 19, 1922, Pierre was a Navy bomber pilot in WWII of the VPB109 squadron out of San Diego, California. Pierre returned from the war to his hometown of Gainesville and earned a Pharmacy degree from the University of Florida in 1948. He joined the family pharmacy business with his father Albert and his brother Jack. Pierre and his wife Betty owned and operated the City Drug Company on E. University Avenue until they closed for business in 1987. In 1997 Pierre and his wife Betty sold their home of 50 years on NW 10th Avenue and moved to the family homeplace in Evinston, Florida where generations of his family have lived since 1882. Pierre continued to work as a retail pharmacist into his early 80's. Pierre was a ruling elder of First Presbyterian Church in downtown Gainesville and a founding elder of Faith Presbyterian Church in 1973. Pierre was a beloved husband, brother, father, and grandfather. Pierre is survived by his wife of 61 years, Betty; his brother John A. "Jack" Vidal of Gainesville; his cousin Donald Hester of Ft. Lauderdale; his three sons Dennis P. Vidal of Evinston, Lauris G. Vidal of Evinston, and Albert J. Vidal of Ocala; and seven grandchildren. Receiving of friends will be held at Faith Presbyterian Church, 5916 N.W. 39th Avenue, Gainesville on Wednesday, May 23rd from 7:00-9:00pm and a memorial service will be held Thursday, May 24 at 11:00am at Community Presbyterian Church, 2009 N. US Hwy 441, McIntosh. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Legacy Ministry, P.O. Box 373, Evinston, FL 32633 or to Haven Hospice of Gainesville, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1919. WEST, ELAINE GOODE (Obituary No. 1919.) Archer - Elaine Goode West was born in Albertville, Alabama on September 11, 1915. The only child of Arthur Goode and Verna Simmons Goode. Her family moved to Archer, Florida, in the summer of 1919. Growing up on her family's farm, Elaine attended Archer Elementary and Archer High School where she was a star basketball player. She was recruited for a professional traveling team. She instead attended business college and worked in the Office of the Florida State Legislator for 4 years. She returned to Gainesville and took a position as the office manager for Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service until she retired. Elaine was a charter member of the Archer Baptist Church, and enjoyed spending her time creating art work, gardening, sewing, camping, red fishing and spending the summer in their mountain cabin near Franklin North Carolina. Elaine died peacefully at home surrounded by her family under the gentle care of Haven Hospice on May 22nd, 2007. She is survived by her husband of 69 years, Charlie West, one son and daughter in law, Nick and Kay West, three grandchildren, Tammy West-Cooper and her husband Skip, John West and his wife Debbie, and Christy Cain, and four great-grandchildren, Jessica Elaine Cooper, Shelby West, Christian Perry, and Caroline Perry. Services will be held at the Archer Baptist Church on Friday, May 25th, 2007 @ 11:00 am. Burial will follow at the Laurel Hill Cemetery in Archer, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations be made to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida; 4200 N.W. 90th Blvd., Gainesville, Fl. 32606 and First Baptist Church of Archer; P.O. Box 248, Archer, Fl. 32618. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 South Main Street; Gainesville, FL. 32601 (352-376-5361) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.
1920. WILLIAMS, BRYAN GLENN "PRIME TIME" (Obituary No. 1920.), 27 Summerfield, Florida - Prophet Williams, Age 27, PE Teacher/ Elohim Judah Ministries, 1999 Graduate of Lake Weir High School (Ocala, FL), entered into eternal rest on Saturday, May 19, 2007, as the result of a Motorcycle Accident (in Ocala, FL). Homegoing Services will be held 11 a.m. Saturday, May 26, 2007, at the House of God (Ocala, FL) where Elder Cleve Butler is Pastor, with Bishop Ernest Folston, Jr. delivering the Eulogy. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens (Ocala, FL). Mr. Williams will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday (2 p.m. to 5 p.m.) - Also on Friday (7 p.m. to 8 p.m.) at the Holy Band Deliverance Temple (Ocala, FL) where his Family will receive Friends - And on Saturday at the Church following the Eulogy. The Procession will form at the residence of his Mother, Dr. Linda D. Williams, 6315 S. Magnolia Ave, Ocala, FL at 10:15 a.m. Prophet Williams is immediately survived by: Wife (of 5 years) - LaQuanda Sanders-Williams and Children - Brionna, Madison and Bryan Jr. of Summerfield, FL; Father - Leroy Williams Sr. of Newberry, FL; Mother Dr. Linda D. Williams of Ocala, FL; Brothers - Apostle Corry Williams (& Sheila), Keith D. Williams (& Charity) and Leroy L. Williams of Ocala, FL, and Leroy Williams, Jr. of Baltimore, MD; Sisters - Linshasa Wright (& Andre) of Leesburg, FL, Heather Williams (& Brandy) and Maxine Brown of Ocala, FL, Lisa Williams and Denise Williams of Newberry, FL; Grandmother - Alberta Guest Jones of Newberry, FL; Aunts & Uncles, Nieces & Nephews, Cousins, In-Laws & Friends. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Friday, May 25, 2007

1921. ALLEN, ERNEST GRANT (Obituary No. 1921.), 86 Dunnellon - Ernest G. Allen, 86, of Dunnellon, died Wednesday, May 23, 2007 in Legacy House. He served in the Army during WWII. Was a member of the Dunnellon VFW. He moved to FL from NY in 1964. Worked for IBM for 30+ years starting in NY, then Titusville, where he worked on the Gemini & Apollo space programs. He retired in Boca Raton, FL in 1981. He enjoyed working with his hands and was very good at fixing electronics. Preceded in death by his first wife Jeanette. Survivors include: wife, Joan; son Roy Allen, Lexington, KY; daughters, Nancy May, Altamonte Springs, FL., and Ruth Poirier, Deerfield Beach, FL; stepdaughter, Norma Cook, Little River, SC; grandchildren, Paul Allen, Grant Allen, Amanda May, Brendan May, Bonnie Widmaier, Scott Poirier, Logan Poirier, Mackenzie Poirier; great grandchildren, Garret and Raelyn Widmaier. Services will be held Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home Chapel in Dunnellon with Rev. Jeffrey Welch officiating. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion Co. or Michael J. Fox for Parkinson's Research. Arrangements made by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1922. ANDERSON, DANTE DEWITT "SHIPHTY" (Obituary No. 1922.) Gainesville - Dante, Age 16, 11th Grade Student/Eastside High School, National Basketball Standout, 2005/2006 Eastside High School State Championship MVP, one of 10 Players selected nationally by Reebok to play in Italy, A Member of the AAU Jacksonville Lee Bulls, and a former Member of the Running Rattlers and the Gainesville Motivators Basketball Teams, 1 of 150 Basketball Players chosen from around the Country to attend the Reebok Basketball Camp, 1 of 4 MVP chosen at the Camp. Dante received numerous awards and recognition for his athletic and
academic abilities. He was admired and respected among his peers and troubled males for his compassion. Dante died Saturday, May 19, 2007, in Gainesville, Florida as the result of an Automobile Accident. He was a Partner of PASSAGE Family Church. Services will be held 3:00PM Saturday, May 26, 2007, at the Eastside High School Auditorium (with his Pastor, Senior Pastor George B. Dix, Jr. delivering the Eulogy. Burial will follow at Pine Grove Cemetery. Dante will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday 2:00-8:00PM - At the Auditorium on Saturday 1 hour prior to the Services - And with the Processional. The Procession will form at the residence of his Mother, Assoc Pastor Sheila Baker-Bell, 1313 NE 12th St, Gainesville, at 2:00PM. Dante will be lovingly missed by his Mother - Assoc. Pastor Sheila Baker-Bell of Gainesville, FL; Father - Dewitt Anderson of Gainesville, FL; Brothers - Robert "Shake" Baker (& Tamara) of Davie, FL and Benjamin Bell of Gainesville, FL; Sisters - Whantavia Nelson (MonTrellis), Oluwatoyin "Toy" Baker (& Delvin), Edwina White, and Janta Bell of Gainesville, FL; Grandmother - Dorothy Edwards (& James) of Campville, FL (Gloria Nelson preceded him in death); Uncles - Van Anderson, William Wims, Jr. (& LaSchelle), Franklin Green Jr., Eddie Green of Gainesville, FL; Aunts - Sharon Harrison (& Ron) of Denver, CO, Min. Velinda Davis (& Elijah), Angela Daniels (& Brian), Felicia Green, and Regina Green (Jeanette Wims preceded him in death); And a host of Grand Aunts & Uncles, Cousins & Friends. Contributions may be made to The Dante Anderson Memorial Scholarship Fund/co Alachua County Public School Board Fund, 1725 SE Pt Avenue, Gainesville, FL 32641. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL, (352) 376-2437. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1923. BERRY, JOHN THOMAS (Obituary No. 1923.), 82 Ocala- John Thomas Berry, 82, died on Sunday May 20, 2007. A native of York PA, he moved to Ocala in 1981 from Oakland Park, FL. He was a retired firefighter for the Oakland Park Fire Dept. and a member of Abundant Harvest Ministries of Ocala. He is survived by his sons, James Berry and John Owen Berry both of Ocala, his brother David Berry of Owensboro, KY, eight grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Kathryn. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Abundant Harvest Ministries, 3200 N.E. 25th Avenue with his son James Berry Officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Abundant Harvest Ministries. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1924. BRAGG, ROBERT "DON" (Obituary No. 1924.), 69 Reynolds, GA - Robert "Don" Bragg of Reynolds, Georgia went to be with his Lord and Savior on May 23, 2007 after a long and brave battle with leukemia. He was born in Sylvania, Georgia on February 28, 1938 to Ashton and Lucy Bragg, both deceased. He graduated from Ocala High School in Ocala, Florida and spent many years as a sales representative. He moved to Tifton in 1975 and operated The Hitchin' Post western store for twenty years before retiring in Reynolds in 1999. He was a faithful member of the First Baptist Church of Reynolds where he served as a deacon and loved the Lord and his Church. He will be sadly missed by his wife of forty-five years, Earleen, and his children, Don Bragg with wife Tina of Tifton and Jill Johnson with husband Bucky of Reynolds. He has five grandchildren: Lauren Johnson of Statesboro, Anna Johnson of Columbia, SC, Whitley Johnson of Reynolds, Luke Bragg and Ryan Bragg of Tifton. He is also survived by his brother and sister-in-law, Bill and Jane Bragg of Ocala, Aunt Ethel Fryklind of Reynolds and brothers and sisters-in-law, Don and Patricia Wells, Dennis and Chris Chandler, and Rick and
Debbie Cheatham all of Winston-Salem, NC, along with several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 25, 2007 at 11 am at the First Baptist Church of Reynolds with the Rev. Glenn Cavin officiating. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Cemetery. GODDARD-MCLEIGHTON FUNERAL HOME of Reynolds is in charge of arrangements. 478-847-4181. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1925. BRYANT, ALICE N. (Obituary No. 1925.), 87 Ocala - Alice N. Bryant, age 87, of Ocala, FL., passed away in Tuesday, May 22, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala. Born in Dover Plains, NY on November 4, 1919. She graduated from Kessler Business College and worked as a bank clerk in Poughkeepsie, NY., until her marriage in 1943 to Richard G. Bryant. She moved to Statesville, NC., to live with his family while he served in the Navy for the duration of the war. After the war they lived in Cross City, FL while Mr. Bryant was a telephone line foreman. In 1954 they moved to Ocala, and started a chicken farm, selling and delivering eggs to private homes and business. She later worked at The Marion County Property Appraiser's Office until retirement. She was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. Preceded in death by husband Richard G. "Dick" Bryant. Survivors include daughter, Libby Bryant of Alexandria, VA; two brothers, Edwin Northrop of Central Manor, NY., and Raymond J. Northrop of Hudson, NY; one sister, Margaret M. Hall of Dover Plains, NY. Services will be at 11 a.m. on Friday, May 25, 2007 at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. Burial will be at Oakwood Cemetery in Statesville, NC. Visitation will be on Thursday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1926. CAMERON, KARI MYERS (Obituary No. 1926.), 37 Ocala - Mrs. Kari Myers Cameron, age 37, of Ocala died May 22, 2007 at her home. Born in Gainesville, FL on April 25, 1970, Kari graduated in 1988 from Buchholz High School and from UCF in 1992 with a degree in Communicative Disorders. Kari met her husband Scott Cameron at UCF and they married on May 15, 1993. They have 3 children and Kari was very active in their school activities and sports. She enjoyed family trips to Disney and loved the beach. Kari led a fulfilling life enriched by numerous friends and leaves behind a large multi-generation family that will love her and will all miss her dearly. Kari is survived by her husband, Scott Cameron; sons, Tyler, 10 and Alex, 7; daughter, Savannah, 5; parents, Lewis and Betsy Lou Myers of Gainesville; sister, Grace Myers Chesser of Gainesville; brother, Doug Myers of Newberry; and numerous nieces and nephews. Services will be held on Friday, May 25, 2007 at 10 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be on Thursday, May 24, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Interment will be at Forest Meadows Central in Gainesville. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 2100 SE 17th St., Suite 110, Ocala, FL. 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1927. CANNON, BEVERLY F. (Obituary No. 1927.) Gainesville - Beverly F. Cannon, 70, resident of Gainesville, Florida, died Friday, May 18, 2007, in the Woodlands Care Center, following a brief illness. Mrs. Cannon resided most of her life in Gainesville, a graduate of Gainesville High School, Class of 1955 and she was the daughter of the late George Thomas and Leila May Mobley Fulton. Mrs. Cannon was employed as the Executive Secretary, Facilities and Transportation Division of the School Board of Alachua County for 32 years, prior to her retirement on March 31, 2002. Mrs. Cannon was the unofficial "Historian" for the School Board.
on property and facility issues and she was most certainly the foremost resident authority regarding the use of a hyphen in the name of the administration building, Kirby-Smith. Beverly was the test case user for several generations of evolving computer and word processing systems introduced at the School Board. She would learn them, help Information Resources debug them and then teach them to her co-workers, often writing the user's manual adopted by the School Board for in-service training. Apart from her family, Beverly's most significant relationship was her 22 year association with Fred Sivia as his secretary. Together, they formed an incomparable team of incredibly dedicated public servants who guided their Facilities and Transportation Division, which was recognized statewide as being extraordinary. Mrs. Cannon was a Certified Master Graphoanalyst, she was the membership secretary of the Gainesville High School "Has Beens" organization when it began and she was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Gainesville. Her personal interests included her children, her grandchildren, gardening and scrapbooking. Survivors include: her Husband, Jim Cannon, of Gainesville; Two Daughters, Donna Rose and Sherry Moore, both of Gainesville; Two Sons, Tommy Cook of Gainesville and Chuck Cook of Boston, Mass.; One brother, George Fulton, of Olympia, WA. and Five Grandchildren: William Smith, Tyler Cook, Erica Cook, Sydney Moore and Samantha Moore. Memorial services will be conducted Friday, May 25, 2007, at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel of Williams-Thomas Funeral Home Westarea, 823 N.W. 143rd Street, with Rev. Mark Becker officiating. The family will receive friends on Thursday, May 24, 2007, from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be in the form of memorial donations to the Fred Sivia and Beverly Cannon Fund, administered by the Alachua County Public Schools Foundation, Inc. (ACPSF, Inc.), 1725 SE 1st Avenue, Gainesville, Florida, 32641; (352) 955-7003. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA (352) 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1928. CARNEGIE, THEODORE, SR. (Obituary No. 1928.), 80 Williston - Mr. Theodore Carnegie Sr., age 80, a resident of Williston was born in Dade City to the late Nora B. Lesilie and Louise Carnegie. He graduated from Dade City High School, served in the United States Army for Two Years, then moved to Williston and became employed with Whitehurst Construction company as a truck driver and later retired. Mr. Carnegie was a member of Church of God By Faith in Williston, Florida, and after his health began to fail he resided in Williston Health care center and on May 15, 2007 he was transported to Haven Hospice Center where he died on May 19, 2007. He is survived by a Devoted Wife Alice Carnegie, 9 children: Theodore Carnegie, Jr., Merial Mills (Ernest), Levy County, NAACP President Aljoseph Carnegie Sr. (Elizabeth) Miracle Vision Pastor Elder Carl Carnegie (Janie), Oliver Carnegie (Elouise), Evangelist Felicia Carnegie Days (Eugene), Co-Director of Teams of the Move Levy County, Virginia Carnegie Floyd (Danny) Andre Carnegie Sr. (Renee), and Quanda Carnegie Parker (Quinton), a host of grandchildren and great grands, siblings: Eula Conley, Nora Barney, Avis Seabrook Joseph Carnegie Sr. and Virgin McDonald. Services for Mr. Carnegie will be held on Saturday at 3:00pm at Unity Temple, Williston Florida with Dr. Elder James Williams, Sr. Officiating Burial will follow in the New Hope Cemetery Williston, Florida. Visitation Hours for Mr. Carnegie will be held an Friday at Miracle Vision Outreach Center in Raliegh, FL from 6-7pm and 1 hour prior to services. "There will be no viewing after the Message." "Everlasting Memories and Love" Family Owned and Operated Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.
1929. CHANCEY, DOROTHY (Obituary No. 1929.), 87 Ocala, FL - Dorothy Chancey, 87, of Ocala passed away Tuesday, May 22, 2007 at her daughter's home. She was a long time resident of Ocala moving here from Virginia in 1947. She was a loving mother and a member of Faith Primitive Baptist Church. Dorothy retired as a seamstress from Lady Bayard Factory. Hobbies included gardening, crocheting, and fishing. She is survived by her son, Larry Charles Sims of Harleyville, SC, a daughter, Ginger Gurr of Ocala, a brother, Lee Breeding of Ocala, and two sisters, Gladys Dingus of Ocala, and Muriel Doyon from Fairfax, VA. Mrs. Chancey is preceded in death by her husband, Samuel B. Chancey. A Graveside Service will be held at 11 A.M. on Monday, May 28, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum Chapel with Perry Terrell and Ken Crawford officiating. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1930. EASTER, HAZEL M. (Obituary No. 1930.), 80 Ocala - Hazel M. Easter, age 80, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, May 22, 2007. She was born in Hopwood, PA on February 6, 1927. She moved to Ocala from Winterhaven, FL 10 years ago. Mrs. Easter was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. Her hobbies included doll collecting. She is survived by her husband, Paul M. Easter of Ocala; grandson, Paul K. Easter, Jr. of Ray City, GA; granddaughter, Jennifer Easter Watts of Ray City, GA; great grandchildren, Ashley M. Watts and William T. Watts of Ray City, GA. She was preceded in death by a son Paul K. Easter, Sr. A memorial service for Mrs. Easter will be held Friday, May 25, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - TimberRidge, Ocala, FL with the Rev. Dr. Ken Kleckner officiating. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERRIDGE, Ocala, FL. 352-873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1931. FITCH (RIZZO), JOSEPHINE "JOSIE" M (Obituary No. 1931.), Summerfield - Josephine "Josie" M. (Rizzo) Fitch, 92, of Summerfield, FL., passed away on May 20, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House, Summerfield. A native of Mt. Morris, NY and a retired seamstress, she relocated to Marion County in 1974 from East Rochester, NY. She attended the Church at the Springs, was a member of the Women of the Moose Chapter # 1142, an avid Bingo player, enjoyed cruises, ceramics, cooking and baking. Josie is survived by her daughters, Theresa Rizzo of Summerfield, FL., Marian Rizzo of Ocala, FL., and Rose Lee and her husband Michael of Summerfield; a step-daughter, Dorothy Ferne and her husband of Tom, Ashland, KY; sister, Mary LaPlaca and her husband Joe of Summerfield, FL; sister-in-law, Norma Casby of Clinton, MO; as well as 13 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren and numerous step grandchildren and step great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her first, husband Anthony Rizzo, and her second husband, Francis Fitch. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, May 24, 2007 at 10 a.m. the Village View Community Church, Summerfield. Inurnment will be held at the Highland Memorial Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Heart Association. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1932. FOSTER, MARIE (Obituary No. 1932.), 86 Ocala - Mrs. Foster went home to be with Jesus on May 16, 2007. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Canaan Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. Jerome Gamble, Pastor. She is survived by one sister, Ernestine Stevenson; a host of loving nieces and nephews other relatives and friends. Wake
services will be held at Mt. Canaan Baptist Church on Thursday, 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Public Visitation will be on Friday, May 25, 2007 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at SNOW’S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1933. FUND, ERNIE (Obituary No. 1933.), 84 Newberry - Ernest J. "Ernie" Fund, age 84, died on Wednesday May 23, 2007 at North Florida Regional Medical Center. He is survived by his wife Rita Fund of Newberry, daughter and son-in-law Jackie and Paul Heiland of Newberry, and many other close family members. The family will receive friends at the Milam Funeral Home in Newberry on Sunday May 27, 2007 from 3 until 5p.m. Arrangements are under the care of Milam Funeral and Cremation Services of Newberry, 352-472-3999. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1934. GORDON, SELMA LEE (Obituary No. 1934.), 79 Flemington, FL - Mrs. Selma Lee Gordon, 79, passed away on May 15, 2007 at Shands Teaching Hospital. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Gordon leaves to cherish a devoted and loving husband, Mr. Simmie L. Gordon, Flemington, FL; daughter, Mrs. Patricia Jones-Mason of Flemington, FL; 3 granddaughters, Daurnce Gordon, Andrea Jones, and Vancece Jones; 1 great grandson, D'Andre" Thaggard; 2 adopted granddaughters, JaZareyah Flowers and Derrica Flowers. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 26, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church, Flemington, FL. Public visitation will be held at the church on Friday evening, May 25, 2007 from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. Mrs. Gordon will lie in repose at the church on Saturday from 10 a.m. until time of service. Interment will follow in Greater New Bethel Cemetery, Flemington, FL. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1935. GREEN, ROSA LEE (Obituary No. 1935.), 96 Anthony - Rosa Lee Green, age 96, of Anthony crossed over on Monday, May 21, 2007 to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ at New Horizon Rehabilitation Center, Ocala. She was a lifelong member of Mt. Olive A.M.E. Church, Anthony, FL. She enjoyed all church functions and really loved her family. Mother Rosa Lee Green is survived by her sister, Kate (Sylvester) White and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends. Home Going Celebration will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the New Hope Baptist Church, 2240 NE 86th Lane, Anthony, FL, with Rev. Charles Caldwell, Eulogist. There will be a wake service on Thursday, May 24, 2007 from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Mt. Olive A.M.E. Church, 8715 NE 27th Terrace, Anthony, FL., Public visitation will be held at Mt. Olive A.M.E. Church Anthony, FL., on Friday, May 25, 2007 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Burial will be in the Mt. Olive Cemetery, Anthony, FL. Services entrusted to MARVIN C. ZANDERS FUNERAL HOME, INC., Apopka, FL (407) 886-3388 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1936. HAMPTON, JR. CURTIS L. (Obituary No. 1936.), 16 Curtis Lee Hampton, Jr. 16, died Saturday, May 19, 2007 he was a student at Horizon A Gainesville Native he was a member at Mt. Moriah Baptist Church. Cuts was an avid sports fan. Survivors include his mother Marian Myers, Gainesville, FL Father & Step mother Curtis L. Annette C Hampton, Sr. Ft. White, FL. One brother Terrell Myers, Two sisters Shevon Cummings Tracy D. Fuller all of Gainesville, FL. Maternal Grandmother Willie K. Roundtree, Paternal Grandfather Curtis Grady both of
Gainesville, FL. Funeral Services for Mr. Hampton will be held on Sat. May 26, 2007 at 11:00 AM Mt. Moriah Baptist Church with Rev. F.N. Gallmon officiating entombment will follow in Forest Meadows Central Park under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation Friday 2:00-8:00 PM. and on Sat at the church hour before the service There will be no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will form at the home 1409 S.E. 20th St at 10:15 AM "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1937. HEINE, CLARICE LAVERNE (Obituary No. 1937.), 66 Summerfield - Clarice Laverne Heine, 66, died Thursday, May 24, 2007. Mrs. Heine was a homemaker, from Hanna, North Dakota. She was a member of Moose Lodge # 1014 Ocala, FL. Survivors include her husband Donald Heine of Summerfield, FL.; son, Russell Davies of Grand Island, Nebraska; daughters, Debra Ballanger of Tulsa, OK., Karen Kok, Bismarck, ND and Jodi Wright of SC; brother, Clifford Nickerson of Gillette, Wyoming; sisters, Faye Geudess of Gillette, Wyoming and Sharon Decker of Fargo, ND; and nine grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1938. HOUSTON, ALLEN SR. (Obituary No. 1938.), 65 Gainesville - Allen Houston, Sr. 65, Retired Tile Setter, died Friday, May 18, 2007 at his home following an extended illness. He was born in Greenville, Fla. and had lived in Gainesville for 42 years. He was a veteran of the US Army and a member of Springhill Baptist Church where he served as a deacon, Member of The Prayer Band Ministry, Youth Ministry, Van Driver, Member of The Springhill Inspirational Choir, The Male Chorus, Church School Teacher. He was also a member of The Southside Gospel Choir. Survivors include his devoted wife Linda Houston, Two sons Allen Houston, Jr., Ervin Mack, Three daughters Debra Dallas, Tonya Houston, Tarra Houston all of Gainesville, FL. Two sisters Ida Smith, Gainesville, FL. Bertha Alexander, Pinetta, FL. One brother Ernest Houston, Rochester, NY and nine Grandchildren. Funeral Services for Mr. Houston will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, May 26, 2007 at Springhill Baptist Church with Rev. Adrian S. Taylor officiating. Burial will follow in Forest Meadows East Memorial Park under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave. The cortege will form at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Houston, 814 S.E. 19th Terrace at 10:15 AM. Visitation Friday Chestnut Chapel 2:00 - 8:00 PM. The family will receive friends at the chapel Friday from 4:00 - 5:00 PM on Friday and on Saturday at the Church one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1939. JENKINS, ERVINE LYNN SR (Obituary No. 1939.). 88 Hawthorne - Ervone Lynn Jenkins Sr., age 88, died May 16, 2007 at Shands at U.F. Mr. Jenkins was a member of Trinity United Missionary Baptist Church in Hawthorne and a W.W.II Army Veteran. He retired from Florida Rock Industries. He's survived by his wife, Leola Gordon Jenkins, Hawthorne, FL; 4 sons, Ervone (Irene) Jenkins, Jr., Palatka, FL, Nathaniel (Hattie) Jenkins, Hawthorne, FL, Willie James (Pat) Douglas, Palatka, FL, Tommie (Carolyn) Jenkins, Interlachen, FL; 2 daughters, Susie Laverne (Herbert) Jordan, Huntsville, Ala., Constance Christine (Carl) Williams, Archer, FL; step children, Clarence (Maryann) Ivey, Hawthorne, FL, Deborah Jones, Huntsville, Ala., Lillian Jenkins, Cocoa, FL; 2 sisters, Lulabell (Lindsey) Griffin, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Beatrice Slater, Hawthorne, FL; 30 grandchildren, and a host of great grands, great-great grands other
relatives and friends. Funeral Services will be held 11:00 a.m. Saturday, May 26, 2007 at Trinity United Missionary Baptist Church, Hawthorne, FL, with Dr. Clarence Woods officiating. Burial will be in Gilgal Cemetery. Viewing hours on Friday at the funeral home from 2-8 p.m. and Saturday at the church 30 minutes prior to service: No viewing after the eulogy. The cortège will forma at Erwine & Leola Jenkins home 10:30 a.m. Saturday. Services Entrusted To PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOME, INC. 21400 S.E. Hawthorne Rd., Hawthorne, FL   (352) 481-2903. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1940. JENKINS, JOHNNIE, 70 (Obituary No. 1940.) Cross City, FL - Mr. Johnnie Jenkins, Age 70, a Resident of Cross Cit, Fl. was born in Rosehill, Mississippi and moved to Cross City many years ago. Mr. Jenkins was a retired Construction Worker and a member of Royal Temple Church in Christ, Cross City Fl. Mr. Johnnie Jenkins is Survived by: wife Josephine Jenkins, Mother: Sylvia Plummer both of Cross City, Fl. three daughters: Curlie Mae Brown (Daniel) and Corles Ingram (Harold)both of Lake City, Fl. Three Sons: Johnnie Jenkins Jr. (Sonja), Johnny Johnson (Maryland) both of Jacksonville, Fl and Forlepay Jenkins of Cross City, Fl. 15 grandchildren and 3 great grands one sister in law Pearl Jenkins of New York, and one son Percy Johnson who proceeded him in death. Services For Mr. Jenkins will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 11:00 am at Royal Temple Church in Christ, Cross City, FL. Burial will follow in the Eugene Memorial Cemetery in Cross City Fl. Visitation hours will be held at Carnegie Funeral Home in he Wade Greeenlee Memorial Chapel from 7 - 8pm the family is asked to assemble at the home of Mrs. Jenkins, 447 NE 121st Street) Cross City on Saturday at 10:30 to form the cortège. Arrangements are under the Direction of Carnegie Funeral Home 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida 32626 (352) 493-1857. "Everlasting Memories and Love" Family Owned and Operated Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1941. MAIER, MATTHEW CHRISTIAN (Obituary No. 1941.), 23 Clermont - Matthew Christian Maier, 23, passed away on Monday, May 21, 2007 at South Lake Hospital in Clermont. Matthew was a resident in Clermont, and moved there from Ocala. While he lived in Ocala, he attended Hillcrest Public School. He enjoyed watching movies. He was a loving son. He is survived by his mother Brenda Sue Miller Maier of Ocala; father, Franklin J. Maier, Jr.; two brothers Jason Maier or Ocala, Jay Boggs of Indiana; sister Christina Maier of Ocala; grandmother Odessa Miller of Ocala; and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at the Ocala Worship Center, 1845 SW 1st Ave. A visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Friday, May 25, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1942. MCDANIEL, JIMMY (Obituary No. 1942.), 47 Ocala - Jimmy McDaniel, age 47, of Silver Springs Shores unexpectedly passed away on May 22, 2007. He was the husband of Mary "Beth" Allen; loving father of Jimmy Wayne II and Morgan Frances; he is the son of Mary Butler; and brother of Randy, Bobby, and Catherine McDaniel and Kala Butler. Services are private. Donations may be made to Kimberly's cottage. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/28/2007.

1943. MCNEIL, BEATRICE (Obituary No. 1943.), 101 Gainesville - Beatrice McNeil, 101, died Sunday at Shands Hospital U of F. She was born in the Monteocha Community and has lived
here in Gainesville all of her life. She was a member of Old Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church where she served on the Mother's Board and a Choir Member she was also a member of Jerusalem Prayer Band. Survivors include: Daughter Mable Mingo, Gainesville, FL. four grandchildren and nine great grand children. Funeral services for Mrs. McNeil will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 3:00 PM Jerusalem Church Of God By Faith with Elder Daniel Gainey, Host Pastor, and Rev. Tommy Brantley officiating. Burial will follow in Rhuta Branch Cemetery under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. The cortege will form at the home of Mrs. McNeil, 1527 N. E. 40th Place at 2:15 PM Visitation Friday 2:00 - 8:00 PM and on Saturday at Jerusalem Church of God By Faith. One hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1944. MCQUEEN, LUCY VIRGINIA (Obituary No. 1944.), 88 Feb. 2, 1919-May 18, 2007 Salt Springs - Lucy Virginia McQueen, 88, of NE 133rd Street, a lifetime homemaker, died Friday at her daughter's home on Kenilworth Avenue in South Daytona under the care of her Granddaughter, Sister, and Hospice of Ormond Beach. Mrs. McQueen was born in Blakely, GA and moved to Salt Springs in 1979. She has since been a member of Kerr Shores Park. She loved her small community, friends, and family. She enjoyed gardening, playing cards, and crossword puzzle books. Mrs. McQueen's death was preceded by her husband of 49 years, Milton D. McQueen. Survivors include a daughter, M. Maxcine Chellino, South Daytona, FL, a son Mark McQueen, Salt Springs, FL; grandchildren, Melissa Ferro and companion, George Greer, South Daytona, FL; Justin Pintor, South Daytona, South Daytona, FL; Amanda Pintor and Megan McQueen, Ocala, FL; and a great granddaughter, Alexis Ferro, South Daytona, FL; sisters, Callie Rimer, Robbinsville, NC; Lea Feuerberg, Newport Beach, CA; Judy Weiss, Yucaipa, CA; and a brother, Ernest Hodges, Bartow, FL. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME. 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL is in charge. The family will receive friends Friday from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. Services will be at the funeral home Saturday at 11 a.m. Memorial donation can be made to Hospice of Ormond Beach 770 W. Granada Blvd. Ste. 304, Ormond Beach, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1945. MICHNIAK, ANTHONY G. (Obituary No. 1945.), 72 Dunnellon - Anthony G. Michniak, 72, died Saturday, May 19, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was a scheduling supervisor of communication for the Texas Department of Public Safety for 18 years. He was born in Bobtown, Pennsylvania and moved to Dunnellon in 1997 from Corpus Christi, Texas. He was a member of the Texas Department of Public Safety Officers Association, life member of the VFW #4791, life member of the disabled veterans, disabled veteran after 261/2 years as a master sergeant with the US Air Force. Mr. Michniak was survived by four sons, Anthony Michniak, Jr. of St. Augustine, Florida, Michael R. Michniak of Tampa, Florida, Eric Michniak of Tampa, Florida and Steven Winter of Virginia Beach, Virginia: One daughter, Sandra Kissmann of Austin, Texas and three grandchildren. A memorial service will be Thursday, May 24 at 4 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, with Rev. William Long officiating. The cremains will be taken to Florida National Cemetery on Friday. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/22/2007 - 5/25/2007.
1946. MILLER, LOUISE (Obituary No. 1946.), 74 Chiefland - Louise Miller, 74, of Chiefland, passed away May 22, 2007 in Gainesville, FL. Mrs. Miller was born in Otter Creek and has lived in this area all her life. She enjoyed the outdoors, hunting and fishing. She is survived by her daughter, Ann Jefferson of Georgia, sons Robert Watson & Jimmy Miller, both of Alabama, Danny Miller, Charles Miller, George Miller, & Mark Miller, all of Chiefland, Bill Miller of Macclenny, FL, and Jerry Miller of Winter Haven, FL. Sisters, Sandra Jenkins, Pennsylvania and Dorothy Dowless of Gainesville, brothers Arthur Anderson of California and Hershal Anderson of Otter Creek, FL. And many grandchildren, great grandchildren, great great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, Garold A. Miller. Graveside Services will be held Sat. May 26 at 10:00 AM at Shiloh Cemetery in Cedar Key with Pastor Jamie Brock officiating. Visitation will be Friday night from 5-7 PM at the funeral home. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 1301 N. Young Blvd, Chiefland is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1947. NEAL, BEATRICE JORDAN "MA BEA" (Obituary No. 1947.) Archer, Florida. Mrs. Neal, Age 93, Member of Female Protective Society Lodge #4, St. Peter & St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church (both of Archer, FL), The First Division Ministers, Deacons & Layman Union, entered into eternal rest on Tuesday, May 15, 2007, at her residence. The Homegoing Celebration will be held 10:30AM Saturday, May 26, 2007, at the Female Protective Society Temple (Gainesville, FL) with Rev. Dwayne McBride officiating. Burial will follow at the Newnansville Cemetery (Alachua, FL). Mrs. Neal will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday (2:00-8:00PM) - At the Temple on Saturday 30 minutes prior to the Service - And with the Processional. The Procession will form at the residence of Cedric & Sheila Moss, 16022 SW 79th Avenue, Archer, FL at 9:45AM. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/30/2007.

1948. RUSHING, WILLIAM LARRY (Obituary No. 1948.), 52 Ocala - Funeral Services for Mr. Rushing will be held at the Sanctuary of Hope Missionary Baptist Church, Citra, FL on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. Rev. Nathaniel Hart, Sr. will conduct the eulogy. Burial will be in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and Friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Minnie Welch, 1117 NW 11th Ave., Ocala, FL on Saturday at 10 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Mr. Rushing is survived by a wife, Gwendolyn A. Rushing; children, La Toyia C. Rushing of St. Pete, FL., Aundrella L Sinclair of Ocala, FL., Shaqita T. Rushing of Wildwood, FL., and William L. Rushing, Jr., of St. Pete, FL.; 9 grandchildren; sisters, Minnie R. Welch, Dora, Maxey, Willie M. Robinson, and one brother, Ed Rushing, Jr., all of Ocala, FL. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1949. SELLERS, MARY "KATHY" (Obituary No. 1949.), 63 Ocklawaha - Kathy Sellers, 63, passed on Thursday, May 24, 2007 at her home. Kathy was born on November 26, 1943 in Portland, OR. Kathy was a resident of Ocala for 39 years. She loved her family and enjoyed camping and reading. Kathy "Grundel" Sellers was the first female graduate of the Florida Law Enforcement, SC. Kathy is survived by her husband, Burke Sellers; her children, Doris Lamb (Joe) of Newport, Oregon, Don Grundel (Bonnie) of Baker, FL., DeDe Grundel (Bunny) of
Tampa, Jeff Blackburn (Samantha) of Jacksonville; grandchildren, Brandon, Genna, Andrew, and Erin; great grandchildren, Tayler and Carson; stepdaughters, Brenda Kruder (Chris) of Raleigh, NC., Dana Brown (Tom) of Abbeyville, AL; and step-grandchildren, Kristina, Logan,, Thomas, Megan, and Elizabeth. Kathy also leaves behind 2 brothers Mike and Pat Monahan; sister-in-law Susan McCarthy, and many very dear friends. Kathy will be remembered in our hearts always. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 1839 NE 8th Road with Pastor Dan Jones officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions can be made to Kid's Charity of Tampa Bay, 4115 W. Spruce Street, Tampa, FL. 33607. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1950. SMITH, GILBERT LOUIS (Obituary No. 1950.), 88 Silver Springs - Gilbert Smith passed after a brief illness Tuesday, May 22, 2007. Native to Akron, OH, he retired with 36 yrs. service from Goodyear Aerospace Corp. Gilbert moved to Silver Springs in 1976 and enjoyed more than 30 yrs. of retirement. He married his loving wife Kathleen in Dec. 1941. He is also survived by sons Gerry and wife Karen, and Thom and wife Sandy. His grandchildren Tim Smith and Laura and husband Matt Good reside in Akron, OH. Private services will be held. Donations in lieu flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Gilbert. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1951. SMITH, PEARL BLACKWELL (Obituary No. 1951.), 92 Ocala - Pearl Blackwell Smith, 92, passed away on May 16, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Smith was a life long resident of Ocala and a retired cook. She was preceded in death by her husband, James V. Smith. She is survived by her seven children: sons, Hughland A. Smith of Clearwater, FL., Clarence (Mary) Smith of Tampa, FL., and Rev. Winston (Janet) Smith of Jacksonville, FL., daughters, Geraldine Jackson of Ocala, FL., Carolyn B. Smith of Somerset, NJ., Beverly S. Watson of East Brunswick, NJ., and Barbara S. Wells of Wesley Chapel, FL; 20 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren, and 9 great-great grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and many caring friends. Mrs. Pearl B. Smith requested no (PUBLIC) viewing of her remains. You may still sign the registar. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. George W. Lee, Pastor. Interment will follow in the Mt. Olive Cemetery, Summerfield, FL. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.


1953. VIDAL, ALBERT PIERRE (Obituary No. 1953.), 84 Gainesville - Pierre Vidal, 84, died at Haven Hospice on Saturday, May 19, 2007. Born at Alachua General Hospital in Gainesville on December 19, 1922, Pierre was a Navy bomber pilot in WWII of the VPB109 squadron out of San Diego, California. Pierre returned from the war to his hometown of Gainesville and earned a
Pharmacy degree from the University of Florida in 1948. He joined the family pharmacy business with his father Albert and his brother Jack. Pierre and his wife Betty owned and operated the City Drug Company on E. University Avenue until they closed for business in 1987. In 1997 Pierre and his wife Betty sold their home of 50 years on NW 10th Avenue and moved to the family homeplace in Evinston, Florida where generations of his family have lived since 1882. Pierre continued to work as a retail pharmacist into his early 80's. Pierre was a ruling elder of First Presbyterian Church in downtown Gainesville and a founding elder of Faith Presbyterian Church in 1973. Pierre was a beloved husband, brother, father, and grandfather. Pierre is survived by his wife of 61 years, Betty; his brother John A. "Jack" Vidal of Gainesville; his cousin Donald Hester of Ft. Lauderdale; his three sons Dennis P. Vidal of Evinston, Lauris G. Vidal of Evinston, and Albert J. Vidal of Ocala; and seven grandchildren. Receiving of friends will be held at First Presbyterian Church, 5916 N.W. 39th Avenue, Gainesville on Wednesday, May 23rd from 7:00-9:00pm and a memorial service will be held Thursday, May 24 at 11:00am at Community Presbyterian Church, 2009 N. US Hwy 441, McIntosh. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Legacy Ministry, P.O. Box 373, Evinston, FL 32633 or to Haven Hospice of Gainesville, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/23/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1954. WAMPLER, ELIZABETH TOTH (Obituary No. 1954.). 48 Severn - Elizabeth Toth Wampler, 48, a health physicist, for Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute in Bethesda, died April 17, 2007 at Straub Hospital in Hawaii. A Memorial Service was held at Severn United Methodist Church in Maryland. Mrs. Wampler was born February 17, 1959 in Trenton, NJ to the late Louis Toth and Elizabeth Schwartz. Survivors: husband, Jim Wampler, Severn, MD; 3 brothers, Robert Toth, New Egypt, NJ, Gary Toth, Sterling, VA and Richard Toth, Ocala, FL. Information provided by "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1955. WEST, ELAINE GOODE (Obituary No. 1955.) Archer - Elaine Goode West was born in Albertville, Alabama on September 11, 1915. The only child of Arthur Goode and Verna Simmons Goode. Her family moved to Archer, Florida, in the summer of 1919. Growing up on her family's farm, Elaine attended Archer Elementary and Archer High School where she was a star basketball player. She was recruited for a professional traveling team. She instead attended business college and worked in the Office of the Florida State Legislator for 4 years. She returned to Gainesville and took a position as the office manager for Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service until she retired. Elaine was a charter member of the Archer Baptist Church, and enjoyed spending her time creating art work, gardening, sewing, camping, red fishing and spending the summer in their mountain cabin near Franklin North Carolina. Elaine died peacefully at home surrounded by her family under the gentle care of Haven Hospice on May 22nd, 2007. She is survived by her husband of 69 years, Charlie West, one son and daughter in law, Nick and Kay West, three grandchildren, Tammy West-Cooper and her husband Skip, John West and his wife Debbie, and Christy Cain, and four great-grandchildren, Jessica Elaine Cooper, Shelby West, Christan Perry, and Caroline Perry. Services will be held at the Archer Baptist Church on Friday, May 25th, 2007 @ 11:00 am. Burial will follow at the Laurel Hill Cemetery in Archer, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations be made to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida; 4200 N.W. 90th Blvd., Gainesville, Fl. 32606 and First Baptist Church of Archer; P.O. Box 248, Archer, Fl. 32618. Arrangements are under the care of
1956. WILLIAMS, BRYAN GLENN "PRIME TIME" (Obituary No. 1956.), 27 Summerfield, Florida - Prophet Williams, Age 27, PE Teacher/ Elohim Judah Ministries, 1999 Graduate of Lake Weir High School (Ocala, FL), entered into eternal rest on Saturday, May 19, 2007, as the result of a Motorcycle Accident (in Ocala, FL). Homegoing Services will be held 11 a.m. Saturday, May 26, 2007, at the House of God (Ocala, FL) where Elder Cleve Butler is Pastor, with Bishop Ernest Folston, Jr. delivering the Eulogy. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens (Ocala, FL). Mr. Williams will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday (2 p.m. to 5 p.m.) - Also on Friday (7 p.m. to 8 p.m.) at the Holy Band Deliverance Temple (Ocala, FL) where his Family will receive Friends - And on Saturday at the Church following the Eulogy. The Procession will form at the residence of his Mother, Dr. Linda D. Williams, 6315 S. Magnolia Ave, Ocala, FL at 10:15 a.m. Prophet Williams is immediately survived by: Wife (of 5 years) - LaQuanda Sanders-Williams and Children - Brionna, Madison and Bryan Jr. of Summerfield, FL; Father - Leroy Williams Sr. of Newberry, FL; Mother Dr. Linda D. Williams of Ocala, FL; Brothers - Apostle Corry Williams (& Sheila), Keith D. Williams (& Charity) and Leroy L. Williams of Ocala, FL, and Leroy Williams, Jr. of Baltimore, MD; Sisters - Linshasa Wright (& Andre) of Leesburg, FL, Heather Williams (& Brandy) and Maxine Brown of Ocala, FL, Lisa Williams and Denise Williams of Newberry, FL; Grandmother - Alberta Guest Jones of Newberry, FL; Aunts & Uncles, Nieces & Nephews, Cousins, In-Laws & Friends. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/25/2007.

1957. ADKINS, CHARLES JR. (Obituary No. 1957.) Gainesville - Mr. Akins, Age 79, Retired Senior Agriculture Assistant/Univ of Florida, US Army Veteran, died Tuesday, May 22, 2007, at the VA Medical Center. Services will be held Monday, May 28, 2007, at 11:30AM at Daysville/East Newport Cemetery (Gainesville, FL) with Brother Daniel Worth officiating. Mr. Akins will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Sunday 1:00-7:00PM - And at the Cemetery on Monday following the Discourse. The Procession will form at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. Akins, 517 SW 6th Place, Gainesville, at 10:45AM. Mr. Akins is survived by his Wife - Claretha J. Akins; Children - Charles Akins, Jr., Cynthia Williams, Eugene Knight, (Barbara Williams preceded him in death), Carol Philadelphia, Vivian Goston, Linda Daniels, Wayne Dale Akins, Lloyd Huntley, Tina Akins and Shentell Ford; Sister - Martha D. Franklin; And a host of Grands, Great Grands, Nieces, Nephews, Cousins & Friends. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/28/2007.

1958. AKINS, CHARLES JR. (Obituary No. 1958.) Gainesville - Mr. Akins, Age 79, Retired Senior Agriculture Assistant/Univ of Florida, US Army Veteran, died Tuesday, May 22, 2007, at the VA Medical Center. Services will be held Monday, May 28, 2007, at 11:30AM at Daysville/East Newport Cemetery (Gainesville, FL) with Brother Daniel Worth officiating. Mr. Akins will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Sunday 1:00-7:00PM - And at the Cemetery on Monday following the Discourse. The Procession will form at the residence of Mr. & Mrs.
Akins, 517 SW 6th Place, Gainesville, at 10:45AM. Mr. Akins is survived by his Wife - Claretha J. Akins; Children - Charles Akins, Jr., Cynthia Williams, Eugene Knight, (Barbara Williams preceded him in death), Carol Philadelphia, Vivian Goston, Linda Daniels, Wayne Dale Akins, Lloyd Huntley, Tina Akins and Shentell Ford; Sister - Martha D. Franklin; And a host of Grands, Great Grands, Nieces, Nephews, Cousins & Friends. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/29/2007.

1959. ALLEN, ERNEST GRANT (Obituary No. 1959.), 86 Dunnellon - Ernest G. Allen, 86, of Dunnellon, died Wednesday, May 23, 2007 in Legacy House. He served in the Army during WWII. Was a member of the Dunnellon VFW. He moved to FL from NY in 1964. Worked for IBM for 30+ years starting in NY, then Titusville, where he worked on the Gemini & Apollo space programs. He retired in Boca Raton, FL in 1981. He enjoyed working with his hands and was very good at fixing electronics. Preceded in death by his first wife Jeanette. Survivors include: wife, Joan; son Roy Allen, Lexington, KY; daughters, Nancy May, Altamonte Springs, FL., and Ruth Poirier, Deerfield Beach, FL; stepdaughter, Norma Cook, Little River, SC; grandchildren, Paul Allen, Grant Allen, Amanda May, Brendan May, Bonnie Widmaier, Scott Poirier, Logan Poirier, Mackenzie Poirier; great grandchildren, Garret and Raelyn Widmaier. Services will be held Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home Chapel in Dunnellon with Rev. Jeffrey Welch officiating. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion Co. or Michael J. Fox for Parkinson's Research. Arrangements made by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1960. BOWERS, HELEN HENDERSON (Obituary No. 1960.), 83 Lawrenceville, GA - Mrs. Helen Henderson Bowers, 83, of Lawrenceville, Ga., passed away at Peachtree Christian Hospice, Duluth, Ga. on Tuesday May 22, 2007, after a courageous battle with cancer. An inspiration to us all, she is now with her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. She leaves behind to cherish her memory: Daughter and son-in-law Vicki and Leonard Lowe of Suwanee, Ga.; Grandson Stephen Lowe, his wife Stephanie and great-grandchild Ethan. Grandson Brian Lowe, his wife Melinda and great-grandchildren, Chandler and Weston. Daughter and son-in-law Milana and Russ Myers of Daytona Beach, Fl., step-grandchildren Scott Myers, Michelle and Drew Gaden and their son, Logan. Daughter and son-in-law Kathy and Richard Larsen of Tyrone, Ga.; Grandsons Alex and Austin Larsen. Additional survivors include her sister and brother-in-law Diana and Roy Johnson of Landrum, SC, and niece Rebecca and Phillip Allison of Forrest City, NC; as well as numerous church family and specials friends. Beloved Kitty, Jonah, has been adopted by Lynne and Larry Pata. Celebration of Life service for Mrs. Bowers will be held Sunday May 27, 2007, at 6 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Lilburn. Mrs. Susan Rumble will be officiating. Honoring her service to the United States Navy during WWII, interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Fl. and officiated by the Reverend John Downing, College Road Baptist Church, Ocala, Fl. at a later date. special thanks to the staff at Peachtree Christian Hospice for their tender care. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in memory of Helen Bowers to Peachtree Christian Hospice, Duluth, Ga.; First Baptist Church of Lilburn, Lilburn, Ga.; or the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation. Arrangements by R.T. PATTERSON FUNERAL HOME. Lilburn, GA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/27/2007.
1961. BRAGG, ROBERT "DON" (Obituary No. 1961.), 69 Reynolds, GA - Robert "Don" Bragg of Reynolds, Georgia went to be with his Lord and Savior on May 23, 2007 after a long and brave battle with leukemia. He was born in Sylvania, Georgia on February 28, 1938 to Ashton and Lucy Bragg, both deceased. He graduated from Ocala High School in Ocala, Florida and spent many years as a sales representative. He moved to Tifton in 1975 and operated The Hitchin’ Post western store for twenty years before retiring in Reynolds in 1999. He was a faithful member of the First Baptist Church of Reynolds where he served as a deacon and loved the Lord and his Church. He will be sadly missed by his wife of forty-five years, Earleen, and his children, Don Bragg with wife Tina of Tifton and Jill Johnson with husband Bucky of Reynolds. He has five grandchildren: Lauren Johnson of Statesboro, Anna Johnson of Columbia, SC, Whitley Johnson of Reynolds, Luke Bragg and Ryan Bragg of Tifton. He is also survived by his brother and sister-in-law, Bill and Jane Bragg of Ocala, Aunt Ethel Fryklind of Reynolds and brothers and sisters-in-law, Don and Patricia Wells, Dennis and Chris Chandler, and Rick and Debbie Cheatham all of Winston-Salem, NC, along with several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 25, 2007 at 11 am at the First Baptist Church of Reynolds with the Rev. Glenn Cavin officiating. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Cemetery. GODDARD-MCLEIGHTON FUNERAL HOME of Reynolds is in charge of arrangements. 478-847-4181. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1962. CHANCEY, DOROTHY (Obituary No. 1962.), 87 Ocala, FL - Dorothy Chancey, 87, of Ocala passed away Tuesday, May 22, 2007 at her daughter's home. She was a long time resident of Ocala moving here from Virginia in 1947. She was a loving mother and a member of Faith Primitive Baptist Church. Dorothy retired as a seamstress from Lady Bayard Factory. Hobbies included gardening, crocheting, and fishing. She is survived by her son, Larry Charles Sims of Harleyville, SC, a daughter, Ginger Gurr of Ocala, a brother, Lee Breeding of Ocala, and two sisters, Gladys Dingus of Ocala, and Muriel Doyon from Fairfax, VA. Mrs. Chancey is preceded in death by her husband, Samuel B. Chancey. A Graveside Service will be held at 11 A.M. on Monday, May 28, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum Chapel with Perry Terrell and Ken Crawford officiating. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1963. EASTER, HAZEL M. (Obituary No. 1963.), 80 Ocala - Hazel M. Easter, age 80, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, May 22, 2007. She was born in Hopwood, PA on February 6, 1927. She moved to Ocala from Winterhaven, FL 10 years ago. Mrs. Easter was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. Her hobbies included doll collecting. She is survived by her husband, Paul M. Easter of Ocala; grandson, Paul K. Easter, Jr. of Ray City, GA; granddaughter, Jennifer Easter Watts of Ray City, GA; great grandchildren, Ashley M. Watts and William T. Watts of Ray City, GA. She was preceded in death by a son Paul K. Easter, Sr. A memorial service for Mrs. Easter will be held Friday, May 25, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - TimberRidge, Ocala, FL with the Rev. Dr. Ken Kleckner officiating. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERRIDGE, Ocala, FL. 352-873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1964. FUND, ERNIE (Obituary No. 1964.), 84 Newberry - Ernest J. "Ernie" Fund, age 84, died on Wednesday May 23, 2007 at North Florida Regional Medical Center. He is survived by his
wife Rita Fund of Newberry, daughter and son-in-law Jackie and Paul Heiland of Newberry, and many other close family members. The family will receive friends at the Milam Funeral Home in Newberry on Sunday May 27, 2007 from 3 until 5p.m. Arrangements are under the care of Milam Funeral and Cremation Services of Newberry, 352-472-3999. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1965. HEINE, CLARICE LAVERNE (Obituary No. 1965.), 66 Summerfield - Clarice Laverne Heine, 66, died Thursday, May 24, 2007. Mrs. Heine was a homemaker, from Hanna, North Dakota. She was a member of Moose Lodge # 1014 Ocala, FL. Survivors include her husband Donald Heine of Summerfield, FL.; son, Russell Davies of Grand Island, Nebraska; daughters, Debra Ballanger of Tulsa, OK., Karen Kok, Bismarck, ND and Jodi Wright of SC; brother, Clifford Nickerson of Gillette, Wyoming; sisters, Faye Geudess of Gillette, Wyoming and Sharon Decker of Fargo, ND; and nine grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1966. HOUSTON, ALLEN SR. (Obituary No. 1966.), 65 Gainesville - Allen Houston, Sr. 65, Retired Tile Setter, died Friday, May 18, 2007 at his home following an extended illness. He was born in Greenville, Fla. and had lived in Gainesville for 42 years. He was a veteran of the US Army and a member of Springhill Baptist Church where he served as a deacon, Member of The Prayer Band Ministry, Youth Ministry, Van Driver, Member of The Springhill Inspirational Choir, The Male Chorus, Church School Teacher. He was also a member of The Southside Gospel Choir. Survivors include his devoted wife Linda Houston, Two sons Allen Houston, Jr., Ervin Mack. Three daughters Debra Dallas, Tonya Houston, Tarra Houston all of Gainesville, FL. Two sisters Ida Smith, Gainesville, FL. Bertha Alexander, Pinetta, FL. One brother Ernest Houston, Rochester, NY and nine Grandchildren. Funeral Services for Mr. Houston will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, May 26, 2007 at Springhill Baptist Church with Rev. Adrian S. Taylor officiating. Burial will follow in Forest Meadows East Memorial Park under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave. The cortege will form at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Houston, 814 S.E. 19th Terrace at 10:15 AM. Visitation Friday Chestnut Chapel 2:00 - 8:00 PM. The family will receive friends at the chapel Friday from 4:00 - 5:00 PM on Friday and on Saturday at the Church one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1967. JENKINS, ERVINE LYNN SR (Obituary No. 1967.). 88 Hawthorne - Ervine Lynn Jenkins Sr., age 88, died May 16, 2007 at Shands at U.F. Mr. Jenkins was a member of Trinity United Missionary Baptist Church in Hawthorne and a W.W.II Army Veteran. He retired from Florida Rock Industries. He's survived by his wife, Leola Gordon Jenkins, Hawthorne, FL; 4 sons, Ervine (Irene) Jenkins, Jr., Palatka, FL, Nathaniel (Hattie) Jenkins, Hawthorne, FL, Willie James (Pat) Douglas, Palatka, FL, Tommie (Carolyn) Jenkins, Interlachen, FL; 2 daughters, Susie Laverne (Herbert) Jordan, Huntsville, Ala., Constance Christine (Carl) Williams, Archer, FL; step children, Clarence (Maryann) Ivey, Hawthorne, FL, Deborah Jones, Huntsville, Ala., Lillian Jenkins, Cocoa, FL; 2 sisters, Lulabell (Lindsey) Griffin, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Beatrice Slater, Hawthorne, FL; 30 grandchildren, and a host of great grands, great-great grands other relatives and friends. Funeral Services will be held 11:00 a.m. Saturday, May 26, 2007 at Trinity United Missionary Baptist Church, Hawthorne, FL, with Dr. Clarence Woods officiating. Burial
will be in Gilgal Cemetery. Viewing hours on Friday at the funeral home from 2-8 p.m. and Saturday at the church 30 minutes prior to service: No viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will forma at Ervine & Leola Jenkins home 10:30 a.m. Saturday. Services Entrusted To PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOME, INC. 21400 S.E. Hawthorne Rd., Hawthorne, FL (352) 481-2903. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1968. Koons, Robert Leon, Jr. (Obituary No. 1968.), 81 Mayo - Robert Leon R.L. Koon, Jr., Age 81, Dairy Farmer, died on Thursday, May 24, 2007. Mr. Koon is survived by Wife Joyce Koon of 59 years ----- one son Rick Koon and wife Abbie of Tallahassee FL ---- one daughter Brenda Gibbs and husband Dan of Eagle Lake,FL ---- one Brother Herman Koon of Mayo,FL---- 5 Grandchildren and 8 Great Grandchildren and a Host of nieces and nephews. The service will be at Alton Church of God in Mayo, Florida on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 11:00 am. Family received friends on Friday, May 25, 2007 From: 6:00P.M. to 9:00 P.M. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/27/2007.

1969. McCarthy, Dolly S (Obituary No. 1969.). Gainesville - Dolly S. McCarthy died Sunday, May 13, 2007 in Gainesville. Born in Detroit, Michigan on January 12, 1920. She moved to Cincinnati, Ohio in 1926. She took up golf at an early age and became a champion amateur golfer. She is in the Cincinnati Golf Hall of Fame. Having won the Cincinnati Woman's Championship seven times includ-ing five in a row. She won many other local, regional and state events from the 1920s through the 1950s. She also worked as a re-porter for the Cincinnati Times-Star in a lifestyle type function. She moved to Miami, FL in 1957 where she had a long and productive ca-reer in sales for Curtis and Kaplan Construction Company being one of the few women in this area of busi-ness. Golf defined her life as she continued to play with business contacts and in competition. She was also an avid bridge player. Her other interests included the dogs she loved, Rip, Dina and Maggie. She moved to Gainesville in 1996 to be with her son, her sister Gretchen, her brother-in-law and her nephew, Josh Feldstein. As an avid sports fan, Gainesville proved to be an excellent place for her retirement. She is survived by her son, Charles "Bo" McCarthy. A private service will be held June 2, 2007. Please contact Bo McCarthy at 352-377-3986 for information. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/27/2007.

1970. McDaniel, Jimmy (Obituary No. 1970.), 47 Ocala - Jimmy McDaniel, age 47, of Silver Springs Shores unexpectedly passed away on May 22, 2007. He was the husband of Mary "Beth" Allen; loving father of Jimmy Wayne II and Morgan Frances; he is the son of Mary Butler; and brother of Randy, Bobby, and Catherine McDaniel and Kala Butler. Services are private. Donations may be made to Kimberly's cottage. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/28/2007.

1971. McNeil, Beatrice (Obituary No. 1971.), 101 Gainesville - Beatrice McNeil, 101, died Sunday at Shands Hospital U of F. She was born in the Monteocha Community and has lived here in Gainesville all of her life. She was a member of Old Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church where she served on the Mother's Board and a Choir Member she was also a member of Jerusalem Prayer Band. Survivors include: Daughter Mable Mingo, Gainesville, FL. four grandchildren and nine great grand children. Funeral services for Mrs. McNeil will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 3:00 PM Jerusalem Church Of God By Faith with Elder Daniel
Gainey, Host Pastor, and Rev. Tommy Brantley officiating. Burial will follow in Rhuta Branch Cemetery under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME, 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. The cortege will form at the home of Mrs. McNeil, 1527 N.E. 40th Place at 2:15 PM Visitation Friday 2:00 - 8:00 PM and on Saturday at Jerusalem Church of God By Faith. One hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. "A Chestnut Service" Since 1914 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1972. MILLER, LOUISE (Obituary No. 1972.), 74 Chiefland - Louise Miller, 74, of Chiefland, passed away May 22, 2007 in Gainesville, FL. Mrs. Miller was born in Otter Creek and has lived in this area all her life. She enjoyed the outdoors, hunting and fishing. She is survived by her daughter, Ann Jefferson of Georgia, sons Robert Watson & Jimmy Miller, both of Alabama, Danny Miller, Charles Miller, George Miller, & Mark Miller, all of Chiefland, Bill Miller of Macclenny, FL, and Jerry Miller of Winter Haven, FL. Sisters, Sandra Jenkins, Pennsylvania and Dorothy Dowless of Gainesville, brothers Arthur Anderson of California and Hershal Anderson of Otter Creek, FL. And many grandchildren, great grandchildren, great great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, Garold A. Miller. Graveside Services will be held Sat. May 26 at 10:00 AM at Shiloh Cemetery in Cedar Key with Pastor Jamie Brock officiating. Visitation will be Friday night from 5-7 PM at the funeral home. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 1301 N. Young Blvd, Chiefland is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/26/2007.

1973. MILLER, MARY LOUISE (Obituary No. 1973.), 98 Ocala - Mrs. Mary Louise Miller, 98, of Ocala, Florida died Thursday, May 24, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Prestonsburg, Kentucky and moved to Ocala, Florida in 1974 for LaGrange, Ohio. Mary was a homemaker and a member of the Eureka Baptist Church (New Vision Worship Center). She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Joyce M. Moore of Ocala, Florida, (3) grandchildren, (4) great grandchildren, and (5) great-great grandchildren. Graveside Funeral Services will be at 2 p.m., Sunday, May 27, 2007 at the Ft. McCoy Cemetery, Ft. McCoy, Florida with Pastor David E. Allen, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, OCALA, FLORIDA 34476. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/27/2007.

1974. NEAL, BEATRICE JORDAN "MA BEA" (Obituary No. 1974.) Archer, Florida. Mrs. Neal, Age 93, Member of Female Protective Society Lodge #4, St. Peter & St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church (both of Archer, FL), The First Division Ministers, Deacons & Layman Union, entered into eternal rest on Tuesday, May 15, 2007, at her residence. The Homegoing Celebration will be held 10:30AM Saturday, May 26, 2007, at the Female Protective Society Temple (Gainesville, FL) with Rev. Dwayne McBride officiating. Burial will follow at the Newnansville Cemetery (Alachua, FL). Mrs. Neal will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday (2:00-8:00PM) - At the Temple on Saturday 30 minutes prior to the Service - And with the Processional. The Procession will form at the residence of Cedric & Sheila Moss, 16022 SW 79th Avenue, Archer, FL at 9:45AM. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/30/2007.
1975. REAVES, ERNESTINE J. (Obituary No. 1975.), 89 Ocala - Ernestine J. Reaves, 89, went home to be with the Lord on Thursday, May 24, 2007. The funeral services will be held on Sunday, May 27, 2007 at 2 P.M. at the Wyomina Park Baptist Church with Pastor Bob King officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Ernestine was born in Sparr and lived most of her lifetime in Marion County. She was a devout Christian and a longtime member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church and the Esther Sunday School class. Survivors include a daughter, Joyce Gellner and husband Wayne of Tallahassee, son, Phillip Boliek and wife Becky of Ocala, grandsons, Russell Gellner and wife Jennifer of Orlando, grandson, Mark Gellner and wife Jan of Mobile, AL, granddaughter, Jessie James and husband Greg of Orlando, seven great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends. Ernestine was preceded in death by her loving husband, James W. Reaves and sons, Ronald and Wayne. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/27/2007.

1976. SELLERS, MARY "KATHY" (Obituary No. 1976.), 63 Ocklawaha - Kathy Sellers, 63, passed on Thursday, May 24, 2007 at her home. Kathy was born on November 26, 1943 in Portland, OR. Kathy was a resident of Ocala for 39 years. She loved her family and enjoyed camping and reading. Kathy "Grundel" Sellers was the first female graduate of the Florida Law Enforcement, SC. Kathy is survived by her husband, Burke Sellers; her children, Doris Lamb (Joe) of Newport, Oregon, Don Grundel (Bonnie) of Baker, FL., DeDe Grundel (Bunny) of Tampa, Jeff Blackburn (Samantha) of Jacksonville; grandchildren, Brandon, Genna, Andrew, and Erin; great grandchildren, Tayler and Carson; stepdaughters, Brenda Kruder (Chris) of Raleigh, NC., Dana Brown (Tom) of Abbeville, AL; and step-grandchildren, Kristina, Logan, Thomas, Megan, and Elizabeth. Kathy also leaves behind 2 brothers Mike and Pat Monahan; sister-in-law Susan McCarthy, and many very dear friends. Kathy will be remembered in our hearts always. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 1839 NE 8th Road with Pastor Dan Jones officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions can be made to Kid's Charity of Tampa Bay, 4115 W. Spruce Street, Tampa, FL. 33607. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.


1978. WAMPLER, ELIZABETH TOTH (Obituary No. 1978.), 48 Severn - Elizabeth Toth Wampler, 48, a health physicist, for Armed Forces Radiobiology Research Institute in Bethesda, died April 17, 2007 at Straub Hospital in Hawaii. A Memorial Service was held at Severn United Methodist Church in Maryland. Mrs. Wampler was born February 17, 1959 in Trenton, NJ to the late Louis Toth and Elizabeth Schwartz. Survivors: husband, Jim Wampler, Severn, MD; 3 brothers, Robert Toth, New Egypt, NJ, Gary Toth, Sterling, VA and Richard Toth, Ocala, FL. Information provided by "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/25/2007 - 5/26/2007.
1979. ADKINS, CHARLES JR. (Obituary No. 1979.) Gainesville - Mr. Akins, Age 79, Retired Senior Agriculture Assistant/Univ of Florida, US Army Veteran, died Tuesday, May 22, 2007, at the VA Medical Center. Services will be held Monday, May 28, 2007, at 11:30AM at Daysville/East Newport Cemetery (Gainesville, FL) with Brother Daniel Worth officiating. Mr. Akins will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Sunday 1:00-7:00PM - And at the Cemetery on Monday following the Discourse. The Procession will form at the residence of Mr. & Mrs. Akins, 517 SW 6th Place, Gainesville, at 10:45AM. Mr. Akins is survived by his Wife - Claretha J. Akins; Children - Charles Akins, Jr., Cynthia Williams, Eugene Knight, (Barbara Williams preceded him in death), Carol Philadelphia, Vivian Goston, Linda Daniels, Wayne Dale Akins, Lloyd Huntley, Tina Akins and Shentell Ford; Sister - Martha D. Franklin; And a host of Grands, Great Grands, Nieces, Nephews, Cousins & Friends. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/28/2007.

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John Downing, College Road Baptist Church, Ocala, Fl. at a later date. special thanks to the staff at Peachtree Christian Hospice for their tender care. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in memory of Helen Bowers to Peachtree Christian Hospice, Duluth, Ga.; First Baptist Church of Lilburn, Lilburn, Ga.; or the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation. Arrangements by R.T. PATTERSON FUNERAL HOME. Lilburn, GA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/27/2007.

1982. BOYD, SR., JOHN H. (Obituary No. 1982.), 68 Ocklawaha - Mr. John H. Boyd, Sr., 68, passed away on Thursday, May 24, 2007 at his home. A resident of Ocklawaha, John moved here from Paulsboro, NJ in 1967. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. He is survived by his five children, Frank Boyd of Sasebo, Japan, John Boyd, Jr. of Ranger, GA., Sharon Roos of Ocala, Brenda Cannon of Belleview, and Stephen Boyd of Ocklawaha; nine grandchildren, Ashley and Mike Cannon, Matthew and Alex Roos, Frank Boyd, Jr., Stephen A. Boyd, and Erin, Erika, and Ian Boyd; and great grandchild, Hunter Brian Boyd. He was preceded in death by his parents Sam and Sarah Boyd; brother, Samuel Boyd; and sister, Sarah Hughes. A visitation will be held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 29, 2007 at HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/27/2007 - 5/30/2007.

1983. DEAFENBAUGH, JOHN R. (Obituary No. 1983.), 70 Ocklawaha - Mr. John Ray Deafenbaugh, 70, a retired steelworker and jack-of-all-trades passed away on Monday, May 21, 2007. He was preceded in death by his wife Dora Ellen Deafenbaugh, in 2002.. He is survived by his son Jason Deafenbaugh of Ocklawaha. He has also been survived by two brothers, two sisters and a loving church family. A memorial service is planned for Wednesday, May 30, 2007 at 6:30 p.m. Silver Springs Shores Christian Church will be hosting the memorial service and all who knew Ray are welcome. Silver Springs Shores Christian Church is located at 805 Oak Road in Silver Springs Shores, directly between Lockheed Martin and Lake Weir High School. Please call (352) 687-8530 with questions or for directions. Come celebrate the life of Ray Deafenbaugh. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/27/2007 - 5/28/2007.

1984. DECK, JR., WESLEY WILLIAM "BILL" (Obituary No. 1984.), 79 Ft. McCoy - Mr. Wesley William "Bill" Deck, Jr., age 79, of Ft. McCoy, Florida went to be with the Lord on Monday, May 21, 2007. Mr. Deck was the last surviving child of twelve children. He served in the United States Army and United States Marines and later retired from Fogarty Van Lines and the Ocala National Forestry Service. MR. Deck resided in Ft. McCoy for many years and was proud to be a part of the "Hog Valley" community. Mr. Deck leaves behind his daughter, Toni Thompson and her husband Steve from Mocksville, NC; his son, Doug Deck and his wife Janice from Wesley Chapel, FL; his grandson, Patrick Deck and his wife Lisa; his grandsons Eric Deck, Joshua Walter and his new great granddaughter and little angel, Dakota Ann. Wesley Deck will be missed greatly by his family and friends but we will treasure our memories until we see him again. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/27/2007 - 5/28/2007.

1985. JOHNSON, JAMES "RAY" (Obituary No. 1985.), 87 Ocala - Mr. James "Ray" Johnson, 87, of Ocala, passed away on Sunday, May 13, 2007. Ray was born in Nebo, Kentucky and moved to Ocala in 1985 from Miami Springs, Florida. He attended the University of Kentucky and graduated from aviation school. Ray fulfilled his lifelong dream of becoming an aviator, working as a flight engineer for National Airlines and Pan American Airways for over 30 years.
Ray will be loved and remembered by his family and friends as a loving, caring, good-natured, kind, helpful, an accepting husband and father who was completely devoted to his family and always put them first. He was always there to give them support and strength, never asking anything in return. A devout Christian, Ray was a strong and honest gentleman, with a fine sense of humor. While Ray has passed on, his spirit will always be with us, guiding us and giving inspiration to live our lives in his example. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Agnes Jill Johnson; children, Karen L. Johnson and James R. Johnson, Jr., and his wife, Claudia; and granddaughters Kristen Tillett and Erin Johnson. A celebration of Ray's life on this planet will be held in a memorial service on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 3 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala; a reception will follow at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the cataract program of the Seva Foundation, 1786 Fifth Street, Berkley CA., 94710. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/27/2007 - 5/28/2007.

1986. Koon, Robert Leon, Jr. (Obituary No. 1986.), 81 Mayo - Robert Leon R.L. Koon, Jr., Age 81, Dairy Farmer, died on Thursday, May 24, 2007. Mr. Koon is survived by Wife Joyce Koon of 59 years ----- one son Rick Koon and wife Abbie of Tallahassee FL ---- one daughter Brenda Gibbs and husband Dan of Eagle Lake,FL ---- one Brother Herman Koon of Mayo,FL----5 Grandchildren and 8 Great Grandchildren and a Host of nieces and nephews. The service will be at Alton Church of God in Mayo, Florida on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at 11:00 am. Family received friends on Friday, May 25, 2007 From: 6:00P.M. to 9:00 P.M. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/27/2007.

1987. McCarthy, Dolly S. (Obituary No. 1987.) Gainesville - Dolly S. McCarthy died Sunday, May 13, 2007 in Gainesville. Born in Detroit, Michigan on January 12, 1920. She moved to Cincinnati, Ohio in 1926. She took up golf at an early age and became a champion amateur golfer. She is in the Cincinnati Golf Hall of Fame. Having won the Cincinnati Woman's Championship seven times includ-ing five in a row. She won many other local, regional and state events from the l920s through the l950s. She also worked as a reporter for the Cincinnati Times-Star in a lifestyle type function. She moved to Miami, FL in 1957 where she had a long and productive ca-reer in sales for Curtis and Kaplan Construction Company being one of the few women in this area of business. Golf defined her life as she continued to play with business contacts and in competition. She was also an avid bridge player. Her other interests included the dogs she loved, Rip, Dina and Maggie. She moved to Gainesville in 1996 to be with her son, her sister Gretchen, her brother-in-law and her nephew, Josh Feldstein. As an avid sports fan, Gainesville proved to be an excellent place for her retirement. She is survived by her son, Charles "Bo" McCarthy. A private service will be held June 2, 2007. Please contact Bo McCarthy at 352-377-3986 for information. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/27/2007.

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1989. MILLER, MARY LOUISE (Obituary No. 1989.), 98  Ocala - Mrs. Mary Louise Miller, 98, of Ocala, Florida died Thursday, May 24, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Prestonsburg, Kentucky and moved to Ocala, Florida in 1974 for LaGrange, Ohio. Mary was a homemaker and a member of the Eureka Baptist Church (New Vision Worship Center). She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Joyce M. Moore of Ocala, Florida, (3) grandchildren, (4) great grandchildren, and (5) great-great grandchildren. Graveside Funeral Services will be at 2 p.m., Sunday, May 27, 2007 at the Ft. McCoy Cemetery, Ft. McCoy, Florida with Pastor David E. Allen, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, OCALA, FLORIDA 34476. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/27/2007.

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1992. REAVES, ERNESTINE J. (Obituary No. 1992.), 89 Ocala - Ernestine J. Reaves, 89, went home to be with the Lord on Thursday, May 24, 2007. The funeral services will be held on Sunday, May 27, 2007 at 2 P.M. at the Wyomina Park Baptist Church with Pastor Bob King officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Ernestine was born in Sparr and lived most of her lifetime in Marion County. She was a devout Christian and a longtime member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church and the Esther Sunday School class. Survivors include a daughter, Joyce Gellner and husband Wayne of Tallahassee, son, Phillip Boliek and wife Becky of Ocala, grandson, Russell Gellner and wife Jennifer of Orlando, grandson, Mark Gellner and wife Jan of Mobile, AL, granddaughter, Jessie James and husband Greg of Orlando, seven great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends. Ernestine was preceded in death by her loving husband, James W. Reaves and sons, Ronald and Wayne. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/26/2007 - 5/27/2007.

1993. RENDELL, RUSSELL ROBERT (Obituary No. 1993.) Gainesville - Russell Robert Rendell, age 86, passed away peacefully on April 6, 2007, at Woodlands Care Center in Gainesville. Born on February 25, 1921, in Bridgeport, Connecticut to Russell and Pearl Rendell, he grew up in Long Island, New York. Russell enlisted in the U.S. Army Air Corps and married Alyce Bllum in 1942. A WWII veteran, he served in China, India and the Marianna Islands. Russell moved to West Palm Beach, Fl in 1947 where he was a U.S. Postal Carrier and a member of the Florida National Guard. Upon retirement in 1979, he moved to Oak Hill, Fl before moving to Gainesville in 1998. He is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Alyce; Daughter, Susan Buckner (Richard) of Gainesville; son James P. Pendell (Lesa) of Cordele, Ga., 4 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. A celebration of life ceremony will be held on Saturday, June 2, at 3:00 p.m. at Westside Baptist Church, Gainesville. Interment will be in Memory Gardens, Lake Worth, Fl. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN (352) 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/27/2007 - 5/28/2007.

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2001. DEAFENBAUGH, JOHN R. (Obituary No. 2001.), 70 Ocklawaha - Mr. John Ray Deafenbaugh, 70, a retired steelworker and jack-of-all-trades passed away on Monday, May 21, 2007. He was preceded in death by his wife Dora Ellen Deafenbaugh, in 2002. He is survived by his son Jason Deafenbaugh of Ocklawaha. He has also been survived by two brothers, two sisters and a loving church family. A memorial service is planned for Wednesday, May 30, 2007 at 6:30 p.m. Silver Springs Shores Christian Church will be hosting the memorial service and all who knew Ray are welcome. Silver Springs Shores Christian Church is located at 805 Oak Road in Silver Springs Shores, directly between Lockheed Martin and Lake Weir High School. Please call (352) 687-8530 with questions or for directions. Come celebrate the life of Ray Deafenbaugh. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/27/2007 - 5/28/2007.

2002.  DECK, JR., WESLEY WILLIAM "BILL" (Obituary No. 2002.), 79  Ft. McCoy - Mr. Wesley William "Bill" Deck, Jr., age 79, of Ft. McCoy, Florida went to be with the Lord on Monday, May 21, 2007. Mr. Deck was the last surviving child of twelve children. He served in the United States Army and United States Marines and later retired from Fogarty Van Lines and the Ocala National Forestry Service. MR. Deck resided in Ft. McCoy for many years and was proud to be a part of the "Hog Valley" community. Mr. Deck leaves behind his daughter, Toni Thompson and her husband Steve from Mocksville, NC; his son, Doug Deck and his wife Janice from Wesley Chapel, FL; his grandson, Patrick Deck and his wife Lisa; his grandsons Eric Deck, Joshua Walter and his new great granddaughter and little angel, Dakota Ann. Wesley Deck will be missed greatly by his family and friends but we will treasure our memories until we see him again. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/27/2007 - 5/28/2007.
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2012. BALUNAS, ESTHER (Obituary No. 2012.), 93 Cary, NC - Esther Balunas, 93, died April 19, 2007 in North Carolina. She was predeceased by her husband, Anthony Balunas; two sons, John and Dale Balunas; and a daughter-in-law, Corolin Balunas. Esther is survived by her son, Anthony Balunas, Sydney, N.Y.; her daughter-in-law, Janet Simmons, Newburgh, N.Y.; her grandsons and their families, Gary Balunas, John Simmons, Lee Simmons, Michael Simmons, and Jay Balunas; her granddaughters and their families, Linda MacDonald and Marcy Balunas. Esther leaves behind 15 great-grandchildren with another on the way. Esther grew up in Smithville Flats, N.Y. and lived many years in Greene, N.Y. before moving with her husband Tony to Hernando, FL. More recently, she moved to Cary, N.C. to live with her grandson Gary and his family. Esther was a strong, independent woman and she will be dearly missed.
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2018. NEAL, BEATRICE JORDAN "MA BEA" (Obituary No. 2018.) Archer, Florida. Mrs. Neal, Age 93, Member of Female Protective Society Lodge #4, St. Peter & St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church (both of Archer, FL), The First Division Ministers, Deacons & Layman Union, entered into eternal rest on Tuesday, May 15, 2007, at her residence. The Homegoing Celebration will be held 10:30AM Saturday, May 26, 2007, at the Female Protective Society Temple (Gainesville, FL) with Rev. Dwayne McBride officiating. Burial will follow at the Newnansville Cemetery (Alachua, FL). Mrs. Neal will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday (2:00-8:00PM) - At the Temple on Saturday 30 minutes prior to the Service - And with the Processional. The Procession will form at the residence of Cedric & Sheila Moss, 16022 SW 79th Avenue, Archer, FL at 9:45AM. Arrangements are entrusted to DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/24/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2019. PAINTER, POLLY A. (Obituary No. 2019.), 75 Ocala - Polly A. Painter, 75, of Ocala, passed away at Sylvia's House Monday, May 14, 2007. She was born August 23, 1931 in Raleigh County, West Virginia. Polly was preceded in death by her parents, Ramey and Georgia Painter; brother, Harry Painter; and sister, Juanita Bowyer. She is survived by her sister and brother-in-law, Randall and Brenda Workman, Ocala; and sisters, Elsie Wilkerson, Mt. Hope, W. Va., and Margaret Janney, Pax, W. Va., also numerous nieces and nephew. Polly attended A.R.C. where she leaves behind many friends and caretakers. A Memorial Service will be held at The Church of God, located at 3201 NE 25th Avenue, Ocala on Thursday, May 31, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. with Pastor Lavell Craig officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2020. SARVER, JUDITH "JUDIE" (Obituary No. 2020.) 64 Ocala - Judith "Judie" Sarver, 64, of Ocala, passed away at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala on Thursday, May 24, 2007. A native of Naturita, Co., she relocated to Marion County in 1987. She was a retired insurance secretary/claims adjuster. Judie was an avid bowler, bowling with Nite-Owls bowling league, she was a Brownie and Girl Scout Leader, enjoyed sewing, crossword puzzles, and bingo. She is survived by her husband of 47 years, Raymond "Ray" Sarver, Ocala; son, Richard "Rick" Sarver,
Front Royal, VA; daughter, Dawna R. Hess, Ocala; brother, Robert "Bob" Albertson, Cummings, GA; and a grandson, Steven Hess, Ocala. She was preceded in death by a grandson, Matthew Hess. A memorial service will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East on Tuesday, May 29, 2007 at 1 p.m. with Dr. Mike Patton officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2021. STANDRIDGE, GENEVA SPARKS, (Obituary No. 2021.) Williston - Geneva Sparks Standridge, 84, died Sunday, May 27, 2007. She had been raised by Ruth Harpe and lived most of her life in Williston. She enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and quilting. She is preceded in death by her husband Harold. Mrs. Standridge is survived by her sons: Donnie (Margaret) Standridge of Williston; Dale (Jo-Anne) Standridge of Williston; Doug (Belinda) Standridge of Otter Creek and daughters; Sandra (Gary) Swilley of Williston and Pudgie Mills of Hawaii. Mrs. Standridge will have a graveside service Tuesday, May 29, at 10:00 at Orange Hill Cemetery with Bro. Billy Keith officiating. KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME WILLISTON, is in charge of arrangements, (352) 528-3481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2022. TALBOT, LOIS L. (Obituary No. 2022.), 82 Gainesville - Lois L. Talbot, 82 passed away May 19, 2007 in West Palm Beach. She was born in Alpine, Texas and moved to Gainesville in 1962 when her husband retired from the Army. She was a member of many organizations including the Sunshine Red Hat Society in West Palm Beach, the Gainesville Historical Society where she was secretary, the Bridge Club at the Thelma Bolton Center and she was also a self proclaimed dumpster diver and held many yard sales in which the proceeds allowed her to travel Europe and the U.S. She is preceded in death by her husband, Cecil Talbot. She is survived by a son Cecil Talbot, Jr. of Gainesville, daughter Mary Jo Moore of West Palm Beach, and grandchildren Nicholas Zaffke and Cecil Talbot, III. A graveside service will be held on Tuesday, May 29, 2007 at 10:00 AM at Evergreen Cemetery, Gainesville, Fl. Arrangements are under the care of Forest Meadows Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2023. TEUTON, VIRGINIA R. (Obituary No. 2023.), 86 Orlando - Virginia R. Teuton, 86, of Orlando, FL went to be with the Lord on May 27, 2007. She has been a resident of Orlando since coming from here from Germany after her husband, James W.. Teuton retired from the Army. She is a retired LPN and worked at Florida Hospital. She was also a member of the Sanctuary at Conway, Church of God. Mrs. Teuton is survived by three sons, Mr. James Teuton and wife Becky of Panama City, FL., Mr. Kayron (Ron) Teuton of Orlando, FL., and Mr. Jan Teuton and wife Martha of Moncks Corner, SC; six grandchildren, Shannon, Travis, Jeff, Michael, Lisa and Genesis; and 12 great grandchildren; two sisters, Ethel Houston of East Greenwich, RI and Mrs. Dot Andrews of West Greenwich, RI; numerous nieces and nephews, and a host of other family and friends. Also very close family friends Rosie and Jerry Sukkert of Orlando, FL. A special thank you to Mr. and Mars. Hafeez and Molly Ali and staff at the Grace Manor Retirement Home for their loving care of our Mother. Mrs. Teuton was preceded in death by her loving husband James W. (J. W.) Teuton, daughter-in-law, Marcia Teuton and two brothers Bob and Howard Cassity. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, May 30, 2007 at 10 a.m. at the Sanctuary at Conway, Church of God, 2701 Conway Gardens Road, Orlando with Pastor Ken
Houck officiating. Interment will follow in the Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL at 3 p.m. with Mr. Hafeez Ali officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service time. Services entrusted to LOOMIS FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, 420 West Main Street, Apopka, FL 32712. (407) 880-1007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2024. WILLIAMS, LARRY IRVING (Obituary No. 2024.) Gainesville - Larry Irving Williams died Friday, May 25, 2007 at Haven Hospice. He was 67. Mr. Williams was born in Cedar Key, Fl and graduated from Cedar Key High School. He moved to Gainesville after serving in the United States Navy and joined the Florida Highway Patrol. Mr. Williams retired from the Highway Patrol in 1991. He always enjoyed spending time in Cedar Key and was a member of Cedar Key Episcopal Church. Mr. Williams is survived by his wife Gwen B. Williams of Gainesville, Fl: Son, Dean Irving Williams of Mission, Kansas: Daughter, Rachel Anne Williams of Gainesville, Fl. He is preceded by his Brother, Robert Lawton Williams and his Sister, Elizabeth Anne McDonald. Mr. Williams is the Son of the late W.I. "Irving" Williams and Rita Blanton. A Memorial Service will be held Thursday, May 31, 2007 in Cedar Key Episcopal Church at 11:00am. Those who wish may make a memorial contribution to Haven Hospice. For Further Information Williams-Thomas Downtown 352-376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/27/2007 - 5/29/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, May 30, 2007

2025. ALLEN, LOLA (Obituary No. 2025.), 48 Ocala - Lola Allen, 48, on Saturday, May 26, 2007 passed away at the age of 48. She was the beloved wife of Keith Allen of Ocala. She was the daughter of Roy and Barbara Gibson of Montgomery, Alabama. She has 2 sisters and 2 brothers, also many nieces and nephews. Visitation is Wednesday 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and the FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME Funeral Service is Thursday at 11 a.m. with interment at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2026. BALUNAS, ESTHER (Obituary No. 2026.), 93 Cary, NC - Esther Balunas, 93, died April 19, 2007 in North Carolina. She was predeceased by her husband, Anthony Balunas; two sons, John and Dale Balunas; and a daughter-in-law, Corolin Balunas. Esther is survived by her son, Anthony Balunas, Sydney, N.Y.; her daughter-in-law, Janet Simmons, Newburgh, N.Y.; her grandsons and their families, Gary Balunas, John Simmons, Lee Simmons, Michael Simmons, and Jay Balunas; her granddaughters and their families, Linda MacDonald and Marcy Balunas. Esther leaves behind 15 great-grandchildren with another on the way. Esther grew up in Smithville Flats, N.Y. and lived many years in Greene, N.Y. before moving with her husband Tony to Hernando, FL. More recently, she moved to Cary, N.C. to live with her grandson Gary and his family. Esther was a strong, independent woman and she will be dearly missed. Memorial services will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, June 15, 2007 at the Zion Episcopal Church in Greene, N.Y. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

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Ocala, Brenda Cannon of Belleview, and Stephen Boyd of Ocklawaha; nine grandchildren, Ashley and Mike Cannon, Matthew and Alex Roos, Frank Boyd, Jr., Stephen A. Boyd, and Erin, Erika, and Ian Boyd; and great grandchild, Hunter Brian Boyd. He was preceded in death by his parents Sam and Sarah Boyd; brother, Samuel Boyd; and sister, Sarah Hughes. A visitation will be held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 29, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/27/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2028. BURNEY, RALPH WELDON (Obituary No. 2028.), 68 Miami - Funeral services for Ralph Weldon Burney, 68, will be held May 30, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, 1005 NW 6th Ave., Florida City, Florida, 33034. Public viewing, Thursday, May 31, 2007 at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, Florida from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Interment Friday, June 1, 2007 at 12 p.m. Ft. McCoy Cemetery, Ft. McCoy, Florida. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2029. CROW, LOREAN L. (Obituary No. 2029.), 80 Silver Springs - Lorean L. Crow, age 80, of Silver Springs, passed away Tuesday, May 29, 2007. He was born February 7, 1927 in Webbers Falls, Oklahoma, and came to Silver Springs in 1999, from Island Lake, IL. Lorean was a member of the Missouri Synod Lutheran Church, FL. - GA. district. His hobby was building bird houses and he loved country music and camping. Lorean is survived by his wife, of 56 years, Delores L. Crow, three daughters, Karen Grimes (husband Jerry, #1) of Silver Springs, Kaye Phelps (husband Dale) of Milford Center, OH, Kris LaPointe (husband Bill) of Lajas, PR, two sons, Keith Crow (wife Vicki) of Round Lake Beach, IL., Kent Crow of Waukegan, IL., brother, Dewey Crow, Jr. of Sands Springs, OK, sister, Adna Johnson of Gore, OK, 11 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 2, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, June 1 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

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2034. KEARBHEY, DARLENE C. (Obituary No. 2034.), 74 Dunnellon - Mrs. Darlene C. Kearbey, 74, born in Safe, Missouri to Garrett and Esther Copeland on December 14, 1932, left this earth May 25, 2007, to join sons Kevin and Byron, Jr. who went before her. She and her beloved husband, Byron, Sr. moved to Florida in 1954, where they lived in St. Petersburg, Tampa, Apollo Beach, Ruskin and finally Dunnellon. Wherever she lived, Darlene made many many friends; no matter the miles put between them, she remained friends with all throughout the many years. Darlene was very active in the Dunnellon VFW, The American defenders of Bataan and Corregidor, North Central Florida Chapter of American Ex-Prisoners of War, Cancer Society Relay for Life and had previously worked with the Ocala Chapter of Merchant Marin Veterans. She worked as a Registered Nurse at Lockheed Martin where she retired after 10 years. Her family meant everything to her. She leaves behind husband, Bryon; sister, Arlene Beach (twin), June (Johnnie) Moore; and brother, Don (Jan) Copeland; son, Garrett (Margie); daughter, Cindy Mangum; nieces and nephew, Bobbi Carol (Tony) Justus, Lynn (Terry) O'Leary, Jill (Kevin) Hite, Vincent Smith; daughter-in-law, Renee Stroud. Her grandchildren, Rett, Hayes, Corinne, James, Jeremy and Cathy were the highlights of her life. Visitation and Celebration of Life Services will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939
Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon on June 6; visitation will be 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. with the Celebration of Life service following the visitation PROMPTLY at 2:15 in the chapel. The family is requesting Darlene's favorite, a bouquet of pretty summer flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2035. LEIGHTON, FRANCES V. (Obituary No. 2035.), 82 Ocala - Mrs. Frances V. Leighton, 82, of Ocala passed away on Saturday, May 26, 2007. Mrs. Leighton was born in Tifton, GA, but had lived her whole life in Ocala. She is survived by her daughter, Patricia L. Osborne of Inverness; sons, Donald W. Leighton of Stuart and Randy Leighton of Ocala; sisters, Peggy Joiner of Lakeland, Merle Word of Oxford, and Bettye Wiley of Ocala; brothers, Jim Batts of Ocala and Sam Batts of Glenville, NC; 5 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward R. Leighton, HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2036. MASSEY, BETTY JANE SANDERS (Obituary No. 2036.), 62 Palatka - Betty Jane Sanders Massey, 62, of Palatka, went to be with the Lord surrounded by her family at her residence following an extended illness. She was a native and life long resident of Palatka. She was a 1962 graduate of the Palatka Senior High School. She enjoyed sewing, spending time with her grandchildren and loved serving the Lord. She spent many long years in the ministry with her husband Rev. Larry Massey and was a charter member of Moss Bluff Baptist Church in Marion County. Betty was the last charter member of Southside Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her parents, Richard and Mary Drew Sanders and is survived by her husband of 48 years, Rev. Larry Massey of Palatka; three sons and daughters-in-law, Gary and Lisa Massey of Jesup, Georgia, Chris and Melissa Massey of Augusta, South Carolina and Matt and Rhonda Massey of Tallahassee; two daughters, Susan Massey and Debra Massey both of Palatka; two brothers and sisters-in-law, Alan and Thirza Sanders of Fayetteville, Georgia and Paul and Lisa Sanders of Fairbanks, Alaska; two sisters and brother-in-law, Linda and Jerry Hawkins of Palatka and Carolyn Barclay of Fernandina Beach; eleven grandchildren, Jonathan Massey, Leanna Massey, Tyler Massey, Haley Massey, Kaelyn Massey, Nathan Massey, Jacob Massey, Riley Massey, Lyndsey Massey, Jay Carmen and many nieces and nephews. Calling hours will be Wednesday evening (today) from 6:30 pm until 8 pm at the funeral home. Funeral services will be 2 pm Thursday May 31, 2007 at Masters Funeral Home of Palatka with Dr. J. O. McLeod and Bro. Jimmy Corbin officiating. Interment will follow in the Oak Hill West Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial gifts may be sent to the Benevolence Fund at Moss Bluff Baptist Church, 17515 SE 95th St., Ocklawaha, FL 32179 MASTERS FUNERAL HOME of Palatka is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2037. NEAL, BEATRICE JORDAN "MA BEA" (Obituary No. 2037.)Archer, Florida. Mrs. Neal, Age 93, Member of Female Protective Society Lodge #4, St. Peter & St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church (both of Archer, FL), The First Division Ministers, Deacons & Layman Union, entered into eternal rest on Tuesday, May 15, 2007, at her residence. The Homegoing Celebration will be held 10:30AM Saturday, May 26, 2007, at the Female Protective Society Temple (Gainesville, FL) with Rev. Dwayne McBride officiating. Burial will follow at the Newnansville Cemetery (Alachua, FL). Mrs. Neal will be viewed at the Funeral Home on Friday
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2038. NICHOLS, THEODORE DREXELL (Obituary No. 2038.), 74 Ocala - Theodore "Ted" Drexell Nichols, 74, passed away on Tuesday, May 29, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was a lifetime resident of Marion County. He was a retired plumber and pipe fitter for W.W. Gay Mechanical Contractor. He enjoyed fishing and hunting. He also loved working in his garden. He is survived by his fiancé and companion Dorothy Saunders of Ocala; daughter, Alicia Sykes of Orange Springs; son, Teddy Nichols of Orange Springs; sister, Sylvia Butler of Ocala; brother, Snowden Nichols of Orange Springs; three granddaughters; and one grandson. A graveside service will be held at 3 p.m. on Friday, June 1, 2007 at Nichols Cemetery in Oxford. HIERS FUNERAL HOME is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2039. PAINTER, SR., EDWARD DAVIS (Obituary No. 2039.), 85 Ocala - Edward Davis Painter, Sr., 85, of Ocala, Fl, formerly of Charlotte, NC, passed away on May 25, 2007 at his home. Mr. Painter was born in Charlotte, NC on December 18, 1921, the son of the late Latta and Lula Bumgardner Painter. Preceding him in death are brothers, Ralph F. and Allen H. Painter, and sisters, Bertie, Justine, Josephine and Violet Painter, Blondell Shaw, Lillian Black and Martha Garris. He graduated from Central High School in 1940 and served in the US Navy in World War II in both the Atlantic and Pacific theatres where he was awarded the Asiatic-Pacific medal with six battle stars and the Philippines Liberation medal with two battle stars. In 1975, Mr. Painter retired from the A & P Tea Company. He and wife loved to travel and he was especially proud to have visited all 50 states. His hobbies included fishing, painting, and making pine needle baskets for friends. He was an active member of Pritchard Memorial Baptist Church in Charlotte, prior to moving to Florida. He wished to be remembered not for what he did, but for what he was - a good Christian person who left behind many friends. He never met a stranger. He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Sally Morrow Painter; children, Rev. Edward Davis Painter, Jr., and wife Debbie of Niantic, CT., Cynthia Painter Lytle, and husband Richard of Ocala, FL; grandchildren, Sara J. Lytle of Ocala, FL., Barbara Buzzelli of Niantic, CT., Carl Seybolt of Philadelphia, PA., and David Painter of Northborough, MA; 9 grandchildren; sister, Eula Painter Ferguson of Charlotte, NC; and many nieces and nephews. A service to celebrate his life will be held in Charlotte, NC at a future time. Memorials to honor him may be made to the Andrew J. Semesco Foundation, PO Box 5577, Ocala, FL. 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2040. PAINTER, POLLY A., 75 (Obituary No. 2040.) Ocala - Polly A. Painter, 75, of Ocala, passed away at Sylvia's House Monday, May 14, 2007. She was born August 23, 1931 in Raleigh County, West Virginia. Polly was preceded in death by her parents, Ramey and Georgia Painter; brother, Harry Painter; and sister, Juanita Bowyer. She is survived by her sister and brother-in-law, Randall and Brenda Workman, Ocala; and sisters, Elsie Wilkerson, Mt. Hope, W. VA., and Margaret Janney, Pax, W. VA., also numerous nieces and nephew. Polly attended A.R.C. where she leaves behind many friends and caretakers. A Memorial Service will be held at
The Church of God, located at 3201 NE 25th Avenue, Ocala on Thursday, May 31, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. with Pastor Lavell Craig officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2041. SARVER, JUDITH “JUDIE” (Obituary No. 2041.) Ocala - Judith "Judie" Sarver, 64, of Ocala, passed away at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala on Thursday, May 24, 2007. A native of Naturita, Co., she relocated to Marion County in 1987. She was a retired insurance secretary/claims adjuster. Judie was an avid bowler, bowling with Nite-Owls bowling league, she was a Brownie and Girl Scout Leader, enjoyed sewing, crossword puzzles, and bingo. She is survived by her husband of 47 years, Raymond "Ray" Sarver, Ocala; son, Richard "Rick" Sarver, Front Royal, VA; daughter, Dawna R. Hess, Ocala; brother, Robert "Bob" Albertson, Cummings, GA; and a grandson, Steven Hess, Ocala. She was preceded in death by a grandson, Matthew Hess. A memorial service will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East on Tuesday, May 29, 2007 at 1 p.m. with Dr. Mike Patton officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2042. STANDRIDGE, GENEVA SPARKS, (Obituary No. 2042.) Williston - Geneva Sparks Standridge, 84, died Sunday, May 27, 2007. She had been raised by Ruth Harpe and lived most of her life in Williston. She enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and quilting. She is preceded in death by her husband Harold. Mrs. Standridge is survived by her sons: Donnie (Margaret) Standridge of Williston; Dale (Jo-Anne) Standridge of Williston; Doug (Belinda) Standridge of Otter Creek and daughters; Sandra (Gary) Swilley of Williston and Pudgie Mills of Hawaii. Mrs. Standridge will have a graveside service Tuesday, May 29, at 10:00 at Orange Hill Cemetery with Bro. Billy Keith officiating. KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME WILLISTON, is in charge of arrangements, (352) 528-3481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2043. TALBOT, LOIS L. (Obituary No. 2043.), 82 Gainesville - Lois L. Talbot, 82 passed away May 19, 2007 in West Palm Beach. She was born in Alpine, Texas and moved to Gainesville in 1962 when her husband retired from the Army. She was a member of many organizations including the Sunshine Red Hat Society in West Palm Beach, the Gainesville Historical Society where she was secretary, the Bridge Club at the Thelma Bolton Center and she was also a self proclaimed dumpster diver and held many yard sales in which the proceeds allowed her to travel Europe and the U.S. She is preceded in death by her husband, Cecil Talbot. She is survived by a son Cecil Talbot, Jr. of Gainesville, daughter Mary Jo Moore of West Palm Beach, and grandchildren Nicholas Zaffke and Cecil Talbot, III. A graveside service will be held on Tuesday, May 29, 2007 at 10:00 AM at Evergreen Cemetery, Gainesville, Fl. Arrangements are under the care of Forest Meadows Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2044. TEUTON, VIRGINIA R. (Obituary No. 2044.), 86 Orlando - Virginia R. Teuton, 86, of Orlando, FL went to be with the Lord on May 27, 2007. She has been a resident of Orlando since coming from here from Germany after her husband, James W. Teuton retired from the Army. She is a retired LPN and worked at Florida Hospital. She was also a member of the Sanctuary at
Conway, Church of God. Mrs. Teuton is survived by three sons, Mr. James Teuton and wife Becky of Panama City, FL., Mr. Kayron (Ron) Teuton of Orlando, FL., and Mr. Jan Teuton and wife Martha of Moncks Corner, SC; six grandchildren, Shannon, Travis, Jeff, Michael, Lisa and Genesis; and 12 great grandchildren; two sisters, Ethel Houston of East Greenwich, RI and Mrs. Dot Andrews of West Greenwich, RI; numerous nieces and nephews, and a host of other family and friends. Also very close family friends Rosie and Jerry Sukkert of Orlando, FL. A special thank you to Mr. and Mrs. Hafeez and Molly Ali and staff at the Grace Manor Retirement Home for their loving care of our Mother. Mrs. Teuton was preceded in death by her loving husband James W. (J. W.) Teuton, daughter-in-law, Marcia Teuton and two brothers Bob and Howard Cassity. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, May 30, 2007 at 10 a.m. at the Sanctuary at Conway, Church of God, 2701 Conway Gardens Road, Orlando with Pastor Ken Houck officiating. Interment will follow in the Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL at 3 p.m. with Mr. Hafeez Ali officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service time. Services entrusted to LOOMIS FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, 420 West Main Street, Apopka, FL 32712. (407) 880-1007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/29/2007 - 5/30/2007.

2045. VEIHDEFER, EDITH E. (Obituary No. 2045.), 90 Ocala - Edith E. Veihdeffer, 90, of Marion Woods, Ocala, passed away the 26th of May 2007. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Young of Erie, PA. She is preceded in death by her two brothers, Kenneth and John Young, sister, Henreitta Young and her husband, Dr. Norbert R. Veihdeffer. She is survived by her sister Luanna Thompson of Birmingham, AL; her daughters, Ruth Ann Fox, (James) of Middleton, MA., Carol E. Drongosky, (Ben) of Ocala, and Edith Mae Hansen, (Dean) of Little Elm, TX. She has (15) grandchildren and (22) great grandchildren. When she resided in Erie, PA, she was a dental assistant in her husband's practice. She was a member of the Women's Dental Auxiliary, The Rosary Society of St. Peter's Cathedral, The Erie Mannachor Club, The Lake Shore Country Club and St. Vincent's Hospital Auxiliary. She and her husband moved to Clearwater, FL in 1960. She was a parishioner of St. Cecelia's Catholic Church. She was active in the Lady Knights of the Columbus, serving the various offices of the 4th Degree Knights. She enjoyed golfing and bowling. She moved to Ocala in 2002. The family requests any memorials: Royal Dames of Ocala for Cancer Research, PO Box 6163, Ocala, FL. 34478 and Brother's Keeper Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street Ocala, 34471. A visitation will be held from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Thursday, May 31, 2007 at HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. A funeral mass will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, June 1, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Entombment will follow at Calvary Cemetery in St. Petersburg at 3 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

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2046. ALLEN, LOLA (Obituary No. 2046.), 48 Ocala - Lola Allen, 48, on Saturday, May 26, 2007 passed away at the age of 48. She was the beloved wife of Keith Allen of Ocala. She was the daughter of Roy and Barbara Gibson of Montgomery, Alabama. She has 2 sisters and 2 brothers, also many nieces and nephews. Visitation is Wednesday 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and the FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME Funeral Service is Thursday at 11 a.m. with interment at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.
2047. ARMSTRONG, DENNIS L. (Obituary No. 2047.), 72 Ocala - Dennis L. Armstrong died April 16 at the age of 72. He is survived by his daughter and her husband, Pam and Tony Escarcega of Ocala; his daughter and her husband, Mindy and George Wolfe, and granddaughter, Crystal Armstrong of Cocoa, FL; his daughter, Liz Armstrong of Englewood, FL; grandson, Brandon Armstrong of San Francisco, CA; granddaughter, Amanda Webb of Jacksonville, FL; his brother and his wife, Bill and Billie Armstrong, and their children Scott, Wendy, and Chris Armstrong all of Ocala, FL. Born October 21, 1934 in Council Bluffs, IA. Armstrong received a football scholarship to Coe College in Cedar Rapids, IA. He graduated in 1957, married Jacqueline Baldwin from St. Louis, MO, and had three daughters. Armstrong enjoyed a lucrative and life-long career in sales, first, as a representative for Brown Shoe Co., and then Lowell Shoe Co. He received numerous Achievement Awards, and owned shoe stores in Ocala, and Englewood, FL. Steeped in strong Midwestern values, Armstrong became the unwavering family center for his daughters when his 18 year marriage to Jacqueline dissolved, and he continued nurturing and loving his family until his death. In the 1990's he brought his grandson to live with him in Englewood, FL. Brandon credits his grandfather with "saving my life," and giving him the ambition and confidence to graduate from the culinary apprenticeship program at The Greenbrier, a five-star resort in West Virginia. Armstrong's life changed dramatically in 1990 when he suffered a dissecting aorta, followed in 1996 by a risky aneurysm repair surgery, which injured his spinal cord leaving him unable to walk. Not one to despair he embraced his limitations and courageously lived the remainder of his live independently and graciously. He moved to Ocala in 1998 to live closer to daughter Pam and her husband Tony Escarcega (owner of TouchDown Painting), and his brother, Bill (then-owner of Armstrong Homes), and family. Sports were Armstrong's passion both as participant and spectator. A highlight of his post-college sports was when, while he lived in Gainesville, his nephew played football for U of F. As co-owners of the Ocala Speedway, his nephew Scott and Chris gave him the opportunity to work there. He sped around on his power wheelchair involved in many aspects of the Speedway and grew to love and be loved by many people there. His friend, Lou Tremblay (Speedway Manager), honored him with a heartwarming tribute at the Speedway on April 20, and wrote a moving eulogy on their website. His sunny smile and warm heart will be greatly, greatly missed. A memorial service will be held at The Church Triumphant in Ocala, FL on Saturday, June 2nd, at 2 p.m. Any questions please call Pam Escarcega (352) 690-7053. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2048. BREWTON, INEZ GRAHAM (Obituary No. 2048.) Deland - The Home Going Service for Mrs. Inez Graham Brewton, who departed this life Thursday, May 24, 2007 while residing at Woodland Terrace Nursing Home DeLand, FL. will be 12 pm Saturday, June 2, 2007 at New Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Blitchton, FL. Reverend Izell James, Pastor will deliver the eulogy. Burial will follow at Liberty Chapel Cemetery, Fairfield, FL. The visitation hours will be 12- 4pm Friday at Summers' Funeral Home Ocala, FL. The wake will be 6-7:30pm Friday evening at the Church. Mrs. Brewton, the eldest child and only daughter, was born to the late Willie and Geneva Roberts Graham in Blitchton, FL., on March 15, 1918. She was educated at Blaze Pond Elementary School and Howard Academy in Ocala, FL. Inez and the late Dewie Brewton, Sr. were joined in Holy Matrimony August 1, 1939. At a very early age, she committed her life to Christ. Upon joining New Chapel Missionary Baptist Church she was baptized and served on the usher board, sang in the choir and was an affiliate of the deaconess ministry until her health failed. In addition to her husband Mrs. Brewton was preceded in death by her eldest

2049. COOK, ALBERT HUGH (Obituary No. 2049.), 98 Ft. McCoy - Albert Hugh Cook, 98 of Ocala/Ft. McCoy went home to be with his Heavenly Father, early Sunday, May 27, 2007. Born in London, England and immigrated to America in 1936, he became a US Citizen in 1942. Hugh moved to Ocala from Gainesville, FL and then to beautiful Ft. McCoy. He attended Queen's University of Banking in Canada. A Banker for 3 years in Lewes, England and 3 years in Canada, he taught English to Spaniards and Spanish to the Americans in Spain. He was a Salesman for HH Robertson in PA, arriving in Coral Gables as manager in the 70's and retiring there. He graduated from the Florida International University in Miami with a Bachelor of Science in Physics in the 70's. Hugh will be remembered by his family and friends as a loving, caring, kind, helpful and accepting husband and father who was devoted to his family and was there to give them support and strength, never asking anything in return. As a Christian, he was always enjoying his friends in WPBC and Ft. McCoy First Baptist Church. An avid tennis player, enjoying the games to the age of 94 when he needed to give the game up. He also enjoyed bicycling, hiking, and traveling after retirement. Hugh was a strong, honest gentleman with a fine sense of humor. Hugh is gone from our presence, now his spirit will always be with us giving inspiration and guidance in our lives. He is survived by his wife of 20 years, Susan Cook, and preceded in death by Frances Cook, wife of 50+ years and mother to his 4 surviving children, Audrey (Gordon) Garmire, PA, Richard (Rosario), FL, Charles (Memma), WA, and Dr. Philp (Salie) Cook, FL. Seven grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren, half-sister, Katherine L. Balbi, London, England, nephew, Anthony Balbi, Luxumbourg, 2 step-children, Michael (Susan) Jones, Jeanneen (Darryl) Cannon, 7 step-grandchildren, 2 step-great-grandchildren and loving nephew Charles Hodge. A Memorial Celebration for Albert Hugh will be held Saturday, June 2 at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy, Fellowship will follow. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL East in charge of arrangements.Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2050. COX, SPURGEON C. (S.C.), (Obituary No. 2050.)79 Ft. McCoy - Spurgeon C. (S.C.) Cox, 79, of Ft. McCoy, FL passed away the 20th of May 2007. He was the son of Spurgeon and Lyda Cox of Plant City, FL. He moved to Ft. McCoy 40 years ago. He was a veteran and served in World War II in the US Navy. Mr. Cox was also a member of the American Legion. he was Baptist in his faith. He was an avid fisherman and hunter. He is survived by his wife Joe Ann Cox also of Ft. McCoy. Also two sons, Stephen (Donna) Cox from Orlando, FL and Glyn Cox
from Ocala, one daughter, Linda (Eugene) Lynn of Ft. McCoy, FL., step children Thea (Frank) Swistara of Ruskin, FL, Melissa (Bill) Langford, Ruskin, FL and Sandy (Brett) Johnson of Chesapeake, VA, Danny (Trish) Bowman of Ruskin, FL. 16 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. He is also survived by one sister, Smyrna Lane of Tampa, FL., several nieces and nephews. Graveside services will be held at Ft. McCoy Cemetery on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at 3 p.m. Arrangements made by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2051. CROW, LOREAN L. (Obituary No. 2051.), 80 Silver Springs - Lorean L. Crow, age 80, of Silver Springs, passed away Tuesday, May 29, 2007. He was born February 7, 1927 in Webbers Falls, Oklahoma, and came to Silver Springs in 1999, from Island Lake, IL. Lorean was a member of the Missouri Synod Lutheran Church, FL.-GA district. His hobby was building bird houses and he loved country music and camping. Lorean is survived by his wife, of 56 years, Delores L. Crow, three daughters, Karen Grimes (husband Jerry, #1) of Silver Springs, Kaye Phelps (husband Dale) of Milford Center, OH, Kris LaPointe (husband Bill) of Lajas, PR, two sons, Keith Crow (wife Vicki) of Round Lake Beach, IL., Kent Crow of Waukegan, IL., brother, Dewey Crow, Jr. of Sands Springs, OK, sister, Adna Johnson of Gore, OK, 11 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 2, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, June 1 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2052. FERRELL, EZRA LEE (Obituary No. 2052.), 73 Belleview - Ezra Lee Ferrell, 73 Moved to Florida in 1935 from Byrdstown, Tenn., resided in Belleview Fl, passed away Saturday May 26, 2007 from an extended illness. Formerly Employed by MRMC as a surgical aide, retired in 1999. Survivors include: 1 sister, Florence Strickland, 3 brothers, Alvin Ferrell, Ocala, Charlie Ferrell, Tenn. and Roy Ferrell, Ocala., 4 children, Paul E Ferrell, Ocala, Kenneth D Ferrell, Ocala, Mary Anne F Massey, Summerfield, Robert Lee Ferrell, Denham Springs, La., 10 grand children and 1 great grand child. A memorial gathering of family and friends we be held at 1742 NE 13th Street, Ocala, FL, on Saturday June 2nd from 5 pm to 7 pm. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2053. HARRISON, ELLET HENRY (Obituary No. 2053.), 92 Ocala - Mr. Ellet Henry Harrison, 92, passed away in Ocala, FL on May 29, 2007. He was born in Benton, KS on November 9, 1914. He worked for Shore Fertilizer Company as a General Manager in Exmore, VA for over 30 years. He worked for Shore Fertilizer Company as a General Manager in Exmore, VA for over 30 years. He is a member of Ft. King Presbyterian Church in Ocala. He moved to Ocala in 1987 from Virginia. He was a Navy Pilot during WWII. He is preceded in death by 4 sisters, 1 brother, and his wife Joyce. He is survived by his loving wife of 31 Ruby and lived in Ocala, FL., a sister Virgie Morris of Benton, KS also many nephews and nieces. Send donations to the Ft. King Presbyterian Church, Ocala, FL. or Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL. will be handling graveside arrangements at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.
2054. HENDERSON, ANNIE (Obituary No. 2054.), 93 "MAMA ANNIE" "QUILTING QUEEN" Flemington - Annie "Mama Annie" Henderson, 93, "Quilting Queen" went home to be with the Lord on May 27, 2007. Funeral Services will be held Saturday, June 2, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church in Flemington, FL. Rev. Michael Maeweather, Eulogist. Mama Annie was preceded in death by her devoted husband, Frank Henderson and son Milton Singleton. The longtime Flemington resident and Quilting Queen has hand-crafted 1000's of beautiful quilts in her 93 years of Good living. Mama Annie's quilts can be found throughout the United States and World-Wide via family and friends that have one of her heirlooms of their own. Some of the quilts have been passed down through 4 generations of family and still provide love, a great legacy, memories and warmth in the winter months. Left to cherish her memories and carry on her legacy, daughters, Ruby Jackson (John), Joan Hatten (Arcolia), two sons, Joe Singleton (Erma) Roderick White (Trina) and special nephew Curtis Blunt (Minnie). As well as 16 grandchildren, 37 great grandchildren, 20 great great grandchildren. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2055. JACOBS, WESLEY (Obituary No. 2055.), 78 Ocala - Wesley Jacobs, 78, agricultural laborer, passed away on May 25, 2007 at his residence. He was a native of Ocala, Florida. He leaves to mourn his memory a companion Adelle Byrd of Miami, Florida; 2 sons, Freddie and William Byrd of Miami, Florida; 1 daughter, Delores Jacobs Singletary of Miami, Florida; 1 sister, Julia Taylor of Ocala, Florida; Irene Jacobs, sister-in-law, of Ft. Pierce, Florida; 3 grandchildren; and 9 great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Jacobs will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at 12 noon, at the Church of God by Faith, 707 SW Ft. King St., Rev. Jerome Douglas, pastor. The family will gather at 11:15 a.m. at 811 SW. 5th Street to form the cortege. Public visitation will be Friday, June 1, 2007 at the Theological Seminary, 1105 NW 4th Street, from 12 p.m. to 6 p.m.. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.


2057. KEARBECY, DARLENE C. (Obituary No. 2057.), 74 Dunnellon - Mrs. Darlene C. Kearbey, 74, born in Safe, Missouri to Garrett and Esther Copeland on December 14, 1932, left this earth May 25, 2007, to join sons Kevin and Byron, Jr. who went before her.. She and her beloved husband, Byron, Sr. moved to Florida in 1954, where they lived in St. Petersburg, Tampa, Apollo Beach, Ruskin and finally Dunnellon. Wherever she lived, Darlene made many many friends; no matter the miles put between them, she remained friends with all throughout the many years. Darlene was very active in the Dunnellon VFW, The American defenders of Bataan and Corregidor, North Central Florida Chapter of American Ex-Prisoners of War, Cancer Society Relay for Life and had previously worked with the Ocala Chapter of Merchant Marin Veterans. She worked as a Registered Nurse at Lockheed Martin where she retired after 10 years.
Her family meant everything to her. She leaves behind husband, Bryon; sister, Arlene Beach (twin), June (Johnnie) Moore; and brother, Don (Jan) Copeland; son, Garrett (Margie); daughter, Cindy Mangum; nieces and nephew, Bobbi Carol (Tony) Justus, Lynn (Terry) O'Leary, Jill (Kevin) Hite, Vincent Smith; daughter-in-law, Renee Stroud. Her grandchildren, Rett, Hayes, Corinne, James, Jeremy and Cathy were the highlights of her life. Visitation and Celebration of Life Services will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon on June 6; visitation will be 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. with the Celebration of Life service following the visitation PROMPTLY at 2:15 in the chapel. The family is requesting Darlene's favorite, a bouquet of pretty summer flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2058. LEIGHTON, FRANCES V. (Obituary No. 2058.), 82 Ocala - Mrs. Frances V. Leighton, 82, of Ocala passed away on Saturday, May 26, 2007. Mrs. Leighton was born in Tifton, GA, but had lived her whole life in Ocala. She is survived by her daughter, Patricia L. Osborne of Inverness; sons, Donald W. Leighton of Stuart and Randy Leighton of Ocala; sisters, Peggy Joiner of Lakeland, Merle Word of Oxford, and Bettye Wiley of Ocala; brothers, Jim Batts of Ocala and Sam Batts of Glenville, NC; 5 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward R. Leighton, HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2059. MASSEY, BETTY JANE SANDERS (Obituary No. 2059.), 62 Palatka - Betty Jane Sanders Massey, 62, of Palatka, went to be with the Lord surrounded by her family at her residence following an extended illness. She was a native and life long resident of Palatka. She was a 1962 graduate of the Palatka Senior High School. She enjoyed sewing, spending time with her grandchildren and loved serving the Lord. She spent many long years in the ministry with her husband Rev. Larry Massey and was a charter member of Moss Bluff Baptist Church in Marion County. Betty was the last charter member of Southside Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her parents, Richard and Mary Drew Sanders and is survived by her husband of 48 years, Rev. Larry Massey of Palatka; three sons and daughters-in-law, Gary and Lisa Massey of Jesup, Georgia, Chris and Melissa Massey of Augusta, South Carolina and Matt and Rhonda Massey of Tallahassee; two daughters, Susan Massey and Debra Massey both of Palatka; two brothers and sisters-in-law, Alan and Thirza Sanders of Fayetteville, Georgia and Paul and Lisa Sanders of Fairbanks, Alaska; two sisters and brother-in-law, Linda and Jerry Hawkins of Palatka and Carolyn Barclay of Fernandina Beach; eleven grandchildren, Jonathan Massey, Jessica Massey, Leanna Massey, Tyler Massey, Haley Massey, Kaelyn Massey, Nathan Massey, Jacob Massey, Riley Massey, Lyndsey Massey, Jay Carmen and many nieces and nephews. Calling hours will be Wednesday evening (today) from 6:30 pm until 8 pm at the funeral home. Funeral services will be 2 pm Thursday May 31, 2007 at Masters Funeral Home of Palatka with Dr. J. O. McLeod and Bro. Jimmy Corbin officiating. Interment will follow in the Oak Hill West Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial gifts may be sent to the Benevolence Fund at Moss Bluff Baptist Church, 17515 SE 95th St., Ocklawaha, FL 32179 MASTERS FUNERAL HOME of Palatka is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.
2060. MCCANTS, CHARLES "TOM" TOM (BIG-DADDY) (Obituary No. 2060.), 79 Ocala -
Charles "Charlie" Tom McCants, 79, a retired animal caretaker of Silver Springs Attraction, Inc.,
died on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at The Marion House. A native Ocalan, he was a member of St.
Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church. Survivors include his loving with Ruth Kent
McCants; daughter, Debra Kaye McCants Russell (Mingo), Atlanta, GA; son, Eddie L. Thorpe,
Ocala, one sister Vernon Castle McCants Edwards and one brother Martin W. McCants, Sr. of
Ocala; three grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. McCants, 79,
Retired Animal Caretaker, will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 2, 2007, at St. Paul African
Methodist Episcopal Church with under the direction of SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME.
Visitation at the funeral home from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. on Friday, June 1, 2007 and at the
church from 10 a.m. until hour of the service. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the

2061. MERCER, GREGORY VERNON (Obituary No. 2061.), 54 Ocala - Gregory Vernon
Mercer, 54, died Saturday, May 26, 2007. Vernon was a self employed masonry. Mercer was a
graduate of Dunnellon High School and a member of The Shady Grove Baptist Church.
Survivors of Mr. Mercer include wife Mylinda Mercer of Ocala; two daughters, Chrishonda
Johnson, Atlanta, GA and Nikki Mercer, Ocala, FL; one son, Kendell Vernon; four sisters, Carla
Williams and Hattie Gilley, Tampa, FL., Linda Mercer, Kissimmee, FL and Patricia Bostick,
Ripley, TN; five brothers, Charles Mercer, Atlanta, GA., Carl Bostick, Orlando, FL., Calvin Dale
Bostick, Tampa, FL., Lawrence Jeffery Bostick, Ocala, FL., Willie Dale Clark, Dunnellon, FL;
stepfather, Willie Clark, Ocala, FL., and also five grandchildren, mother and father-in-law,
Willie and Laura Moore, Ocala, FL. Funeral services for Mr. Mercer will be held on Saturday,
June 2, 2007 at Shady Grove Baptist Church at 11 a.m. in Ocala, FL with Rev. Fred
Maeweathers, Sr., delivering the message. Visitation hours for Mr. Mercer will be held on Friday
from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at First Bethel Baptist Church (11845 Williams St. Dunnellon, FL) and one
hour prior to services. There will be no viewing after the message. "Everlasting memories and

2062. NICHOLS, THEODORE DREXELL (Obituary No. 2062.), 74 Ocala - Theodore "Ted"
Drexell Nichols, 74, passed away on Tuesday, May 29, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center.
He was a lifetime resident of Marion County. He was a retired plumber and pipe fitter for W.W.
Gay Mechanical Contractor. He enjoyed fishing and hunting. He also loved working in his
garden. He is survived by his fianc?nd companion Dorothy Saunders of Ocala; daughter, Alicia
Sykes of Orange Springs; son, Teddy Nichols of Orange Springs; sister, Sylvia Butler of Ocala;
brother, Snowden Nichols of Orange Springs; three granddaughters; and one grandson. A
graveside service will be held at 3 p.m. on Friday, June 1, 2007 at Nichols Cemetery in Oxford.
HIERS FUNERAL HOME is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner

2063. PAINTER, SR., EDWARD DAVIS (Obituary No. 2063.), 85 Ocala - Edward Davis
Painter, Sr., 85, of Ocala, Fl, formerly of Charlotte, NC, passed away on May 25, 2007 at his
home. Mr. Painter was born in Charlotte, NC on December 18, 1921, the son of the late Latta
and Lula Bumgardner Painter. Preceeding him in death are brothers, Ralph F. and Allen H.
Painter, and sisters, Bertie, Justine, Josephine and Violet Painter, Blondell Shaw, Lillian Black
and Martha Garris. He graduated from Central High School in 1940 and served in the US Navy
in World War II in both the Atlantic and Pacific theatres where he was awarded the Asiatic-Pacific medal with six battle stars and the Philippine Liberation medal with two battle stars. In 1975, Mr. Painter retired from the A & P Tea Company. He and wife loved to travel and he was especially proud to have visited all 50 states. His hobbies included fishing, painting, and making pine needle baskets for friends. He was an active member of Pritchard Memorial Baptist Church in Charlotte, prior to moving to Florida. He wished to be remembered not for what he did, but for what he was - a good Christian person who left behind many friends. He never met a stranger. He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Sally Morrow Painter; children, Rev. Edward Davis Painter, Jr., and wife Debbie of Niantic, CT., Cynthia Painter Lytle, and husband Richard of Ocala, FL; grandchildren, Sara J. Lytle of Ocala, FL., Barbara Buzzelli of Niantic, CT., Carl Seybolt of Philadelphia, PA., and David Painter of Northborough, MA; 9 grandchildren; sister, Eula Painter Ferguson of Charlotte, NC; and many nieces and nephews. A service to celebrate his life will be held in Charlotte, NC at a future time. Memorials to honor him may be made to the Andrew J. Semesco Foundation, PO Box 5577, Ocala, FL. 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2064. SIPLIN, MARTHA LEE (Obituary No. 2064.), 87 Ocala - Martha Lee Siplin, 87, homemaker. Funeral service will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at 11 a.m. at The House of God Church on NW 27th Ave. with Supt. Andrew Heflin officiating & Pastor Charles Munford, Jr., Eulogy. Ms. Siplin was born November 1, 1919 in Lineville, Alabama to the late K.V. Heflin & Celianne Turman. She was a member of Pleasant Hill Church of God in Christ of Dunnellon, FL. She was on the Mother's Board. Survivor: 5 daughters, Barbara Roberts, Ocala, FL., Rosa Bailey,, Tampa, FL., Susie Munford, Belleview, FL., Nadine Wilder, Ocala, FL., and Cynthia Johnson, Ocala, FL., 1 son, Walter V. Siplin, Jr., Ocala, FL., 1 sister, Annie Madison, Albany, GA., 2 brothers, Booker T. Heflin, Belleview, FL., and James Heflin, Ocala, FL., 21 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren. Interment: Ramah Cemetery, Belleview, FL under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday, June 1, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the church from 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2065. TAYLOR, ELLSWORTH H. (Obituary No. 2065.), 78 Ocala - Ellsworth H. Taylor, age 78, of Ocala, FL (Oak Run), passed away on May 29, 2007 at his residence. He was born on September 13, 1928 in Trenary, MI. Mr. Taylor moved to Ocala from Livonia, MI 13 years ago. He worked for Proctor-Silex as the District Sales Manager in Michigan for 16 years. He also worked for Independent Mobility Systems in Michigan and Florida for 9 years until his retirement. He was a 32 degree Free and Accepted Mason; former member of Elks Lodge #2252 in Inverness, FL; American Legion in Michigan; Oak Run Horseshoe Gray League; a former member of the Shrine Yacht Club, Chrysler Yacht Club and the Island Boat Club all in Michigan. He was a veteran of the US Army and served during the Korean Conflict. Mr. Taylor was a Presbyterian. He is survived by his wife of 56 years Meimi Taylor; daughter Karen (husband: Jack) Riggen of Deford, MI; daughter Janice (husband: John) Smith of Westland, MI; daughter JoAnn (husband: Steve) Hodge of Westland, MI; 7 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his father Walter M. Taylor and mother Leola Taylor. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery on Friday, June 1, 2007 11 a.m. There will be no visitation. In lieu of flowers donation may be made to
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2066. VEIHDEFFER, EDITH E. (Obituary No. 2066.), 90 Ocala - Edith E. Veihdeffer, 90, of Marion Woods, Ocala, passed away the 26th of May 2007. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Young of Erie, PA. She is preceded in death by her two brothers, Kenneth and John Young, sister, Henreitta Young and her husband, Dr. Norbert R. Veihdeffer. She is survived by her sister Luanna Thompson of Birmingham, AL; her daughters, Ruth Ann Fox, (James) of Middleton, MA., Carol E. Drongosky, (Ben) of Ocala, and Edith Mae Hansen, (Dean) of Little Elm, TX. She has (15) grandchildren and (22) great grandchildren. When she resided in Erie, PA, she was a dental assistant in her husband's practice. She was a member of the Women's Dental Auxiliary, The Rosary Society of St. Peter's Cathedral, The Erie Mannachor Club, The Lake Shore Country Club and St. Vincent's Hospital Auxiliary. She and her husband moved to Clearwater, FL in 1960. She was a parishioner of St. Cecelia's Catholic Church. She was active in the Lady Knights of the Columbus, serving the various offices of the 4th Degree Knights. She enjoyed golfing and bowling. She moved to Ocala in 2002. The family requests any memorials: Royal Dames of Ocala for Cancer Research, PO Box 6163, Ocala, FL. 34478 and Brother's Keeper Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street Ocala, 34471. A visitation will be held from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Thursday, May 31, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. A funeral mass will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, June 1, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Entombment will follow at Calvary Cemetery in St. Petersburg at 3 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 5/31/2007.

2067. WYNN, RUBY A. (Obituary No. 2067.), 87 Belleview - Ruby A. Wynn, 87, of Belleview, died in North Carolina May 29, 2007. Mrs. Wynn was born in Cherokee, Georgia and moved to the Belleview area from Enigma, GA in 1950. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview where she was active in Sunday School and the Keenagers. She was a meat cutter and wrapper for Thriftway for 29 years. Survivors include sons. Ralph Madison Wynn, Florida Keys, James Harrold Wynn, Ocala, FL, Lonnie Gordon Wynn, Burnsville, NC, Paul Darrell Wynn, Ocala, FL; daughters, Linda Bennett, Live Oak, FL, Wilda Louise Finn, Havelock, NC; 8 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren. Services will be at 10 a.m., Saturday, Jun 2, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Belleview, 6107 SE Agnew Road, with Rev. Damon B. Walker and Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Visitation will be Friday from 5 - 7 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Burial will be in Belleview Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/30/2007 - 6/1/2007.

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2068. ARMSTRONG, DENNIS L. (Obituary No. 2068.), 72 Ocala - Dennis L. Armstrong died April 16 at the age of 72. He is survived by his daughter and her husband, Pam and Tony Escarcega of Ocala; his daughter and her husband, Mindy and George Wolfe, and granddaughter, Crystal Armstrong of Cocoa, FL; his daughter, Liz Armstrong of Englewood, FL; grandson, Brandon Armstrong of San Francisco, CA; granddaughter, Amanda Webb of Jacksonville, FL; his brother and his wife, Bill and Billie Armstrong, and their children Scott, Wendy, and Chris Armstrong all of Ocala, FL. Born October 21, 1934 in Council Bluffs, IA. Armstrong received a
football scholarship to Coe College in Cedar Rapids, IA. He graduated in 1957, married Jacqueline Baldwin from St. Louis, MO, and had three daughters. Armstrong enjoyed a lucrative and life-long career in sales, first, as a representative for Brown Shoe Co., and then Lowell Shoe Co. He received numerous Achievement Awards, and owned shoe stores in Ocala, and Englewood, FL. Steeped in strong Midwestern values, Armstrong became the unwavering family center for his daughters when his 18 year marriage to Jacqueline dissolved, and he continued nurturing and loving his family until his death. In the 1990's he brought his grandson to live with him in Englewood, FL. Brandon credits his grandfather with "saving my life," and giving him the ambition and confidence to graduate from the culinary apprenticeship program at The Greenbrier, a five-star resort in West Virginia. Armstrong's life changed dramatically in 1990 when he suffered a dissecting aorta, followed in 1996 by a risky aneurysm repair surgery, which injured his spinal cord leaving him unable to walk. Not one to despair he embraced his limitations and courageously lived the remainder of his live independently and graciously. He moved to Ocala in 1998 to live closer to daughter Pam and her husband Tony Escarega (owner of TouchDown Painting), and his brother, Bill (then-owner of Armstrong Homes), and family. Sports were Armstrong's passion both as participant and spectator. A highlight of his post-college sports was when, while he lived in Gainesville, his nephew played football for U of F. As co-owners of the Ocala Speedway, his nephew Scott and Chris gave him the opportunity to work there. He sped around on his power wheelchair involved in many aspects of the Speedway and grew to love and be loved by many people there. His friend, Lou Tremblay (Speedway Manager), honored him with a heartwarming tribute at the Speedway on April 20, and wrote a moving eulogy on their website. His sunny smile and warm heart will be greatly, greatly missed. A memorial service will be held at The Church Triumphant in Ocala, FL on Saturday, June 2nd, at 2 p.m. Any questions please call Pam Escarcega (352) 690-7053. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2069. BREWTON, INEZ GRAHAM (Obituary No. 2069.) Deland - The Home Going Service for Mrs. Inez Graham Brewton, who departed this life Thursday, May 24, 2007 while residing at Woodland Terrace Nursing Home DeLand, FL. will be 12 pm Saturday, June 2, 2007 at New Chapel Missionary Baptist Church Blitchton, FL. Reverend Izell James, Pastor will deliver the eulogy. Burial will follow at Liberty Chapel Cemetery, Fairfield, FL. The visitation hours will be 12-4pm Friday at Summers' Funeral Home Ocala, FL. The wake will be 6-7:30pm Friday evening at the Church. Mrs. Brewton, the eldest child and only daughter, was born to the late Willie and Geneva Roberts Graham in Blitchton, FL., on March 15, 1918. She was educated at Blaze Pond Elementary School and Howard Academy in Ocala, FL. Inez and the late Dewie Brewton, Sr. were joined in Holy Matrimony August 1, 1939. At a very early age, she committed her life to Christ. Upon joining New Chapel Missionary Baptist Church she was baptized and served on the usher board, sang in the choir and was an affiliate of the deaconess ministry until her health failed. In addition to her husband Mrs. Brewton was preceded in death by her eldest son, Dewey W. Brewton, Jr., a step-son, Willie Dewie Williams and two brothers, Andrew "BC" and Robert Graham. She leaves to cherish her loving memories; 4 daughters, Mae Lois Brooks (David Sr.) of Miami, FL., Pinellas Godwin (Henry Sr.) of Blitchton, FL., Vivian Robinson (Harry) of DeLand, FL., and Joretta Brewton-Akpo-Sanni of Augusta, GA.; 2 sons, Carnell Brewton of Ocala, FL., and Amin Shaheed "Curtis" (Vera) of Blitchton, Fl.; daughter-In-law, Jacquelyn Brewton, of Blitchton, FL.; aunt, Bertha Gaskin, of Ocala, FL.; 18 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and 8 great-great grandchildren; sisters-in-law, Dora Roberts of Claxton, Ga.

2070. COOK, ALBERT HUGH (Obituary No. 2070.), 98 Ft. McCoy - Albert Hugh Cook, 98 of Ocala/Ft. McCoy went home to be with his Heavenly Father, early Sunday, May 27, 2007. Born in London, England and immigrated to America in 1936, he became a US Citizen in 1942. Hugh moved to Ocala from Gainesville, FL and then to beautiful Ft. McCoy. He attended Queen's University of Banking in Canada. A Banker for 3 years in Lewes, England and 3 years in Canada, he taught English to Spaniards and Spanish to the Americans in Spain. He was a Salesman for HH Robertson in PA, arriving in Coral Gables as manager in the 70's and retiring there. He graduated from the Florida International University in Miami with a Bachelor of Science in Physics in the 70's. Hugh will be remembered by his family and friends as a loving, caring, kind, helpful and accepting husband and father who was devoted to his family and was there to give them support and strength, never asking anything in return. As a Christian, he was always enjoying his friends in WPBC and Ft. McCoy First Baptist Church. An avid tennis player, enjoying the games to the age of 94 when he needed to give the game up. He also enjoyed bicycling, hiking, and traveling after retirement. Hugh was a strong, honest gentleman with a fine sense of humor. Hugh is gone from our presence, now his spirit will always be with us giving inspiration and guidance in our lives. He is survived by his wife of 20 years, Susan Cook, and preceded in death by Frances Cook, wife of 50+ years and mother to his 4 surviving children, Audrey (Gordon) Garmire, PA, Richard (Rosario), FL, Charles (Memma), WA, and Dr. Philp (Salie) Cook, FL. Seven grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren, half-sister, Katherine L. Balbi, London, England, nephew, Anthony Balbi, Luxumbourg, 2 step-children, Michael (Susan) Jones, Jeaneen (Darryl) Cannon, 7 step-grandchildren, 2 step-great-grandchildren and loving nephew Charles Hodge. A Memorial Celebration for Albert Hugh will be held Saturday, June 2 at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy, Fellowship will follow. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2071. COX, SPURGEON C (Obituary No. 2071.). (S.C.), 79 Ft. McCoy - Spurgeon C. (S.C.) Cox, 79, of Ft. McCoy, FL passed away the 20th of May 2007. He was the son of Spurgeon and Lyda Cox of Plant City, FL. He moved to Ft. McCoy 40 years ago. He was a veteran and served in World War II in the US Navy. Mr. Cox was also a member of the American Legion. he was Baptist in his faith. He was an avid fisherman and hunter. He is survived by his wife Joe Ann Cox also of Ft. McCoy, Also two sons, Stephen (Donna) Cox from Orlando, FL and Glyn Cox from Ocala, one daughter, Linda (Eugene) Lynn of Ft. McCoy, FL., step children Thea (Frank) Swistara of Ruskin, FL, Melissa (Bill) Langford, Ruskin, FL and Sandy (Brett) Johnson of Chesapeake, VA, Danny (Trish) Bowman of Ruskin, FL 16 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. He is also survived by one sister, Smyrna Lane of Tampa, FL, several nieces and nephews. Graveside services will be held at Ft. McCoy Cemetery on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at 3 p.m. Arrangements made by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.
2072. FERRELL, EZRA LEE (Obituary No. 2072.), 73 Belleview - Ezra Lee Ferrell, 73 Moved to Florida in 1935 from Byrdstown, Tenn., resided in Belleview Fl, passed away Saturday May 26, 2007 from an extended illness. Formerly Employed by MRMC as a surgical aide, retired in 1999. Survivors include: 1 sister, Florence Strickland, 3 brothers, Alvin Ferrell, Ocala, Charlie Ferrell, Tenn. and Roy Ferrell, Ocala., 4 children, Paul E Ferrell, Ocala, Kenneth D Ferrell, Ocala, Mary Anne F Massey, Summerfield, Robert Lee Ferrell, Denham Springs, La., 10 grandchildren and 1 great grand child. A memorial gathering of family and friends we be held at 1742 NE 13th Street, Ocala, FL, on Saturday June 2nd from 5 pm to 7 pm. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2073. HARRISON, ELLET HENRY (Obituary No. 2073.), 92 Ocala - Mr. Ellet Henry Harrison, 92, passed away in Ocala, FL on May 29, 2007. He was born in Benton, KS on November 9, 1914. He worked for Shore Fertilizer Company as a General Manager in Exmore, VA for over 30 years. He worked for Shore Fertilizer Company as a General Manager in Exmore, VA for over 30 years. He is a member of Ft. King Presbyterian Church in Ocala. He moved to Ocala in 1987 from Virginia. He was a Navy Pilot during WWII. He is preceded in death by 4 sisters, 1 brother, and his wife Joyce. He is survived by his loving wife of 31 Ruby and lived in Ocala, FL., a sister Virgie Morris of Benton, KS also many nephews and nieces. Send donations to the Ft. King Presbyterian Church, Ocala, FL or Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL. will be handling graveside arrangements at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2074. HENDERSON, ANNIE (Obituary No. 2074.) "MAMA ANNIE" "QUILTING QUEEN" 93 Flemington - Annie "Mama Annie" Henderson, 93, "Quilting Queen" went home to be with the Lord on May 27, 2007. Funeral Services will be held Saturday, June 2, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church in Flemington, FL. Rev. Michael Maeweather, Eulogist. Mama Annie was preceded in death by her devoted husband, Frank Henderson and son Milton Singleton. The longtime Flemington resident and Quilting Queen has hand-crafted 1000's of beautiful quilts in her 93 years of Good living. Mama Annie's quilts can be found throughout the United States and World-Wide via family and friends that have one of her heir looms of their own. Some of the quilts have been passed down through 4 generations of family and still provide love, a great legacy, memories and warmth in the winter months. Left to cherish her memories and carry on her legacy, daughters, Ruby Jackson (John), Joan Hatten (Arcolia), two sons, Joe Singleton (Erma), Roderick White (Trina) and special nephew Curtis Blunt (Minnie). As well as 16 grandchildren, 37 great grandchildren, 20 great great grandchildren. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2075. HIER, EDWIN H. (Obituary No. 2075.), 76 Ocala - Edwin H. Hier, age 76, of Ocala, FL passed away on May 30, 2007 at his residence. He was born on July 31, 1930 in Detroit, MI. Mr. Hier moved to Ocala from Fenton, MI 13 years ago. He worked for the Detroit Police Dept. in Michigan for 15 years. He also worked as a Supervisor in the Aerospace Industry. He was an avid Golf player. He was a veteran of the US Navy and served during the Korean Conflict. He is survived by his wife of 55 years Dolores Hier; son Michael (Wife: Jane) Hier of Rio Rancho,
NM; daughter Lynne Wood of Howell, MI; daughter Leslie Yanez of Lynden, MI; son Thomas (Wife: Edna) Hier of Val Rico, FL; sister-in-law Jill Cornell of Stth. Lyon, MI; 7 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-TimberRidge at 3 p.m., Friday, June 1, 2007 with Military Honors. Arrangements by HIERSBAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERRIDGE, Ocala, FL (352) 873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/1/2007 - 6/2/2007.

2076. JACOBS, WESLEY (Obituary No. 2076.), 78 Ocala - Wesley Jacobs, 78, agricultural laborer, passed away on May 25, 2007 at his residence. He was a native of Ocala, Florida. He leaves to mourn his memory a companion Adelle Byrd of Miami, Florida; 2 sons, Freddie and William Byrd of Miami, Florida; 1 daughter, Delores Jacobs Singletary of Miami, Florida; 1 sister, Julia Taylor of Ocala, Florida; Irene Jacobs, sister-in-law, of Ft. Pierce, Florida; 3 grandchildren; and 9 great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Jacobs will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at 12 noon, at the Church of God by Faith, 707 SW Ft. King St., Rev. Jerome Douglas, pastor. The family will gather at 11:15 a.m. at 811 SW. 5th Street to form the cortege. Public visitation will be Friday, June 1, 2007 at the Theological Seminary, 1105 NW 4th Street, from 12 p.m. to 6 p.m.. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2077. MCCANTS, CHARLES "TOM" TOM (BIG-DADDY) (Obituary No. 2077.), 79 Ocala - Charles "Charlie" Tom McCants, 79, a retired animal caretaker of Silver Springs Attraction, Inc., died on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at The Marion House. A native Ocalan, he was a member of St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church. Survivors include his loving with Ruth Kent McCants; daughter, Debra Kaye McCants Russell (Mingo), Atlanta, GA; son, Eddie L. Thorpe, Ocala, one sister Vernon Castle McCants Edwards and one brother Martin W. McCants, Sr. of Ocala; three grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. McCants, 79, Retired Animal Caretaker, will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 2, 2007, at St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church with under the direction of SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. Visitation at the funeral home from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. on Friday, June 1, 2007 and at the church from 10 a.m. until hour of the service. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

2078. MERCER, GREGORY VERNON (Obituary No. 2078.), 54 Ocala - Gregory Vernon Mercer, 54, died Saturday, May 26, 2007. Vernon was a self employed masonary. Mercer was a graduate of Dunnellon High School and a member of The Shady Grove Baptist Church. Survivors of Mr. Mercer include wife Mylinda Mercer of Ocala; two daughters, Chishonda Johnson, Atlanta, GA and Nikki Mercer, Ocala, FL; one son, Kendell Vernon; four sisters, Carla Williams and Hattie Gilley, Tampa, FL., Linda Mercer, Kissimmee, FL and Patricia Bostick, Ripley, TN; five brothers, Charles Mercer, Atlanta, GA., Carl Bostick, Orlando, FL., Calvin Dale Bostick, Tampa, FL., Lawrence Jeffery Bostick, Ocala, FL., Willie Dale Clark, Dunnellon, FL; stepfather, Willie Clark, Ocala, FL., and also five grandchildren, mother and father-in-law, Willie and Laura Moore, Ocala, FL. Funeral services for Mr. Mercer will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at Shady Grove Baptist Church at 11 a.m. in Ocala, FL with Rev. Fred Maeweathers, Sr., delivering the message. Visitation hours for Mr. Mercer will be held on Friday from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at First Bethel Baptist Church (11845 Williams St. Dunnellon, FL) and one hour prior to services. There will be no viewing after the message. "Everlasting memories and Love". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.
2079. O'NEILL, JAMES G. (Obituary No. 2079.), 72 Ocala - James G. "Jim" O'Neill, 72, passed away May 31, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Boston, MA., and moved to Ocala in 1992 from S. Weymouth, MA. He was a retired fire captain for the city of Weymouth, MA. after 30 years of service. He was an avid reader, loved working out at the gym and loved his dog "Pepper". He was a US Air Force veteran. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Doris O'Neill and daughter Terrylee Davenport of Ocala, son James O'Neill, Jr., of Watertown, MA., sister Florence Reily of New Hampshire, 4 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son Kevin K. O'Neill. Private memorial services will be held at a later date. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/1/2007 - 6/2/2007.

2080. RAGER, HILDA ALBERTA (Obituary No. 2080.), 63 Ocala - Alberta Hilda Rager, 63, of Ocala, died April 25, 2007 at her residence. Born in Orange Lake, FL. and a life long resident of Marion Co. Hilda retired from Closet maid in Ocala. She enjoyed fishing and card games. Her devoted husband Richard of 40 years, 4 sons, 2 daughters, 13 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren survives Hilda. Services were private. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice in memory of Hilda. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/1/2007 - 6/2/2007.

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2084. WYNN, RUBY A. (Obituary No. 2084.), 87 Belleview - Ruby A. Wynn, 87, of Belleview, died in North Carolina May 29, 2007. Mrs. Wynn was born in Cherokee, Georgia and moved to the Belleview area from Enigma, GA in 1950. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview where she was active in Sunday School and the Keenagers. She was a meat cutter and wrapper for Thriftway for 29 years. Survivors include sons. Ralph Madison Wynn, Florida Keys, James Harrold Wynn, Ocala, FL, Lonnie Gordon Wynn, Burnsville, NC, Paul Darrell Wynn, Ocala, FL; daughters, Linda Bennett, Live Oak, FL, Wilda Louise Finn, Havelock, NC; 8 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren. Services will be at 10 a.m., Saturday, Jun 2, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Belleview, 6107 SE Agnew Road, with Rev. Damon B. Walker and Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Visitation will be Friday from 5 - 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Burial will be in Belleview Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/1/2007.

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2085. Bray, Raymond A. (Obituary No. 2085.), 86 Ocala - Mr. Raymond A. Bray, 86, passed away on May 31, 2007 at home. A native of Tupelo, MS., he came to Ocala in 1978 from Miami and was a retired air conditioning and refrigeration mechanic. Raymond was a WWII U.S. Army Air Corps veteran and of the Baptist faith. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Mildred L. Bray of Ocala; sons Raymond C. and Richard A. Bray of Ocala; daughter Judy Eubanks of Ocala; daughter Janet Roberts of Ocklawaha; grandchildren Thomas, Michael, Heather, Shawn and Tonya: great grandchildren Makayla, Colby, Payton and Chloe. Mr. Bray was preceded in death by twin sons, Gary and Jerry Bray, in 1947 and siblings Margie and Stanley. Friends will be received on Monday, June 4th from 6-8 P.M. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala where services will be held on Tues., June 5th at 2 P.M. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.
2086. FLOWERS, LILLIE MAE HARTLEY (Obituary No. 2086.), 79 Jacksonville - Lillie Mae Hartley Flowers, passed away May 29, 2007. Funeral service will be held 10 a.m. Monday, June 4 in Friendship Missionary Baptist Church, 7141 New Kings Road, Rev. Aloysious D. Denard, Pastor. She leaves to cherish her memory sons, Alexander Hartley, Jr., James A. Hartley (Sara) Rivervieu, FL, Henry M. Hartley (Virginia) Oviedo, FL; daughter, Synthia Hartley McFatten; sisters, Bessie Davis, West Palm Beach, FL, Retha Mae Fields, Valdosta, GA; 11 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren; a host of nephews, nieces, other relatives and many friends. Ms. Flowers will rest in the mortuary for visitation of friends Sunday, June 3, 2007 from 5 - 7 p.m. Interment Edgewood Cemetery. Arrangements by Phillips Mortuary, 4815 Avenue B, Garcia M. Phillips L.F.D. (904) 768-0666 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2087. GRADY, ANTHONY (TONY) (Obituary No. 2087.), 72 Ocala - Anthony (Tony) Grady passed away on May 29th at home. He was born in Jersey City, NJ and resided in Randolph, NJ before moving to Ocala in 1999. He retired from AT&T with 36 years of service. He served with the U.S. Army in Germany. He is survived by his wife, Margaret, of 51 years, three daughters and five sons, Patricia Edwin - Hudson, FL; Eileen McCarrick - Riverview, FL; Jean Sutton - Valrico, FL; Anthony - Hopatcong, NJ; Michael - Landing, NJ; William - Chandler, AZ; Daniel - Landin, NJ; Joseph - Orlando, FL; 17 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren; two brothers and two sisters. He was preceded in death by one grandson, two sisters and one brother. Visitation will be at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERRIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL on Sunday, June 3rd, 2007 from 1:00-3:00 PM and 5:00-7:00 PM with prayers at 1:30 PM. A Mass will be held on Monday, June 4, 2007 at 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with Military Honors. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Hospice of Marion County or the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/4/2007.

2088. HARRISON, ELLET HENRY (Obituary No. 2088.), 92 Ocala - Mr. Ellet Henry Harrison, 92, passed away in Ocala, FL on May 29, 2007. He was born in Benton, KS on November 9, 1914. He worked for Shore Fertilizer Company as a General Manager in Exmore, VA for over 30 years. He worked for Shore Fertilizer Company as a General Manager in Exmore, VA for over 30 years. He is a member of Ft. King Presbyterian Church in Ocala. He moved to Ocala in 1987 from Virginia. He was a Navy Pilot during WWII. He is preceded in death by 4 sisters, 1 brother, and his wife Joyce. He is survived by his loving wife of 31 Ruby and lived in Ocala, FL., a sister Virgie Morris of Benton, KS also many nephews and nieces. Send donations to the Ft. King Presbyterian Church, Ocala, FL. or Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL. will be handling graveside arrangements at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/5/2007.

2089. HIER, EDWIN H. (Obituary No. 2089.), 76 Ocala - Edwin H. Hier, age 76, of Ocala, FL passed away on May 30, 2007 at his residence. He was born on July 31, 1930 in Detroit, MI. Mr. Hier moved to Ocala from Fenton, MI 13 years ago. He worked for the Detroit Police Dept. in Michigan for 15 years. He also worked as a Supervisor in the Aerospace Industry. He was an avid Golf player. He was a veteran of the US Navy and served during the Korean Conflict. He is survived by his wife of 55 years Dolores Hier; son Michael (Wife: Jane) Hier of Rio Rancho,
JOHNSON, JEANNE (Obituary No. 2090.), 84 Ocala - Jeanne Johnson, 84, of Ocala, FL., died on Tuesday at the Day Kimball Hospital in Putnam. She was the wife of George H. Johnson, who survives her. They were married on April 30, 1966 at St. Raphael Church in Manchester, NH by Fr. Smith. Mrs. Johnson was born in Danielson on Sept. 9, 1922, the daughter of the late Emile and Marie Rose (Beausoleil) LeBlanc. She attended St. James School in Danielson and Killingly High School. Upon completion of her education, she worked in quality control as an inspector. She resided in Florida sin 1980. She was a member of the Council of Catholic Women and a communicant of Blessed Trinity Catholic Women and a communicant of Blessed Trinity Church in Ocala, FL. She was a former communicant of St. James Church in Danielson. Besides her husband, she leaves five sisters, Marie Ange Walker of Weleetka, OK., Lorraine Gendreau of Danielson, CT., Dora Wojtkiewicz of Largo, FL., Bertha Lawson of Danielson, CT., and Theresa Burke of Dayville, CT. and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a brother, Maurice LeBlanc and a sister, Rita Bolduc. Following cremation, relatives and friends are invited to attend a Mass of Christian Burial at St. James Church, Danielson on Tuesday at 11 a.m. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery, Danielson. There are no calling hours. In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to St. James Church, 12 Franklin St., Danielson, CT. 06239. GAGNON - COSTELLO FUNERAL HOME, 33 Reynolds St., Danielson, CT is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.


KEY, AMY PARKER (Obituary No. 2092.), 89 Ocala- Amy Parker Key, 89, died May 30,2007 at the Life Care of Ocala. Mrs. Key was born January 9, 1918 in Key West, Florida. Mrs. Key was a lifelong resident of Florida having lived in the Florida Keys, Key Biscayne, and Miami before moving to Ocala 24 years ago. Survivors are her daughter Linda Saunders and son-in-law Phil also of Ocala and a son, Al Key of Somerville, NJ. Mrs. Key is survived by six grandchildren; Kathy Peters of Cocoa Beach; Karen Cabrera of Miami; Sharon Matuskey of Pinson, AL; Debbie Salter of Lawrenceburg, TN; Key Key of Raleigh, NC and Kay Herr of New Providence, NJ. There are seven great grandchildren. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.
2093. MAIRE, III, LOUIS FRANCIS (Obituary No. 2093.), 79 Ocala - Mr. Louis Francis Maire III, 79, of Ocala, Fl., died Friday, June 1st, at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. Born June 29, 1927, in Fort Lauderdale, Fl, Mr. Maire was the son of the late Hilda and Louis F. Maire Jr. Mr. Maire is survived by his wife, Jeannie Martin Maire, two sons: Louis F. Maire IV and his wife, Anita, of Atlantic Beach, Fl, and William R. Maire and his wife, Claudia, of Jacksonville, Fl; two grandchildren, Eric and Ammie Maire; and a sister, Mary Elizabeth Garment of Ormond Beach, Fl. Mr. Maire is also survived by two nephews, eight great-nieces and nephews, and three great-great grandchildren. He was predeceased by a beloved brother-law, Stanley J. Garment. Mr. Maire attended Fort Lauderdale elementary and middle school until he entered Riverside Military Academy in Gainesville, GA, on a music scholarship. He graduated from Riverside in 1945. He is a veteran of World War II, having served in the Army Air Corps and U.S. Air Force for four years. Mr. Maire received his Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Miami in Coral Gables, Fl. Following brief periods of employment with the Baltimore (MD) City Health Department and the Ralph M. Parsons Company in Frederick, MD, he entered Federal Civil Service as a bacteriologist at Fort Detrick in Fderick. In 1970, he transferred to the Armed Forces Medical Intelligence Center in Washington, D.C. and Fort Detrick, where he served as a technical editor of medical intelligence information. During his 32 year federal service career, he authored and co-authored numerous scientific publications and earned many service awards. He retired in 1986. At the University of Miami, Mr. Maire was a member of Tri Beta, and honorary society for science majors and a member of the American Society of Microbiologists. He was a member of the American Legion Post 282 in Woodsboro, MD. Mr. Maire was an accomplished musician, best known for his talent with the clarinet. He was a member of the Fort Lauderdale school band, the Riverside Academy band, the Air Force band, and played for many years in dance bands in the Frederick area, and during the past few years, was the band director of a theatrical group called The New Pretenders, at Ocala's On Top of the World Communities. As a long-time resident of Walkersville, MD, Mr. Maire was a Red Cross blood drive volunteer, assisted in fund-raising activities for the local fire company, and was a frequent volunteer for restoration projects at the town's historical Heritage Farm Park. A memorial service will be held at the Arbor Club Conference Center at On Top of The World on Thursday, June 7, at 7:00pm. Requested to give to the charity of their choice. Memorial contributions may be made to the SPCA of choice or to the Legacy House (Hospice), 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2094. MCGRAW, ARNOLD (Obituary No. 2094.), 91 Ocala - Arnold McGraw, 91, of Ocala, FL, formerly resident of Masaryktown, FL, passed away on May 28, 2007 at Sylvia Hospice House. He was born in Portsmouth, OH, and he moved to this area 12 years ago from Masaryktown, FL. Mr. McGraw was a member of Garden Grove Baptist Church, Survivors include a son Ronnie McGraw of Ocala, FL; and three grandchildren, and 2 great-grandchildren. Arrangement by TURNER FUNERAL HOME Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2095. O'NEILL, JAMES G. (Obituary No. 2095.), 72 Ocala - James G. "Jim" O'Neill, 72, passed away May 31, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Boston, MA., and moved to Ocala in 1992 from S. Weymouth, MA. He was a retired fire captain for the city of Weymouth, MA, after 30 years of service. He was an avid reader, loved working out at the gym and loved his dog "Pepper". He was a US Air Force veteran. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Doris O'Neill
and daughter Terrylee Davenport of Ocala, son James O'Neill, Jr., of Watertown, MA., sister Florence Reily of New Hampshire, 4 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son Kevin K. O'Neill. Private memorial services will be held at a later date.

ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements.


2096. PARROTT, MARJORIE E. (Obituary No. 2096.), 86 Ocala - Marjorie E. Parrott, 86 of Ocala Died Thursday, May 31, 2007 at the Oakhurst Nursing Center. Marjorie was born in Bloomfield, IN. and moved to Ann Arbor, MI, and worked at the University as a secretary for the sports dept. she came to this area in 1985. She was a member of the 1st Church of the Nazarene of Ocala. Her husbands Glenn Santrock and Willis Parrott precede her in death. Marjorie is survived by her devoted 3 sons- Gary D. Santrock, wife-Mary of Lauderhill, Fl. William "Bill" G. wife- Ruthann of Voluntown, CT. John O. wife-Nancy of Grass Lake, MI. Brother James wife-Catherine Flory of Cape Coral, Fl. 8-Grandchildren, 8-Great Grandchildren and 4 Great Great Grandchildren. Friends may call on the family Saturday, June 2, 2007 from 6-8 p.m., and Sunday June 3, 2007 from 2-4 p.m. at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. with a Graveside service Monday, June 4, 2007 at 11 a.m. AM at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. With Pastor Barry Dunlap conducting services. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2097. RAGER, HILDA ALBERTA, (Obituary No. 2097.) 63 Ocala - Alberta Hilda Rager, 63, of Ocala, died April 25, 2007 at her residence. Born in Orange Lake, FL. and a life long resident of Marion Co. Hilda retired from Closet maid in Ocala. She enjoyed fishing and card games. Her devoted husband Richard of 40 years, 4 sons, 2 daughters, 13 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren survives Hilda. Services were private. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice in memory of Hilda. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/1/2007 - 6/2/2007.


2099. SHAW, ARTHUR H. (Obituary No. 2099.), 83 Ocala - Arthur H. Shaw passed away in Ocala, Sunday a.m., May 20, at the age of 83. Born in New York City, he was a graduate of Greenwich High School, Connecticut. At 18, he enlisted in the Army Air Corps where he served four years as an aircraft mechanic. He then worked four years in the Civil Service teaching hydraulics to servicemen stationed in Guam, Okinawa, Japan and the Phillipine Islands. Returning home, he enrolled in Northrup Aeronautical Institute, Hawthorne, California. After graduation, he was employed by Northup Engineering, Inc. Two years later, he returned to Connecticut where he was employed by AMF, Stamford. He also began teaching evening classes
at Bridgeport Engineering. Arthur moved with AMF to York, Pennsylvania in 1965, where he continued his love of teaching at Vo-Tech High School, the YMCA, Penn State York Campus, and BMY. He was Boy Scout Leader at First Baptist Church, and served as Deacon and Elder at Eastminster Presbyterian Church. Enjoying nature, he chose being an apiarist as a hobby. Following the dissolution of AMF's Research & Development department, he was employed by Allis-Chalmers, York, AAI, Md, and retired in November, 1989 from BMY, York to Rainbow Lakes Estates, Dunnellon, Florida, where he served on the Board, Crime Watch, etc. al. He is currently a member of Dunnellon Presbyterian Church. He is survived by wife Clary; three children, daughter Ellyn Miller, daughter Siri and husband Tim Minniach, and son William and wife Beverly; two grandchildren, Monica Miller, and A. Dillon Shaw, 2 step grandchildren Danielle Hoffman, and Jade Minnich, is pre-deceased by grandson Timothy Miller. Service to be held Friday, June 8, 2:30 p.m., at the National Cemetery, Bushnell, where flowers may be sent directly. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2100. TAYLOR, ELLSWORTH H. (Obituary No. 2100.), 78 Ocala - Ellsworth H. Taylor, age 78, of Ocala, FL (Oak Run), passed away on May 29, 2007 at his residence. He was born on September 13, 1928 in Trenary, MI. Mr. Taylor moved to Ocala from Livonia, MI 13 years ago. He worked for Proctor-Silex as the District Sales Manager in Michigan for 16 years. He also worked for Independent Mobility Systems in Michigan and Florida for 9 years until his retirement. He was a 32 degree Free and Accepted Mason; former member of Elks Lodge #2252 in Inverness, FL; American Legion in Michigan; Oak Run Horseshoe Gray League; a former member of the Shrine Yacht Club, Chrysler Yacht Club and the Island Boat Club all in Michigan. He was a veteran of the US Army and served during the Korean Conflict. Mr. Taylor was a Presbyterian. He is survived by his wife of 56 years Meimi Taylor; daughter Karen (husband: Jack) Riggen of Deford, MI; daughter Janice (husband: John) Smith of Westland, MI; daughter JoAnn (husband: Steve) Hodge of Westland, MI; 7 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his father Walter M. Taylor and mother Leola Taylor. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery on Friday, June 1, 2007 11 a.m. There will be no visitation. In lieu of flowers donation may be made to Hospice of Marion Co. or the charity of donors choice. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-TIMBERIDGE, Ocala, FL (352) 873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/2/2007.

2101. TRAWICK, BRITTANY MARIE (Obituary No. 2101.), 18 Summerfield - Brittany Marie Trawick, age 18, of Summerfield, passed away Tuesday, May 29, 2007. She was born in Bainbridge, GA on June 18, 1988 and has lived in Florida since 1997. Brittney recently graduated from Lake Weir High School. She is survived by her mother Audrey Slade of Tallahassee; sister Paige Slade; brother Cameron Slade; and her loving family Amanda and Joey Rotoli, Trudi and Joe Rotoli, Claudia and Brandon Barr and Mary, Jimmy and Ryan Lombardo. Visitation will be held Saturday, June 2, 2007 from 3-4 p.m. with a service immediately following at 4 p.m., both at Loomis Family Funeral Home Chapel. Services entrusted to LOOMIS FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, 420 West Main Street, Apopka, Florida 32712 (407) 880-1007. www.LoomisFuneralHomes.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

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2102. BRAY, RAYMOND A. (Obituary No. 2102.), 86 Ocala - Mr. Raymond A. Bray, 86, passed away on May 31, 2007 at home. A native of Tupelo, MS., he came to Ocala in 1978 from Miami and was a retired air conditioning and refrigeration mechanic. Raymond was a WWII U.S. Army Air Corps veteran and of the Baptist faith. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Mildred L. Bray of Ocala; sons Raymond C. and Richard A. Bray of Ocala; daughter Judy Eubanks of Ocala; daughter Janet Roberts of Ocklawaha; grandchildren Thomas, Michael, Heather, Shawn and Tonya; great grandchildren Makayla, Colby, Payton and Chloe. Mr. Bray was preceded in death by twin sons, Gary and Jerry Bray, in 1947 and siblings Margie and Stanley. Friends will be received on Monday, June 4th from 6-8 P.M. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala where services will be held on Tues., June 5th at 2 P.M. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2103. CORAM, ARTHUR RAY (Obituary No. 2103.), 75 Summerfield - Arthur Ray Coram, 75, Spruce Creek South died Friday, June 1, 2007 at Leesburg Regional Medical Center. Mr. Coram was born in Detroit, MI and moved here in 1994. He was of the Baptist Faith, an Avid Golfer and Card Player. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He is survived by his wife Marilyn, daughters: Cindy Millican of Fort Myers, Patty Coram, Lehigh Acres, Vicky Roche, Tampa; sons: Paul Coram, Lake Jackson, TX, Steve Coram, Lehigh Acres and he was preceded in death by daughter Gloria Robbins. Family request contributions to be made to American Cancer Society, 3709 West Jetton Ave., Tampa, FL 33629. A Memorial Service will be held Thursday, June 7 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 1151 Buenos Aires Blvd., The Villages. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/3/2007 - 6/4/2007.

2104. FLOWERS, LILLIE MAE HARTLEY (Obituary No. 2104.), 79 Jacksonville - Lillie Mae Hartley Flowers, passed away May 29, 2007. Funeral service will be held 10 a.m. Monday, June 4 in Friendship Missionary Baptist Church, 7141 New Kings Road, Rev. Aloysious D. Denard, Pastor. She leaves to cherish her memory sons, Alexander Hartley, Jr., James A. Hartley (Sara) Riverview, FL, Henry M. Hartley (Virginia) Oviedo, FL; daughter, Synthia Hartley McFatten; sisters, Bessie Davis, West Palm Beach, FL, Retha Mae Fields, Valdosta, GA; 11 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren; a host of nephews, nieces, other relatives and many friends. Ms. Flowers will rest in the mortuary for visitation of friends Sunday, June 3, 2007 from 5 - 7 p.m. Interment Edgewood Cemetery. Arrangements by Phillips Mortuary, 4815 Avenue B, Garcia M. Phillips L.F.D. (904) 768-0666 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

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2108. HARTSFIELD, ELIZABETH MITCHELL (Obituary No. 2108.), 96 Ocala - Elizabeth Mitchell Hartsfield, 91, retired educator, died in Leesburg, FL after an extended illness. She was lovingly cared for by her niece Mrs. Dorothy Atside during this period. Born December 20, 1909 in Brooks County, Georgia to the late William M. and Mattie Holloway Mitchell, Mrs. Hartsfield attended the public schools of Sumter and Columbia Counties. She later received her Bachelor's Degree from Bethume-Cookman University, Daytona Beach, FL and Masters Degree from Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (FAMU). She did further study at Indiana University. As an educator for 44 years, Mrs. Hartsfield served the public school system in Sumter, Levy, Putnam and Marion County, encouraging students to work hard in order to
achieve. In the mid 1950's, she and her family moved to Ocala, FL, where they joined the Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church, where she served faithfully until her health began to fail. While at Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church, she was ardent and dedicated member of the Steward Board, Choir and Women's Missionary Society, where she later was bestowed the signal honor of being inducted as a Life Member. Her commitment to African Methodism continued with her participation at the District, Annual, and General Conferences of the A.M.E. Church. Her Life Membership status in the Women's Missionary Society gave her permanent delegate status to the Quadrennial Convention of this distinguished cadrey of Christian Women. Other civic and social affiliations include: member of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Florida's Retired Education Association and she was always an advocate for helping those who were less fortunate. Her dawn came on May 29, 2007 at Leesburg Rehabilitation Center. She was preceded in death (1957) by her loving husband, Walter L. Hartsfield and son (1972) Walter Charles Hartsfield. The Legacy of her memories will be cherished by her loyal brothers: Rev. Isaac F. Mitchell (Retired Amec), Delray Beach, William A. Mitchell (Ella), Mariana, FL; affectionate sisters: Vadye L. Morse (B.A. Morse), Rockledge, FL and Cassi M. Edwards, Ft. Pierce, FL; one step-sister: Matry G. Law, Webster, FL; and two step-sister-in-laws: Mable Godfrey, Webster, FL and Marita Mitchell, Deerfield Beach, FL. A very special committed and endearing niece: Dorothy W. Atside, Leesburg, FL; a beautiful and sweet niece/goddaughter: Jennifer J. Davis (Eddie), Ft. Pierce; four supportive and gifted nieces: Dr. Leenette M. Pennington, Rockledge, FL, Rev. T. Patricia Nelson (Gerald), Coleman, FL, Barbara E. Hicks (David), Tampa, FL, Betricia M. King, Ft. Valley, GA; and a host of other adorable nieces and loving nephews, cousins, and friends. Visitation will be Sunday, June 3, 2007 in the CUNNINGHAM'S CHAPEL OF FAITH from 4-7 p.m., with family hours being held 4-6 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/3/2007 - 6/4/2007.

2109. HEULER, ROBERT M. (Obituary No. 2109.), 64 Ocala - Robert "Bob" Heuler, whose life long passion was motorcycling, rode away from this world on Friday, June 1, 2007 at his residence. Bob is survived by his devoted Barbara of 44 years, 3 daughters - Tracey Heuler of Ocala, Fl., Sherry Reese of Anthony, Fl. and Tina Wilbanks of Lula, Ga, plus seven siblings in the Northeast, and 6 grandchildren, numerous nieces and nephews. Friends may call on the family Monday, June 4, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel from 6:00 - 8:00 PM. There will be a celebration of life at 7:30 PM at the funeral chapel. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Marion County Hospice in memory of Bob. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/3/2007 - 6/4/2007.

2110. JOHNSON, JEANNE (Obituary No. 2110.), 84 Ocala - Jeanne Johnson, 84, of Ocala, FL., died on Tuesday at the Day Kimball Hospital in Putnam. She was the wife of George H. Johnson, who survives her. They were married on April 30, 1966 at St. Raphael Church in Manchester, NH by Fr. Smith. Mrs. Johnson was born in Danielson on Sept. 9, 1922, the daughter of the late Emile and Marie Rose (Beausoleil) LeBlanc. She attended St. James School in Danielson and Killingly High School. Upon completion of her education, she worked in quality control as an inspector. She resided in Florida sin 1980. She was a member of the Council of Catholic Women and a communicant of Blessed Trinity Catholic Women and a communicant of Blessed Trinity Church in Ocala, FL. She was a former communicant of St. James Church in Danielson. Besides her husband, she leaves five sisters, Marie Ange Walker of
Weleetka, OK., Lorraine Gendreau of Danielson, CT., Dora Wojtkiewicz of Largo, FL., Bertha Lawson of Danielson, CT., and Theresa Burke of Dayville, CT. and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a brother, Maurice LeBlanc and a sister, Rita Bolduc. Following cremation, relatives and friends are invited to attend a Mass of Christian Burial at St. James Church, Danielson on Tuesday at 11 a.m. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery, Danielson. There are no calling hours. In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to St. James Church, 12 Franklin St., Danielson, CT. 06239. GAGNON - COSTELLO FUNERAL HOME, 33 Reynolds St., Danielson, CT is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.


2112. KEY, AMY PARKER (Obituary No. 2112.), 89 Ocala - Amy Parker Key, 89, died May 30, 2007 at the Life Care of Ocala. Mrs. Key was born January 9, 1918 in Key West, Florida. Mrs. Key was a lifelong resident of Florida having lived in the Florida Keys, Key Biscayne, and Miami before moving to Ocala 24 years ago. Survivors are her daughter Linda Saunders and son-in-law Phil also of Ocala and a son, Al Key of Somerville, NJ. Mrs. Key is survived by six grandchildren; Kathy Peters of Cocoa Beach; Karen Cabrera of Miami; Sharon Matuskey of Pinson, AL; Debbie Salter of Lawrenceburg, TN; Key Key of Raleigh, NC and Kay Herr of New Providence, NJ. There are seven great grandchildren. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2113. MAIRE, III, LOUIS FRANCIS (Obituary No. 2113.), 79 Ocala - Mr. Louis Francis Maire III, 79, of Ocala, Fl., died Friday, June 1st, at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. Born June 29, 1927, in Fort Lauderdale, Fl, Mr. Maire was the son of the late Hilda and Louis F. Maire Jr. Mr. Maire is survived by his wife, Jeannie Martin Maire, two sons: Louis F. Maire IV and his wife, Anita, of Atlantic Beach, Fl, and William R. Maire and his wife, Claudia, of Jacksonville, Fl; two grandchildren, Eric and Ammie Maire; and a sister, Mary Elizabeth Garment of Ormond Beach, Fl. Mr. Maire is also survived by two nephews, eight great-nieces and nephews, and three great-great grandchildren. He was predeceased by a beloved brother-law, Stanley J. Garment. Mr. Maire attended Fort Lauderdale elementary and middle school until he entered Riverside Military Academy in Gainesville, GA, on a music scholarship. He graduated from Riverside in 1945. He is a veteran of World War II, having served in the Army Air Corps and U.S. Air Force for four years. Mr. Maire received his Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Miami in Coral Gables, Fl. Following brief periods of employment with the Baltimore (MD) City Health Department and the Ralph M. Parsons Company in Frederick, MD, he entered Federal Civil Service as a bacteriologist at Fort Detrick in Federick. In 1970, he transferred to the Armed Forces Medical Intelligence Center in Washington, D.C. and Fort Detrick, where he served as a technical editor of medical intelligence information. During his 32 year federal service career, he authored and co-authored numerous scientific publications and
earned many service awards. He retired in 1986. At the University of Miami, Mr. Maire was a member of Tri Beta, and honorary society for science majors and a member of the American Society of Microbiologists. He was a member of the American Legion Post 282 in Woodsboro, MD. Mr. Maire was an accomplished musician, best known for his talent with the clarinet. He was a member of the Fort Lauderdale school band, the Riverside Academy band, the Air Force band, and played for many years in dance bands in the Frederick area, and during the past few years, was the band director of a theatrical group called The New Pretenders, at Ocala's On Top of the World Communities. As a long-time resident of Walkersville, MD, Mr. Maire was a Red Cross blood drive volunteer, assisted in fund-raising activities for the local fire company, and was a frequent volunteer for restoration projects at the town's historical Heritage Farm Park. A memorial service will be held at the Arbor Club Conference Center at On Top of The World on Thursday, June 7, at 7:00pm. Requested to give to the charity of their choice. Memorial contributions may be made to the SPCA of choice or to the Legacy House (Hospice), 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2114. MCGRAW, ARNOLD (Obituary No. 2114.), 91 Ocala - Arnold McGraw, 91, of Ocala, FL, formerly resident of Masaryktown, FL, passed away on May 28, 2007 at Sylvia Hospice House. He was born in Portsmouth, OH, and he moved to this area 12 years ago from Masaryktown, FL. Mr. McGraw was a member of Garden Grove Baptist Church. Survivors include a son Ronnie McGraw of Ocala, FL; and three grandchildren, and 2 great-grandchildren. Arrangement by TURNER FUNERAL HOME Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2115. PARROTT, MARJORIE E. (Obituary No. 2115.), 86 Ocala - Marjorie E. Parrott, 86 of Ocala Died Thursday, May 31,2007 at the Oakhurst Nursing Center. Marjorie was born in Bloomfield, IN. and moved to Ann Arbor, MI, and worked at the University as a secretary for the sports dept. she came to this area in 1985. She was a member of the 1st Church of the Nazarene of Ocala. Her husbands Glenn Santrock and Willis Parrott precede her in death. Marjorie is survived by her devoted 3 sons- Gary D. Santrock, wife-Mary of Lauderhill, Fl. William "Bill" G. wife- Ruthann of Voluntown, CT. John O. wife-Nancy of Grass Lake, MI. Brother James wife-Catherine Flory of Cape Coral, Fl. 8-Grandchildren, 8-Great Grandchildren and 4 Great Great Grandchildren. Friends may call on the family Saturday, June 2, 2007 from 6-8 p.m., and Sunday June 3, 2007 from 2-4 p.m. at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. with a Graveside service Monday, June 4, 2007 at 11 a.m. AM at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. With Pastor Barry Dunlap conducting services. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2117. ROLFE, SR., WILLIAM EDWARD "ED" (Obituary No. 2117.), 86 Jacksonville - Mr. William Edward "Ed" Rolfe, Sr., 86, of Jacksonville, FL died June 1, 2007 in Jacksonville. Mr. Rolfe was born in Oxford, FL. He was a member of Faith Memorial Baptist Church in Jacksonville, Riverside Masonic Lodge, Scottish Rite, and Morocco Temple. He retired from CSX Railroad after 42 years of service. Survivors include wife Marjorie I. Rolfe; daughters Marjorie A. Dees of Jacksonville, FL and Harriette J. Watford of Belleview; son William E. Rolfe, Jr. of Port Angeles, WA; sisters Mary Thomas of Orlando, FL and Joan Annette Corn of Powder Springs, GA; 5 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Services will be Monday, June 4th at 2 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Visitation will be 1 hour prior, with Rev. O.E. Boals officiating. Interment to follow at Greenwood Cemetery, Weirsdale, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/3/2007 - 6/4/2007.

2118. SHAW, ARTHUR H. (Obituary No. 2118.), 83 Ocala - Arthur H. Shaw passed away in Ocala, Sunday a.m., May 20, at the age of 83. Born in New York City, he was a graduate of Greenwich High School, Connecticut. At 18, he enlisted in the Army Air Corps where he served four years as an aircraft mechanic. He then worked four years in the Civil Service teaching hydraulics to servicemen stationed in Guam, Okinawa, Japan and the Phillipine Islands. Returning home, he enrolled in Northrup Aeronautical Institute, Hawthorne, California. After graduation, he was employed by Northup Engineering, Inc. Two years later, he returned to Connecticut where he was employed by AMF, Stamford. He also began teaching evening classes at Bridgeport Engineering. Arthur moved with AMF to York, Pennsylvania in 1965, where he continued his love of teaching at Vo-Tech High School, the YMCA, Penn State York Campus, and BMY. He was Boy Scout Leader at First Baptist Church, and served as Deacon and Elder at Eastminster Presbyterian Church. Enjoying nature, he chose being an apiarist as a hobby. Following the dissolution of AMF's Research & Development department, he was employed by Allis-Chalmers, York, AAI, Md, and retired in November, 1989 from BMY, York to Rainbow Lakes Estates, Dunnellon, Florida, where he served on the Board, Crime Watch, etc. al. He is currently a member of Dunnellon Presbyterian Church. He is survived by wife Clary; three children, daughter Ellyn Miller, daughter Siri and husband Tim Minniach, and son William and wife Beverly; two grandchildren, Monica Miller, and A. Dillon Shaw, 2 step grandchildren Danielle Hoffman, and Jade Minnich, is pre-deceased by grandson Timothy Miller. Service to be held Friday, June 8, 2:30 p.m., at the National Cemetery, Bushnell, where flowers may be sent directly. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/3/2007.

2119. TRAWICK, BRITTANY MARIE (Obituary No. 2119.), 18 Summerfield - Brittany Marie Trawick, age 18, of Summerfield, passed away Tuesday, May 29, 2007. She was born in Bainbridge, GA on June 18, 1988 and has lived in Florida since 1997. Brittney recently graduated from Lake Weir High School. She is survived by her mother Audrey Slade of Tallahassee; sister Paige Slade; brother Cameron Slade; and her loving family Amanda and Joey Rotoli, Trudi and Joe Rotoli, Claudia and Brandon Barr and Mary, Jimmy and Ryan Lombardo. Visitation will be held Saturday, June 2, 2007 from 3-4 p.m. with a service immediately following at 4 p.m., both at Loomis Family Funeral Home Chapel. Services entrusted to LOOMIS FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, 420 West Main Street, Apopka, Florida 32712 (407) 880-1007.
2120. WALKER, CLINTON (Obituary No. 2120.), 85 Ocala - Mr. Clinton Walker passed away on Thursday, May 31, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. Born and raised in Eastern Kentucky, Mr. Walker moved to Dunedin, FL in 1972 from Columbus, Ohio. For the past year, he was a resident of Marion County. Mr. Walker was a veteran of the United States Marine Corps and served in WWII. Mr. Walker enjoyed animals, gardening, and was known for his quick wit! Survivors include: daughter, Janice Walker of Ocala, and son, Joseph Walker of Gainesville, GA. Two grandchildren: Tim Walker and Allison Mazzulo, and two great-grandchildren, Zayne and Jakson, all of Columbus, Ohio. He is preceded in death by his wife, Herma Lee Wheeler Walker. Military graveside services will be held at Florida National Cemetery, June 4, 2007 at 1 P.M. Prior to service, visitation will be at 11 A.M. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family request that a donation be made to the Humane Society in his honor. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/3/2007 - 6/4/2007.

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2121. CORAM, ARTHUR RAY (Obituary No. 2121.), 75 Summerfield - Arthur Ray Coram, 75, Spruce Creek South died Friday, June 1, 2007 at Leesburg Regional Medical Center. Mr. Coram was born in Detroit, MI and moved here in 1994. He was of the Baptist Faith, an Avid Golfer and Card Player. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He is survived by his wife Marilyn, daughters: Cindy Millican of Fort Myers, Patty Coram, Lehigh Acres, Vicky Roche, Tampa; sons: Paul Coram, Lake Jackson, TX, Steve Coram, Lehigh Acres and he was preceded in death by daughter Gloria Robbins. Family request contributions to be made to American Cancer Society, 3709 West Jetton Ave., Tampa, FL 33629. A Memorial Service will be held Thursday, June 7 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 1151 Buenos Aires Blvd., The Villages. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/3/2007 - 6/4/2007.

2122. ESPELAND, ROBERT LEROY (Obituary No. 2122.), 69 Ocala - Mr. Espeland passed away Saturday, June 2, 2007 at his residence. Born in Winnebago, MN., he moved to Ocala from Homestead, FL in 1992. Mr. Espeland was a retired TSgt. in the US Air Force, serving with radar maintenance. He enjoyed bowling, fishing, and was a member of the American Legion Post 0400, in Orlando, FL. Survivors include; Anna Espeland, wife of 5 years from Ocala, three sons, Robert T. Espeland, Fargo, ND., Brian K. Espeland, War Road, MN., and Jeffery W. Espeland, Barnesville, MN., a sister, Marilyn Hughes of Fairmont, MN., and four grandchildren, Rachel, Kallie, Jeffery, and Spencer. He is preceded in death by his son, Michael Espeland in 1989. Military Graveside services will be at Florida National Cemetery. Please call for date and time. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/4/2007 - 6/5/2007.

2123. GRADY, ANTHONY (TONY) (Obituary No. 2123.), 72 Ocala - Anthony (Tony) Grady passed away on May 29th at home. He was born in Jersey City, NJ and resided in Randolph, NJ before moving to Ocala in 1999. He retired from AT&T with 36 years of service. He served with the U.S. Army in Germany. He is survived by his wife, Margaret, of 51 years, three daughters and five sons, Patricia Edwin - Hudson, FL; Eileen McCarrick - Riverview, FL; Jean Sutton - Valrico, FL; Anthony - Hopatcong, NJ; Michael - Landing, NJ; William - Chandler, AZ; Daniel
Landin, NJ; Joseph - Orlando, FL; 17 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren; two brothers and two sisters. He was preceded in death by one grandson, two sisters and one brother. Visitation will be at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERRIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL on Sunday, June 3rd, 2007 from 1:00-3:00 PM and 5:00-7:00 PM with prayers at 1:30 PM. A Mass will be held on Monday, June 4, 2007 at 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with Military Honors. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Hospice of Marion County or the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/2/2007 - 6/4/2007.


2125. HARRISON, ELLET HENRY (Obituary No. 2125.), 92 Ocala - Mr. Ellet Henry Harrison, 92, passed away in Ocala, FL on May 29, 2007. He was born in Benton, KS on November 9, 1914. He worked for Shore Fertilizer Company as a General Manager in Exmore, VA for over 30 years. He worked for Shore Fertilizer Company as a General Manager in Exmore, VA for over 30 years. He is a member of Ft. King Presbyterian Church in Ocala. He moved to Ocala in 1987 from Virginia. He was a Navy Pilot during WWII. He is preceded in death by 4 sisters, 1 brother, and his wife Joyce. He is survived by his loving wife of 31 Ruby and lived in Ocala, FL., a sister Virgie Morris of Benton, KS also many nephews and nieces. Send donations to the Ft. King Presbyterian Church, Ocala, FL. or Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL. will be handling graveside arrangements at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/5/2007.

2126. HARTSFIELD, ELIZABETH MITCHELL (Obituary No. 2126.), 96 Ocala - Elizabeth Mitchell Hartsfield, 91, retired educator, died in Leesburg, FL after an extended illness. She was lovingly cared for by her niece Mrs. Dorothy Atside during this period. Born December 20, 1909 in Brooks County, Georgia to the late William M. and Mattie Holloway Mitchell, Mrs. Hartsfield...
attended the public schools of Sumter and Columbia Counties. She later received her Bachelor's Degree from Bethune-Cookman University, Daytona Beach, FL and Masters Degree from Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (FAMU). She did further study at Indiana University. As an educator for 44 years, Mrs. Hartsfield served the public school system in Sumter, Levy, Putnam and Marion County, encouraging students to work hard in order to achieve. In the mid 1950's, she and her family moved to Ocala, FL, where they joined the Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church, where she served faithfully until her health began to fail. While at Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church, she was ardent and dedicated member of the Steward Board, Choir and Women's Missionary Society, where she later was bestowed the signal honor of being inducted as a Life Member. Her commitment to African Methodism continued with her participation at the District, Annual, and General Conferences of the A.M.E. Church. Her Life Membership status in the Women's Missionary Society gave her permanent delegate status to the Quadrennial Convention of this distinguished cadrey of Christian Women. Other civic and social affiliations include: member of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Florida's Retired Education Association and she was always an advocate for helping those who were less fortunate. Her dawn came on May 29, 2007 at Leesburg Rehabilitation Center. She was preceded in death (1957) by her loving husband, Walter L. Hartsfield and son (1972) Walter Charles Hartsfield.

2127. HEULER, ROBERT M. (Obituary No. 2127.), 64 Ocala - Robert "Bob" Heuler, whose life long passion was motorcycling, rode away from this world on Friday, June 1, 2007 at his residence. Bob is survived by his devoted Barbara of 44 years, 3 daughters - Tracey Heuler of Ocala, Fl., Sherry Reese of Anthony, Fl. and Tina Wilbanks of Lula, Ga, plus seven siblings in the Northeast, and 6 grandchildren, numerous nieces and nephews. Friends may call on the family Monday, June 4, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel from 6:00 - 8:00 PM. There will be a celebration of life at 7:30 PM at the funeral chapel. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Marion County Hospice in memory of Bob. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/3/2007 - 6/4/2007.

2128. RAGER, HILDA ALBERTA (Obituary No. 2128.), 63 Ocala - Hilda Alberta Rager, 63 of Ocala, died April 25, 2007 at her residence. Born in Orange Lake, Fl. and a life long resident of Marion Co., Hilda retired from ClosetMaid in Ocala. She enjoyed fishing and card games. Her devoted husband Richard of 40 years, 4 sons, 2 daughters, 13 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren survives Hilda. Services were private. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to

2129. ROLFE, SR., WILLIAM EDWARD "ED" (Obituary No. 2129.), 86 Jacksonville - Mr. William Edward "Ed" Rolfe, Sr., 86, of Jacksonville, FL died June 1, 2007 in Jacksonville. Mr. Rolfe was born in Oxford, FL. He was a member of Faith Memorial Baptist Church in Jacksonville, Riverside Masonic Lodge, Scottish Rite, and Morocco Temple. He retired from CSX Railroad after 42 years of service. Survivors include wife Marjorie I. Rolfe; daughters Marjorie A. Dees of Jacksonville, FL and Harriette J. Watford of Bellevue; son William E. Rolfe, Jr. of Port Angeles, WA; sisters Mary Thomas of Orlando, FL and Joan Annette Corn of Powder Springs, GA; 5 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Services will be Monday, June 4th at 2 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Visitation will be 1 hour prior, with Rev. O.E. Boals officiating. Interment to follow at Greenwood Cemetery, Weirsdale, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/3/2007 - 6/4/2007.

2130. SECKINGER, CHARLES WILLIAM (Obituary No. 2130.), 74 Williston - Mr. Charles William Seckinger, age 74, of Williston, Florida passed away on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at his home with his loving family at his side. He moved to Williston in 1936 from his native Martel, Florida. For (64) plus years he has been a Farmer and a Rancher in Williston, Florida. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He is Methodist by faith. He loved traveling, loved square dancing, his ranching, but most of all, he loved his family. He is survived by his loving wife of (45) years, Joyce L. Seckinger of Williston, FL., his (3) sons, Steven D. and Arthur D., both of Williston, FL., and Richard D. Seckinger of Orange Springs, FL., his (2) daughters, Alicia D. Barwick of Vidalia, GA., and Lori D. DeVaney of High Springs, FL., his (3) sisters, Marquauerite Phillips of Saluda, VA., Elsie Parker of Lake Butler, FL., and Lois Phillips of Keystone Heights, FL., (15) grandchildren and (9) great grandchildren. Funeral services will be 11 a.m., Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL., 34471 with interment to follow in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Morriston, FL. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Tuesday, June 5, 2007, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/4/2007 - 6/5/2007.

2131. TRAWICK, BRITTNEY MARIE (Obituary No. 2131.), 18 Summerfield - Brittney Marie Trawick, 18, died Tuesday, May 29, 2007 in Altoona, FL. Brittney was an honor student all the way through Middle School at Lake Weir. Brittney was an honor graduate at Lake Weir High School. Brittney graduated May 24, 2007. In Marion County there were only 46 students accepted in the program called Career Academic Florida Community College. This allowed her to complete her senior year of high school and her first year of college together. She was the quarterback for the flag football team for Lake Weir High; she was very athletic in all areas. Brittney was a very outgoing person. She always carried a beautiful smile on her face no matter what. She worked full time at Circuit City in Lady Lake, Florida as a Lead Customer Service Representative. Who ever got to know Brittney had a very much pleasure in every moment that was spent with her. We send all of our lover & prayers to beautiful angel, Britt Britt. We keep our angel in our hopes and dreams knowing that she will be with us every moment of our waking days. Brittney is survived by her mother, Audrey Slade; father, Charles L. Slade, Jr.; brother, Cameron Slade; sister, Carla "Paige" Slade; grandparents, Charles & Linda Slade; and grandparents, Bill & Patsy Scoggins. Numerous family will also be attending the service which
2132. WALKER, CLINTON (Obituary No. 2132.), 85 Ocala - Mr. Clinton Walker passed away on Thursday, May 31, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. Born and raised in Eastern Kentucky, Mr. Walker moved to Dunedin, FL in 1972 from Columbus, Ohio. For the past year, he was a resident of Marion County. Mr. Walker was a veteran of the United States Marine Corps and served in WWII. Mr. Walker enjoyed animals, gardening, and was known for his quick wit! Survivors include: daughter, Janice Walker of Ocala, and son, Joseph Walker of Gainesville, GA. Two grandchildren: Tim Walker and Allison Mazzulo, and two great-grandchildren, Zayne and Jakson, all of Columbus, Ohio. He is preceded in death by his wife, Herma Lee Wheeler Walker. Military graveside services will be held at Florida National Cemetery, June 4, 2007 at 1 P.M. Prior to service, visitation will be at 11 A.M. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family request that a donation be made to the Humane Society in his honor. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/3/2007 - 6/4/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, June 5, 2007

2133. ADAMS, EVELYN BEATRICE (Obituary No. 2133.), 79 Dunnellon - Evelyn Beatrice Adams, 79, died on June 3, 2007 at her residence in Dunnellon. Ms. Adams was born in Dunnellon and was a lifetime resident. She was a seamstress, with the Silver Springs Sports Wear and a member of the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon. She is survived by her daughter, Monaraye Tyner of Dunnellon and two grandchildren, James Corne and Susan Wilcox of Dunnellon and six great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Marion County Hospice or The First Baptist Church Building Fund. Visitation for Ms. Adams will be at The First Baptist Church, Tuesday, June 5, 2007 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. and the service will be at the church Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at 10 a.m. with Dr. Bob Brooks officiating. Burial will be in Cedar Grove Cemetery. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/6/2007.

2134. BOLINGER, SR., ARTHUR E. (Obituary No. 2134.), 71 Dunnellon - Arthur E. Bolinger, Sr., 71, of Dunnellon, passed away April 29th in Spartanburg, SC. He was preceded in death by his loving wife, Donna Mae Bolinger. He was the son of Russell E. and Joycie T. Bolinger of Ocala. He had 7 siblings, Jean Troup of Phoenix, AZ, Joan Doyle and Russell L. Bolinger, both deceased, Paul Bolinger of Elkhart, IN., Frank Bolinger of Ft. Myers, FL., Terry Bolinger of Rock Hill, SC., and Helen Stiles of Belleview, FL. He was the loving father of 5 children, Audie Bolinger on Inwood, IN., Debbie Hawes of Spartanburg, SC., Arthur Bolinger, Jr. of Crystal River, FL., Tina Roggerio of Dunnellon, FL., and Damen Bolinger of Wichita, KS. He has 10 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday (June 9th) at Golden Hills Mobile Park Community Center (7865 W. Hwy 40, Ocala) Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/6/2007.
2135. BRATTON, IRENE (Obituary No. 2135.), 97 Sevierville, TN - Mrs. Irene Bratton, 69, of Sevierville, Tennessee, died Saturday, June 2, 2007 at Sevier Medical Center. A native of Pontotoc, Mississippi, she moved to Sevierville after having lived in Daytona Beach and Belleview. She is a member of the Oak Street Church of God, Sevierville, and a former member of the Holly Hill & Belleview Churches of God. She was an Assembly Line Machine Operator for Del Monte Corp. Survivors include 2 daughters, Jackie Schlosser, Sevierville, TN; Barbara Peterson, Palestine, AR; 1 son, James Bratton, Jr., Hudson, FL; 9 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and 4 great-great-grandchildren. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, June 7, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Road, with Bishop John Nations and Pastor Paul Lane officiating. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Wednesday from 5 - 7 p.m. at the funeral home. HIER-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/6/2007.

2136. COOK, BURTON SARGENT (Obituary No. 2136.), 85 Ocala - Burton Sargent Cook, 85, a resident of Ocala and a retired US Air Force Major and Civil Servant died on April 2, 2007 of cardiac arrhythmia in Annapolis, MD. Mr. Cook, born in North Norwich, New York and raised in New York and Winter Park, Florida, graduated from Greene High School in 1939 and attended Cornell University. He enlisted in the Army Air Corps in 1942, attended flight school and married Eva Mae Wagner in December 1942. He graduated from flight school in 1943 and deployed with the 437th Troop Carrier Command to England flying in the D-Day Normandy Invasion and Battles of Northern and Southern France, Ardennes, Rhineland, Rome, Central Europe and North Africa. After WWII he continued flying with the Army Air Corps and the successor Air Force (AF) at a number of stateside bases and in Alaska. He also served in Alaska as Commander of a radar station. Mr. Cook left the active military in 1952 with the rank of Captain, USAF Reserve eventually retiring as a Major. In 1952 he accepted a position with Link Aviation in Binghamton, NY. In late 1955 he went back to the AF accepting a Civil Service position at Griffiss Air Force Base in Rome, NY as a Project Manager responsible for designing Missile Tracking Ranges. He continued with the Air Force until his retirement at Richards Gabor Air Force Base in Missouri in 1982. At that time, he and his wife relocated to Ocala, Florida to reside in a new community called Ocala Oaks. Mr. Cook was a life long member of the Episcopal Church serving as a Sunday school teacher, lay reader, and vestry member, most recently, at St. Patrick's in Ocala. He was a 32nd Degree Mason, a life member of the VFW (Post 4209), and the Kingdom of the Sun Retired Officer's Association. He enjoyed camping, boating, art work, woodworking, and home improvement projects with his children. A memorial service and interment ceremony will be held at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church in Ocala, FL on June 12th at 10 a.m. Donations to your local Hospice in his memory are requested in lieu of flowers. Mr. Cook is survived by his children, Richard Burton Cook, Arnold, MD; Vivian Ann Cook, Stuyvesant, NY; Karen Elaine Cook, Holley, NY; Mary Cook Langsdorf, Irvine, CA; seven grandchildren; and four great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife of 56 years, Eva Mae Cook, in 1999 and his grandson Paul Carbino in 1980. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/6/2007.

2137. ESPELAND, ROBERT LEROY (Obituary No. 2137.), 69 Ocala - Mr. Espeland passed away Saturday, June 2, 2007 at his residence. Born in Winnebago, MN., he moved to Ocala from
Homestead, FL in 1992. Mr. Espeland was a retired TSgt. in the US Air Force, serving with radar maintenance. He enjoyed bowling, fishing, and was a member of the American Legion Post 0400, in Orlando, FL. Survivors include; Anna Espeland, wife of 5 years from Ocala, three sons, Robert T. Espeland, Fargo, ND., Brian K. Espeland, War Road, MN., and Jeffery W. Espeland, Barnesville, MN., a sister, Marilyn Hughes of Fairmont, MN., and four grandchildren, Rachel, Kallie, Jeffery, and Spencer. He is preceded in death by his son, Michael Espeland in 1989. Military graveside services will be at Florida National Cemetery. Please call for date and time. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/4/2007 - 6/5/2007.

2138. HARRISON, ELLET HENRY (Obituary No. 2138.), 92 Ocala - Mr. Ellet Henry Harrison, 92, passed away in Ocala, FL on May 29, 2007. He was born in Benton, KS on November 9, 1914. He worked for Shore Fertilizer Company as a General Manager in Exmore, VA for over 30 years. He worked for Shore Fertilizer Company as a General Manager in Exmore, VA for over 30 years. He is a member of Ft. King Presbyterian Church in Ocala. He moved to Ocala in 1987 from Virginia. He was a Navy Pilot during WWII. He is preceded in death by 4 sisters, 1 brother, and his wife Joyce. He is survived by his loving wife of 31 Ruby and lived in Ocala, FL., a sister Virgie Morris of Benton, KS also many nephews and nieces. Send donations to the Ft. King Presbyterian Church, Ocala, FL. or Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL. will be handling graveside arrangements at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at 11 a.m.  Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 5/31/2007 - 6/5/2007.

2139. SECKINGER, CHARLES WILLIAM (Obituary No. 2139.), 74 Williston - Mr. Charles William Seckinger, age 74, of Williston, Florida passed away on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at his home with his loving family at his side. he moved to Williston in 1936 from his native Martel, Florida. For (64) plus years he has been a Farmer and a Rancher in Williston, Florida. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He is Methodist by faith. He loved traveling, loved square dancing, his ranching, but most of all, he loved his family. He is survived by his loving wife of (45) years, Joyce L. Seckinger of Williston, FL., his (3) sons, Steven D. and Arthur D., both of Williston, FL., and Richard D. Seckinger of Orange Springs, FL., his (2) daughters, Alicia D. Barwick of Vidalia, GA., and Lori D. DeVaney of High Springs, FL., his (3) sisters, Marquauerite Phillips of Saluda, VA., Elsie Parker of Lake Butler, FL., and Lois Phillips of Keystone Heights, FL., (15) grandchildren and (9) great grandchildren. Funeral services will be 11 a.m., Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL., 34471 with interment to follow in Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Morriston, FL. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Tuesday, June 5, 2007, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.  Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/4/2007 - 6/5/2007.

2140. SHARTZER, MARGARET (Obituary No. 2140.), 65 Ocala - Mrs. Margaret Shartzer, 65, passed to glory to be with the Lord on June 3, 2007. "Maggie" was a native of Miami, Florida and came to Ocala in 1992. Maggie would have been married to Gary for 48 years this August. She is survived by her husband Gary and 3 daughters, Debbie Standley, Deanna Buffill, Darlene Shartzer and 4 grandchildren and 1 great grandson. She will be missed greatly. The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, June 6 at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday,

2141. SMALLWOOD, DONALD NEwTON (Obituary No. 2141.), 70 Dunnellon - Donald Newton Smallwood, 70, died Sunday, June 3, 2007 in Dunnellon, Florida. He was born in Dearing, GA November 24, 1936. Mr. Smallwood moved to Ocala, FL in 1997. He was a veteran of the US Navy and retired as Chief Petty Officer in 1980. He was an Aeronautical Engineer with Lockheed Martin retiring in 1997. His hobbies include golf, baseball, and singing. He enjoyed Southern Gospel Music. He was a member of College Road Baptist Church of Ocala. He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Lucy Smallwood of Dunnellon, FL; daughters Barbara E. Smallwood of Stevenson Ranch, CA., and Melody Lynn Edenfield of Savannah, GA; his two grandchildren Brandon and Dylan; his brother Wilson Smallwood of Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his brother Henry Smallwood. Visitation will be Tuesday, June 5, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL. 34481. Services will be Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at College Road Baptist Church at 10:30 a.m. with reception to follow. Committal to Florida National Cemetery at 2 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/6/2007.

2142. SYKES, BERTHA M. (Obituary No. 2142.), 75 Ocala - Bertha M. Sykes, 75, died on Sunday, June 3, 2007. She was born in Bristol, FL and moved to Ocala in 1949. Mrs. Sykes was in banking in Marion County from 1954 to 1997 when she retired as a branch manager for SunTrust Banks. She was a member of First Baptist Church and former member of Pioneer Garden Club. She is survived by her husband Thomas M. (Tom) Sykes of Ocala, her daughters and sons-in-law, Judy Durham (Michael) of Ocala, Janet Savia (Steve) of Raleigh, NC, her sister, Merlene Settles of Ocala and her granddaughter, Lindsey Durham of Jacksonville. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., with Dr. Edward D. Johnson officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to the Florida Baptist Children's Home at fbchomes.org or the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/6/2007.

2143. TRAWICK, BRITTNEY MARie (Obituary No. 2143.), 18 Summerfield - Brittnay Marie Trawick, 18, died Tuesday, May 29, 2007 in Altoona, FL.. Brittnay was an honor student all the way through Middle School at Lake Weir. Brittnay was an honor graduate at Lake Weir High School. Brittnay graduated May 24, 2007. In Marion County there were only 46 students accepted in the program called Career Academic Florida Community College. This allowed her to complete her senior year of high school and her first year of college together. She was the quarterback for the flag football team for Lake Weir High; she was very athletic in all areas. Brittnay was a very outgoing person. She always carried a beautiful smile on her face no matter what. She worked full time at Circuit City in Lady Lake, Florida as a Lead Customer Service Representative. Who ever got to know Brittnay had a very much pleasure in every moment that was spent with her. We send all of our lover & prayers to beautiful angel, Britt Britt. We keep our angel in our hopes and dreams knowing that she will be with us every moment of our waking days. Brittnay is survived by her mother, Audrey Slade; father, Charles L. Slade, Jr.; brother,
Cameron Slade; sister, Carla "Paige" Slade; grandparents, Charles & Linda Slade; and grandparents, Bill & Patsy Scoggins. Numerous family will also be attending the service which will be at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, June 5, 2007 at Woodville Cemetery in Woodville, FL. Family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Monday, June 4, 2007 at Harvey-Young Funeral Home. Arrangements by HARVEY-YOUNG FUNERAL HOME, 3106 Crawfordville Hwy, Crawfordville, FL. (850) 926-3333. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/4/2007 - 6/5/2007.

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2144. ADAMS, EVELYN BEATRICE (Obituary No. 2144.), 79 Dunnellon - Evelyn Beatrice Adams, 79, died on June 3, 2007 at her residence in Dunnellon. Ms. Adams was born in Dunnellon and was a lifetime resident. She was a seamstress, with the Silver Springs Sports Wear and a member of the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon. She is survived by her daughter, Monaraye Tyner of Dunnellon and two grandchildren, James Corne and Susan Wilcoxon of Dunnellon and six great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Marion County Hospice or The First Baptist Church Building Fund. Visitation for Ms. Adams will be at The First Baptist Church, Tuesday, June 5, 2007 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. and the service will be at the church Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at 10 a.m. with Dr. Bob Brooks officiating. Burial will be in Cedar Grove Cemetery. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2145. BOLINGER, SR., ARTHUR E. (Obituary No. 2145.), 71 Dunnellon - Arthur E. Bolinger, Sr., 71, of Dunnellon, passed away April 29th in Spartanburg, SC. He was preceded in death by his loving wife, Donna Mae Bolinger. He was the son of Russell E. and Joycie T. Bolinger of Ocala. He had 7 siblings, Jean Troup of Phoenix, AZ, Joan Doyle and Russell L. Bolinger, both deceased, Paul Bolinger of Elkhart, IN., Frank Bolinger of Ft. Myers, Fl., Terry Bolinger of Rock Hill, SC., and Helen Stiles of Belleview, FL. He was the loving father of 5 children, Audie Bolinger on Inwood, IN., Debbie Hawes of Spartanburg, SC., Arthur Bolinger, Jr. of Crystal River, FL., Tina Riggerio of Dunnellon, FL., and Damen Bolinger of Wichita, KS. He has 10 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday (June 9th) at Golden Hills Mobile Park Community Center (7865 W. Hwy 40, Ocala) Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/6/2007.

2146. BRATTON, IRENE (Obituary No. 2146.), 97 Sevierville, TN - Mrs. Irene Bratton, 69, of Sevierville, Tennessee, died Saturday, June 2, 2007 at Sevier Medical Center. A native of Pontotoc, Mississippi, she moved to Sevierville after having lived in Daytona Beach and Belleview. She is a member of the Oak Street Church of God, Sevierville, and a former member of the Holly Hill & Belleviev Churches of God. She was an Assembly Line Machine Operator for Del Monte Corp. Survivors include 2 daughters, Jackie Schlosser, Sevierville, TN; Barbara Peterson, Palestine, AR; 1 son, James Bratton, Jr., Hudson, FL; 9 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and 4 great-great-grandchildren. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, June 7, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Road, with Bishop John Nations and Pastor Paul Lane officiating. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Wednesday from 5 - 7 p.m. at the funeral home. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL

2147. BUECHS, LARRY E. (Obituary No. 2147.), 61 Ocklawaha - Mr. Larry E. Buechs, 61, passed away May 25, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He moved here in 1997 from Westhampton, MA. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. He is survived by Janice G. Buechs his wife of 39 years, sons Matthew Golembeski of Goshen, MA., Keith Emerson of Japan, Raymond Emerson of Istanbul, Turkey, daughters Dale Boisselle of Sterling, CT., Laura Emerson of Phoenix, AZ., and 2 grandchildren Ryder Boisselle and Steven Buechs. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2148. BURBRIDGE, USAF, RET. LT. COL. LEO M. (Obituary No. 2148.), 90 Ocala - Lt. Col. Leo M. Burbridge USAF RET. passed away on Sunday, June 3rd one month shy of his 91st birthday. Born in Poughkeepsie, New York, he grew up in Syracuse and graduated from Syracuse University with a Degree in Mechanical Engineering in 1939 amidst the depression years of the 1930's. 1941 was an eventful year as it encompassed the two great loves of his life. On July 12th of that year he married his devoted wife Carolyn and entered the US Army Air Corp at Mitchell Field on Long Island. During the war he was attached to the 487th Bomb group in England. He had the pleasure of meeting Col. Bernie Jr. the author of 12 O'Clock High along with Bartlet Sy Lay. The movie version played by Gregory Peck was a composite of him and a few other "Base Adjutants". He donated many pictures, base memorabilia and his book on the 487th to the Mighty Eighth Air Force Museum outside of Savannah, Georgia. Following the war he was executive assistant at the Pentagon for the Undersecretary of the Air Force during the Truman years. During this time, he co-authored "Strategic and Critical Materials in Latin America"; U.S. Gov't pub. W.D. 1947. In the 1950's he achieved an MBA from Harvard and was the controller for the 39th Air Division Far East Air Forces spending 18 months in Northern Japan separated from his family. Retiring from the service in the late 60's, he began his civilian career by joining Raytheon Corporation in an executive capacity and then went on to affiliate with Eastern Airlines, as Manager of Future Operations where he had the pleasure of meeting and working with former astronaut Frank Borman and helped in the planning of the Tampa airport. Retiring to Ocala around 1980 he enjoyed his retirement years in the home that he loved with his devoted wife by his side. Survived by his loving wife Carolynn E. Burbridge, son and daughter-in-law Robert and Debbie Burbridge and daughter and son-in-law Carol and Bob Feaster. Funeral services for Mr. Burbridge will be held Thursday, June 7, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with visitation from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. with Rev. Robert Loring, officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park with Full Military Honors provided by the United States Air Force. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2149. CARTER, MICHAEL D. (Obituary No. 2149.), 20 Summerfield - Michael D. Carter, 20 of Summerfield, died Sunday, June 3, 2007 in Summerfield. A lifetime resident of Marion County, he was a graduate of Belleview High School, attended Community Harvest Baptist Church, and was employed by Downtown Underground. Michael loved to go fishing, swimming in the springs, and riding 4 wheelers. Survivors include his mother, Michelle Carter of Summerfield; father and stepmother Robert and Tracy Sackrider of Weirsdale; sisters Miranda
Carter of Summerfield, Catherine Sackrider of Summerfield, and Mary Sackrider of Weirsdale; brother Robert James Sackrider of Summerfield; maternal grandparents, Perry Carter and Marilyn Kessel Carter of Summerfield; and paternal grandparents Mary Wheatman of Brandon and Gene Sackrider of Michigan. Services will be held at 8 PM Friday, June 8, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Visitation will be 2 hours prior to the service. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2150. COOK, BURTON SARGENT (Obituary No. 2150.), 85 Ocala - Burton Sargent Cook, 85, a resident of Ocala and a retired US Air Force Major and Civil Servant died on April 2, 2007 of cardiac arrhythmia in Annapolis, MD. Mr. Cook, born in North Norwich, New York and raised in New York and Winter Park, Florida, graduated from Greene High School in 1939 and attended Cornell University. He enlisted in the Army Air Corps in 1942, attended flight school and married Eva Mae Wagner in December 1942. He graduated from flight school in 1943 and deployed with the 437th Troop Carrier Command to England flying in the D-Day Normandy Invasion and Battles of Northern and Southern France, Ardenes, Rhineland, Rome, Central Europe and North Africa. After WWII he continued flying with the Army Air Corps and the successor Air Force (AF) at a number of stateside bases and in Alaska. He also served in Alaska as Commander of a radar station. Mr. Cook left the active military in 1952 with the rank of Captain, USAF Reserve eventually retiring as a Major. In 1952 he accepted a position with Link Aviation in Binghamton, NY. In late 1955 he went back to the AF accepting a Civil Service position at Griffiss Air Force Base in Rome, NY as a Project Manager responsible for designing Missile Tracking Ranges. He continued with the Air Force until his retirement at Richards Gabour Air Force Base in Missouri in 1982. At that time, he and his wife relocated to Ocala, Florida to reside in a new community called Ocala Oaks. Mr. Cook was a life long member of the Episcopal Church serving as a Sunday school teacher, lay reader, and vestry member, most recently, at St. Patrick's in Ocala. He was a 32nd Degree Mason, a life member of the VFW (Post 4209), and the Kingdom of the Sun Retired Officer's Association. He enjoyed camping, boating, art work, woodworking, and home improvement projects with his children. A memorial service and interment ceremony will be held at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church in Ocala, FL on June 12th at 10 a.m. Donations to your local Hospice in his memory are requested in lieu of flowers. Mr. Cook is survived by his children, Richard Burton Cook, Arnold, MD; Vivian Ann Cook, Stuyvesant, NY; Karen Elaine Cook, Holley, NY; Mary Cook Langsdorf, Irvine, CA; seven grandchildren; and four great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife of 56 years, Eva Mae Cook, in 1999 and his grandson Paul Carbino in 1980. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/6/2007.

2151. DYJAK, CAROL A. (PEOPLES) (Obituary No. 2151.), 65 Ocala - Carol A. (Peoples) Dyjak, 65, of Ocala, FL and formerly of Enfield, CT entered into eternal life on Saturday, June 2, 2007 in Ocala, FL. She was born on December 30, 1941 in Auburn, NY the daughter of the late Charles and Bernice (Becker) Peoples she had resided in Ocala for the past 6 months and in Enfield for 32 years. Prior to her retirement Carol was employed by STR (formerly Springborn Laboratories) of Enfield for 28 years. She was a former member of the Enfield Rotary and spent numerous hours volunteering for the Enfield Food Shelf, Marion County Library and Shelter for Domestic Abuse. Carol leaves behind to cherish fond memories her loving family; a son, Robert C. Weaver & his wife, Denise of Enfield; a daughter, Rebecca C. Browne & her husband, Dennis
of Ocala, FL; a step-son, James Dyjak of Solana Beach, CA; two step-daughters, Felicia Thomas of San Jose, CA and Erin Bamford of Huntington Beach, CA; her 14 grandchildren: Jessica Browne, John Bremser, Devin, Lucas & McKayla Weaver, Sophie, Melanie, Jasmine, & Dayna Dyjak, Nicholas, & Caroline Bamford and Megan, Jacob & Isaac Thomas. She is also survived by two nephews, Matt Peoples of Canal Winchester, OH and David Peoples of Cambridge, OH; a niece, Bethanne Moss also of Cambridge, OH. Besides her parents she was predeceased by a brother, Richard Peoples. Carol's family will receive relatives and friends on Friday, June 8, 2007 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at BROWNE MEMORIAL FUNERAL CHAPELS, 43 Shaker Rd., Enfield followed by a memorial service at 7 p.m. Burial will be at the convenience of her family. Memorial contributions in her memory may be made to the Hospice of Marion County, Inc., 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. For online condolences, guestbook or directions visit www.brownefuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2152. HAINES, ROBERT CHARLES (Obituary No. 2152.), 86 Belleview, FL - Robert Charles Haines, 86, passed away on June 2, 2007 in Tuscany House, Summerfield, FL. He was born in Patterson, New Jersey. He was in the Military, US Coast Guard during WWII. During his service, he trained dogs in the K-9 corps. Later he served in the Mounted Beach Patrol where he trained horses in crowd control and beach safety. Following military service, he became a patrolman with the Nassau County, New York Police Department. For 18 years he worked as a motorcycle patrolman and was in the Marine Bureau of the department he moved his family to Scottsdale, Arizona and became employed by Salt River Project, riding patrol along the canals to insure safety. In 177 Mr. Haines and family moved to Vermont and Settled in Marlboro. Robert became a deputy for the Windham County Sheriff's Department. And with his police experience was appointed head agent to represent the Windham County Humane Society. In 1984, Robert and his wife, Jay moved to Belleview, FL., enabling him to enjoy his hobby of woodworking. Many folks will remember him for his fine craftsmanship. He is survived by his loving wife of 43 years, Jay and their four children, Wayne Burby (Janet), Dawne Ranken (Frank), Dale Kauffel (Rick) and Diane Hoefly (Daniel) and seven grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to The Humane Society, 701 NW 14th Road, Ocala, FL. 34475, or Hospice Tuscany House, 17395 SE 109th Terrace Road, Summerfield, FL 34491. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2153. HAMNER, KARL DAVID (Obituary No. 2153.), 49 Ocala - Karl David Hamner, 49, of Ocala, Florida passed away on May 25, 2007 after a courageous battle with cancer. Born in Sanford, FL, he moved to Ocala in 2006. Karl was a glider pilot, trekker, history buff, rail fan and outdoorsman. He is survived by his loving wife, Rosalind Hamner; son, Jordan Hamner of Jacksonville, FL; daughter, Roxanne Livingston of Dublin, OH; sons, David M. Livingston and Dustin Livingston of Ocala, FL; mother and dad, Helen and Paul Polgar of Lake Mary, FL; sisters, Bebe Cobin of Van Nuys, CA, Donna Hamner of Newbury, CA and Brenda Bairan of Roswell, GA. Karl was preceded in death by his father, Donald M. Hamner. A Memorial Service will be held at Baldwin Fairchild Funeral Home in Sanford, FL on June 9, 2007 at 3:00 P.M. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, FL or Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements are being handled by BALDWIN FAIRCHILD, 5000 County Rd. 46A, Sanford, FL 32771.(407) 322-4263. Please view and sign the family guestbook at www.baldwinfairchild.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.
2154. ROGERS, CAROL (WELCH) (Obituary No. 2154.), 60 Ocala - Carole Rogers, wife of Donald Rogers passed away Monday, June 4, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. Carol was born June 30, 1946 in Lowell, MA. Daughter of the late John and Virginia Welch who survives her. Carol was retired from Keyspan Energy. Carol was an avid bingo player and enjoyed decorating and traveling. She specially enjoyed spending time with her cat "Ginger". In addition to her husband and mother, Carol is survived by her sister, Linda Welch of Lowell, MA., sister-in-law, Maureen Welch of Lowell, MA., two nephews Timothy Welch of Philadelphia, PA., and Douglas and wife Helena Welch of NC. Several aunts, uncles, cousins and many dear friends. She was proceeded in death by her brother Thomas Welch in 1996 of Lowell, MA. Visitation will be Thursday, June 7, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. with prayer at 4 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timberridge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St, Ocala, FL 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2155. SHARTZER, MARGARET (Obituary No. 2155.), 65 Ocala - Mrs. Margaret Shartzer, 65, passed to glory to be with the Lord on June 3, 2007. "Maggie" was a native of Miami, Florida and came to Ocala in 1992. Maggie would have been married to Gary for 48 years this August. She is survived by her husband Gary and 3 daughters, Debbie Standley, Deanna Buffill, Darlene Shartzer and 4 grandchildren and 1 great grandson. She will be missed greatly. The family will receive friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, June 6 at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, June 7, 2007 at the funeral home with Rev. Barney McCranie officiating. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/6/2007.

2156. SMALLWOOD, CORY (Obituary No. 2156.), 50 Ocala - Cory Smallwood, 50, passed away on June 4, 2007. He was born in Jasper, GA and moved to Ocala from Warner Robbins, GA eight years ago. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. Survivors include his wife Melissa and his daughter Tabatha both of Ocala. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, June 7, 2007 at 6 p.m. at First Baptist Church with Dr. Phillip E. Hanes officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Research for Hepatitis C. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2157. SMALLWOOD, DONALD NEWTON (Obituary No. 2157.), 70 Dunnellon - Donald Newton Smallwood, 70, died Sunday, June 3, 2007 in Dunnellon, Florida. He was born in Dearing, GA November 24, 1936. Mr. Smallwood moved to Ocala, FL in 1997. He was a veteran of the US Navy and retired as Chief Petty Officer in 1980. He was an Aeronautical Engineer with Lockheed Martin retiring in 1997. His hobbies include golf, baseball, and singing. He enjoyed Southern Gospel Music. He was a member of College Road Baptist Church of Ocala. He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Lucy Smallwood of Dunnellon, FL; daughters Barbara E. Smallwood of Stevenson Ranch, CA., and Melody Lynn Edenfield of Savannah, GA; his two grandchildren Brandon and Dylan; his brother Wilson Smallwood of Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his brother Henry Smallwood. Visitation will be Tuesday, June 5, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timberridge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL. 34481. Services will be Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at College Road.
2158. SYKES, BERTHA M., (Obituary No. 2158.) 75 Ocala - Bertha M. Sykes, 75, died on Sunday, June 3, 2007. She was born in Bristol, FL and moved to Ocala in 1949. Mrs. Sykes was in banking in Marion County from 1954 to 1997 when she retired as a branch manager for SunTrust Banks. She was a member of First Baptist Church and former member of Pioneer Garden Club. She is survived by her husband Thomas M. (Tom) Sykes of Ocala, her daughters and sons-in-law, Judy Durham (Michael) of Ocala, Janet Savia (Steve) of Raleigh, NC, her sister, Merlene Settles of Ocala and her granddaughter, Lindsey Durham of Jacksonville. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., with Dr. Edward D. Johnson officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to the Florida Baptist Children's Home at fbchomes.org or the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/6/2007.

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2159. ADAMS, EVELYN BEATRICE (Obituary No. 2159.), 79 Dunnellon - Evelyn Beatrice Adams, 79, died on June 3, 2007 at her residence in Dunnellon. Ms. Adams was born in Dunnellon and was a lifetime resident. She was a seamstress, with the Silver Springs Sports Wear and a member of the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon. She is survived by her daughter, Monaraye Tyner of Dunnellon and two grandchildren, James Corne and Susan Wilcoxon of Dunnellon and six great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Marion County Hospice or The First Baptist Church Building Fund. Visitation for Ms. Adams will be at The First Baptist Church, Tuesday, June 5, 2007 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. and the service will be at the church Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at 10 a.m. with Dr. Bob Brooks officiating. Burial will be in Cedar Grove Cemetery. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/5/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2160. ANSARDI, JERRY (Obituary No. 2160.), 45 Ocala - Jerry Ansardi, 45, beloved husband and dad left this world to join his Heavenly Father on June 1, 2007. Jerry was an avid music and movie buff, competitive Skip Bo player, gator fan and champion whistler. He had a passion for cooking and a love for entertaining his family and friends. He was recently retired from the University of Florida where he worked as a Health Physicist. Left to cherish his memory is his wife Colleen (Ford) Ansardi; daughters, Amanda and Katie Ansardi, Nicole, Jessica and Michelle Ford and Holly Bush; mother, Dasie Ansardi; brother, Joe Ansardi and sister-in-law, Michelle; sister, Ginger Baer; mother-in-law, Norine Wickles; sister-in-law, Connie May and husband Alan; sister-in-law, Katie Berry and husband Mike; and numerous cousins, nieces, nephews, and lifelong friends. A celebration of Jerry's life will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Oakcrest Baptist Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2161. BATEMAN, RAMEY B. (Obituary No. 2161.), 93 Silver Springs - Ramey B. (Bing) Bateman, 93, of Silver Springs, Florida, died Sunday, June 3, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehabilitation & Nursing Center after a prolonged illness. He was born October 23, 1913 in Electra, Florida. Mr.
Bateman was the Owner/Operator of several restaurants in the Ocala area, retiring after managing the Restaurant of the Ocala Elks Club for several decades. Mr. Bateman was a WWII veteran serving in the Merchant Marines. He is survived by his loving wife of 67 years, Sarah D. Bateman; sons, John R. Bateman and James M. Bateman; brother, David Bateman; 4 grandchildren, Christi Stua, Misty Holm, James M. Bateman, Jr., and David Bateman; and 4 great grandchildren, Elizabeth Stua, Nicholas Stua, Ethan Bateman and Natalie Holm. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2162. BROWN, OTIS BAILEY (Obituary No. 2162.), 71 Ocala - Otis Bailey Brown, 71, died on May 29, 2007. Wake/Final Rites will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Holy Band with Bishop John Hanks presiding. Mr. Brown is survived by his ex-wife, Thelma L. Brown; 4 sons, Odis Brown, Charles Brown, Willie L. Brown and William E. Brown; 2 daughters, Sarah J. Brown and Charlene L. Brown; 17 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing a memory that will never fade". Visitation will be Friday, June 8, 2007 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2163. BUECHS, LARRY E. (Obituary No. 2163.), 61 Ocklawaha - Mr. Larry E. Buechs, 61, passed away May 25, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He moved here in 1997 from Westhampton, MA. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. He is survived by Janice G. Buechs his wife of 39 years, sons Matthew Golembeski of Goshen, MA., Keith Emerson of Japan, Raymond Emerson of Istanbul, Turkey, daughters Dale Boisselle of Sterling, CT., Laura Emerson of Phoenix, AZ., and 2 grandchildren Ryder Boisselle and Steven Buechs. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2164. BURBRIDGE, USAF, RET. LT. COL. LEO M. (Obituary No. 2164.), 90 Ocala - Lt. Col. Leo M. Burbridge USAF RET. passed away on Sunday, June 3rd one month shy of his 91st birthday. Born in Poughkeepsie, New York, he grew up in Syracuse and graduated from Syracuse University with a Degree in Mechanical Engineering in 1939 amidst the depression years of the 1930's. 1941 was an eventful year as it encompassed the two great loves of his life. On July 12th of that year he married his devoted wife Carolyn and entered the US Army Air Corp at Mitchell Field on Long Island. During the war he was attached to the 487th Bomb group in England. He had the pleasure of meeting Col. Bernie Jr. the author of 12 O'Clock High along with Bartlet Sy Lay. The movie version played by Gregory Peck was a composite of him and a few other "Base Adjutants". He donated many pictures, base memorabilia and his book on the 487th to the Mighty Eighth Air Force Museum outside of Savannah, Georgia. Following the war he was executive assistant at the Pentagon for the Undersecretary of the Air Force during the Truman years. During this time, he co-authored "Strategic and Critical Materials in Latin America"; U.S. Gov't pub. W.D. 1947. In the 1950's he achieved an MBA from Harvard and was the controller for the 39th Air Division Far East Air Forces spending 18 months in Northern Japan separated from his family. Retiring from the service in the late 60's, he began his civilian career by joining Raytheon Corporation in an executive capacity and then went on to affiliate with Eastern Airlines, as Manager of Future Operations where he had the pleasure of meeting and working with former astronaut Frank Borman and helped in the planning of the Tampa
airport. Retiring to Ocala around 1980 he enjoyed his retirement years in the home that he loved with his devoted wife by his side. Survived by his loving wife Carolynn E. Burbridge, son and daughter-in-law Robert and Debbie Burbridge and daughter and son-in-law Carol and Bob Feaster. Funeral services for Mr. Burbridge will be held Thursday, June 7, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with visitation from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. with Rev. Robert Loring, officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park with Full Military Honors provided by the United States Air Force. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2165. CARTER, MICHAEL D. (Obituary No. 2165.), 20 Summerfield - Michael D. Carter, 20 of Summerfield, died Sunday, June 3, 2007 in Summerfield. A lifetime resident of Marion County, he was a graduate of Belleview High School, attended Community Harvest Baptist Church, and was employed by Downtown Underground. Michael loved to go fishing, swimming in the springs, and riding 4 wheelers. Survivors include his mother, Michelle Carter of Summerfield; father and stepmother Robert and Tracy Sackrider of Weirsdale; sisters Miranda Carter of Summerfield, Catherine Sackrider of Summerfield, and Mary Sackrider of Weirsdale; brother Robert James Sackrider of Summerfield; maternal grandparents, Perry Carter and Marilyn Kessel Carter of Summerfield; and paternal grandparents Mary Wheatman of Brandon and Gene Sackrider of Michigan. Services will be held at 8 PM Friday, June 8, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Visitation will be 2 hours prior to the service. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2166. DYJAK, CAROL A. (PEOPLES) (Obituary No. 2166.), 65 Ocala - Carol A. (Peoples) Dyjak, 65, of Ocala, FL and formerly of Enfield, CT entered into eternal life on Saturday, June 2, 2007 in Ocala, FL. She was born on December 30, 1941 in Auburn, NY the daughter of the late Charles and Bernice (Becker) Peoples she had resided in Ocala for the past 6 months and in Enfield for 32 years. Prior to her retirement Carol was employed by STR (formerly Springborn Laboratories) of Enfield for 28 years. She was a former member of the Enfield Rotary and spent numerous hours volunteering for the Enfield Food Shelf, Marion County Library and Shelter for Domestic Abuse. Carol leaves behind to cherish fond memories her loving family; a son, Robert C. Weaver & his wife, Denise of Enfield; a daughter, Rebecca C. Browne & her husband, Dennis of Ocala, FL; a step-son, James Dyjak of Solana Beach, CA; two step-daughters, Felicia Thomas of San Jose, CA and Erin Bamford of Huntington Beach, CA; her 14 grandchildren: Jessica Browne, John Bremer, Devin, Lucas & McKayla Weaver, Sophie, Melanie, Jasmine, & Dayna Dyjak, Nicholas, & Caroline Bamford and Megan, Jacob & Isaac Thomas. She is also survived by two nephews, Matt Peoples of Canal Winchester, OH and David Peoples of Cambridge, OH; a niece, Bethanne Moss also of Cambridge, OH. Besides her parents she was predeceased by a brother, Richard Peoples. Carol's family will receive relatives and friends on Friday, June 8, 2007 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at BROWNE MEMORIAL FUNERAL CHAPELS, 43 Shaker Rd., Enfield followed by a memorial service at 7 p.m. Burial will be at the convenience of her family. Memorial contributions in her memory may be made to the Hospice of Marion County, Inc., 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. For online condolences, guestbook or directions visit www.brownefuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.
Robert Charles Haines, 86, passed away on June 2, 2007 in Tuscany House, Summerfield, FL. He was born in Patterson, New Jersey. He was in the Military, US Coast Guard during WWII. During his service, he trained dogs in the K-9 corps. Later he served in the Mounted Beach Patrol where he trained horses in crowd control and beach safety. Following military service, he became a patrolman with the Nassau County, New York Police Department. For 18 years he worked as a motorcycle patrolman and was in the Marine Bureau of the department he moved his family to Scottsdale, Arizona and became employed by Salt River Project, riding patrol along the canals to insure safety. In 177 Mr. Haines and family moved to Vermont and Settled in Marlboro. Robert became a deputy for the Windham County Sheriff's Department. And with his police experience was appointed head agent to represent the Windham County Humane Society. In 1984, Robert and his wife, Jay moved to Belleview, FL., enabling him to enjoy his hobby of woodworking. Many folks will remember him for his fine craftsmanship. He is survived by his loving wife of 43 years, Jay and their four children, Wayne Burby (Janet), Dawne Ranken (Frank), Dale Kauffeld (Rick) and Diane Hoefly (Daniel) and seven grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to The Humane Society, 701 NW 14th Road, Ocala, FL. 34475, or Hospice Tuscany House, 17395 SE 109th Terrace Road, Summerfield, FL 34491. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

Karl David Hamner, 49, of Ocala, Florida passed away on May 25, 2007 after a courageous battle with cancer. Born in Sanford, FL, he moved to Ocala in 2006. Karl was a glider pilot, trekker, history buff, rail fan and outdoorsman. He is survived by his loving wife, Rosalind Hamner; son, Jordan Hamner of Jacksonville, FL; daughter, Roxanne Livingston of Dublin, OH; sons, David M. Livingston and Dustin Livingston of Ocala, FL; mother and dad, Helen and Paul Polgar of Lake Mary, FL; sisters, Bebe Cobin of Van Nuys, CA, Donna Hamner of Newbury, CA and Brenda Bairan of Roswell, GA. Karl was preceded in death by his father, Donald M. Hamner. A Memorial Service will be held at Baldwin Fairchild Funeral Home in Sanford, FL on June 9, 2007 at 3:00 P.M. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, FL or Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements are being handled by BALDWIN FAIRCHILD, 5000 County Rd. 46A, Sanford, FL 32771.(407) 322-4263. Please view and sign the family guestbook at www.baldwinfairchild.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

Gerald Hoepfner, age 84, of Ocala, Florida, formerly of Milwaukee, peacefully left this life on June 4, 2007. He was preceded in death by beloved wife Evelyn, daughter Geralyn, grandson Matthew and granddaughter Katie. Father of Barbara (David) Zolinski, Kenneth (Sue), Marianne (Steven Keys), Jennifer (Peter) Brabant, and John. Proud grandfather of 12 and great grandfather of 11. Funeral services are planned for June 26th at 11 a.m. at Our Lady of the Springs. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

Jeremy Richard Johnson, 17, of Summerfield passed away May 30, 2007. Born in Leesburg, FL. Jeremy enjoyed playing basketball and spent many hours watching football with his family. After high school Jeremy planned to attend college for computer game design. He was an accomplished brick layer under the supervision of his father. Survived by his parents, Ronald Richard and
Persis Anne McLean Johnson of Summerfield; brother, James Matthew Johnson of Summerfield; brothers, Troy and Travis Johnson of Wisconsin; preceded in death by grandparents, James Clifford and Persis Lorraine McLean and John and Florence Johnson. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, June 8, 2007 from 4 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at Village View Community Church, 8585 SE 147 Place, Summerfield, FL. The family request memorial contributions be made to the Independent National Bank, c/o Ronald and Persis Johnson, 13891 US Hwy 441 North, Lady Lake, FL., 32159. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2171. LIBARDONI, DOROTHY (Obituary No. 2171.), 90 Dunnellon - Dorothy Libardoni, 90, of Dunnellon, passed away June 2, 2007 at her home. Born July 17, 1916 in Pittsfield, MA., she was a member of Riverland Baptist Church in Dunnellon. Dorothy was an excellent seamstress and loved gardening. Dorothy is survived by her three daughters, Catherine Saraceni (Arthur) of Dunnellon, Anna Berghof (Ernest) of Las Vegas, NV., and Eugenia Lenhart (Russell) of Henderson, NV; sister, Eleanor Killian of Pottstown, PA; 11 grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren and 5 great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband of 64 years, Pietro Libardoni, in 2001 and a son, Pete Libardoni, in 1996. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 12 Noon from Riverland Baptist Church, Dunnellon with Rev. Rex Carringer officiating. Interment will follow at 2:30 p.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2172. MARTIN, EMANUEL (Obituary No. 2172.), 73 Lowell - Mr. Emanuel Martin, (73), of Lowell, FL died on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at Legacy House. Mr. Martin was a lifetime native of Lowell where he was known by many people of the community. He was the son of the late Joshua and Minnie Lee Martin. He received his secondary education at Gum School of Lowell, FL. Also, preceding him in death was two brothers, Joseph and Walter Martin and a sister, Annie M. Martin all of Lowell, FL. Emanuel leaves to cherish his memory one brother, Earl Martin of Lowell, FL and three sisters, Deloris Scott, Earlene Hosley of Lowell, FL and Gladys James (Sylvester) of Reddick, FL; a host of nephews, nieces, cousins and sorrowing friends. The funeral services for Mr. Martin will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church in Lowell, FL., Reverend Dr. Thomas D. A. Blue III, will be officiating. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mrs. Deloris Scott (3420 W. Hwy 329, Lowell, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2173. ROGERS, CAROL (WELCH) (Obituary No. 2173.), 60 Ocala - Carole Rogers, wife of Donald Rogers passed away Monday, June 4, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. Carol was born June 30, 1946 in Lowell, MA. Daughter of the late John and Virginia Welch who survives her. Carol was retired from Keyspan Enery. Carol was an avid bingo player and enjoyed decorating and traveling. She specially enjoyed spending time with her cat "Ginger". In addition to her husband and mother, Carol is survived by her sister, Linda Welch of Lowell, MA., sister-in-law, Maureen Welch of Lowell, MA., two nephews Timothy Welch of Philadelphia, PA., and Douglas and wife Helena Welch of NC. Several aunts, uncles, cousins and many dear friends. She was proceeded in death by her brother Thomas Welch in 1996 of Lowell, MA. Visitation will be Thursday, June 7, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. with prayer at 4 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY
2174. SMALLWOOD, CORY (Obituary No. 2174.), 50 Ocala - Cory Smallwood, 50, passed away on June 4, 2007. He was born in Jasper, GA and moved to Ocala from Warner Robbins, GA eight years ago. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. Survivors include his wife Melissa and his daughter Tabatha both of Ocala. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, June 7, 2007 at 6 p.m. at First Baptist Church with Dr. Phillip E. Hanes officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Research for Hepatitis C. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/6/2007 - 6/7/2007.

2175. SNOW, EDWARD (Obituary No. 2175.), 81 Ocala - Mr. Edward Snow, 81, went home to be with the Lord on June 2, 2007. He was a member of Galilee Christian Center. He leaves to cherish his memories a devoted daughter Joyce Jenkins (Ronnie), grandchildren, James Jenkins Jr., Renee Jenkins, Ayo Okhiku, Jasmine Okhiku, Great-grandson Mike Davy Jr., sisters Annie Lee Johnson, Bernice Moore, and a host of other relatives. Funeral services for Mr. Edward Snow will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at Galilee Christian Center with Rev. Kenneth McGill conducting the services. Visitation will be on Thursday 7 p.m. to 8 pm at Galilee Christian Center Summerfield, FL and on Friday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Home. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2176. STEVENS, VERNON DALE (Obituary No. 2176.), 80 Ocala - Vernon Dale Steven of Ocala died on Sunday, May 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. He was 80. Mr. Stevens was born in Holland, Michigan. He worked as a cabinet assembler with a mobile home plant. He served as an elder with the Anthony Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Christine Stevens of Ocala; daughter, Eileen Wilson and granddaughter, Falene Wilson both of Ocala; nephew, two nieces and brother-in-law. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 3 p.m. at the Anthony Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, Anthony, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2177. SZUTA, ELIZABETH V. (BETTY) (Obituary No. 2177.), 84 Asheville - Elizabeth V. (Betty) Szuta, 84, of Asheville died Monday, June 4, 2007. Betty was the daughter of the late Bruno and Veronica Szuta. She was preceded in death by her brothers Stanley, John, Frank, and Bruno and a sister, Euphenia. She was a veteran serving as a Second Lieutenant in Japan during World War II. Betty was a life time member of the VFW Post 4781 in Ocala, FL. She is survived by cousins Marge and Walt Kozacki of Fletcher, NC., Walter A. Guzowski of Ft. Lauderdale, FL. and Dorothy Anderson of Rome, NY, and many longtime friends in Ocala, FL and Buffalo, NY. The family would like to thank the staff of Arbor Terrace, Caring Hands, Hospice and St. Barnabas Roman Catholic Church for their loving support. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 am Friday, June 8, 2007 at St. Barnabas Roman Catholic Church in Arden, NC. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice Solace Center, P.O. Box 25338, Asheville, NC 28813 or to The Alzheimer's Association, 31 College Place, Suite D 320, Asheville, NC 28801. GROCE FUNERAL HOME at Lake Julian in Arden is assisting the family. The
2178. VAN SANT, JR., JEFFREY DARRIN (Obituary No. 2178.), 21 Summerfield - Jeffrey D. Van Sant, Jr., 21, of Summerfield, died Sunday, June 3, 2007 in Summerfield. A lifetime resident of Marion County, he worked in the construction industry. His hobbies included building trucks for mudding, music and cars. Survivors include his father, Jeffrey Van Sant, Sr. of Tom's River, NJ; mother, Joanna Marcum of Daytona Beach; step father, Mike Richards of Daytona Beach; brother, Cory Marcum of Daytona Beach; maternal grandparents, Joan and Billy Wambles of Belleview and J.W. and Cheryl Marcum of Lynne; aunt, Kathy Van Sant of Summerfield; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. He is preceded in death by his paternal grandmother, Gertrude Van Sant. Services will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 9, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Rd. Visitation will be on Thursday, June 7, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and one hour prior to the service at the funeral home. Burial will be in Belleview Cemetery. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2179. WEBSTER, DIANA REMBERT (Obituary No. 2179.), 55 Ocala - Mrs. Diana Rembert Webster, age 55, passed on May 24, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. Mrs. Webster was a homemaker. Mrs. Webster was born to the late Edgar Lee Rembert Sr. and Delores Rembert. She leaves to cherish her memories: 5 daughters, Nina Webster of Orlando, Florida, Sebrena Webster of Ocala, Florida, Marshall Webster of Orlando, Florida, and Nicole (Curtis) Sweet, Lake Wales, Florida, and Angel Webster of Ocala, FL; mother, Delores Rembrant of Ocala, Florida; 17 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren; 7 sisters, Louise (Mack) Long of Ocala, Florida, Dorothy Rackard of Tallahassee, Florida, Bernice Rackard of Tallahassee, Florida, Linda (Henry Bogar) Rembert of Weirsdale, Florida, Barbara (Bernard) Carr of Hialeah, Florida, Carol Rembert of Ocala, Florida, Aubrey Rembert of Ocala, Florida, and Janice (Reggie) Oliver of Tampa, Florida; brother, Glenn (Claire) Jenkins of Ocala, Florida; wife to Alfred Williams, Spouse to Clyde Johnson. Memorial services for Mrs. Diane Rembert Webster will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Temple of Grace Missionary Baptist Church, 1865 Northwest 42nd Street, Ocala, Florida, 34475 with the Reverend Willie Kingcade, Pastor and the Reverend Frank Baker conducting the services. Interment will take place at a Later date under the direction of SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 Northwest 10th Street, Ocala, Florida 34475. There will be no public visitation. You may sign the register book at the church on Saturday. "A Summers Funeral makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

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2183. GOSS, CALVIN C. (Obituary No. 2183.), 81 Ocklawaha - Calvin C. Goss, 81, of Ocklawaha, passed away on June 4, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Windham, Ohio, he came here in 1971 from Orlando and was a retired member of management of Lockheed Martin (formerly Martin Co.), both in Orlando and most recently, Silver Springs Shores. MR. Goss was primarily involved in missile manufacturing and was also a WWII navy veteran. He is survived by his wife of over 60 years, Hazel M. Goss (Summers) of Ocklawaha; daughter, Debbie S. Patterson, Ocklawaha; son, William L. Goss of Lansdale, PA; brother, Robert E. Goss, Ocklawaha; sisters, Ruth Dollison and Shirley Kitelinger, both of Windham, OH; grandchildren, Jerry M. Patterson, Jr., Ocklawaha and Jasmine & Ashley Goss, both of Lansdale, PA. Friends will be received on Sunday, June 10, 2007 from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, where chapel services will be held at 2:30 p.m. with Rev. Hubert Bevill officiating. Entombment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/8/2007 - 6/9/2007.

2184. HOEPFNER, GERALD LENARD (Obituary No. 2184.), 84 Ocala - Gerald Hoepfner, age 84, of Ocala, Florida, formerly of Milwaukee, peacefully left this life on June 4, 2007. He was preceded in death by beloved wife Evelyn, daughter Geralyn, grandson Matthew and granddaughter Katie. Father of Barbara (David) Zolinski, Kenneth (Sue), Marianne (Steven
Keys), Jennifer (Peter) Brabant, and John. Proud grandfather of 12 and great grandfather of 11. Funeral services are planned for June 26th at 11 a.m. at Our Lady of the Springs. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2185. JOHNSON, JEREMY RICHARD (Obituary No. 2185.), 17 Summerfield - Jeremy Richard Johnson, 17, of Summerfield passed away May 30, 2007. Born in Leesburg, FL. Jeremy enjoyed playing basketball and spent many hours watching football with his family. After high school Jeremy planned to attend college for computer game design. He was an accomplished brick layer under the supervision of his father. Survived by his parents, Ronald Richard and Persis Anne McLean Johnson of Summerfield; brother, James Matthew Johnson of Summerfield; brothers, Troy and Travis Johnson of Wisconsin; preceded in death by grandparents, James Clifford and Persis Lorrain McLean and John and Florence Johnson. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, June 8, 2007 from 4 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at Village View Community Church, 8585 SE 147 Place, Summerfield, FL. The family request memorial contributions be made to the Independent National Bank, c/o Ronald and Persis Johnson, 13891 US Hwy 441 North, Lady Lake, FL., 32159. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2186. LIBARDONI, DOROTHY (Obituary No. 2186.), 90 Dunnellon - Dorothy Libardoni, 90, of Dunnellon, passed away June 2, 2007 at her home. Born July 17, 1916 in Pittsfield, MA., she was a member of Riverland Baptist Church in Dunnellon. Dorothy was an excellent seamstress and loved gardening. Dorothy is survived by her three daughters, Catherine Saraceni (Arthur) of Dunnellon, Anna Berghof (Ernest) of Las Vegas, NV., and Eugenia Lenhart (Russell) of Henderson, NV; sister, Eleanor Killian of Pottstown, PA; 11 grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren and 5 great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband of 64 years, Pietro Libardoni, in 2001 and a son, Pete Libardoni, in 1996. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 12 Noon from Riverland Baptist Church, Dunnellon with Rev. Rex Carringer officiating. Interment will follow at 2:30 p.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2187. MARTIN, EMANUEL (Obituary No. 2187.), 73 Lowell - Mr. Emanuel Martin, (73), of Lowell, FL died on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at Legacy House. Mr. Martin was a lifetime native of Lowell where he was known by many people of the community. He was the son of the late Joshua and Minnie Lee Martin. He received his secondary education at Gum School of Lowell, FL. Also, preceding him in death was two brothers, Joseph and Walter Martin and a sister, Annie M. Martin all of Lowell, FL. Emanuel leaves to cherish his memory one brother, Earl Martin of Lowell, FL and three sisters, Deloris Scott, Earlene Hosley of Lowell, FL and Gladys James (Sylvestor) of Reddick, FL; a host of nephews, nieces, cousins and sorrowing friends. The funeral services for Mr. Martin will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church in Lowell, FL., Reverend Dr. Thomas D. A. Blue III, will be officiating. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mrs. Deloris Scott (3420 W. Hwy 329, Lowell, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2188. POLK, INEZ (Obituary No. 2188.), 79 Ocala - Inez Polk, passed away on June 5, 2007 at the age of 79. She is the beloved mother of Steve Polk and Sharon Rutter. She is the grandmother

2189. SNOW, EDWARD (Obituary No. 2189.), 81 Ocala - Mr. Edward Snow, 81, went home to be with the Lord on June 2, 2007. He was a member of Galilee Christian Center. He leaves to cherish his memories a devoted daughter Joyce Jenkins (Ronnie), grandchildren, James Jenkins Jr., Renee Jenkins, Ayo Okhiku, Jasmine Okhiku, Great-grandson Mike Davy Jr., sisters Annie Lee Johnson, Bernice Moore, and a host of other relatives. Funeral services for Mr. Edward Snow will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at Galilee Christian Center with Rev. Kenneth McGill conducting the services. Visitation will be on Thursday 7 p.m. to 8 pm at Galilee Christian Center Summerfield, FL and on Friday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Home. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2190. STEVENS, VERNON DALE (Obituary No. 2190.), 80 Ocala - Vernon Dale Steven of Ocala died on Sunday, May 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. He was 80. Mr. Stevens was born in Holland, Michigan. He worked as a cabinet assembler with a mobile home plant. He served as an elder with the Anthony Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Christine Stevens of Ocala; daughter, Eileen Wilson and granddaughter, Falene Wilson both of Ocala; nephew, two nieces and brother-in-law. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 3 p.m. at the Anthony Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, Anthony, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2191. SZUTA, ELIZABETH V. (BETTY) (Obituary No. 2191.), 84 Asheville - Elizabeth V. (Betty) Szuta, 84, of Asheville died Monday, June 4, 2007. Betty was the daughter of the late Bruno and Veronica Szuta. She was preceded in death by her brothers Stanley, John, Frank, Bruno and a sister, Euphenia. She was a veteran serving as a Second Lieutenant in Japan during World War II. Betty was a life time member of the VFW Post 4781 in Ocala, FL. She is survived by cousins Marge and Walt Kozacki of Fletcher, NC., Walter A. Guzowski of Ft. Lauderdale, FL. and Dorothy Anderson of Rome, NY. and many longtime friends in Ocala, FL and Buffalo, NY. The family would like to thank the staff of Arbor Terrace, Caring Hands, Hospice and St. Barnabas Roman Catholic Church for their loving support. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 am Friday, June 8, 2007 at St. Barnabas Roman Catholic Church in Arden, NC. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice Solace Center, P.O. Box 25338, Asheville, NC 28813 or to The Alzheimer's Association, 31 College Place, Suite D 320, Asheville, NC 28801. GROCE FUNERAL HOME at Lake Julian in Arden is assisting the family. The memorial register is available at "Obituaries" at www.grocefuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2192. VAN SANT, JR., JEFFREY DARRIN (Obituary No. 2192.), 21 Summerfield - Jeffrey D. Van Sant, Jr., 21, of Summerfield, died Sunday, June 3, 2007 in Summerfield. A lifetime resident of Marion County, he worked in the construction industry. His hobbies included building trucks for mudding, music and cars. Survivors include his father, Jeffrey Van Sant, Sr.
of Tom's River, NJ; mother, Joanna Marcum of Daytona Beach; step father, Mike Richards of Daytona Beach; brother, Cory Marcum of Daytona Beach; maternal grandparents, Joan and Billy Wambles of Belleview and J.W. and Cheryl Marcum of Lynne; aunt, Kathy Van Sant of Summerfield; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. He is preceded in death by his paternal grandmother, Gertrude Van Sant. Services will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 9, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Rd. Visitation will be on Thursday, June 7, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and one hour prior to the service at the funeral home. Burial will be in Belleview Cemetery. HIER-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIE is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

2193. WEBSTER, DIANA REMBERT (Obituary No. 2193.), 55 Ocala - Mrs. Diana Rembert Webster, age 55, passed on May 24, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. Mrs. Webster was a homemaker. Mrs. Webster was born to the late Edgar Lee Rembert Sr. and Delores Rembert. She leaves to cherish her memories: 5 daughters, Nina Webster of Orlando, Florida, Sebrena Webster of Ocala, Florida, Marshall Webster of Orlando, Florida, and Nicole (Curtis) Sweet, Lake Wales, Florida, and Angel Webster of Ocala, FL; mother, Delores Rembrant of Ocala, Florida; 17 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren; 7 sisters, Louise (Mack) Long of Ocala, Florida, Dorothy Rackard of Tallahassee, Florida, Bernice Rackard of Tallahassee, Florida, Linda (Henry Bogar) Rembert of Weirsdale, Florida, Barbara (Bernard) Carr of Hialeah, Florida, Carol Rembert of Ocala, Florida, Aubrey Rembert of Ocala, Florida, and Janice (Reggie) Oliver of Tampa, Florida; brother, Glenn (Claire) Jenkins of Ocala, Florida; wife to Alfred Williams, Spouse to Clyde Johnson. Memorial services for Mrs. Diane Rembert Webster will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Temple of Grace Missionary Baptist Church, 1865 Northwest 42nd Street, Ocala, Florida, 34475 with the Reverend Willie Kingcade, Pastor and the Reverend Frank Baker conducting the services. Interment will take place at a Later date under the direction of SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 Northwest 10th Street, Ocala, Florida 34475. There will be no public visitation. You may sign the register book at the church on Saturday. "A Summers Funeral makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/7/2007 - 6/8/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Saturday, June 9, 2007

2194. CASEY, ERIC ARTHUR (Obituary No. 2194.), 85 Ocala- Mr. Eric Arthur Casey, 85, of Ocala passed away on Wed., May 9, 2007. He was an Army Veteran of the European Theater in WWII, a lifetime member of the VFW, and traveled the world as an executive of Bendix Avionics. He is survived by his wife, Betty Casey; son, Dave (Colleen) Casey; grandsons, Thomas & Patrick Casey of Ocala; and sister, Gertrude Bean of Illinois. Memorial services for Mr. Casey will be held on June 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. In Lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/10/2007.

2195. GOSS, CALVIN C. (Obituary No. 2195.), 81 Ocklawaha - Calvin C. Goss, 81, of Ocklawaha, passed away on June 4, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Windham, Ohio, he came here in 1971 from Orlando and was a retired member of management of Lockheed Martin (formerly Martin Co.), both in Orlando and most recently, Silver Springs
Shores. MR. Goss was primarily involved in missile manufacturing and was also a WWII navy veteran. He is survived by his wife of over 60 years, Hazel M. Goss (Summers) of Ocklawaha; daughter, Debbie S. Patterson, Ocklawaha; son, William L. Goss of Lansdale, PA; brother, Robert E. Goss, Ocklawaha; sisters, Ruth Dollison and Shirley Kitelinger, both of Windham, OH; grandchildren, Jerry M. Patterson, Jr., Ocklawaha and Jasmine & Ashley Goss, both of Lansdale, PA. Friends will be received on Sunday, June 10, 2007 from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, where chapel services will be held at 2:30 p.m. with Rev. Hubert Bevill officiating. Entombment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/8/2007 - 6/9/2007.

2196. KEECH, LORRAINE M. (Obituary No. 2196.), 93 Ocala - Lorraine M. Keech passed away June 6th at her home in Ocala at age 93. She is survived by her son Gregg of Ocala and a daughter Dianne Chavez and her husband Ernie of Hermosa Beach, CA and their five children, 7 grandchildren and a grandson Brendan Paskach of Manhattan Beach, CA and 3 nephews and 4 nieces. She was preceded in death by her husband Herbert after 40 years of marriage in 1979 and a daughter Darlene Paskach in 1999. She was active in the First United Methodist Church of Ocala, enjoyed Bridge at the Senior Citizens Center and traveled extensively in the U.S. and abroad. Memorial Services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 23rd at the Chapel of the First United Methodist Church at SE 11th Ave and Fort King Street. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Hospice of Marion County. 3231 S.W. 34th Ave Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/10/2007.

2197. KEOLA, SUZANNE J. (Obituary No. 2197.), 72 Lady Lake - Suzanne J. Keola, 72, passed away Wednesday, June 6, 2007. She was a retired registered nurse and worked many years for Gentiva Home Health Care. She moved to FL in 1990. She was a member of St. Timothy Catholic Church; and loved gardening; cooking; and reading. Survivors include her daughters, Constance (Ken) Powell; Madonna (Kevin) Glenn; Marilyn (Michael) Westropp; Lorraine (Dick) McLaughlin; a son Dennis (Joanne) Varee; sisters, Kay Wright; Mary Wheeles; brothers, Clarence, Edward, Francis, Timothy Gidus; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Funeral services will be held 1 P.M. Sunday, June 10, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd, The Villages, FL. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Lake & Sumter, 12300 Lane Park Road, Tavares, FL 32778. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/10/2007.

2198. KRIETEMEYER, ALLIE MAE (Obituary No. 2198.), 79 Ocklawaha - Allie Mae Krietemeyer, 79, died on June 7, 2007. She was born in Ocala and was a lifetime resident. She was a member of Central Christian Church, a volunteer at Ocala Regional Medical Center and a Marion County poll worker for many years. She was school secretary at Wyomina Park Elementary School for over twenty years. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Albert J. Krietemeyer of Ocklawaha, her sons, Andy L. Krietemeyer of Micanopy and Larry C. Krietemeyer of Ocala, her sister, Josie Jones of Ocklawaha, and her two grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Monday, June 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Roger Wright officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. on Sunday. In lieu of flowers, please make
memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County or to the Marion County Alzheimer's Assn.

2199. POLK, INEZ (Obituary No. 2199.), 79 Ocala - Inez Polk, passed away on June 5, 2007 at
the age of 79. She is the beloved mother of Steve Polk and Sharon Rutter. She is the grandmother
of Jeremy Polk, Michael, Timothy and Mark Rutter and the great grandmother of 4. Visitation is
Saturday, June 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. to 12 noon at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S.
Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. with the funeral service at 12 noon. Interment at Forest Lawn Memory

2200. ROWE, DONALD O. (Obituary No. 2200.), 82 Ocala - Donald O. Rowe, age 82, of
Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, June 7, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. He was
born in Chagrin Falls, Ohio on March 18, 1925. Mr. Rowe was a retired General Contractor and
a former owner/operator of Rowe and Newberry, Inc. in St. Petersburg, FL for over 30 years. He
was a Christian and a member of College Road Baptist Church in Ocala. While living in St.
Petersburg, he was an active member of the Sertoma Club and the St. Petersburg Yacht Club. His
hobbies included sailing, boating and fishing. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Bonnie L.
Rowe, of Ocala; son, George Rowe, and daughter in law, Carole, of Ocala; step brother, John
Bridge, of St. Petersburg and 2 grandchildren, Kelly Elmore and Donald A. Rowe. A private
memorial service will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 -

2201. STURTEVANT, LOUISE M. (Obituary No. 2201.), 83 Ocala - Louise M. Sturtevant, 83,
of Ocala passed away June 7, 2007 after a brief illness. Mrs. Sturtevant enjoyed a career in
movies, TV and radio while residing in Queens, NY. She was crowned as Mrs. New York State
in the Mrs. America contest in 1955 & 1956. Louise later worked for several airlines in the
security & customer screening areas, and was a sales representative for Sprint. After retiring,
Louise and her husband Bob moved to Ocala, FL realizing that was where they liked the most.
She is survived by her loving husband and companion Dr. Robert C. Sturtevant, children Louisa
Buford of Houston, TX, Linda Mount of Wesley Chapel, NC, Dennis Sturtevant of New York
City, NY and Dina Canzoneri of Elkton, MD. And her sister and family in Essex, VT. A private
service was held on Friday, June 8, 2007 at 10 a.m. in the chapel at Munroe Regional Medical

2202. WILLIAMS, WILLIAM G. (Obituary No. 2202.), 46 Silver Springs - William G.
Williams, 46, died suddenly at his home Monday, June 4th. The William's family moved here
from Michigan in Sept. 2001. He was a devoted husband to Lori, and dedicated father to Nathan,
Leslie & Katie. A loving son of Shirley Poteet, and a super brother to Sandy Grimm and Patrick
Chadwick. He had many other relatives & friends in the Detroit area, as well as here in Florida.
His friends are welcome to join the family at his home Saturday June 9th to celebrate his life.

2203. WYATT, JAMES W. (Obituary No. 2203.), 45 Summerfield - Mr. James W. Wyatt, 45, of
Summerfield, died at his home Thursday, June 7, 2007. A native of Ohio, he had lived most of
his lifetime in Marion County. A rural letter carrier for the US Postal Service, his hobbies
included coaching baseball, football, and following his Florida Gators. He is survived by his wife
Kathy, his daughter Brittany and son Brandt, all of Summerfield, his mother Lucille Wyatt, also of Summerfield, Sisters Joyce Easterling of Middletown, Ohio and Judy Bass of Summerfield. Also surviving are his nieces Melissa Boltanott of Hamilton, Ohio and Jennifer Brooks of Umatilla. Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Monday, June 11, 2007, at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, with Rev. Damon B. Walker officiating. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Sunday from 3-5 PM. Memorial contributions may be made to the Belleview Youth Baseball League, P.O. Box 550, Belleview, FL 34421. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/11/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Sunday, June 10, 2007

2204. BOREK, LOUISE PEARL JOHNS (Obituary No. 2204.), 91 Orange Lake - Mrs. Louise Pearl Johns Borek, 91, died June 8, 2007 at her home in Orange Lake. Louise was born in Suwannee County and lived in Florida her whole life. She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph Michael Borek. She is survived by her daughter Veronica and son-in-law Mark Whitebread; two grandchildren, Todd Baker and Juliann Whitebread; one brother, Ernest Johns of Wimauma, FL; great niece caregivers, Charlene Whitehead of Polk City, FL and Cheryl Finks of Warrenville, SC; and nieces she helped raise, Sharon Decker of Charlotte, NC and Linda Koozer of Villarica, GA. Visitation will be held on Monday, June 11, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Milam Funeral Home, 311 South Main Street, Gainesville, FL. Graveside service will be conducted on Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at the Millwood Cemetery, Reddick, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations are made to Haven Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474, or to The Evinston United Methodist Church Building Fund, in Evinston, FL 32633. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 South Main Street, Gainesville, FL 32601 (352) 376-5361. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/12/2007.

2205. BREEDING, MARGIE J. (Obituary No. 2205.), 83 Ocala - Mrs. Margie J. Breeding, 83, of Ocala passed away Thursday, June 7th, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Prater, Virginia, Mrs. Breeding has been a Marion County resident since 1948. Mrs. Breeding was a retired seamstress with Lady Bayard Co. She attended Grace Presbyterian Church, was a member of the Marion County Blood Bank Gallon Club, and enjoyed gardening, quilting and sewing. Survivors include husband Lee Breeding, Sr. of Ocala, daughter Marilyn White of Ocala, sons Leon Yates of Haysi, VA, and Lee Breeding, Jr. of Honolulu, HI, two sisters, Berchie Blankenship and June Hamilton, both of Clyde, OH, six brothers, Lonzo Yates of Bryan, OH, John Yates of Napoleon, OH, Roosevelt Yates of Clyde, OH, Vada Yates of Grundy, VA, Jerry Yates of Troy, MI, Elzie Yates of Las Vegas, NV, six grandchildren, and ten great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her sister Lottie VanDyke, and brothers Burion, Ernest and Jessye Yates. Funeral service will be 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, June 13, 2007 at Grace Presbyterian Church, Ocala, with Rev. Carl Brannan officiating. Visitation will be at 10:00 a.m. at the church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/11/2007.

2206. CASEY, ERIC ARTHUR (Obituary No. 2206.), 85 Ocala- Mr. Eric Arthur Casey,85, of Ocala passed away on Wed., May 9, 2007. He was an Army Veteran of the European Theater in WWII, a lifetime member of the VFW, and traveled the world as an executive of Bendix Avionics. He is survived by his wife, Betty Casey; son, Dave (Colleen) Casey; grandsons,
Thomas & Patrick Casey of Ocala; and sister, Gertrude Bean of Illinois. Memorial services for Mr. Casey will be held on June 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. In Lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/10/2007.

2207. HARRELLE, WAYNE (Obituary No. 2207.), 66 Ocala - Mr. Wayne Harrelle, 66, passed away June 8th at his residence. He was born in Lake Worth, FL and moved to Ocala in 2006 from W. Palm Beach, FL. He was a Baptist, an avid NASCAR, Miami Dolphins, UF and FSU fan. He was also a pinball grandchampion and an avid reader. He is survived by Jeannel Meredith, his wife of 19 years, sons Scott (Martha) Meredith, Steven Meredith, both of Ocala, daughter Angela Harrelle Buckhanan of Tallahassee, brother Lomax Harrelle of LaBelle, FL and four grandchildren, Arnold, Justin, Ian and Danny. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, June 12 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. There will be a funeral service at the funeral home on Wednesday, June 13th at 1:00 p.m. with Dr. Mike Patton officiating. Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/11/2007.

2208. KEECH, LORRAINE M. (Obituary No. 2208.), 93 Ocala - Lorraine M. Keech passed away June 6th at her home in Ocala at age 93. She is survived by her son Gregg of Ocala and a daughter Dianne Chavez and her husband Ernie of Hermosa Beach, CA and their five children, 7 grandchildren and a grandson Brendan Paskach of Manhattan Beach, CA and 3 nephews and 4 nieces. She was preceded in death by her husband Herbert after 40 years of marriage in 1979 and a daughter Darlene Paskach in 1999. She was active in the First United Methodist Church of Ocala, enjoyed Bridge at the Senior Citizens Center and traveled extensively in the U.S. and abroad. Memorial Services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 23rd at the Chapel of the First United Methodist Church at SE 11th Ave and Fort King Street. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Hospice of Marion County. 3231 S.W. 34th Ave Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/10/2007.

2209. KEMP, JR., WILLIAM I. (Obituary No. 2209.), 52 Ocala - Mr. William I. Kemp, Jr., 52, passed away on June 5, 2007 at his residence. He was a native of Mineral Wells, TX and had made his home here for the last 45 years, moving here from El Paso, TX. He was the owner of Bill Kemp Construction Co. and was scoutmaster for BSA Troop 112 at Druid Hills United Methodist Church for the past ten years. He enjoyed all outdoor activities, including hunting and fishing. He is survived by his son, Tommy of Ocala and his brother, Bobby of Beaver Creek, OH. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala with Rev. June P. Edwards officiating. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/11/2007.

2210. KEOLA, SUZANNE J. (Obituary No. 2210.), 72 Lady Lake - Suzanne J. Keola, 72, passed away Wednesday, June 6, 2007. She was a retired registered nurse and worked many years for Gentiva Home Health Care. She moved to FL in 1990. She was a member of St. Timothy Catholic Church; and loved gardening; cooking; and reading. Survivors include her daughters, Constance (Ken) Powell; Madonna (Kevin) Glenn; Marilyn (Michael) Westropp;
Lorraine (Dick) McLaughlin; a son Dennis (Joanne) Varee; sisters, Kay Wright; Mary Wheeles; brothers, Clarence, Edward, Francis, Timothy Gidus; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Funeral services will be held 1 P.M. Sunday, June 10, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd, The Villages, FL. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Lake & Sumter, 12300 Lane Park Road, Tavares, FL 32778. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/10/2007.

2211. KRIETEMEYER, ALLIE MAE (Obituary No. 2211.), 79 Ocklawaha - Allie Mae Krietemeyer, 79, died on June 7, 2007. She was born in Ocala and was a lifetime resident. She was a member of Central Christian Church, a volunteer at Ocala Regional Medical Center and a Marion County poll worker for many years. She was school secretary at Wyomina Park Elementary School for over twenty years. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Albert J. Krietemeyer of Ocklawaha, her sons, Andy L. Krietemeyer of Micanopy and Larry C. Krietemeyer of Ocala, her sister, Josie Jones of Ocklawaha, and her two grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Monday, June 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Roger Wright officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. on Sunday. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County or to the Marion County Alzheimer's Assn. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/10/2007.

2212. MCMILLEN, MAX A. (Obituary No. 2212.), 75 Belleview - Max A. McMillen, of Belleview, passed away Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at his residence. He was born February 1, 1932 in Lansing, MI, and came to Ocala in 1983. He served in the U.S. Army during The Korean Conflict. He is survived by his wife Loretta McMillen of Belleview, two sons Mark A. McMillen of Ocala and Patrick M. McMillen of Plant City, one daughter Kensey Zigler of Eaton Rapids, MI and ten grandchildren, and his extended brother Charles McMillen, sister Magel Priessman, and many extended family members. Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at The Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements made by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 910 Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/11/2007.

2213. ROWE, DONALD O. (Obituary No. 2213.), 82 Ocala - Donald O. Rowe, age 82, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, June 7, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. He was born in Chagrin Falls, Ohio on March 18, 1925. Mr. Rowe was a retired General Contractor and a former owner/operator of Rowe and Newberry, Inc. in St. Petersburg, FL for over 30 years. He was a Christian and a member of College Road Baptist Church in Ocala. While living in St. Petersburg, he was an active member of the Sertoma Club and the St. Petersburg Yacht Club. His hobbies included sailing, boating and fishing. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Bonnie L. Rowe, of Ocala; son, George Rowe, and daughter in law, Carole, of Ocala; step brother, John Bridge, of St. Petersburg and 2 grandchildren, Kelly Elmore and Donald A. Rowe. A private memorial service will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/10/2007.

2214. STURTEVANT, LOUISE M. (Obituary No. 2214.), 83 Ocala - Louise M. Sturtevant, 83, of Ocala passed away June 7, 2007 after a brief illness. Mrs. Sturtevant enjoyed a career in movies, TV and radio while residing in Queens, NY. She was crowned as Mrs. New York State
in the Mrs. America contest in 1955 & 1956. Louise later worked for several airlines in the security & customer screening areas, and was a sales representative for Sprint. After retiring, Louise and her husband Bob moved to Ocala, FL realizing that was where they liked the most. She is survived by her loving husband and companion Dr. Robert C. Sturtevant, children Louisa Buford of Houston, TX, Linda Mount of Wesley Chapel, NC, Dennis Sturtevant of New York City, NY and Dina Canzoneri of Elkton, MD. And her sister and family in Essex, VT. A private service was held on Friday, June 8, 2007 at 10 a.m. in the chapel at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/10/2007.

2215. WILLIAMS, WILLIAM G. (Obituary No. 2215.), 46 Silver Springs- William G. Williams, 46, died suddenly at his home Monday, June 4th. The William's family moved here from Michigan in Sept. 2001. He was a devoted husband to Lori, and dedicated father to Nathan, Leslie & Katie. A loving son of Shirley Poteet, and a super brother to Sandy Grimm and Patrick Chadwick. He had many other relatives & friends in the Detroit area, as well as here in Florida. His friends are welcome to join the family at his home Saturday June 9th to celebrate his life. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/11/2007.

2216. WYATT, JAMES W. (Obituary No. 2216.), 45 Summerfield - Mr. James W. Wyatt, 45, of Summerfield, died at his home Thursday, June 7, 2007. A native of Ohio, he had lived most of his lifetime in Marion County. A rural letter carrier for the US Postal Service, his hobbies included coaching baseball, football, and following his Florida Gators. He is survived by his wife Kathy, his daughter Brittany and son Brandt, all of Summerfield, his mother Lucille Wyatt, also of Summerfield, Sisters Joyce Easterling of Middletown, Ohio and Judy Bass of Summerfield. Also surviving are his nieces Melissa Boltnott of Hamilton, Ohio and Jennifer Brooks of Umatilla. Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Monday, June 11, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, with Rev. Damon B. Walker officiating. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Sunday from 3-5 PM. Memorial contributions may be made to the Belleview Youth Baseball League, P.O. Box 550, Belleview, FL 34421. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/11/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Monday, June 11, 2007

2217. BOREK, LOUISE PEARL JOHNS (Obituary No. 2217.), 91 Orange Lake - Mrs. Louise Pearl Johns Borek, 91, died June 8, 2007 at her home in Orange Lake. Louise was born in Suwannee County and lived in Florida her whole life. She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph Michael Borek. She is survived by her daughter Veronica and son-in-law Mark Whitebread; two grandchildren, Todd Baker and Juliann Whitebread; one brother, Ernest Johns of Wimauma, FL; great niece caregivers, Charlene Whitehead of Polk City, FL and Cheryl Finks of Warrenville, SC; and nieces she helped raise, Sharon Decker of Charlotte, NC and Linda Koozer of Villarica, GA. Visitation will be held on Monday, June 11, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Milam Funeral Home, 311 South Main Street, Gainesville, FL. Graveside service will be conducted on Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at the Millwood Cemetery, Reddick, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations are made to Haven Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474, or to The Eviston United Methodist Church Building Fund, in Evinston, FL 32633. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND
2218. BREEDING, MARGIE J. (Obituary No. 2218.), 83 Ocala - Mrs. Margie J. Breeding, 83, of Ocala passed away Thursday, June 7th, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Prater, Virginia, Mrs. Breeding has been a Marion County resident since 1948. Mrs. Breeding was a retired seamstress with Lady Bayard Co. She attended Grace Presbyterian Church, was a member of the Marion County Blood Bank Gallon Club, and enjoyed gardening, quilting and sewing. Survivors include husband Lee Breeding, Sr. of Ocala, daughter Marilyn White of Ocala, sons Leon Yates of Haysi, VA, and Lee Breeding, Jr. of Honolulu, HI, two sisters, Berchie Blankenship and June Hamilton, both of Clyde, OH, six brothers, Lonzo Yates of Bryan, OH, John Yates of Napoleon, OH, Roosevelt Yates of Clyde, OH, Vada Yates of Grundy, VA, Jerry Yates of Troy, MI, Elzie Yates of Las Vegas, NV, six grandchildren, and ten great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her sister Lottie VanDyke, and brothers Burion, Ernest and Jessee Yates. Funeral service will be 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, June 13, 2007 at Grace Presbyterian Church, Ocala, with Rev. Carl Brannan officiating. Visitation will be at 10:00 a.m. at the church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/11/2007.

2219. CASTRO, JESUS ALBERTO (Obituary No. 2219.), 43 Ocala - Beloved Husband, Father and Brother died Friday, June 8, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. Mr. Castro was born in Honduras and moved to America in 1979, eventually becoming a U.S. Citizen. He was a member of the United States Marine Corps serving during peacetime. Mr. Castro was a member of the Iglesia Cristiana Renacer Church where he lead Devotionals and was active in the Sunday School. He was a Juvenile Detention officer with the Marion Regional Juvenile Detention Center. He was a Soccer coach and enjoyed playing soccer as a Goalie, he loved to Barbeque, write poems and Dance and was always the life of the party and enjoyed making people laugh. Mr. Castro was very proud of being a Marine. He was close to his mother and loved his children and wife. He left a special imprint in all the lives he touched. He is survived by his wife, Martha Castro of Ocala, Florida; daughter, Yesenia Castro of Long Island, NY; sons, Alejandro Castro of Long Island, NY and Enzo Gabriel Castro of Ocala, Florida; mother, Anarda Castro of Honduras; father, Juan Castro of Honduras; sister, Sonia E. Dubon of Houston, TX., sister, Alba G. Doblado of Suwannee, GA., and sister, Susan Vivas of Queens, NY; brother, Victor Torres of Queens, NY., brother, Omar E. Flores of Brooklyn, NY., brother, Marco Castro of Houston, TX., and brother, Daniel Castro of Manhattan, NY. Visitation for Mr. Castro will be held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Funeral Services will be Wednesday, June 13, 2007 at 9:30 a.m. at Hiers Funeral Home with Pastor Erick Freytes officiating with interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery with Military Honors. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2220. HARRELLE, WAYNE (Obituary No. 2220.), 66 Ocala - Mr. Wayne Harrelle, 66, passed away June 8th at his residence. He was born in Lake Worth, FL and moved to Ocala in 2006 from W. Palm Beach, FL. He was a Baptist, an avid NASCAR, Miami Dolphins, UF and FSU fan. He was also a pinball grandchampion and an avid reader. He is survived by Jeanelle Meredith, his wife of 19 years, sons Scott (Martha) Meredith, Steven Meredith, both of Ocala, daughter Angela Harrelle Buckhanan of Tallahassee, brother Lomax Harrelle of LaBelle, FL and four grandchildren, Arnold, Justin, Ian and Danny. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8
p.m. on Tuesday, June 12 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. There will be a funeral service at the funeral home on Wednesday, June 13th at 1:00 p.m. with Dr. Mike Patton officiating. Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/11/2007.

2221. KEMP, JR., WILLIAM I. (Obituary No. 2221.), 52 Ocala - Mr. William I. Kemp, Jr., 52, passed away on June 5, 2007 at his residence. He was a native of Mineral Wells, TX and had made his home here for the last 45 years, moving here from El Paso, TX. He was the owner of Bill Kemp Construction Co. and was scoutmaster for BSA Troop 112 at Druid Hills United Methodist Church for the past ten years. He enjoyed all outdoor activities, including hunting and fishing. He is survived by his son, Tommy of Ocala and his brother, Bobby of Beaver Creek, OH. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala with Rev. June P. Edwards officiating. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/11/2007.

2222. MCMILLEN, MAX A. (Obituary No. 2222.), 75 Belleview - Max A. McMillen, of Belleview, passed away Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at his residence. He was born February 1, 1932 in Lansing, MI, and came to Ocala in 1983. He served in the U.S. Army during The Korean Conflict. He is survived by his wife Loretta McMillen of Belleview, two sons Mark A. McMillen of Ocala and Patrick M. McMillen of Plant City, one daughter Kensey Zigler of Eaton Rapids, MI and ten grandchildren, and his extended brother Charles McMillen, sister Magel Priessman, and many extended family members. Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at The Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements made by HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 910 Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/11/2007.

2223. WILLIAMS, WILLIAM G. (Obituary No. 2223.), 46 Silver Springs- William G. Williams, 46, died suddenly at his home Monday, June 4th. The William's family moved here from Michigan in Sept. 2001. He was a devoted husband to Lori, and dedicated father to Nathan, Leslie & Katie. A loving son of Shirley Poteet, and a super brother to Sandy Grimm and Patrick Chadwick. He had many other relatives & friends in the Detroit area, as well as here in Florida. His friends are welcome to join the family at his home Saturday June 9th to celebrate his life. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/11/2007.

2224. WYATT, JAMES W. (Obituary No. 2224.), 45 Summerfield - Mr. James W. Wyatt, 45, of Summerfield, died at his home Thursday, June 7, 2007. A native of Ohio, he had lived most of his lifetime in Marion County. A rural letter carrier for the US Postal Service, his hobbies included coaching baseball, football, and following his Florida Gators. He is survived by his wife Kathy, his daughter Brittany and son Brandt, all of Summerfield, his mother Lucille Wyatt, also of Summerfield, Sisters Joyce Easterling of Middletown, Ohio and Judy Bass of Summerfield. Also surviving are his nieces Melissa Bolnott of Hamilton, Ohio and Jennifer Brooks of Umatilla. Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Monday, June 11, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, with Rev. Damon B. Walker officiating. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Sunday from 3-5 PM.
Memorial contributions may be made to the Belleview Youth Baseball League, P.O. Box 550, Belleview, FL 34421. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/9/2007 - 6/11/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, June 12, 2007

2225. BOREK, LOUISE PEARL JOHNS (Obituary No. 2225.), 91 Orange Lake - Mrs. Louise Pearl Johns Borek, 91, died June 8, 2007 at her home in Orange Lake. Louise was born in Suwannee County and lived in Florida her whole life. She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph Michael Borek. She is survived by her daughter Veronica and son-in-law Mark Whitebread; two grandchildren, Todd Baker and Juliann Whitebread; one brother, Ernest Johns of Wimauma, FL; great niece caregivers, Charlene Whitehead of Polk City, FL and Cheryl Finks of Warrenville, SC; and nieces she helped raise, Sharon Decker of Charlotte, NC and Linda Koozer of Villarica, GA. Visitation will be held on Monday, June 11, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Milam Funeral Home, 311 South Main Street, Gainesville, FL. Graveside service will be conducted on Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at the Millwood Cemetery, Reddick, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations are made to Haven Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474, or to The Eviston United Methodist Church Building Fund, in Evinston, FL 32633. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 South Main Street, Gainesville, FL 32601 (352) 376-5361. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/10/2007 - 6/12/2007.

2226. BOSWELL, CAROLYNN (Obituary No. 2226.), 68 Olive Branch - Carolynn Leroy Warnock Boswell of Olive Branch, MS, formerly of Enfield, CT, Jacksonville, FL and Ocala, FL, passed away June 9, 2007, at age 68 after a brief illness. She left this life peacefully and surrounded by loved ones. She was preceded in death by her first love, Richard Warnock, with whom she shared 30 years. She had so much love to give that she was blessed again when she found Randy Boswell, whom she leaves behind after 19 wonderful years. She is also survived by her children, Cynthia Miller, Richard Warnock, Jr., Leslie Hogan and her husband Dale, Hallie Hastings and her husband Robert, Seth Boswell and his wife Maureen; her "adopted daughters", Rosalba Blaszyk and Diane McCafferty; ten grandchildren, Christopher, Emily, Spencer, Shayann, Breanna, Lexie, Blake, Caleigh, Lily, and Renee; one great grandchild, Devin; her brother, Ben LeRoy; two sisters, Margaret James and Joanne Pope; her mother-in-law, Phyllis Poole and Jim "Pops" Poole; and her best friend, Priscilla Toms. Grandma Moe will be missed for so many, many reasons, especially her love, advice, back rubs, and biscuits. Memorial services will be held 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, June 12, 2007, at East Win Christian Church on Hacks Cross Road. The family will receive friends beginning at 6:30 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or the American Cancer Society. BRANTLEY FUNERAL HOME, OLIVE BRANCH 662-895-2310. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2227. CASTRO, JESUS ALBERTO (Obituary No. 2227.), 43 Ocala - Beloved Husband, Father and Brother died Friday, June 8, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. Mr. Castro was born in Honduras and moved to America in 1979, eventually becoming a U.S. Citizen. He was a member of the United States Marine Corps serving during peacetime. Mr. Castro was a member of the Iglesia Cristiana Renacer Church where he lead Devotionals and was active in the Sunday School. He was a Juvenile Detention officer with the Marion Regional Juvenile Detention Center. He was a Soccer
coach and enjoyed playing soccer as a Goalie, he loved to Barbeque, write poems and Dance and was always the life of the party and enjoyed making people laugh. Mr. Castro was very proud of being a Marine. He was close to his mother and loved his children and wife. He left a special imprint in all the lives he touched. He is survived by his wife, Martha Castro of Ocala, Florida; daughter, Yesenia Castro of Long Island, NY; sons, Alejandro Castro of Long Island, NY and Enzo Gabriel Castro of Ocala, Florida; mother, Anarda Castro of Honduras; father, Juan Castro of Honduras; sister, Sonia E. Dubon of Houston, TX., sister, Alba G. Doblado of Suwannee, GA., and sister, Susan Vivas of Queens, NY; brother, Victor Torres of Queens, NY., brother, Omar E. Flores of Brooklyn, NY., brother, Marco Castro of Houston, TX., and brother, Daniel Castro of Manhattan, NY. Visitation for Mr. Castro will be held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Funeral Services will be Wednesday, June 13, 2007 at 9:30 a.m. at Hiers Funeral Home with Pastor Erick Freytes officiating with interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery with Military Honors. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/11/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2228. COCHRAN, SR., DR. WILLIAM H. (Obituary No. 2228.), 82 Ocala - Dr. William H. Cochran, 82 of Ocala, Fl, died on June 8, 2007. Preceded in death by his first wife, Edna C. Cochran. Survived by wife, Nancy Breeden Cochran, Ocala, FL, children, William H. (Vicki) Cochran, Jr. Richmond, VA, L. Kathy Cochran of Murrells Inlet, SC, Dr. David L (Monica) Cochran, San Antonio, TX and Dr. Ann B. (Doug) Kirol, Rock Hill, SC, eight grandchildren, two great grandchildren. Dr Cochran was born in Lynchburg, VA and served In the Army Air Corp In WWII as a tail gunner In a B-17 flying out of London. Graduated from Lynchburg College In 1949 and obtained his Master's degree from Duke University (1958) and Doctorate from the University of Virginia (1968). He devoted his entire educational career to the state of Virginia. In August of 1971 he moved to Richmond, VA. as Deputy Superintendent of Public instruction for the State Department of Education. He was Acting State Superintendent of Education and retired from the State Department In Sept of 1985. He was currently a member of the Deals West United Methodist Church. Ocala, FL Visitation will be Tuesday, June 12, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481 Memorial service will be at 4 p.m. Wednesday June 13, 2007 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church. Burial Florida National Cemetery. Bushnell, FL. HIERS-BAILEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2229. GRIFFIS, JOHN EDWIN (Obituary No. 2229.) Williston - John "Bill" Edwin Griffis, Age 80, passed away on June 10, 2007 at Haven Hospice Chiefland, FL. He was born December 3, 1926 to Albert and Ethel Griffis in Sparks, Georgia. He has lived in the Williston area all of his life. He was a member of the Crossword Community Church. He was a Army Veteran of WWII and Korea, was a member of the American Legion and VFW. He was a third generation barber and was a barber here in Williston for 53 years at City Barber Shop on Main Street. He enjoyed training, breeding, and racing thoroughbred horses. He is survived by his wife of 56 years Velvehree Keen Griffis, Williston FL; sons Edwin Ellis Griffis, Williston, FL., Gregory Alan Griffis, Williston, FL., Randy I. Griffis Williston, FL; daughter, Annette Griffis Kordgien. Williston, FL; brothers Tommy Griffis, Macon, GA., Phillip Griffis, Williston, FL., Lucious B. Griffis, Williston, FL., and Rocky L. Griffis, Williston, FL; sisters Betty Jo Shook, Williston, FL., and Faye Winney, Williston, FL; 8 grandchildren, and 1 great grandchildren. Visitation will
be held on Wednesday June 13, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME Chapel-Williston Services will be on Thursday June 14, 2007 at 3:00 p.m. at the Crossword Community Church Burial to follow at Orange Hill Cemetery In lieu of flowers family requests donations to be made to Haven Hospice of Chiefland, 311 NE 9th St Chiefland, FL 32626. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2230. HUTCHINS, CARL E. (Obituary No. 2230.), 60  Ocala - Carl E. Hutchins, 60, died Saturday, June 9, 2007 at his residence. He was the son of Herman and Mildred Hutchins, and a lifetime resident of Ocala and graduated from Ocala High School in 1965. He was an insurance salesman and is survived by his loving wife Lorraine Ann Hutchins, his loving twin sister, Carolyn Hutchins, his loving great niece and nephew, Sandra Hardin and Chris Robinson, his loving great niece, Helena Robinson, his loving aunts, Dorothy Camper and Mae Ratliff. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, June 13, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/14/2007.

2231. MACDONALD, J. EDWIN LEE (Obituary No. 2231.), 84 Waterloo, NY - J. Edwin Lee "Mac" MacDonald, 84, died away Thursday, June 7, 2007 at Seneca Rehab Center of Waterloo, NY. "Mac" was born in Montezuma, NY on December 8, 1922. He was the youngest child of the late Otis and Helen Gilmore MacDonald of Weedsport. A well known horse-trainer, rider and showman in several areas of Florida, "Mac" won countless trophies and ribbons. Mr. MacDonald was in the US Army. He received the American Campaign Medal along with a Good Conduct Metal and WWII Victory Medal. Surviving are his sisters, Marion L. Walters of Weedsport, twin-sisters, Bernadine L. MacBride of Port Byron and Dorothy Hildebrandt of Conqust, several nieces and nephews, cousins, great nieces and nephew, and caregivers. Services will be private for the family. Contributions may be made to Hospice, 1120 S. Main St. Newark, NY or Seneca Nursing Center & Rehab, Douglas Dr., Waterloo, NY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2232. MCCARRON, JR., ROBERT HUGH (Obituary No. 2232.), 59  Ocala - Robert H. McCarron, Jr., 59, of Ocala, died Sunday, June 3, 2007, after a 16 month battle with lung cancer. Bob was born in Oak Park, IL, on November 12, 1947. In 1983, Bob and his family moved to Ocala to join the family business, W.H. Schilbe Citrus Brokerage, where he spent 20 devoted years and became co-owner. He most recently worked as a financial advisor at Morgan Stanley and World Savings. Upon graduating from the University of Illinois with a B.S. in Communications, Bob started his career in 1970 and worked for 13 years with Sears Roebuck and Co., leaving as store manager in Frankfort, IN. He was a truly loving husband, father, and dear friend, always caring deeply about others. Bob is survived by his wife of 35 years, Sharon: children, Matthew (Lynn) McCarron of Summerfield, FL and Courtney (Kevin) Hastings of Rockville, MD; siblings, Carol (John) White of Naperville, IL, Nancy (Darryl) Fisher of Blue Bell, PA, Pat (Bob) Stanley of Oswego, IL, Kay (Tom) Fleetwood of Amboy, IL, Mike McCarron of Ft. Wayne, IN and Liz (Rick) Montgomery of Plainfield, IL; and four grandchildren, Taylor, Kimo, Keone, and Keaka. He is preceded in death by his parents Robert and Irene McCarron; niece Kelly Stanley; father-in-law Walter Schilbe; and sister-in-law Lynne McCarron. A memorial service will be held Saturday, June 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. at First United Methodist Church, 1126 E Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the
2233. NESTHUS, ROBERT M. (Obituary No. 2233.), 70 Ocala - Robert M. "Bob" Nesthus, 70, passed away June 10, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. He was born in Faulkton, SD and moved to Ocala in 2002 from Vienna, VA. He was a supervisor for the City of Vienna Public Works. He was a Methodist, loved horses and U.S. Navy Veteran and a member of the VFW and the Loyal Order of the Moose. He is survived by a sister, Karla (Daniel) Story of Ocala, a brother, Garold (Joanne) Nesthus of Long Beach, CA, and 5 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son, Bradley Nesthus and a daughter, Cheryl Ann Stroesbury. A memorial service will be held at a later date. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2234. ROBERTS, DONNA L. (Obituary No. 2234.), 63 Ocala - Beloved mother and grandmother, 63, died Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. Born May 15, 1944 in Hornell, NY., she was a daughter of George and Evelyn Ellis. On July 11, 1964 she married Paul Roberts. Surviving her are her mother, Evelyn; husband, Paul; daughter, Paula of Angelica, NY; son, Fred and his wife Karen; two grandchildren, Michaela and Jason of Salem, Oregon; sister, Barbara Chancas of Ocala; and several nieces and nephews. She was a graduate of Stranahan High School, Fort Lauderdale and Rochester Dental Assisting School, Rochester, NY. She was a certified dental assistant for 21 years. Recently she was head of the fabric department in Hobby Lobby Store in Ocala. She gave of herself to others as a fireman and EMT with Angelica Fire Department assisting with the birth of twins in the ambulance on one occasion; youth director at Summerfield Baptist Church and Pedro Baptist Church; adult choir director at Maranatha Baptist Church. A memorial service will be held Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at 7 p.m. at Pedro Baptist Church with a memorial service this summer in Angelica and burial in Until the Day Dawn Cemetery in Angelica, NY. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Baptist Children's Home, P.O. Box 8190, Lakeland, FL 33802 in her memory. She loved all children. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2235. VICKERS, JANE COLE (Obituary No. 2235.), 82 Dunnellon - Jane Cole Vickers. 82, Died June 9, 2007, In Hospice Legacy House Of Marion County. Mrs. Vickers Moved To Dunnellon From Missouri In The Late 1920's. She Graduated With Honors From Dunnellon High School And Massey Business College In Jacksonville. While In Jacksonville She Became A Voice Pupil Of Ruth Hayes Read, A Well Known Teacher In Musical Circles. Mrs. Read Presented Mrs. Vickers In Recitals In Jacksonville Churches And Other City Events. Moving Back To Dunnellon In 1948, Mrs. Vickers Continued Her Musical Career In The First Baptist Church Of Dunnellon Where She Composed Music For Special Events And Served As Choir Director. She Served As Training Union Director, Taught Several Sunday School Classes And Served On Various Church Committees. She Was Very Active In Youth Activities, Mrs. Vickers Served As Church Treasurer For Over Thirty Five Years. Mrs. Vickers Owned And Operated "Janes's Party Barrell" In Dunnellon Where She Specialized In All Phases Of Weddings. She Is Preceded In Death By Her Husband. John Frank Vickers And Mother, Daisy Marie Le. She is Survived By First Cousins, Shirley Owens. Linda S And Frances Markham And Their Families All Of Dunnellon; Sister-in-Law, Virginia Tankersley And Brother-In-Law, Floyd Tankersley Of
Ocala And Many Other Cousins. Visitation Will Be At 10.0 Am, Thursday, June 14, 2007, At The First Baptist Church. Fun L Services Will Be At 11 a.m. On June 14, 2007 At The First Baptist Church. Burial Will Be In Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. Dr. Bob Brooks Will Officiate. In Lieu Of Flowers, Donations May Be Made To Hospice Of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Fl. 34478 Or First Baptist Church Of Dunnellon Building Fund. Information Provided By ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2236. VINSON, THOMAS JOEL (Obituary No. 2236.), 54 Ocala - Thomas Joel Vinson, 54, a native of Ocala, passed away Sunday, June 10, 2007 at home. He served in the US Navy during the Viet Nam era. Mr. Vinson was a member of Tri-County Worship Center, Summerfield. He was employed by Lowe's, Silver Springs, FL. His hobbies included fishing, puzzles, love of his family, friends and church. He is survived by his mother, Wille Mae Vinson of Ocala; father, Frank Vinson, Sr. of Cowarts, AL; four brothers, Ben and Robert of Ocala; Howard Emory of Weirsdale, Jim of Riverview, FL; two daughters and a number of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by two sons, Shawn and Cass Vinson, and one sister, Frances Waldreon. Visitation will be Wednesday, June 13, 2007 from 10 - 11 a.m. with the funeral service following at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Contributions may be made to Tri-County Worship Center or Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2237. ZALESKI, JULIANNA "JULIE" (Obituary No. 2237.), 64 Tallahassee - Julianna "Julie" Zaleski, 64, beloved sister, mother and grandmother, passed away Saturday, June 9, 2007 in Tallahassee. Funeral Mass will be held at 3 p.m. on Thursday, June 14, 2007 in Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Tallahassee. Burial will be in St. Adalbert Cemetery, Pittsburgh, PA. Born in Pittsburgh, PA., she moved to Ocala, Florida in 1979 where she was an active member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Last year she relocated to Tallahassee to be closer to her children and grandchildren. She is survived by her sisters, Rosemarie Majewski of Pittsburgh and Dorothy of Frostproof, Florida; brother, Walter Bialecki; sons, James "Jim" Zaleski (and his wife Wendy) and Matthew "Matt" Zaleski all of Tallahassee; two grandchildren, Jessica and Ryan Zaleski whom she loved more than life; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Chester and Anna Catherine Bialecki and her husband of 25 years, James Edward Zaleski of Pittsburgh. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

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2238. ALTEMUS, CHARLES R. (Obituary No. 2238.), 93 Fort Wayne, IN - Charles R. Altemus, 93, died Sunday, June 10, 2007 at St Anne Home in Fort Wayne. Born in Bethlehem, PA, he was a self-employed general contractor for 35 years. Survivors include wife of 70 years, Teresa M. Altemus of Fort Wayne; children, Robert (Alicia) Altemus of Thousand Oaks, CA, Thomas (DD) Altemus of Columbia City, and Bernadette (Tom) Landis of Allentown, PA; brothers, Richard and Edward Altemus both of Bethlehem, PA; 10 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and 1great-great-grandchild. Service is 10:30 a.m. Friday at St. Anne Home Chapel, 1900 Randallia Drive with calling one hour prior, Fr. Jack Overmeyer officiating. Arrangements by D.O. MCCOMB & SONS LAKESIDE PARK FUNERAL HOME, 1140 Lake

2239. BOSWELL, CAROLYNN (Obituary No. 2239.), 68 Olive Branch - Carolynn Leroy Warnock Boswell of Olive Branch, MS, formerly of Enfield, CT, Jacksonville, FL and Ocala, FL, passed away June 9, 2007, at age 68 after a brief illness. She left this life peacefully and surrounded by loved ones. She was preceded in death by her first love, Richard Warnock, with whom she shared 30 years. She had so much love to give that she was blessed again when she found Randy Boswell, whom she leaves behind after 19 wonderful years. She is also survived by her children, Cynthia Miller, Richard Warnock, Jr., Leslie Hogan and her husband Dale, Hallie Hastings and her husband Robert, Seth Boswell and his wife Maureen; her "adopted daughters", Rosalba Blaszyk and Diane McCafferty; ten grandchildren, Christopher, Emily, Spencer, Shayann, Breanna, Lexie, Blake, Caleigh, Lily, and Renee; one great grandchild, Devin; her brother, Ben LeRoy; two sisters, Margaret James and Joanne Pope; her mother-in-law, Phyllis Poole and Jim "Pops" Poole; and her best friend, Priscilla Toms. Grandma Moe will be missed for so many, many reasons, especially her love, advice, back rubs, and biscuits. Memorial services will be held 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, June 12, 2007, at East Win Christian Church on Hacks Cross Road. The family will receive friends beginning at 6:30 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or the American Cancer Society. BRANTLEY FUNERAL HOME, OLIVE BRANCH 662-895-2310. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2240. CASTRO, JESUS ALBERTO (Obituary No. 2240.), 43 Ocala - Beloved Husband, Father and Brother died Friday, June 8, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. Mr. Castro was born in Honduras and moved to America in 1979, eventually becoming a U.S. Citizen. He was a member of the United States Marine Corps serving during peacetime. Mr. Castro was a member of the Iglesia Cristiana Renacer Church where he lead Devotionals and was active in the Sunday School. He was a Juvenile Detention officer with the Marion Regional Juvenile Detention Center. He was a Soccer coach and enjoyed playing soccer as a Goalie, he loved to Barbeque, write poems and Dance and was always the life of the party and enjoyed making people laugh. Mr. Castro was very proud of being a Marine. He was close to his mother and loved his children and wife. He left a special imprint in all the lives he touched. He is survived by his wife, Martha Castro of Ocala, Florida; daughter, Yesenia Castro of Long Island, NY; sons, Alejandro Castro of Long Island, NY and Enzo Gabriel Castro of Ocala, Florida; mother, Anarda Castro of Honduras; father, Juan Castro of Honduras; sister, Sonia E. Dubon of Houston, TX., sister, Alba G. Doblad of Suwannee, GA., and sister, Susan Vivas of Queens, NY; brother, Victor Torres of Queens, NY., brother, Omar E. Flores of Brooklyn, NY., brother, Marco Castro of Houston, TX., and brother, Daniel Castro of Manhattan, NY. Visitation for Mr. Castro will be held from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Funeral Services will be Wednesday, June 13, 2007 at 9:30 a.m. at Hiers Funeral Home with Pastor Erick Freytes officiating with interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery with Military Honors. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/11/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2241. CAUTHEN, RAYMOND SAMUEL (Obituary No. 2241.), 83 Ocala - Mr. Raymond Samuel "R.S." Cauthen, age 83, of Lynne, Florida died Sunday, June 10, 2007 at the Hawthorne Village Nursing Center. He was born in Summerfield, Florida and moved to Lynne, Florida and
has lived there for most of his life. He was a grader operator for the State of Florida Road Department for 20 years. He served in the U.S. Navy during WWII and in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He is a member of the Tin Can Sailors Association and the National Riflemans Association. He loved traveling, reading, writing, building model railroads and was an avid movie watcher. He is survived by his (3) daughters, Barbara Jean Banks of Clancey, Montana, Donna Rae Cowart and Billie Jo Watkins both of Ocala, Florida; his (2) brothers, James Maurice Cauthen of Ocala, Florida and Earl Cauthen of Alachua, Florida; (4) grandchildren and (5) great grandchildren. He is predeceased by his 1st grandson, Joshua Ray Cowart. Funeral services will be 11 a.m., Friday, June 15, 2007 at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala, Florida 34476 with interment to follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. Pastor James Snell will be officiating. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home, one hour prior to the service time. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/13/2007 - 6/14/2007.

2242. COCHRAN, SR., DR. WILLIAM H (Obituary No. 2242.), 82 Ocala - Dr. William H. Cochran, 82 of Ocala. Fl, died on June 8, 2007. Preceded in death by his first wife, Edna C. Cochran. Survived by wife, Nancy Breeden Cochran, Ocala, FL, children, William H. (Vicki) Cochran, Jr. Richmond, VA, L. Kathy Cochran of Murrells Inlet, SC, Dr. David L (Monica) Cochran, San Antonio, TX and Dr. Ann B. (Doug) Kirol, Rock Hill, SC, eight grandchildren, two great grandchildren. Dr Cochran was born in Lynchburg, VA and served In the Army Air Corp In WWII as a tail gunner In a B-17 flying out of London. Graduated from Lynchburg College In 1949 and obtained his Master's degree from Duke University (1958) and Doctorate from the University of Virginia (1968). He devoted his entire educational career to the state of Virginia. In August of 1971 he moved to Richmond, VA. as Deputy Superintendent of Public instruction for the State Department of Education. He was Acting State Superintendent of Education and retired from the State Department In Sept of 1985. He was currently a member of the Deals West United Methodist Church. Ocala, FL Visitation will be Tuesday, June 12, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. FL 34481 Memorial service will be at 4 p.m. Wednesday June 13, 2007 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church. Burial Florida National Cemetery. Bushnell, FL. HIERSBAILLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2243. GRIFFIS, JOHN EDWIN (Obituary No. 2243.) Williston - John "Bill" Edwin Griffis, Age 80, passed away on June 10, 2007 at Haven Hospice Chiefland, FL. He was born December 3, 1926 to Albert and Ethel Griffis in Sparks, Georgia. He has lived in the Williston area all of his life. He was a member of the Crossword Community Church. He was a Army Veteran of WWII and Korea, was a member of the American Legion and VFW. He was a third generation barber and was a barber here in Williston for 53 years at City Barber Shop on Main Street. He enjoyed training, breeding, and racing thoroughbred horses. He is survived by his wife of 56 years Velvehree Keen Griffis, Williston FL; sons Edwin Ellis Griffis, Williston, FL., Gregory Alan Griffis, Williston, FL., Randy I. Griffis Williston, FL; daughter, Annette Griffis Kordgien. Williston, FL; brothers Tommy Griffis, Macon, GA., Phillip Griffis, Williston, FL., Lucious B. Griffis, Williston, FL., and Rocky L. Griffis, Williston, FL; sisters Betty Jo Shook, Williston, FL., and Faye Winney, Williston, FL; 8 grandchildren, and 1 great grandchildren. Visitation will be held on Wednesday June 13, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME
Chapel-Williston Services will be on Thursday June 14, 2007 at 3:00 p.m. at the Crossword Community Church Burial to follow at Orange Hill Cemetery In lieu of flowers family requests donations to be made to Haven Hospice of Chiefland, 311 NE 9th St Chiefland, FL 32626. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2244. HUTCHINS, CARL E. (Obituary No. 2244.), 60 Ocala - Carl E. Hutchins, 60, died Saturday, June 9, 2007 at his residence. He was the son of Herman and Mildred Hutchins, and a lifetime resident of Ocala and graduated from Ocala High School in 1965. He was an insurance salesman and is survived by his loving wife Lorraine Ann Hutchins, his loving twin sister, Carolyn Hutchins, his loving great niece and nephew, Sandra Hardin and Chris Robinson, his loving great niece, Helena Robinson, his loving aunts, Dorothy Camper and Mae Ratliff. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, June 13, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/14/2007.

2245. MACDONALD, J. EDWIN LE (Obituary No. 2245.) E, 84 Waterloo, NY - J. Edwin Lee "Mac" MacDonald, 84, died away Thursday, June 7, 2007 at Seneca Rehab Center of Waterloo, NY. "Mac" was born in Montezuma, NY on December 8, 1922. He was the youngest child of the late Otis and Helen Gilmore MacDonald of Weedsport. A well known horse-trainer, rider and showman in several areas of Florida, "Mac" won countless trophies and ribbons. Mr. MacDonald was in the US Army. He received the American Campaign Medal along with a Good Conduct Metal and WWII Victory Medal. Surviving are his sisters, Marion L. Walters of Weedsport, twin-sisters, Bernadine L. MacBride of Port Byron and Dorothy Hildebrandt of Conquest, several nieces and nephews, cousins, great nieces and nephew, and caregivers. Services will be private for the family. Contributions may be made to Hospice, 1120 S. Main St. Newark, NY or Seneca Nursing Center & Rehab, Douglas Dr., Waterloo, NY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2246. MCCARRON, JR., ROBERT HUG (Obituary No. 2246.) H, 59 Ocala - Robert H. McCarron, Jr., 59, of Ocala, died Sunday, June 3, 2007, after a 16 month battle with lung cancer. Bob was born in Oak Park, IL, on November 12, 1947. In 1983, Bob and his family moved to Ocala to join the family business, W.H. Schilbe Citrus Brokerage, where he spent 20 devoted years and became co-owner. He most recently worked as a financial advisor at Morgan Stanley and World Savings. Upon graduating from the University of Illinois with a B.S. in Communications, Bob started his career in 1970 and worked for 13 years with Sears Roebuck and Co., leaving as store manager in Frankfort, IN. He was a truly loving husband, father, and dear friend, always caring deeply about others. Bob is survived by his wife of 35 years, Sharon: children, Matthew (Lynn) McCarron of Summerfield, FL and Courtney (Kevin) Hastings of Rockville, MD; siblings, Carol (John) White of Naperville, IL, Nancy (Darryl) Fisher of Blue Bell, PA, Pat (Bob) Stanley of Oswego, IL, Kay (Tom) Fleetwood of Amboy, IL, Mike McCarron of Ft. Wayne, IN and Liz (Rick) Montgomery of Plainfield, IL; and four grandchildren, Taylor, Kimo, Keone, and Keaka. He is preceded in death by his parents Robert and Irene McCarron; niece Kelly Stanley; father-in-law Walter Schilbe; and sister-in-law Lynne McCarron. A memorial service will be held Saturday, June 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. at First United Methodist Church, 1126 E Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the
2247. NESTHUS, ROBERT M. (Obituary No. 2247.), 70 Ocala - Robert M. "Bob" Nesthus, 70, passed away June 10, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. He was born in Faulkton, SD and moved to Ocala in 2002 from Vienna, VA. He was a supervisor for the City of Vienna Public Works. He was a Methodist, loved horses and U.S. Navy Veteran and a member of the VFW and the Loyal Order of the Moose. He is survived by a sister, Karla (Daniel) Story of Ocala, a brother, Garold (Joanne) Nesthus of Long Beach, CA, and 5 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son, Bradley Nesthus and a daughter, Cheryl Ann Stroesbury. A memorial service will be held at a later date. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2248. ROBERTS, DONNA L. (Obituary No. 2248.), 63 Ocala - Beloved mother and grandmother, 63, died Wednesday, June 6, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. Born May 15, 1944 in Hornell, NY., she was a daughter of George and Evelyn Ellis. On July 11, 1964 she married Paul Roberts. Surviving her are her mother, Evelyn; husband, Paul; daughter, Paula of Angelica, NY; son, Fred and his wife Karen; two grandchildren, Michaela and Jason of Salem, Oregon; sister, Barbara Chancas of Ocala; and several nieces and nephews. She was a graduate of Stranahan High School, Fort Lauderdale and Rochester Dental Assisting School, Rochester, NY. She was a certified dental assistant for 21 years. Recently she was head of the fabric department in Hobby Lobby Store in Ocala. She gave of herself to others as a fireman and EMT with Angelica Fire Department assisting with the birth of twins in the ambulance on one occasion; youth director at Summerfield Baptist Church and Pedro Baptist Church; adult choir director at Maranatha Baptist Church. A memorial service will be held Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at 7 p.m. at Pedro Baptist Church with a memorial service this summer in Angelica and burial in Until the Day Dawn Cemetery in Angelica, NY. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Baptist Children's Home, P.O. Box 8190, Lakeland, FL 33802 in her memory. She loved all children. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

2249. VICKERS, JANE COLE (Obituary No. 2249.), 82 Dunnellon - Jane Cole Vickers. 82, Died June 9, 2007, In Hospice Legacy House Of Marion County. Mrs. Vickers Moved To Dunnellon From Missouri In The Late 1920's. She Graduated With Honors From Dunnellon High School And Massey Business College In Jacksonville. While In Jacksonville She Became A Voice Pupil Of Ruth Hayes Read, A Well Known Teacher In Musical Circles. Mrs. Read Presented Mrs. Vickers In Recitals In Jacksonville Churches And Other City Events. Moving Back To Dunnellon In 1948, Mrs. Vickers Continued Her Musical Career In The First Baptist Church Of Dunnellon Where She Composed Music For Special Events And Served As Choir Director. She Served As Training Union Director, Taught Several Sunday School Classes And Served On Various Church Committees. She Was Very Active In Youth Activities. Mrs. Vickers Served As Church Treasurer For Over Thirty Five Years. Mrs. Vickers Owned And Operated "Janes's Party Barrell" In Dunnellon Where She Specialized In All Phases Of Weddings. She Is Preceded In Death By Her Husband. John Frank Vickers And Mother, Daisy Marie Le. She is Survived By First Cousins, Shirley Owens. Linda S And Frances Markham And Their Families All Of Dunnellon; Sister-in-Law, Virginia Tankersley And Brother-In-Law, Floyd Tankersley Of Ocala And Many Other Cousins. Visitation Will Be At 10.0 Am, Thursday, June 14, 2007, At
The First Baptist Church. Fun L Services Will Be At 11 a.m. On June 14, 2007 At The First Baptist Church. Burial Will Be In Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. Dr. Bob Brooks Will Officiate. In Lieu Of Flowers, Donations May Be Made To Hospice Of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Fl. 34478 Or First Baptist Church Of Dunnellon Building Fund. Information Provided By ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/13/2007.

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2251. WHETZEL, VICTOR C. (Obituary No. 2251.), 79 Summerfield - Victor C. Whetzel, 79, died May 11, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. Mr. Whetzel was born in Nokesville, VA and moved to Central Florida from Bangor, PA., in 1974. He was a Navy veteran of World War II; a retired carpenter; a member of Moose Lodge #1199, American Legion #284, VFW (Life Member) #85; a member of Victory Baptist Church in Summerfield; and he formed "THE COUNTRY ROADS" band in 1974 and was well known for playing venues throughout Central Florida. He is survived by his wife of 47 years Patricia A. Whetzel of Summerfield, FL; sons Robert C. Whetzel (Suzi) of Lakeland, FL and Victor W. Whetzel (Sharon) of Summerfield, FL; daughter Carla Marie Finnegan of Paw Paw, West Virginia; Linda Ledbeatter, deceased; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. A Memorial service will be held June 16, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Victory Baptist Church, Summerfield. Memorial donations in his honor may be made to The Humane Society, 10699 SW 105th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34481 or the SPCA of Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/13/2007 - 6/14/2007.

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2254. BARBATO, SR., PAUL E (Obituary No. 2254.), 48Ocala - Paul E. Barbato, age 48, passed away Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at MRMC. He was born in Queens, New York April 19, 1959 and came to Ocala, 14 year from New York. Paul is survived by two daughters, Jennifer Evans of Ocala and Michelle Barbato of Fayetteville, NC; a son, Paul Barbato of Ocala; his mother, Joan Barbato of Ocala; two brothers, Robert Barbato of Las Vegas, NV and Peter Barbato of Ocala; sister, Pamela Alwin of Bronson; and six grandchildren. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and greatly enjoyed his family and grandchildren. Visitation will be from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, June 15, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

2255. BEARD, HERMAN (Obituary No. 2255.), 66Ocala - Herman Beard, 66, age 66, passed away on June 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Ocala. He was a Truck Driver for Nation Freight. He loves to cherish his memories: devoted wife, Eddy B. Beard, Ocala, FL., children: Andrea Wilcox, Reva Beard (both of Altamonte Springs, FL.), Herman B. Beard, Jr. (Melissa), Ocala, FL., Demetric Mullins, New York, (5) grandchildren, (1) great grandchild, sisters: Betty Baskin (Carl), Gainesville, FL., Doris Wheeler, Ocala, FL., Hazen Wheeler, Gainesville, FL., Raymond Wheeler (Vangela) Ocala, FL., and Reacha Wheeler (Angela) Ocala, FL. Funeral service for Mr. Herman Beard will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 16, 2007 at Progressive Union Baptist Church, Zuber, FL., Rev. Alvin Newmones, Pastor, Rev. Joesphus Bynum, Jr., Eulogist. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

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2258. MCCARRON, JR., ROBERT HUGH (Obituary No. 2258.), 59 Ocala - Robert H. McCarron, Jr., 59, of Ocala, died Sunday, June 3, 2007, after a 16 month battle with lung cancer. Bob was born in Oak Park, IL, on November 12, 1947. In 1983, Bob and his family moved to Ocala to join the family business, W.H. Schilbe Citrus Brokerage, where he spent 20 devoted years and became co-owner. He most recently worked as a financial advisor at Morgan Stanley and World Savings. Upon graduating from the University of Illinois with a B.S. in Communications, Bob started his career in 1970 and worked for 13 years with Sears Roebuck and Co., leaving as store manager in Frankfort, IN. He was a truly loving husband, father, and dear friend, always caring deeply about others. Bob is survived by his wife of 35 years, Sharon: children, Matthew (Lynn) McCarron of Summerfield, FL and Courtney (Kevin) Hastings of Rockville, MD; siblings, Carol (John) White of Naperville, IL, Nancy (Darryl) Fisher of Blue Bell, PA, Pat (Bob) Stanley of Oswego, IL, Kay (Tom) Fleetwood of Amboy, IL, Mike McCarron of Ft. Wayne, IN and Liz (Rick) Montgomery of Plainfield, IL; and four grandchildren, Taylor, Kimo, Keone, and Keaka. He is preceded in death by his parents Robert and Irene McCarron; niece Kelly Stanley; father-in-law Walter Schilbe; and sister-in-law Lynne McCarron. A memorial service will be held Saturday, June 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. at First United Methodist Church, 1126 E Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the American Cancer Society and the FL United Methodist Children's Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/12/2007 - 6/14/2007.

2259. RYAN, SHARON (Obituary No. 2259.), 58 Ocklawaha - Sharon Ryan, age 58, on June 11, 2007 of Ocklawaha, FL. Beloved wife of Robert "Sam" Ryan; mother of Jason "Beef" Harris; grandmother of 8; daughter of Anna Binion; sister of Lorraine Cone and Cathy Binion; and beloved friend of Karen Brown. Member of Intensive Care Ministries of Summerfield, FL.
Visitation will be Thursday at 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN
FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. Services are Friday, at 9 a.m. with interment
at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with a reception at Intensive Care Ministries. Published in the

2260. SIMMONS, NANNIE P. (Obituary No. 2260.), 83Bay City, TX formerly of Ocala, FL -
Nannie P. Simmons, 83 years old and a retired nurse's aide, died June 9, 2007 at Matagorda
Nursing Center in Bay City, TX. Mrs. Simmons was a resident of Bay City for several years. She
was Baptist in faith. Survivors include sons, Jerald Simmons and Terrell Simmons of Bay City,
TX Roger Simmons of Ocala, FL and Keith Simmons of Hope, AR; daughters, Judy Ziegler of
Athens, AL and Jane Ziegler of Lakeland, FL; 14 grandchildren and several great grandchildren.
She will be missed by all who knew and loved her. Services will be held at Hiers Funeral Home
on Friday, June 15, 2007 at 11 a.m. with interment following at Good Shepard Memorial
Gardens. Visitation will be Thursday evening from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Arrangements by Hiers
FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-

2261. STEWART, PENNSY DANIELS (Obituary No. 2261.), 68Ocala - Pennsy Daniels
Stewart was born in Caryville, Florida on November 2, 1938 to the late Booker T, and Cassie
Daniels. She departed this life on June 9, 2007. She leaves to cherish her memories her husband,
Kiser Stewart, Ocala; one son, Horace Vereen III (Rose), Ocala; five daughters, Serita Hamilton,
Tampa, Katha Vance, Tampa, LaTonya Starks (K.C.), Ocala, Idella Fernander (Henry), Ocala,
and Victoria Wright (Gary), Ocala; five brothers, Ralph Daniels (Dorothy), Ocala, Beauford
Daniels (Stephanie), Detroit, MI., John Daniels, Port St. Joe, Emmit Daniels (Voncile)
Wewahitchka, FL., and James Daniels (Beverly), Port St. Joe; one sister, Brenda Farmer
(Harold), Port St. Joe; seventeen grandchildren, thirteen great grandchildren; and a host of nieces
and nephews. Funeral services for Mrs. Pennsy Daniels Stewart will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday,
June 16, 2007 at Welcome Stranger Missionary Baptist Church. Visitation will be held on Friday
at The SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-

2262. TANNER, TONI R. (Obituary No. 2262.), 41Weirsdale - Mrs. Toni R. Tanner, 41, crossed
over The River of Jordon on June 7, 2007. Homegoing services will be held on Saturday, June
16, 2007 at 3:30 p.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. T. L. Brooks,
Pastor, conducting the services. Visitation will be on Friday, June 15, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 7 p.m.
at The Theological Seminary. She is survived by her husband, Timothy Ponder; 3 sons, Tony
Tanner, Timothy Ponder, Sr., and Darryl Tanner; one granddaughter, Tiona Tanner; mother,
Deloris Sancho; father, Raymond Tanner; step mother, Betty Tanner; 5 brothers, Samuel Kirby,
Vincent Sancho, Michael Tanner, Richard Tanner, and Ryan Tanner; and 8 sisters, Sheila
Williams, Tika Washington, Tawanna Hope, Margie Sancho, Ericka Cook, Phyllis Tanner,
Andrea Tanner and Bonita Lee. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY.
"Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 -

2263. VINCENT, LOUISE A. (Obituary No. 2263.), 90Bellevue - Louise King Vincent, 90, of
5974 SE 122 Place, died Saturday. She was born in Okeechobee and grew up in Ft. Pierce,
Florida. She came to Belleview from Hialeah in 1983. Louise worked for 18 years with the City of Hialeah Parks and Recreation Dept. and retired as a Recreation Center Director in 1975. Survivors include her four children, John Vincent, Donna Johnson, Dorothy Vincent, and Daniel Vincent, 11 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. The Funeral will be Saturday at 10 a.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME in Ocala. Burial will be at the Forest Lawn Cemetery. Those who wish may contribute to St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

2264. WATERS, SR., ROOSEVELT BERNARD (Obituary No. 2264.), 72 Lowell - Funeral services for Mr. Waters will be on Saturday, June 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Lowell, FL., Rev. Dr. Thomas D.A. Blue, III will conduct the words of comfort. A wake service will be held on Thursday at the funeral home. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Waters residence (12840 NW 38th Ave., Lowell, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortège. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfication". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

2265. WELCH, KATHRYN (Obituary No. 2265.), 82 Ocala - Mrs. Kathryn Welch, 82, went home to be with the Lord on June 7, 2007. She is survived by her daughter, Marilyn Prather; sons, Thaddeus Welch, Andre Welch, Antonio Welch, and Thomas Welch, Jr.; 10 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Welch will be held on Saturday, June 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. at New St. John Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. T. L. Brooks conducting the services. Visitation will be Friday, June 15, 2007. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/16/2007.

2266. WHETZEL, VICTOR C. (Obituary No. 2266.), 79 Summerfield - Victor C. Whetzel, 79, died May 11, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. Mr. Whetzel was born in Nokesville, VA and moved to Central Florida from Bangor, PA., in 1974. He was a Navy veteran of World War II; a retired carpenter; a member of Moose Lodge #1199, American Legion #284, VFW (Life Member) #85; a member of Victory Baptist Church in Summerfield; and he formed "THE COUNTRY ROADS" band in 1974 and was well known for playing venues throughout Central Florida. He is survived by his wife of 47 years Patricia A. Whetzel of Summerfield, FL; sons Robert C. Whetzel (Suzi) of Lakeland, FL and Victor W. Whetzel (Sharon) of Summerfield, FL; daughter Carla Marie Finnegan of Paw Paw, West Virginia; Linda Ledbeatter, deceased; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. A Memorial service will be held June 16, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Victory Baptist Church, Summerfield. Memorial donations in his honor may be made to The Humane Society, 10699 SW 105th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34481 or the SPCA of Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/13/2007 - 6/14/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Friday, June 15, 2007

2267. BARBATO, SR., PAUL E. (Obituary No. 2267.), 48 Ocala - Paul E. Barbato, age 48, passed away Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at MRMC. He was born in Queens, New York April 19, 1959 and came to Ocala, 14 year from New York. Paul is survived by two daughters, Jennifer
Evans of Ocala and Michelle Barbato of Fayetteville, NC; a son, Paul Barbato of Ocala; his mother, Joan Barbato of Ocala; two brothers, Robert Barbato of Las Vegas, NV and Peter Barbato of Ocala; sister, Pamela Alwin of Bronson; and six grandchildren. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and greatly enjoyed his family and grandchildren. Visitation will be from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, June 15, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

2268. BEARD, HERMAN (Obituary No. 2268.), 66 Ocala - Herman Beard, 66, age 66, passed away on June 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Ocala. He was a Truck Driver for Nation Freight. He loves to cherish his memories: devoted wife, Eddy B. Beard, Ocala, FL., children: Andrea Wilcox, Reva Beard (both of Altamonte Springs, FL.), Herman B. Beard, Jr. (Melissa), Ocala, FL., Demetrick Mullins, New York, (5) grandchildren, (1) great grandchild, sisters: Betty Baskin (Carl), Gainesville, FL., Doris Wheeler, Ocala, FL., Hazen Wheeler, Gainesville, FL., Raymond Wheeler (Vangela) Ocala, FL., and Reatha Wheeler (Angela) Ocala, FL. Funeral service for Mr. Herman Beard will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 16, 2007 at Progressive Union Baptist Church, Zuber, FL., Rev. Alvin Newmones, Pastor, Rev. Joesthes Bynum, Jr., Eulogist. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

2269. RYAN, SHARON (Obituary No. 2269.), 58 Ocklawaha - Sharon Ryan, age 58, on June 11, 2007 of Ocklawaha, FL. Beloved wife of Robert "Sam" Ryan; mother of Jason "Beef" Harris; grandmother of 8; daughter of Anna Binion; sister of Lorraine Cone and Cathy Binion; and beloved friend of Karen Brown. Member of Intensive Care Ministries of Summerfield, FL. Visitation will be Thursday at 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. Services are Friday, at 9 a.m. with interment at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with a reception at Intensive Care Ministries. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

2270. SIMMONS, NANNIE P. (Obituary No. 2270.), 83 Bay City, TX formerly of Ocala, FL - Nannie P. Simmons, 83 years old and a retired nurse's aide, died June 9, 2007 at Matagorda Nursing Center in Bay City, TX. Mrs. Simmons was a resident of Bay City for several years. She was Baptist in faith. Survivors include sons, Jerald Simmons and Terrell Simmons of Bay City, TX Roger Simmons of Ocala, FL and Keith Simmons of Hope, AR; daughters, Judy Ziegler of Athens, AL and Jane Ziegler of Lakeland, FL; 14 grandchildren and several great grandchildren. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her. Services will be held at Hiers Funeral Home on Friday, June 15, 2007 at 11 a.m. with interment following at Good Shepard Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Thursday evening from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

2271. STEWART, PENNSY DANIELS (Obituary No. 2271.), 68 Ocala - Pennsy Daniels Stewart was born in Caryville, Florida on November 2, 1938 to the late Booker T. and Cassie Daniels. She departed this life on June 9, 2007. She leaves to cherish her memories her husband, Kiser Stewart, Ocala; one son, Horace Vereen III (Rose), Ocala; five daughters, Serita Hamilton,
Tampa, Katha Vance, Tampa, LaTonya Starks (K.C.), Ocala, Idella Fernander (Henry), Ocala, and Victoria Wright (Gary), Ocala; five brothers, Ralph Daniels (Dorothy), Ocala, Beauford Daniels (Stephanie), Detroit, MI., John Daniels, Port St. Joe, Emmit Daniels (Voncile) Wewahitchka, FL., and James Daniels (Beverly), Port St. Joe; one sister, Brenda Farmer (Harold), Port St. Joe; seventeen grandchildren, thirteen great grandchildren; and a host of nieces and nephews. Funeral services for Mrs. Pennsy Daniels Stewart will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 16, 2007 at Welcome Stranger Missionary Baptist Church. Visitation will be held on Friday at The SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

2272. TANNER, TONI R. (Obituary No. 2272.), 41 Weirsdale - Mrs. Toni R. Tanner, 41, crossed over The River of Jordon on June 7, 2007. Homegoing services will be held on Saturday, June 16, 2007 at 3:30 p.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. T. L. Brooks, Pastor, conducting the services. Visitation will be on Friday, June 15, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 7 p.m. at The Theological Seminary. She is survived by her husband, Timothy Ponder; 3 sons, Tony Tanner, Timothy Ponder, Sr., and Darryl Tanner; one granddaughter, Tiona Tanner; mother, Deloris Sancho; father, Raymond Tanner; step mother, Betty Tanner; 5 brothers, Samuel Kirby, Vincent Sancho, Michael Tanner, Richard Tanner, and Ryan Tanner; and 8 sisters, Sheila Williams, Tika Washington, Tawanna Hope, Margie Sancho, Ericka Cook, Phyllis Tanner, Andrea Tanner and Bonita Lee. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

2273. VINCENT, LOUISE A. (Obituary No. 2273.), 90 Belleview - Louise King Vincent, 90, of 5974 SE 122 Place, died Saturday. She was born in Okeechobee and grew up in Ft. Pierce, Florida. She came to Belleview from Hialeah in 1983. Louise worked for 18 years with the City of Hialeah Parks and Recreation Dept. and retired as a Recreation Center Director in 1975. Survivors include her four children, John Vincent, Donna Johnson, Dorothy Vincent, and Daniel Vincent, 11 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. The Funeral will be Saturday at 10 a.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME in Ocala. Burial will be at the Forest Lawn Cemetery. Those who wish may contribute to St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/15/2007.

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2275. WELCH, KATHRYN (Obituary No. 2275.), 82 Ocala - Mrs. Kathryn Welch, 82, went home to be with the Lord on June 7, 2007. She is survived by her daughter, Marilyn Prather; sons, Thaddeus Welch, Andre Welch, Antonio Welch, and Thomas Welch, Jr.; 10 grandchildren
and 16 great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Welch will be held on Saturday, June 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. at New St. John Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. T. L. Brooks conducting the services. Visitation will be Friday, June 15, 2007. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/16/2007.

2276. WORRALL, MARIE MARGARET (Obituary No. 2276.), 85 Ocala - Marie Margaret Worrall, age 85, of Ocala, Florida died Wednesday, June 13, 2007 at her home. She was born in South Wilmington, Illinois and moved to Ocala in 1987 from Paoli, Indiana. She was a homemaker as well as very active member and Church Organist for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints of Ocala. She loved playing and teaching the piano and the organ and also writing and composing musical arrangements for the "Troubadour's of Oak Run. She has also published manuals on "How to play the Organ." She is survived by her Step-son, Stephen D. and wife Carolyn P. Golden of Imperial, Missouri, (3) grandsons, (3) great-grandchildren, (2) nephews, and a niece. Funeral Services will be at 3 p.m., Saturday, June 16, 2007 at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1831 S.E. 18th Avenue, Ocala, Florida with interment to follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery, under the direction of Bishop Drew Larsen. The family will receive friends at the church from 1 p.m. till service time, tomorrow. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Missionary Fund at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints or a charity of your choice, in memory of Marie Margaret Worrall. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/15/2007 - 6/16/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Saturday, June 16, 2007

2277. ANDERSON, ORRIE (ANDY (Obituary No. 2277.) ), 93 Ocala - Orrie (Andy) Anderson, age 93, passed away Friday, June 8, 2007 while under Hospice care. The loving husband of Adelaide (Exley) for 66 years and the father of four sons; Eric (Carole), Dean (Lynn), Reid (Carolyn) and Mark (Mickey). Survivors also include seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was born in Oil City, PA and served in the south Pacific during WWII. After the war, he settled in Hamburg, NY until he retired and moved to Ocala where he enjoyed golf and tennis. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/16/2007 - 6/17/2007.

2278. NELSON, GAY LE L. (Obituary No. 2278.), 63 Ocala - Gayle L. Nelson, a wonderful wife, mother, and grandmother, went to be with her Lord, June 13, 2007. Gayle enjoyed missionary work with her church, especially the missions to China. She is survived by her husband of 44 years, Kenneth R. Nelson her daughter, Sharon C. Nelson and her husband Ronald, grandsons, Dalton and Dylan Nelson, sister-in-law, Jeannette Brokaw and family, as well as numerous friends. A memorial service will be held to celebrate her life on June 24 at 3 p.m. at River of Life Community Church, 3201 NE 25th Ave., Ocala, FL (Church of God Building) In lieu of flowers please make donations to Hospice of Marion County or the Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, FL. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/16/2007 - 6/18/2007.

2279. ROWE, BONNIE (Obituary No. 2279.), 89 Ocala - Bonnie Rowe, age 89, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, June 14, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital in Ocala. She was
born in Coffeyville, Kansas on November 3, 1917. Mrs. Rowe was a retired Legal Secretary. She was a Christian and a member of College Road Baptist Church in Ocala. While living in St. Petersburg, she was an active member of the St. Petersburg Yacht Club. Her hobbies included sailing with the Salty Sisters, playing bridge and sewing. She is predeceased by her husband of 55 years, Donald O. Rowe, who passed away on June 7, 2007. She is survived by her son, George Rowe, and daughter in law, Carole, of Ocala; sister, Shirley Cameron, of Parsons, Kansas and 2 grandchildren, Kelly Elmore and Donald A. Rowe. A private memorial service will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/16/2007 - 6/17/2007.

2280. THORPE, THOMAS "ED" (Obituary No. 2280.), 69 Ocala - Thomas "Ed" Thorpe, 69, passed away on June 13, 2007 at his daughter's home. He was a native of Orangeburg, NC and moved here from Meridian, MS in 1974. He worked as Veterans Coordinator at CFCC after retiring from the U.S. Navy. He also worked with the Marion County Sheriff's Office in the records department. He attended Wyomina Park Baptist Church. His survivors include daughters, Kimberley Thorpe of Ocala and Yvette "Tia" Taylor of Clearwater, son, William Thorpe of Ocala, grandchildren, Michael Damico, Anthony Thorpe, Levi Geans and William Mitchell and great grandchildren, Kaden and Blaze Damico. Funeral services will be held on Monday, June 18, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Wyomina Park Baptist Church with Pastor Bob King officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Saturday from 5-7 p.m. at Hiers Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/16/2007 - 6/17/2007.

2281. WELCH, KATHRYN (Obituary No. 2281.), 82 Ocala - Mrs. Kathryn Welch, 82, went home to be with the Lord on June 7, 2007. She is survived by her daughter, Marilyn Prather; sons, Thaddeus Welch, Andre Welch, Antonio Welch, and Thomas Welch, Jr.; 10 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Welch will be held on Saturday, June 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. at New St. John Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. T. L. Brooks conducting the services. Visitation will be Friday, June 15, 2007. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/14/2007 - 6/16/2007.

2282. WORRALL, MARIE MARGARET (Obituary No. 2282.), 85 Ocala - Marie Margaret Worrall, age 85, of Ocala, Florida died Wednesday, June 13, 2007 at her home. She was born in South Wilmington, Illinois and moved to Ocala in 1987 from Paoli, Indiana. She was a homemaker as well as very active member and Church Organist for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints of Ocala. She loved playing and teaching the piano and the organ and also writing and composing musical arrangements for the "Troubadour's of Oak Run. She has also published manuals on "How to play the Organ." She is survived by her Step-son, Stephen D. and wife Carolyn P. Golden of Imperial, Missouri, (3) grandsons, (3) great-grandchildren, (2) nephews, and a niece. Funeral Services will be at 3 p.m., Saturday, June 16, 2007 at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1831 S.E. 18th Avenue, Ocala, Florida with interment to follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery, under the direction of Bishop Drew Larsen. The family will receive friends at the church from 1 p.m. till service time, tomorrow. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Missionary Fund at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints or a charity of your choice, in memory of Marie
2283. ANDERSON, ORRIE (ANDY) (Obituary No. 2283.), 93 Ocala - Orrie (Andy) Anderson, age 93, passed away Friday, June 8, 2007 while under Hospice care. The loving husband of Adelaide (Exley) for 66 years and the father of four sons; Eric (Carole), Dean (Lynn), Reid (Carolyn) and Mark (Mickey). Survivors also include seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was born in Oil City, PA and served in the south Pacific during WWII. After the war, he settled in Hamburg, NY until he retired and moved to Ocala where he enjoyed golf and tennis. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/16/2007 - 6/17/2007.

2284. COZIER, PATRICIA A. (Obituary No. 2284.), 52 Ocala - Patricia A. Cozier, 52, passed away May 17, 2007 at her residence in Ocala. Born in Queens, NY, Ms. Cozier came to Ocala from Islip, NY in 1990. She was a manager with Cingular Wireless and attended Our Lady of the Spring Catholic Church. Survivors include sons, Daniel Robson, Ocala, Scott Robson, Brooklyn, NY., daughter, Loretta Robson, Islip, NY., sister, Sue Lebron and grandson Colin Robson, Ocala. Funeral services were held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/17/2007 - 6/18/2007.

2285. GOWEN, EDWARD L. (Obituary No. 2285.), 87 Ocala - Edward L. Gowen, 87, died June 12, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Brooklyn, NY, and is a retired US Customs inspector. He served in the Army during WWII and the Air Force during the Korean War and moved to Ocala in 1977. Survivors are his wife, Pauline; three sons: David, Edward, Jr., and Wade; five daughters: Patricia Overton, Linda Wood, Cathie Gray, Betty Smith, and P-L Schroeppepl; 10 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held Friday, June 22, 2007, at 11:30 a.m. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with military honors. VETERAN FUNERAL CARE, Clearwater 800-467-7850 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/17/2007 - 6/18/2007.

2286. NELSON, GAYLE L. (Obituary No. 2286.), 63 Ocala - Gayle L. Nelson, a wonderful wife, mother, and grandmother, went to be with her Lord, June 13, 2007. Gayle enjoyed missionary work with her church, especially the missions to China. She is survived by her husband of 44 years, Kenneth R. Nelson her daughter, Sharon C. Nelson and her husband Ronald, grandsons, Dalton and Dylan Nelson, sister-in-law, Jeannette Brokaw and family, as well as numerous friends. A memorial service will be held to celebrate her life on June 24 at 3 p.m. at River of Life Community Church, 3201 NE 25th Ave., Ocala, FL (Church of God Building) In lieu of flowers please make donations to Hospice of Marion County or the Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, FL. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/16/2007 - 6/18/2007.

2287. ROBERTSON III, JAMES FREDERICK (Obituary No. 2287.), 67 Ocala - Mr. Robertson, of Ocala, passed away on Thursday, June 14, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. A native of Central City, KY, he has made Ocala his home since 1952. He served in the U.S. Navy and was formerly manager of Morrison's Cafeteria on Silver Springs Blvd. He retired from the
Florida Highway Patrol and was a member of The Ocala Seventh-Day Adventist Church and a graduate of Ocala High School Class of 1957. Survivors include: wife of 41 years, Mary Anna Owen Robertson of Ocala, FL; mother, Catherine Robertson of Bowling Green, KY; two sons, James F. Robertson, IV, of Angwin, CA and Michael Owen Robertson of Lexington, NC; two brothers, Charles L. Robertson of Grand Forks, ND and William P. Robertson of Bowling Green, KY and four grandchildren. Graveside services will be held on Monday, June 18, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/17/2007 - 6/18/2007.

2288. ROWE, BONNIE (Obituary No. 2288.), 89 Ocala - Bonnie Rowe, age 89, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, June 14, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital in Ocala. She was born in Coffeyville, Kansas on November 3, 1917. Mrs. Rowe was a retired Legal Secretary. She was a Christian and a member of College Road Baptist Church in Ocala. While living in St. Petersburg, she was an active member of the St. Petersburg Yacht Club. Her hobbies included sailing with the Salty Sisters, playing bridge and sewing. She is predeceased by her husband of 55 years, Donald O. Rowe, who passed away on June 7, 2007. She is survived by her son, George Rowe, and daughter in law, Carole, of Ocala; sister, Shirley Cameron, of Parsons, Kansas and 2 grandchildren, Kelly Elmore and Donald A. Rowe. A private memorial service will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/16/2007 - 6/17/2007.

2289. THORPE, THOMAS "ED" (Obituary No. 2289.), 69 Ocala - Thomas "Ed" Thorpe, 69, passed away on June 13, 2007 at his daughter's home. He was a native of Orangeburg, NC and moved here from Meridian, MS in 1974. He worked as Veterans Coordinator at CFCC after retiring from the U.S. Navy. He also worked with the Marion County Sheriff's Office in the records department. He attended Wyomina Park Baptist Church. His survivors include daughters, Kimberley Thorpe of Ocala and Yvette "Tia" Taylor of Clearwater, son, William Thorpe of Ocala, grandchildren, Michael Damico, Anthony Thorpe, Levi Geans and William Mitchell and great grandchildren, Kaden and Blaze Damico. Funeral services will be held on Monday, June 18, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Wyomina Park Baptist Church with Pastor Bob King officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Saturday from 5-7 p.m. at Hiers Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/16/2007 - 6/17/2007.

2290. WICKER, EUNICE MARIE (Obituary No. 2290.), 77 Ocala - Eunice Marie Wicker, 77, of Ocala, passed away June 15th. Born in Ocala, she was a lifelong resident of the area and a homemaker. She was a member of Kendrick Baptist Church and loved her family and animals. She is survived by her children Doug Wicker and Carol Pogue, both of High Springs, FL; brother, J.L. Gunter of Fruitland Park, FL; grandchildren, Calvin Blackburn and Rosa Wicker of Ocala and great grandchildren, Cody and Rain. She was preceded in death by her husband, John D. Wicker and daughter, Linda Blackburn. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Monday (June 18th) from 6-8 p.m. The Funeral Service will be held at the funeral home on Tuesday (June 19th) at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Kendrick Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/17/2007 - 6/18/2007.
2291. WILSON, GEORGE "PETE" (Obituary No. 2291.), 57 Dunnellon - Pete Wilson, 57, died Friday at Munro Regional Medical Center. He was born in Langdale, Alabama. He was a mason and a Baptist. Survivors include his son David Wilson, daughter Shallon Money, and father George E. Wilson. Funeral services will be Tuesday, 11:00 a.m. in the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, with Rev. Bobby Thompson of the First Baptist Church of Inglis officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Monday 6 to 8 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/17/2007 - 6/18/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Monday, June 18, 2007

2292. COZIER, PATRICIA A. (Obituary No. 2292.), 52 Ocala - Patricia A. Cozier, 52, passed away May 17, 2007 at her residence in Ocala. Born in Queens, NY, Ms. Cozier came to Ocala from Islip, NY in 1990. She was a manager with Cingular Wireless and attended Our Lady of the Spring Catholic Church. Survivors include sons, Daniel Robson, Ocala, Scott Robson, Brooklyn, NY., daughter, Loretta Robson, Islip, NY., sister, Sue Lebron and grandson Colin Robson, Ocala. Funeral services were held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/17/2007 - 6/18/2007.

2293. GOWEN, EDWARD L. (Obituary No. 2293.), 87 Ocala - Edward L. Gowen, 87, died June 12, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Brooklyn, NY, and is a retired US Customs inspector. He served in the Army during WWII and the Air Force during the Korean War and moved to Ocala in 1977. Survivors are his wife, Pauline; three sons: David, Edward, Jr., and Wade; five daughters: Patricia Overton, Linda Wood, Cathie Gray, Betty Smith, and P-L Schroeppele; 10 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held Friday, June 22, 2007, at 11:30 a.m. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with military honors. VETERAN FUNERAL CARE, Clearwater 800-467-7850 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/17/2007 - 6/18/2007.

2294. NELSON, GAYLE L. (Obituary No. 2294.), 63 Ocala - Gayle L. Nelson, a wonderful wife, mother, and grandmother, went to be with her Lord, June 13, 2007. Gayle enjoyed missionary work with her church, especially the missions to China. She is survived by her husband of 44 years, Kenneth R. Nelson her daughter, Sharon C. Nelson and her husband Ronald, grandsons, Dalton and Dylan Nelson, sister-in-law, Jeannette Brokaw and family, as well as numerous friends. A memorial service will be held to celebrate her life on June 24 at 3 p.m. at River of Life Community Church, 3201 NE 25th Ave., Ocala, FL (Church of God Building) In lieu of flowers please make donations to Hospice of Marion County or the Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, FL. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/16/2007 - 6/18/2007.

2295. ROBERTSON III, JAMES FREDERICK (Obituary No. 2295.), 67 Ocala - Mr. Robertson, of Ocala, passed away on Thursday, June 14, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. A native of Central City, KY, he has made Ocala his home since 1952. He served in the U.S. Navy and was formerly manager of Morrison's Cafeteria on Silver Springs Blvd. He retired from the Florida Highway Patrol and was a member of The Ocala Seventh-Day Adventist Church and a graduate of Ocala High School Class of 1957. Survivors include: wife of 41 years, Mary Anna
Owen Robertson of Ocala, FL; mother, Catherine Robertson of Bowling Green, KY; two sons, James F. Robertson, IV, of Angwin, CA and Michael Owen Robertson of Lexington, NC; two brothers, Charles L. Robertson of Grand Forks, ND and William P. Robertson of Bowling Green, KY and four grandchildren. Graveside services will be held on Monday, June 18, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/17/2007 - 6/18/2007.

2296. WICKER, EUNICE MARIE (Obituary No. 2296.), 77 Ocala - Eunice Marie Wicker, 77, of Ocala, passed away June 15th. Born in Ocala, she was a lifelong resident of the area and a homemaker. She was a member of Kendrick Baptist Church and loved her family and animals. She is survived by her children Doug Wicker and Carol Pogue, both of High Springs, FL; brother, J.L. Gunter of Fruitland Park, FL; grandchildren, Calvin Blackburn and Rosa Wicker of Ocala and great grandchildren, Cody and Rain. She was preceded in death by her husband, John D. Wicker and daughter, Linda Blackburn. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Monday (June 18th) from 6-8 p.m. The Funeral Service will be held at the funeral home on Tuesday (June 19th) at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Kendrick Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/17/2007 - 6/18/2007.

2297. WILSON, GEORGE "PETE" (Obituary No. 2297.), 57 Dunnellon - Pete Wilson, 57, died Friday at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Langdale, Alabama. He was a mason and a Baptist. Survivors include his son David Wilson, daughter Shallon Money, and father George E. Wilson. Funeral services will be Tuesday, 11:00 a.m. in the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, with Rev. Bobby Thompson of the First Baptist Church of Inglis officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Monday 6 to 8 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/17/2007 - 6/18/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, June 190, 2007

2298. DAUGHERTY, JUANITA DIANE (Obituary No. 2298.), 57 Ocala - Juanita Diane Daugherty, age 57, passed away Sunday, June 17, 2007 at MRMC. She was a life long resident of Ocala and a driver with the Marion County Transit System. She is survived by two daughters, Marty Quattro of Ocala and T.J. Oglesby of Silver Springs; two sons, Curtis Wright of Summerfield and Bo Merritt of Ocala; three sisters, Geneva "Nebo" Champion of Ocala, Vivian Moore of Bronson, FL and Sarah Gamble of Lady Lake; brother, John "Buddy" Geer of Silver Springs; eleven grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. The great joy in her life was her love for the Lord, and her pet dogs. Services will be 10:30 a.m. Friday, June 22, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Visitation will be 5 p.m. 7 p.m. Thursday at Hiers Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/19/2007 - 6/20/2007.

2299. GIZA, LEON (Obituary No. 2299.), 76 Ocala - Leon Giza, age 76, of Ocala passed away peacefully at Tuscany House Hospice on Wednesday, June 13, 2007. Born in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, he moved to Ocala in 1979. He enjoyed boating, fishing and hunting. He ran all his own
businesses, from Me & Lee's Cocktail Lounge, a hotel and "Dooleys" located on Silver Springs Blvd., for 18 years. He was an active member in the military. He became a deputy sheriff and a real estate broker. He is survived by his loving wife, Marilyn Giza; 3 children, sons, Steve and Todd Giza of Ocala; daughter, Patricia Giza of New Orleans, LA; and 4 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. at Lady of the Springs Church on Thursday, June 21, 2007. The family will receive friends after services. "Lee is gone, but in the hearts of many". In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/19/2007 - 6/20/2007.

2300. KEENON, GEORGIA (Obituary No. 2300.), 84 Ocala - Georgia Keenon, died on June 17, 2007 at the age of 84. Beloved wife of the late Lyle Keenon, mother of Fran, Margie Harward & Janet Namen-Rufolo, grandmother of Tammy Bates, Coby Harward, Crystal Keenon, the late Brad Keenon, great grandmother of Stephanie Britt, Brandon Britt, Jacob Harward and Grace Harward, sister of Alice King and Inez Netherly. Visitation at Forest Lawn Funeral Home Thursday, June 21, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral service Friday, June 22, 2007 at 10 a.m. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/19/2007 - 6/20/2007.

2301. PERKINS, JOHN D. (Obituary No. 2301.), 60 Summerfield - John D. Perkins, age 60, of Summerfield, FL., passed away Sunday, June 17, 2007. He moved to the area in 1975 from Jacksonville and was employed with Southeast Modular. He is a veteran of the US Navy. He is survived by his daughters, Darlene (Todd) Hopkins, Angela Hunter, both of Summerfield and Tonya (Ron) Warren of Fruitland Park; 2 brothers and 3 sisters, 6 grandchildren and 1 great grandchildren, and his best buddy Rex. He is predeceased by his wife Evon. Visitation will be Wednesday, June 20, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Bank/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel; services will be Thursday, June 21, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel with interment of follow at Pine Level Cemetery, Wildwood, FL. In lieu of flowers the family has requested memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, Florida 34474 or Lake Hermosa Church of God, Lady Lake, Florida, 32159. Arrangements provided by BANKS/THEUS FUNERAL HOME, Wildwood, Florida. www.bankspagetheusfuneralsandcremations.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/19/2007 - 6/20/2007.

2302. VERMEULEN, MARJORIE HOOKER-GILMORE (Obituary No. 2302.), 79 Reddick - Marjorie Hooker - Gilmore - Vermeulen, 79, of Reddick, died Friday, June 15, 2007, at Shands at U.O.F. in Gainesville. She was born and raised in Sparr and had moved to Palatka years ago, coming from Ocala. Mrs. Vermeulen was preceded in death by her husbands, Wilton Lee Gilmore, Sr., and Stanley R. Vermeulen; her parents, Floyd and Lenora Hooker; one daughter, Joyce Ann Gilmore - Smith, and one great granddaughter - Jordan LeAnn Bradshaw. Survivors include two brothers and sisters-in-law, Floyd and "Mickie" Hooker of Ocala, Herbert "Boots" and Mary Hooker of Ocala. One sister and brother-in-law, June and Frank Cole of Cairo, Ga. Calling hours will be from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. Today June 19, 2007 at the Masters Funeral Home in Palatka. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday June 20, 2007, also at the funeral home with Rev. Gene Warren officiating. Burial will follow in Palatka Memorial Gardens. While flowers are most sincerely appreciated, in-lieu of flowers, please consider memorial donations to Calvary Baptist Church, 3005 South Palm Avenue, Palatka, FL 32177. MASTERS FUNERAL
Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Wednesday, June 20, 2007

2303. DAUGHERTY, JUANITA DIANE (Obituary No. 2303.), 57 Ocala - Juanita Diane Daugherty, age 57, passed away Sunday, June 17, 2007 at MRMC. She was a life long resident of Ocala and a driver with the Marion County Transit System. She is survived by two daughters, Marty Quattro of Ocala and T.J. Oglesby of Silver Springs; two sons, Curtis Wright of Summerfield and Bo Merritt of Ocala; three sisters, Geneva "Nebo" Champion of Ocala, Vivian Moore of Bronson, FL and Sarah Gamble of Lady Lake; brother, John "Buddy" Geer of Silver Springs; eleven grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. The great joy in her life was her love for the Lord, and her pet dogs. Services will be 10:30 a.m. Friday, June 22, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Visitation will be 5 p.m. 7 p.m. Thursday at Hiers Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/19/2007 - 6/20/2007.

2304. DAVIS, RUTH BURGESS (Obituary No. 2304.), 91 Ocala - Ruth Burgess Davis, beloved mother, grandmother, and great grandmother, died Sunday, June 17, 2007 at the age of 91. She was a long time member of Grace Episcopal Church. Ruth was born in Chicago, Illinois in 1916 and moved to Crystal River, Florida when she was nine years old. She was one of five sisters, growing up in Crystal River, a place that held many fond memories. Ruth lived in Ocala for over forty years and St. Augustine for twenty years. While living in St. Augustine, she worked at the Olde Carriage Realty. She was the wife of the late Edward "Skinny" Davis. Ruth is survived by her three children, Hester Simms, Ocala, Florida, Edward Hunt Davis, LaGrange, Georgia and Clark Davis, Tallahassee, Florida and their spouses, David Simms, Maxine Davis and Eleese Davis. In addition, she had six grandchildren, Laurel and Erin Davis, Leigh Anne Askren, Stacey Hammond, and Yorke and Whitney Davis and three great grandchildren, Davis and Jacob Hammond and Avery Askren. She also had 4 wonderful sisters, Alice Hanna and Florence Fleming of St. Augustine and the late Louise Dumas and Ginny Reeder. A visitation will be held at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Wednesday, June 20, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. A graveside service will be held at St. Augustine Memorial Park on Thursday, June 21, 2007 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Friends of the Library Access, 420 Platt St. Daytona Beach, FL 32114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2305. DICKEY, BOBBIE (Obituary No. 2305.), 74 Thompson Station, TN. - Bobbie Dickey, 74, passed away on June 17, 2007 at her daughter's home in Thompson Station, TN., where she resided for the past 12 years due to her health. She was a retired switchboard operator for Sears in Ocala where she worked for 30 years. She is a member of First Christian Church of Ocala. She is survived by her loving daughter, Gale Ellen Ross and husband George of Thompson Station, TN., her twin sister, Billie Knight of Ocala and her granddaughter, Tara Dale Ross of Murfreesboro, TN. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, June 21, 2007 at 10 a.m. at First Christian Church with Dr. Douglas V. Moore officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers please make memorial contributions in

2306. GIZA, LEON (Obituary No. 2306.), 76 Ocala - Leon Giza, age 76, of Ocala passed away peacefully at Tuscany House Hospice on Wednesday, June 13, 2007. Born in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, he moved to Ocala in 1979. He enjoyed boating, fishing and hunting. He ran all his own businesses, from Me & Lee's Cocktail Lounge, a hotel and "Dooleys" located on Silver Springs Blvd., for 18 years. He was an active member in the military. He became a deputy sheriff and a real estate broker. He is survived by his loving wife, Marilyn Giza; 3 children, sons, Steve and Todd Giza of Ocala; daughter, Patricia Giza of New Orleans, LA; and 4 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. at Lady of the Springs Church on Thursday, June 21, 2007. The family will receive friends after services. "Lee is gone, but in the hearts of many". In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/19/2007 - 6/20/2007.

2307. KEENON, GEORGIA (Obituary No. 2307.), 84 Ocala - Georgia Keenon, died on June 17, 2007 at the age of 84. Beloved wife of the late Lyle Keenon, mother of Fran, Margie Harward & Janet Namen-Rufolo, grandmother of Tammy Bates, Coby Harward, Crystal Keenon, the late Brad Keenon, great grandmother of Stephanie Britt, Brandon Britt, Jacob Harward and Grace Harward, sister of Alice King and Inez Netherly. Visitation at Forest Lawn Funeral Home Thursday, June 21, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral service Friday, June 22, 2007 at 10 a.m. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/19/2007 - 6/20/2007.

2308. KENNON, GEORGIA (Obituary No. 2308.), 84 Ocala - Georgia Kennon, died on June 17, 2007 at the age of 84. Beloved wife of the late Lyle Kennon, mother of Fran Kennon, Margie Harward & Janet Namen-Rufolo, grandmother of Tammy Bates, Coby Harward, Crystal Kennon, the late Brad Kennon, great grandmother of Stephanie Britt, Brandon Britt, Jacob Harward and Grace Harward, sister of Alice King and Inez Netherly. Visitation at Forest Lawn Funeral Home Thursday, June 21, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral service Friday, June 22, 2007 at 10 a.m. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2309. LONG, TROY O. (Obituary No. 2309.), 72 Citra - Troy O. Long, 72 of Citra, Florida, died Monday, June 18, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was a native of Chapel Hill, NC and came to Citra from High Sierra, CA in 1987. Mr. Long was an Iron Worker and was involved in constructing buildings all over the World. Mr. Long is survived by his daughter, Deborah Hart and son-in-law Alfred Hart of Citra, FL., sister Jackie Minton of chapel Hill, NC and his best friend Jack Mayhugh of Citra, Florida. Memorial services for Mr. Long will be held Saturday, June 23, 2007 at 4 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. with Rev. Samuel W. Clements, officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2310. LOYD, EULA (Obituary No. 2310.), 99 Ocala - Eula Loyd, 99, passed away on June 18, 2007. She was born in Cullman, AL and moved to this area in 1951. She was a member of Ocklawaha Baptist Church and American Legion Auxillary, Post 284. She is survived by her
three children, son, Ed Loyd and wife Brenda and grandson, Mark of Richmond, VA., son, James Loyd and wife Betty and grandson, Justin of Fredericksburg, VA., daughter, Betty Guynn and husband Victor and grandsons, Kevin and Jason and great grandchildren, Kayla and Alyssa of Ocala and her brothers Harvey and Alvin Dunn both of Cullman, AL. She was preceded in death by her husband Henry Loyd. Memorial graveside services will be held on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Ocklawaha Community Cemetery with Rev. Samuel W. Clements officiating. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2311. NELSON, BESSIE MAE (Obituary No. 2311.), 85 Ocala - Bessie Mae Nelson, 85, devoted wife, mother and homemaker, passed away, Monday, June 18, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. She was born in Leakesville, MS November 16, 1921. Mrs. Nelson moved to Ocala, FL in 1976 from Hollywood, FL. She was a W.A.C. veteran of WWII. Her hobbies included cooking and gardening. She enjoyed easy listening music. She was a member of St. John's United Methodist Church at Cotton Plant and Ocala West United Methodist Church of Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Robert Nelson of Ocala, FL., daughters, Brenda Marie Lawson of Gainesville, FL., Susan Arlene Nelson of Ocala, FL., Jennifer Pauline Roberts of Ocala, FL., and Cynthia Gail Oates of Leesburg, FL., her three grandchildren, three great grandchildren, her brothers John H. Cooley of Milan, TX., Bobby R. Cooley of New Augusta, MS., Marlin Cooley of Whitwell, TN., Jack Cooley of Richton, MS., sisters Mona Bea Bowen of Hampton, VA., Alla B. Budro of New Orleans, LA., Alvonette Hunt of Leakesville, MS. She was preceded in death by her brothers Alvin W. Cooley & Glen Cooley. Visitation will be Thursday, June 21, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Services will be Friday, June 22, 2007 at 11 a.m. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE CHAPEL, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL 34481. Memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2312. PERKINS, JOHN D. (Obituary No. 2312.), 60 Summerfield - John D. Perkins, age 60, of Summerfield, FL., passed away Sunday, June 17, 2007. He moved to the area in 1975 from Jacksonville and was employed with Southeast Modular. He is a veteran of the US Navy. He is survived by his daughters, Darlene (Todd) Hopkins, Angela Hunter, both of Summerfield and Tonya (Ron) Warren of Fruitland Park; 2 brothers and 3 sisters, 6 grandchildren and 1 great grandchildren, and his best buddy Rex. He is predeceased by his wife Evon. Visitation will be Wednesday, June 20, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Bank/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel; services will be Thursday, June 21, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel with interment of follow at Pine Level Cemetery, Wildwood, FL. In lieu of flowers the family has requested memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, Florida 34474 or Lake Hermosa Church of God, Lady Lake, Florida, 32159. Arrangements provided by BANKS/THEUS FUNERAL HOME, Wildwood, Florida.

and Wildo M. Rodriguez. Memorial service on Wednesday, June 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Church, Marion Oaks. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2314. SMITH, MARVIN J. "MARVE" (Obituary No. 2314.), 95 Dunnellon - Marvin John Smith (Marve) passed away June 16, 2007. He was a draftsman by trade. After retiring, he taught watercolor painting in Pinellas and Marion Counties. He was best know for his illustrations for the children's book "Beaufort Squirrel of Rainbow Springs" written by Frances White, and for his painting of the Rainbow River. He was commissioned by Rainbow River Conservation, Inc. to paint a set of four paintings of the river. There was a limited edition of 100 sets. After all prints were sold, the originals were auctioned off to the highest bidder. He leaves his wife, Dorothy (Dottie), two stepsons, Ron Warnock and David Warnock, both of Dunnellon, and daughter-in-law Joy Byrd of Florence Mississippi. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Dunnellon Presbyterian Church or to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2315. SOMMER, MARY CHEETHAM (Obituary No. 2315.), 73 Anthony - Mary Cheetham Sommer, 73, passed away on Sunday, June 17, 2007 following a lengthy Alzheimer's illness. She was born in Boston, Mass. to Harry P. Cheetham and Evelyn M. Johnston, one of seven children, two of whom are still living. Mary was a long time resident of Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 37 years, Robert; two children, Eric Harry Sommer of Orlando and Jody Sommer Horton of Ft. Pierce; and two grandchildren, Jackson Eric Sommer and Davis Harrison Sommer of Orlando. Mary came from a family whose interests were aviation related. Her father Harry was a World War I fighter pilot, her husband Bob is a retired Delta Airlines Captain and former Army pilot, and she herself was a retired Delta Airlines Flight Attendant. Her son Eric is also a private pilot and her daughter Jody, now a school teacher, was formerly a Delta Airlines Attendant. Mary will be forever remembered for her love and devotion to her family. She was a loving wife and mother who will be missed greatly by her family and all who knew her. Services will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Spring Blvd., Ocala at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, June 22, 2007. Interment will be at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL commencing at 2:30 p.m. on June 22, 2007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2316. VERMEULEN, MARJORIE HOOKER-GILMORE, (Obituary No. 2316.) 79 Reddick - Marjorie Hooker - Gilmore - Vermeulen, 79, of Reddick, died Friday, June 15, 2007, at Shands at U.O.F. in Gainesville. She was born and raised in Sparr and had moved to Palatka years ago, coming from Ocala. Mrs. Vermeulen was preceded in death by her husbands, Wilton Lee Gilmore, Sr., and Stanley R. Vermeulen; her parents, Floyd and Lenora Hooker; one daughter, Joyce Ann Gilmore - Smith, and one great granddaughter - Jordan LeAnn Bradshaw. Survivors include two brothers and sisters-in-law, Floyd and "Mickie" Hooker of Ocala, Herbert "Boots" and Mary Hooker of Ocala. One sister and brother-in-law, June and Frank Cole of Cairo, Ga. Calling hours will be from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. Today June 19, 2007 at the Masters Funeral Home in Palatka. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday June 20, 2007, also at the funeral home with Rev. Gene Warren officiating. Burial will follow in Palatka Memorial Gardens. While flowers are most sincerely appreciated, in-lieu of flowers, please consider memorial donations to Calvary Baptist Church, 3005 South Palm Avenue, Palatka, FL 32177. MASTERS FUNERAL
2317. DAVIS, RUTH BURGESS (Obituary No. 2317.), 91 Ocala - Ruth Burgess Davis, beloved mother, grandmother, and great grandmother, died Sunday, June 17, 2007 at the age of 91. She was a long time member of Grace Episcopal Church. Ruth was born in Chicago, Illinois in 1916 and moved to Crystal River, Florida when she was nine years old. She was one of five sisters, growing up in Crystal River, a place that held many fond memories. Ruth lived in Ocala for over forty years and St. Augustine for twenty years. While living in St. Augustine, she worked at the Olde Carriage Realty. She was the wife of the late Edward "Skinny" Davis. Ruth is survived by her three children, Hester Simms, Ocala, Florida, Edward Hunt Davis, LaGrange, Georgia and Clark Davis, Tallahassee, Florida and their spouses, David Simms, Maxine Davis and Eleese Davis. In addition, she had six grandchildren, Laurel and Erin Davis, Leigh Anne Askren, Stacey Hammond, and Yorke and Whitney Davis and three great grandchildren, Davis and Jacob Hammond and Avery Askren. She also had 4 wonderful sisters, Alice Hanna and Florence Fleming of St. Augustine and the late Louise Dumas and Ginny Reeder. A visitation will be held at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Wednesday, June 20, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. A graveside service will be held at St. Augustine Memorial Park on Thursday, June 21, 2007 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Friends of the Library Access, 420 Platt St. Daytona Beach, FL 32114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2318. DICKEY, BOBBIE (Obituary No. 2318.), 74 Thompson Station, TN. - Bobbie Dickey, 74, passed away on June 17, 2007 at her daughter's home in Thompson Station, TN., where she resided for the past 12 years due to her health. She was a retired switchboard operator for Sears in Ocala where she worked for 30 years. She is a member of First Christian Church of Ocala. She is survived by her loving daughter, Gale Ellen Ross and husband George of Thompson Station, TN., her twin sister, Billie Knight of Ocala and her granddaughter, Tara Dale Ross of Murfreesboro, TN. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, June 21, 2007 at 10 a.m. at First Christian Church with Dr. Douglas V. Moore officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers please make memorial contributions in Bobbie's name to the Breast Cancer Foundation. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2319. KENNON, GEORGIA (Obituary No. 2319.), 84 Ocala - Georgia Kennon, died on June 17, 2007 at the age of 84. Beloved wife of the late Lyle Kennon, mother of Fran Kennon, Margie Harward & Janet Namen-Rufolo, grandmother of Tammy Bates, Coby Harward, Crystal Kennon, the late Brad Kennon, great grandmother of Stephanie Britt, Brandon Britt, Jacob Harward and Grace Harward, sister of Alice King and Inez Netherly. Visitation at Forest Lawn Funeral Home Thursday, June 21, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral service Friday, June 22, 2007 at 10 a.m. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.
2320. LOHR, ELEANOR (Obituary No. 2320.), 86 Nekoosa, WI - Eleanor Lohr, age 86, of the Angelus Retirement Center, 145 N. Cedar St. Nekoosa, WI formerly of Ocala, FL, died Thursday, June 14, 2007 at her home. There will be no service or visitation. Burial will be in the Florida National Cemetery. Eleanor was born January 3, 1921 in Washington, PA to Slater and Alice (Carroll) Mounts. She married Burley Lohr on June 16, 1948 in Washington, PA. He died in October of 2000. Eleanor was involved in banking for 30 years, retiring as Vice-President of Operations for the National Bank of Charleston, WV. She is survived by two sons, Eugene (Annette) Lohr of Wisconsin Rapids, WI and Glenn (Zita) Lohr of Perth, Australia; 4 grandchildren, Karen Lohr, Cathy (Mike) Van De Casteele, Ryan and Christie Lohr. Eleanor was preceded in death by her husband, parents, 3 sisters - Pat, Betty, and Peg, and one brother - Slater Mounts. FELDNER/RITCHAY FUNERAL HOME, 615 - 1st Street, Nekoosa, WI 54457 is assisting the family. Memorial donations may be designated to Ministry Home Care Hospice of Marshfield, WI. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/21/2007 - 6/22/2007.

2321. LOMBARDO, RYAN JAMES (Obituary No. 2321.), 17 Summerfield - Ryan James Lombardo, 17, passed away on June 11, 2007 at Orlando Regional Hospital. Ryan was born April 28, 1990 in Ocala, FL. He was a student attending honor classes and would have graduated from Lake Weir High School Class of 2008. Ryan worked part time at McDonalds in Summerfield. He loved fishing, skateboarding, playing sports, listening to music and spending time with his family, friends and girlfriend of 4 years, Brittney Trawick (deceased). Ryan always put others first. He is survived by his parents, James and Mary Lombardo; brothers, Anthony and Austyn, Summerfield; grandmothers, Dahlia Scott, Summerfield and Judy Lombardo, Tuscaloosa, AL; and several aunts, uncles, and cousins. A memorial service will be held Saturday, June 23, 2007 at 5 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd, The Villages, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/21/2007 - 6/22/2007.

2322. LONG, TROY O. (Obituary No. 2322.), 72 Citra - Troy O. Long, 72 of Citra, Florida, died Monday, June 18, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was a native of Chapel Hill, NC and came to Citra from High Sierra, CA in 1987. Mr. Long was an Iron Worker and was involved in constructing buildings all over the World. Mr. Long is survived by his daughter, Deborah Hart and son-in-law Alfred Hart of Citra, FL., sister Jackie Minton of chapel Hill, NC and his best friend Jack Mayhugh of Citra, Florida. Memorial services for Mr. Long will be held Saturday, June 23, 2007 at 4 p.m. at HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL, with Rev. Samuel W. Clements, officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2323. LOYD, EULA (Obituary No. 2323.), 99 Ocala - Eula Loyd, 99, passed away on June 18, 2007. She was born in Cullman, AL and moved to this area in 1951. She was a member of Ocklawaha Baptist Church and American Legion Auxillary, Post 284. She is survived by her three children, son, Ed Loyd and wife Brenda and grandson, Mark of Richmond, VA., son, James Loyd and wife Betty and grandson, Justin of Fredericksburg, VA., daughter, Betty Guynn and husband Victor and grandsons, Kevin and Jason and great grandchildren, Kayla and Alyssa of Ocala and her brothers Harvey and Alvin Dunn both of Cullman, AL. She was preceded in death by her husband Henry Loyd. Memorial graveside services will be held on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Ocklawaha Community Cemetery with Rev. Samuel W. Clements
2324. NELSON, BESSIE MAE (Obituary No. 2324.), 85 Ocala - Bessie Mae Nelson, 85, devoted wife, mother and homemaker, passed away, Monday, June 18, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. She was born in Leakesville, MS November 16, 1921. Mrs. Nelson moved to Ocala, FL in 1976 from Hollywood, FL. She was a W.A.C. veteran of WWII. Her hobbies included cooking and gardening. She enjoyed easy listening music. She was a member of St. John's United Methodist Church at Cotton Plant and Ocala West United Methodist Church of Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Robert Nelson of Ocala, FL., daughters, Brenda Marie Lawson of Gainesville, FL., Susan Arlene Nelson of Ocala, FL., Jennifer Pauline Roberts of Ocala, FL., and Cynthia Gail Oates of Leesburg, FL., her three grandchildren, three great grandchildren, her brothers John H. Cooley of Milan, TX., Bobby R. Cooley of New Augusta, MS., Marlin Cooley of Whitwell, TN., Jack Cooley of Richton, MS., sisters Mona Bea Bowen of Hampton, VA., Alla B. Budro of New Orleans, LA., Alvonette Hunt of Leakesville, MS. She was preceded in death by her brothers Alvin W. Cooley & Glen Cooley. Visitation will be Thursday, June 21, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Services will be Friday, June 22, 2007 at 11 a.m. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE CHAPEL, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL 34481. Memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.


2326. SCHWEERS, SR., BERNARD C. (Obituary No. 2326.), 72 Dunnellon - Bernard C. Schweers, Sr., 72, died Tuesday, June 19, 2007. He was born in Bronx, New York and moved to Dunnellon in 1967. He was a retired laborer in the construction business. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon and the laborer local union # 512. He is survived by his wife Judy Schweers; two sons, Todd Schweers of Dunnellon and Bernard "Clinton" Schweers, Jr., of Graceville, Florida; one daughter, Terri Latner of Dunnellon; a brother, Warren Schweers of San Diego, California; a sister, Adell "Dell" Hatcher of Dunnellon; eleven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. A funeral service will be Friday, June 22, 2007 at 10 a.m. with a visitation one hour prior to service. Dr. Robert Brooks will be officiating. Burial in Dunnellon Memorial Garden. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/21/2007 - 6/22/2007.

2327. SMITH, MARVIN J. "MARVE" (Obituary No. 2327.), 95 Dunnellon - Marvin John Smith (Marve) passed away June 16, 2007. He was a draftsman by trade. After retiring, he taught watercolor painting in Pinellas and Marion Counties. He was best know for his illustrations for the children's book "Beaufort Squirrel of Rainbow Springs" written by Frances White, and for
his painting of the Rainbow River. He was commissioned by Rainbow River Conservation, Inc. to paint a set of four paintings of the river. There was a limited edition of 100 sets. After all prints were sold, the originals were auctioned off to the highest bidder. He leaves his wife, Dorothy (Dottie), two stepsons, Ron Warnock and David Warnock, both of Dunnellon, and daughter-in-law Joy Byrd of Florence Mississippi. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Dunnellon Presbyterian Church or to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.

2328. SOMMER, MARY CHEETHAM (Obituary No. 2328.), 73 Anthony - Mary Cheetham Sommer, 73, passed away on Sunday, June 17, 2007 following a lengthy Alzheimer's illness. She was born in Boston, Mass. to Harry P. Cheetham and Evelyn M. Johnston, one of seven children, two of whom are still living. Mary was a long time resident of Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 37 years, Robert; two children, Eric Harry Sommer of Orlando and Jody Sommer Horton of Ft. Pierce; and two grandchildren, Jackson Eric Sommer and Davis Harrison Sommer of Orlando. Mary came from a family whose interests were aviation related. Her father Harry was a World War I fighter pilot, her husband Bob is a retired Delta Airlines Captain and former Army pilot, and she herself was a retired Delta Airlines Flight Attendant. Her son Eric is also a private pilot and her daughter Jody, now a school teacher, was formerly a Delta Airlines Attendant. Mary will be forever remembered for her love and devotion to her family. She was a loving wife and mother who will be missed greatly by her family and all who knew her. Services will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Spring Blvd., Ocala at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, June 22, 2007. Interment will be at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL commencing at 2:30 p.m. on June 22, 2007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/20/2007 - 6/21/2007.


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2330. D'ATTOMA, JOHN ANGELO (Obituary No. 2330.), 80 Ocala - John Angelo D'Attoma born July 9, 1926, devoted and loving husband to the late Anna D'Attoma. He is survived by his son John and wife Carol of Ridgewood, NJ., daughter Roseann and her husband Tom of the Villages, Florida and daughter Marie and her husband Lou of Dunnellon, Florida. He will be sorely missed by his grandchildren, Alyson, Amy, Michael, John, Blake, Christine, Thomas, Nicolette and Louis and his 5 great grandchildren. He is also survived by his sisters Antoinette and Lucy and brothers Joseph and Angelo. John was born in Astoria, New York and worked for over 20 years at Monning Steel in Maspeth, NY. He proudly served his country in the United States Navy as a Yeoman Third Class V6 aboard "the" SS Williard Keith from 1944-1946. John
was a true caregiver in every sense of the word. He did not know a stranger, treated all equally, and devoted his years to his family and friends. He will be missed but will rest in peace with the Lord for his goodness, fairness, lovingness, peacefulness and kindness will be rewarded. A mass will be said in his memory on June 23 at 8:30 a.m. at St. Jude's Roman Catholic Church, 443 Marion Oaks Drive, Ocala, FL. A gravesite burial will be held on June 25th at Florida National Cemetery at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family suggest that donations can be sent to St. Jude's Catholic Community at the above address or The Villages Hospice House, 601 Casa Bella, The Villages, FL 32162 in memory of John. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.

2331. FRIEDMAN, DR. DANIEL D. (Obituary No. 2331.), 85  Summerfield - Daniel D. Friedman, MD, and obstetrician and gynecologist who was an early proponent of natural childbirth methods in the U.S., died Monday, June 18, 2007 in a New York hospital, of complications from a massive stroke. He was 85. In a career that spanned more than 60 years, Dr. Friedman practiced medicine at Long Island Jewish Hospital, Long Island Jewish-Hillside Medical Center and St. Joseph's Hospital in New York and had private practices in North Woodmere and Lawrence. He taught at the Health Sciences Center, State University of New York and was an honorary professor at the State University of New York at Stony Brook. After his retirement, he served as a quality-assurance inspector at Long Island's hospitals, working into his late 70's. Long before natural childbirth methods reached the mainstream, and while many of contemporaries scoffed at the idea, Dr. Friedman felt passionately about its benefits. He shot films of drug- and surgery- free deliveries, which he presented in his classes to doctors and students. Proud to be a physician, Dr. Friedman loved his patients and his patients loved him. Born in New York on November 11, 1921, to Aaron and Alice Friedman, he earned a bachelor's degree at the University of Pennsylvania and played on the football team there. He earned his medical degree at the Hahnemann College of Medicine in Philadelphia. During World War II, he served as a lieutenant in the US Navy and held the same rank while serving in the Korean War. A healthy, handsome man, Dr. Friedman enjoyed golf, swimming and sports of all kinds. Loving, affectionate and playful, yet stern and intense, he longed for connection with his children and grandchildren. An appropriate epitaph for his tombstone might read, "He loved his patients and his family." Dr. Friedman owned a series of dogs including a standard poodle, a collie and a Jack Russell terrier. He traveled to warm climates and always tried new things. When his children were young, he introduced them to exotic foods like escargot. His favorite beverage was Dr. Brown's Celery Soda. He drove his stylish, vintage Mercedes until the wheels fell off. Over and over again he told his family, "I love you...You have to forgive and forget." Dr. Friedman's first two marriages ended in divorce. He is survived by his wife Barbara Friedman of Suffolk County and Summerfield; son, Michael Friedman of Hewlett; son and daughter-in-law, Andrew and Loretta Friedman of New York; daughter, Grace Friedman of Wolfeboro, New Hampshire; brother, Lawrence Friedman of Sarasota, Florida; sister, Leona Rutter of San Jose, California; and his grandchildren, Camillo Friedman, Anthony Friedman, Satya Sardonicus, Surya Sardonicus, Anjaneya Sardonicus, Ariel Sardonicus, Jasper Sardonicus and Tao Sardonicus. Graveside funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m., Friday, June 22, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, in Bushnell, Florida. A reception will follow at the family home. Family members suggest that any memorial contributions be made to Doctors Without Borders. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.
2332. JOHNSON, YOUNCIE "WAYLAN" (Obituary No. 2332.), 38 Ocala - Mr. Johnson of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, June 19, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, FL. A native of Lakeland, FL., he had made Ocala his home since 1979 moving from Seffner, FL. He was an owner of an automotive repair business. He enjoyed building racecars as a hobby. He was a member of First Assembly of God, Sumterville, FL. He is survived by his wife Cynthia B. Johnson, Ocala; three sons, Zachary, Jerrad, and Chris Johnson all of Ocala; parents, Paul and Iris Johnson of Ocala, FL; two brothers, Wollie and Wayne Johnson of Ocala, FL. He was loved by many and will be missed by all. A visitation will be held from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Friday, June 22, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Committal service will follow at Bethlehem Cemetery in Dover. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.

2333. LOHR, ELEANOR (Obituary No. 2333.), 86 Nekoosa, WI - Eleanor Lohr, age 86, of the Angelus Retirement Center, 145 N. Cedar St. Nekoosa, WI formerly of Ocala, FL., died Thursday, June 14, 2007 at her home. There will be no service or visitation. Burial will be in the Florida National Cemetery. Eleanor was born January 3, 1921 in Washington, PA to Slater and Alice (Carroll) Mounts. She married Burley Lohr on June 16, 1948 in Washington, PA. He died in October of 2000. Eleanor was involved in banking for 30 years, retiring as Vice-President of Operations for the National Bank of Charleston, WV. She is survived by two sons, Eugene (Annette) Lohr of Wisconsin Rapids, WI and Glenn (Zita) Lohr of Perth, Australia; 4 grandchildren, Karen Lohr, Cathy (Mike) Van De Casteele, Ryan and Christie Lohr. Eleanor was preceded in death by her husband, parents, 3 sisters - Pat, Betty, and Peg, and one brother - Slater Mounts. FELDNER/RITCHAY FUNERAL HOME, 615 - 1st Street, Nekoosa, WI 54457 is assisting the family. Memorial donations may be designated to Ministry Home Care Hospice of Marshfield, WI. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/21/2007 - 6/22/2007.

2334. LOMBARDO, RYAN JAMES (Obituary No. 2334.), 17 Summerfield - Ryan James Lombardo, 17, passed away on June 11, 2007 at Orlando Regional Hospital. Ryan was born April 28, 1990 in Ocala, FL. He was a student attending honor classes and would have graduated from Lake Weir High School Class of 2008. Ryan worked part time at McDonalds in Summerfield. He loved fishing, skateboarding, playing sports, listening to music and spending time with his family, friends and girlfriend of 4 years, Brittney Trawick (deceased). Ryan always put others first. He is survived by his parents, James and Mary Lombardo; brothers, Anthony and Austyn, Summerfield; grandmothers, Dahlia Scott, Summerfield and Judy Lombardo, Tuscaloosa, AL; and several aunts, uncles, and cousins. A memorial service will be held Saturday, June 23, 2007 at 5 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd, The Villages, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/21/2007 - 6/22/2007.

2335. PRYOR, JAY LEE (Obituary No. 2335.), 36 Ocala - Mr. Jay Lee Pryor, 36, of Ocala passed away on June 19, 2007 in Corbin, KY. He was a lifetime resident of Marion Co. He worked as a waiter at Cracker Barrel Restaurant. He was a member of United Pentecostal Church of Ocala. He also attended Community College in Gainesville, FL. Survivors include: mother and stepfather, Gloria and Lester Hagle of New Port Richey, FL; sister, Mendy Rhodes of Ocala, FL; two aunts, Dorothy D'onofrio and Elizabeth Walker of Sebring, FL; uncle, Eddie Melvin
Dunlap of Ocala, FL. Preceded in death by father, Johnny Pryor. Services will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to service at the funeral home. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.

2336. SCHWEERS, SR., BERNARD C. (Obituary No. 2336.), 72 Dunnellon - Bernard C. Schweers, Sr., 72, died Tuesday, June 19, 2007. He was born in Bronx, New York and moved to Dunnellon in 1967. He was a retired laborer in the construction business. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon and the laborer local union # 512. He is survived by his wife Judy Schweers; two sons, Todd Schweers of Dunnellon and Bernard "Clinton" Schweers, Jr., of Graceville, Florida; one daughter, Terri Latner of Dunnellon; a brother, Warren Schweers of San Diego, California; a sister, Adell "Dell" Hatcher of Dunnellon; eleven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. A funeral service will be Friday, June 22, 2007 at 10 a.m. with a visitation one hour prior to service. Dr. Robert Brooks will be officiating. Burial in Dunnellon Memorial Garden. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/21/2007 - 6/22/2007.

2337. SEGARRA, SR., EUGENIO, 59 (Obituary No. 2337.) Dunnellon - Eugenio Segarra, Sr., 59, died Tuesday, June 19, 2007. he was born in Mayaguez, Puerto Rico and moved to Dunnellon from Boca Raton three years ago. Mr. Segarra was retired from Law Enforcement and was a Christian. Survived by his beloved wife, Alicia Maria Segarra of Dunnellon; two son, Eugenio Segarra, Jr. of Yorktown, New York and Roberto Segarra of Dunnellon; one daughter, Alecia Segarra of Ft. Lauderdale; three brothers, Eddie Segarra of Mayagueza, Puerto Rico, Freddie Segarra of Yonkers, New York and Jose Segarra of New York; two sisters, Hilda Gonzalez of Tampa, Florida and Julia Caraballo of Mayaguez, Puerto Rico; and five grandchildren. Funeral services will be Saturday, June 23, 2007 at 6 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Dennis Hammil officiating. Visitation will also be Saturday from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.

2338. SHEPPARD, SAMUEL LARRY (Obituary No. 2338.), 76 Dunnellon - Samuel Larry Sheppard of Dunnellon and Sarasota passed away June 17, 2007. Larry was born in Ft. Myers on October 11, 1930, and his parents returned to Sarasota when he was 2 months old. The oldest of three boys Larry grew up and attended schools in Sarasota. As a youngster he attended Bee Ridge Baptist Church with his family. He was a founding and honorary life member of the Sarasota Ski-A-Rees, and a starting skier at the former Sunshine Springs and Gardens. He competed in numerous water skiing tournaments in the Southeast, and delivered some of his best performance and wins while in the Senior Men's Division. He was proud to have his name on the "Wall of Fame" at the Sarasota Ski-A-Rees site. Larry retired to Dunnellon in 1995 where he remained active and volunteered with the Will McLean Foundation and Rainbow River Conservation. He loved this area and spent many happy hours on his beloved Rainbow and Withlacoochee Rivers. Larry was predeceased by two younger brothers Joseph C. of Lake Placid and Allen Paul of Sarasota. He will be missed greatly by his best friend Barbara Weston and her family; his two sons, Lawrence H. and wife Jane of Palm Harbor, and Bruce A. and wife Elaine
of Sarasota; a grandson, Tanner Sheppard; great grandson, Peyton Sheppard of Bradenton; his
twin granddaughters, Sarah and Jessica Sheppard of Safety Harbor; his sisters, Bonnie Rooselet
and Mavis Smith of Sarasota, Marie Leggett of Wimauma and Virginia Williams of Arcadia and
their husbands; and all his nieces and nephews who could not wait to hear their Uncle Larry tell
his jokes. In Dunnellon there will be a gathering of friends for a Celebration of his life on June
22nd at 4 p.m. at the home of Darrell and Mary Ann Hilton, 12078 Palmetto Court. In Sarasota
there will be a memorial service at Bee Ridge Baptist Church, 4210 Proctor Road on Saturday,
June 30, 2007 at 11 a.m. and then a gathering of family and friends with a Pot Luck Lunch in the
Fellowship Hall. Larry will be interred at the Miakka United Methodist Cemetery, 1620 Myakka
Road, Sarasota. In lieu of flowers the family has requested that Memorial donations be made to
Rainbow River Conservation, Inc., P.O. Box 729, Dunnellon, FL 34430 or The Will McLean
Foundation, 20232 Palmetto Lane, Dunnellon, FL 34432 or Sarasota Ski-A-Rees, P.O. Box

2339. SPRINGER, AUBREY (Obituary No. 2339.), 83 Ocala - Aubrey Springer, 83, of Ocala
passed away peacefully at Tuscany House Hospice on Sunday, June 17, 2007. Born in
Albemarle, NC he moved to Colorado where he retired as Telephone Network Supervisor. He
moved to Ocala in 1987. He enjoyed boating, fishing, hunting, and traveling. He was a decorated
WWII Navy Veteran. He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Mary Jane Springer,
daughters Cheri Springer, Ocala and Barbara Mannering, Latham, MO., sons Bob Springer,
Colorado Springs, CO and Bill Springer, Grand Junction, CO., 5 grandchildren and 9 great
grandchildren. Memorial services to be held later. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from

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2340. ARGO, SARA P. (Obituary No. 2340.), 73 Orlando- Sarah P. Argo, 73, of Orlando passed
away June 21, 2007. She was born July 21, 1933 in Roanoke, Alabama to Robert and Nellie
Pool. She was a member of College Park Baptist Church where she enjoyed singing in the choir.
She is preceded in death by her husband John Argo and her sister Mary P. Evans(Ann). She is
survived by her daughters Annette Toney (Winston) and Suzette Argo; grandchildren Morgan
and Madison Toney and Matt Gore; brothers Bob Pool (Linda), Bill Pool (Louise), and Ben Pool
(D.J.); and sister Barbara Stewart (David). A visitation will be held Sunday, June 24, 2007 from
4-6PM at the Baldwin Fairchild Lake Ivanhoe Chapel. A funeral service will be held Monday,
June 25, 2007 at 1PM at the College Park Baptist Church with interment at Glen Haven
Memorial Park. Please view and sign the family guestbook at www.baldwinfairchild.com

2341. D'ATTOMA, JOHN ANGELO (Obituary No. 2341.), 80 Ocala - John Angelo D'Attoma
born July 9, 1926, devoted and loving husband to the late Anna D'Attoma. He is survived by his
son John and wife Carol of Ridgewood, NJ., daughter Roseann and her husband Tom of the
Villages, Florida and daughter Marie and her husband Lou of Dunnellon, Florida. He will be
sorely missed by his grandchildren, Alyson, Amy, Michael, John, Blake, Christine, Thomas,
Nicolette and Louis and his 5 great grandchildren. He is also survived by his sisters Antoinette
and Lucy and brothers Joseph and Angelo. John was born in Astoria, New York and worked for
over 20 years at Monning Steel in Maspeth, NY. He proudly served his country in the United
States Navy as a Yeoman Third Class V6 aboard "the" SS Williard Keith from 1944-1946. John was a true caregiver in every sense of the word. He did not know a stranger, treated all equally, and devoted his years to his family and friends. He will be missed but will rest in peace with the Lord for his goodness, fairness, lovingness, peacefulness and kindness will be rewarded. A mass will be said in his memory on June 23 at 8:30 a.m. at St. Jude's Roman Catholic Church, 443 Marion Oaks Drive, Ocala, FL. A gravesite burial will be held on June 25th at Florida National Cemetery at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family suggest that donations can be sent to St. Jude's Catholic Community at the above address or The Villages Hospice House, 601 Casa Bella, The Villages, FL 32162 in memory of John. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.

2342. DERAZZA, MARY A. (Obituary No. 2342.), 72 Ocala - Mary A. DeRazza, 72, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, June 21, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A retired Floor Lady for a Pharmaceutical company, she relocated to Marion County in 1989 from Carmel, NY. She was a parishioner at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church where she was a member of the Women's club and supervised bingo. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, John B. DeRazza, Ocala, son, John J. DeRazza of Sorrento, FL, daughters, Diane DeRazza, Belleview, FL, Kathleen Truong, and Maureen Madigan both of Port St. Lucie, FL, a brother, Anthony Cappello, Ocala, niece, Donna Quinn of Lake Wood, CA, and 10 grandchildren. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East, Sunday, June 24 between the hours of 2-4 & 6-8 PM. The Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Monday, June 25 at 11 AM at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Candler, FL. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/23/2007 - 6/24/2007.

2343. EMERICK, BETTY JEAN (Obituary No. 2343.), 86 Ocala - Mrs. Betty Jean Emerick, 86, passed away May 27, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in DuBois, PA and moved to Ocala in 1986 from N. Ft. Myers, FL. She was a very active member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church, an avid reader and liked doing crafts. She is survived by Reuben D. Emerick Jr., her husband of 54 years, sons David Emerick of Florence, KY, William Emerick of Terre Haute, IN and 4 grandchildren. There will be a memorial service at 3 p.m. Monday, June 25, 2007 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church with Dr. Ken Kleckner officiating. Donations may be made to the Ocala West United Methodist Church or Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/23/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2344. FRIEDMAN, DR. DANIEL D. (Obituary No. 2344.), 85 Summerfield - Daniel D. Friedman, MD, and obstetrician and gynecologist who was an early proponent of natural childbirth methods in the U.S., died Monday, June 18, 2007 in a New York hospital, of complications from a massive stroke. He was 85. In a career that spanned more than 60 years, Dr. Friedman practiced medicine at Long Island Jewish Hospital, Long Island Jewish-Hillside Medical Center and St. Joseph's Hospital in New York and had private practices in North Woodmere and Lawrence. He taught at the Health Sciences Center, State University of New York and was an honorary professor at the State University of New York at Stony Brook. After his retirement, he served as a quality-assurance inspector at Long Island's hospitals, working into his late 70's. Long before natural childbirth methods reached the mainstream, and while many of
contemporaries scoffed at the idea, Dr. Friedman felt passionately about its benefits. He shot films of drug- and surgery-free deliveries, which he presented in his classes to doctors and students. Proud to be a physician, Dr. Friedman loved his patients and his patients loved him. Born in New York on November 11, 1921, to Aaron and Alice Friedman, he earned a bachelor's degree at the University of Pennsylvania and played on the football team there. He earned his medical degree at the Hahnemann College of Medicine in Philadelphia. During World War II, he served as a lieutenant in the US Navy and held the same rank while serving in the Korean War. A healthy, handsome man, Dr. Friedman enjoyed golf, swimming and sports of all kinds. Loving, affectionate and playful, yet stern and intense, he longed for connection with his children and grandchildren. An appropriate epitaph for his tombstone might read, "He loved his patients and his family." Dr. Friedman owned a series of dogs including a standard poodle, a collie and a Jack Russell terrier. He traveled to warm climates and always tried new things. When his children were young, he introduced them to exotic foods like escargot. His favorite beverage was Dr. Brown's Celery Soda. He drove his stylish, vintage Mercedes until the wheels fell off. Over and over again he told his family, "I love you...You have to forgive and forget." Dr. Friedman's first two marriages ended in divorce. He is survived by his wife Barbara Friedman of Suffolk County and Summerfield; son, Michael Friedman of Hewlett; son and daughter-in-law, Andrew and Loretta Friedman of New York; daughter, Grace Friedman of Wolfeboro, New Hampshire; brother, Lawrence Friedman of Sarasota, Florida; sister, Leona Rutter of San Jose, California; and his grandchildren, Camillo Friedman, Anthony Friedman, Satya Sardonicus, Surya Sardonicus, Anjaneya Sardonicus, Ariel Sardonicus, Jasper Sardonicus and Tao Sardonicus. Graveside funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m., Friday, June 22, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, in Bushnell, Florida. A reception will follow at the family home. Family members suggest that any memorial contributions be made to Doctors Without Borders. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.

2345. JOHNSON, YOUNCIE "WAYLAN" (Obituary No. 2345.), 38 Ocala - Mr. Johnson of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, June 19, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, FL. A native of Lakeland, FL., he had make Ocala his home since 1979 moving from Seffner, FL. He was an owner of an automotive repair business. He enjoyed building racecars as a hobby. He was a member of First Assembly of God, Sumterville, FL. He is survived by his wife Cynthia B. Johnson, Ocala; three sons, Zachary, Jerrad, and Chris Johnson all of Ocala; parents, Paul and Iris Johnson of Ocala, FL; two brothers, Wollie and Wayne Johnson of Ocala, FL. He was loved by many and will be missed by all. A visitation will be held from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Friday, June 22, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Committal service will follow at Bethlehem Cemetery in Dover. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.

2346. K AMINSKI, DORMILEE V. "DEE" (Obituary No. 2346.), 84 Ocala - Dormilee V. (Knutter) (formerly Robertson) "Dee" Kaminski, Appleton, WI, was called by Jesus on June 17, 2007. Dee Kaminski was born Sept. 17, 1922 in Elmira, MO. to Herman and Dessie Knutter. She resided in Ocala, FL from 1974 until 1998. She had two children, Dee (Robertson) Fowler and Antonet(Robertson) Woods. Funeral services will be at 10:00 AM. Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Polo Christian Church, Polo, MO. Burial will be at 10:00 AM Monday at Ft. Leavenworth.
2347. MORROW, BRANDON TERRY (Obituary No. 2347.), 48 Auburn, GA - Brandon Terry Morrow, 48, of Auburn died June 20, 2007. He was born in Greenville, TN. He attended United Church and was a member of the United Church in Ocala, FL. He was a Student at Lanier Technical College. He is survived by John and Joyce Green Morrow of Ocala, FL; wife Laura Bryden Morrow of Auburn; a son Brandon A. Morrow of Winder, GA; daughter Rachel Morrow of Auburn; 1 grandchild; 2 brothers Toney Morrow of Dunnellon and Kevin Morrow of Morriston, FL. Memorial Services will be at 2 p.m. on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Smith Memory Chapel with John Burchfield officiating. Arrangements by SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 770-867-4553 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/23/2007 - 6/24/2007.

2348. PRYOR, JAY LEE (Obituary No. 2348.), 36 Ocala - Mr. Jay Lee Pryor, 36, of Ocala passed away on June 19, 2007 in Corbin, KY. He was a lifetime resident of Marion Co. He worked as a waiter at Cracker Barrel Restaurant. He was a member of United Pentecostal Church of Ocala. He also attended Community College in Gainesville, FL. Survivors include: mother and stepfather, Gloria and Lester Hagle of New Port Richey, FL; sister, Mendy Rhodes of Ocala, FL; two aunts, Dorothy D'onofrio and Elizabeth Walker of Sebring, FL; uncle, Eddie Melvin Dunlap of Ocala, FL. Preceded in death by father, Johnny Pryor. Services will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to service at the funeral home. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.

2349. SEGARRA, SR., EUGENIO (Obituary No. 2349.), 59 Dunnellon - Eugenio Segarra, Sr., 59, died Tuesday, June 19, 2007. He was born in Mayaguez, Puerto Rico and moved to Dunnellon from Boca Raton three years ago. Mr. Segarra was retired from Law Enforcement and was a Christian. Survived by his beloved wife, Alicia Maria Segarra of Dunnellon; two son, Eugenio Segarra, Jr. of Yorktown, New York and Roberto Segarra of Dunnellon; one daughter, Alecia Segarra of Ft. Lauderdale; three brothers, Eddie Segarra of Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, Freddie Segarra of Yankees, New York and Jose Segarra of New York; two sisters, Hilda Gonzalez of Tampa, Florida and Julia Caraballo of Mayaguez, Puerto Rico; and five grandchildren. Funeral services will be Saturday, June 23, 2007 at 6 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Dennis Hammil officiating. Visitation will also be Saturday from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.

2350. SHEPPARD, SAMUEL LARRY (Obituary No. 2350.), 76 Dunnellon - Samuel Larry Sheppard of Dunnellon and Sarasota passed away June 17, 2007. Larry was born in Ft. Myers on October 11, 1930, and his parents returned to Sarasota when he was 2 months old. The oldest of three boys Larry grew up and attended schools in Sarasota. As a youngster he attended Bee Ridge Baptist Church with his family. He was a founding and honorary life member of the Sarasota Ski-A-Rees, and a starting skier at the former Sunshine Springs and Gardens. He competed in numerous water skiing tournaments in the Southeast, and delivered some of his best
performance and wins while in the Senior Men's Division. He was proud to have his name on the "Wall of Fame" at the Sarasota Ski-A-Rees site. Larry retired to Dunnellon in 1995 where he remained active and volunteered with the Will McLean Foundation and Rainbow River Conservation. He loved this area and spent many happy hours on his beloved Rainbow and Withlacoochee Rivers. Larry was predeceased by two younger brothers Joseph C. of Lake Placid and Allen Paul of Sarasota. He will be missed greatly by his best friend Barbara Weston and her family; his two sons, Lawrence H. and wife Jane of Palm Harbor, and Bruce A. and wife Elaine of Sarasota; a grandson, Tanner Sheppard; great grandson, Peyton Sheppard of Bradenton; his twin granddaughters, Sarah and Jessica Sheppard of Safety Harbor; his sisters, Bonnie Rooselet and Mavis Smith of Sarasota, Marie Leggett of Wimauma and Virginia Williams of Arcadia and their husbands; and all his nieces and nephews who could not wait to hear their Uncle Larry tell his jokes. In Dunnellon there will be a gathering of friends for a Celebration of his life on June 22nd at 4 p.m. at the home of Darrell and Mary Ann Hilton, 12078 Palmetto Court. In Sarasota there will be a memorial service at Bee Ridge Baptist Church, 4210 Proctor Road on Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 11 a.m. and then a gathering of family and friends with a Pot Luck Lunch in the Fellowship Hall. Larry will be interred at the Miakka United Methodist Cemetery, 1620 Myakka Road, Sarasota. In lieu of flowers the family has requested that Memorial donations be made to Rainbow River Conservation, Inc., P.O. Box 729, Dunnellon, FL 34430 or The Will McLean Foundation, 20232 Palmetto Lane, Dunnellon, FL 34432 or Sarasota Ski-A-Rees, P.O. Box 1493, Sarasota, FL 34230. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/22/2007 - 6/23/2007.

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2351. ARGO, SARA P. (Obituary No. 2351.), 73 Orlando- Sarah P. Argo, 73, of Orlando passed away June 21, 2007. She was born July 21, 1933 in Roanoke, Alabama to Robert and Nellie Pool. She was a member of College Park Baptist Church where she enjoyed singing in the choir. She is preceded in death by her husband John Argo and her sister Mary P. Evans(Ann). She is survived by her daughters Annette Toney (Winston) and Suzette Argo; grandchildren Morgan and Madison Toney and Matt Gore; brothers Bob Pool (Linda), Bill Pool (Louise), and Ben Pool (D.J.); and sister Barbara Stewart (David). A visitation will be held Sunday, June 24, 2007 from 4-6PM at the Baldwin Fairchild Lake Ivanhoe Chapel. A funeral service will be held Monday, June 25, 2007 at 1PM at the College Park Baptist Church with interment at Glen Haven Memorial Park. Please view and sign the family guestbook at www.baldwinfairchild.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/23/2007 - 6/24/2007.

2352. ARMITAGE, CATHERINE M. (Obituary No. 2352.), 92 Ocala - Catherine Mary Armitage, 92, passed away peacefully at her home after a short illness. She was the devoted and loving wife of the late Charles C. Armitage, Sr. for 62 years. She resided in Ocala, FL for 51 years. Moving here from Cherry Valley in Stroudsburg, PA. She is survived by six children: Avis Blakeslee, Stroudsburg, PA, Joan Klinger, Ocala, FL, Charles C. Armitage, Jr., Stroudsburg, PA, Robert Armitage, Ocala, FL, Judith Oakley, Oxford, FL, Charlotte Cockrell, Richardson, TX and one brother Eddie Keller, Lynn, MA, 13 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren. The family will be have a private memorial service. Family members suggest that any memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society or Hospice of Marion County. We will miss you Mama and thank you and Daddy for the beautiful memories. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.
2353. BOWMEN, ELFRIEDE (Obituary No. 2353.), 87 Ocala - Elfriede Bowmen, 87, passed away June 13, 2007. She was not like others. She was a wonderful wife, secretary, model, cosmetologist and artist. I was born when I met her. I lived a beautiful life while she was with me. I know she is waiting for me. I will not be happy till I am with her again. This world was not made for someone as lovely as her. John Bowmen. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2354. CENONZE, ANN (Obituary No. 2354.), 81 Ocala - Ann Centonze, 81, of Ocala, Florida died Wednesday, June 20, 2007. She was born July 12, 1925 in Long Island, New York. Ann lived most of her life in Key West. She retired to Ocala in 1982. She was preceded in death by her husband Nicholas Centonze. Nick and Ann owned Luigi's Restaurant in Key West for many years. She is survived by her daughter, Andrea Centonze of Ocala and her son, Gary Centonze of Key West. She had four granddaughters, Monica Centonze of Ocala, Melissa Babanats of Tampa, Marissa Muir of Key West and Sarah Centonze of Key West. Two great-grandsons, Drae Centonze and Jae Centonze, both of Ocala. She has a sister, Mildred Merlo and a niece Linda Cerati, both of Connecticut. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2355. DERAZZA, MARY A. (Obituary No. 2355.), 72 Ocala - Mary A. DeRazza, 72, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, June 21, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A retired Floor Lady for a Pharmaceutical company, she relocated to Marion County in 1989 from Carmel, NY. She was a parishioner at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church where she was a member of the Women's club and supervised bingo. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, John B. DeRazza, Ocala, son, John J. DeRazza of Sorrento, FL, daughters, Diane DeRazza, Belleview, FL, Kathleen Truong, and Maureen Madigan both of Port St. Lucie, FL, a brother, Anthony Cappello, Ocala, niece, Donna Quinn of Lake Wood, CA, and 10 grandchildren. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East, Sunday, June 24 between the hours of 2-4 & 6-8 PM. The Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Monday, June 25 at 11 AM at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Candler, FL. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/23/2007 - 6/24/2007.

2356. EMERICK, BETTY JEAN (Obituary No. 2356.), 86 Ocala - Mrs. Betty Jean Emerick, 86, passed away May 27, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in DuBois, PA and moved to Ocala in 1986 from N. Ft. Myers, FL. She was a very active member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church, an avid reader and liked doing crafts. She is survived by Reuben D. Emerick Jr., her husband of 54 years, sons David Emerick of Florence, KY, William Emerick of Terre Haute, IN and 4 grandchildren. There will be a memorial service at 3 p.m. Monday, June 25, 2007 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church with Dr. Ken Kleckner officiating. Donations may be made to the Ocala West United Methodist Church or Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/23/2007 - 6/24/2007.

2357. GLERUM, FRANCIS R. (Obituary No. 2357.), 82 Ocala - Francis R. Glerum, R.N., age 82, beloved wife and mother, passed away June 21, 2007 after a brief illness. She was the
daughter of A. Clyde and Florence Root of Ashville, NY. She was predeceased by her parents, brother Edward Root and sister Ruth Palacio. She is survived by her husband Richard Z. Glerum. They were married for sixty years. Also surviving are daughter Mary L. Green, Nicholas, NY, son David R. Glerum, Daytona Beach, FL, son-in-law Carl Green and daughter-in-law Margaret A. Glerum, five grandchildren Derek Green, Christopher Green, Andrea Green, David Glerum, Jr., and Daniel Glerum. Also survived by sisters Elizabeth Park, Ashville, NY, Cecile Nuerschback, Tonawanda, NY, and Lucille Small Broadalbin, NY and many nieces, nephews and cousins. She was a compassionate and respected nurse for over 43 years. She retired from the oncology floor at Ocala Regional Hospital. She was a graduate of nursing at the University of Rochester and Chautauqua High School. Her hobbies included gardening, cooking, walking, shopping and crossword puzzles. She loved singing and music. She will be remembered for her gentle and loving personality. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice Marion County Legacy House, 9505 SW 110 St., Ocala, FL 34481. At the request of deceased, there will be no funeral service. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2358. KAMINSKI, DORMILEE V. "DEE" (Obituary No. 2358.), 84 Ocala - Dormilee V. (Knutter) (formerly Robertson) "Dee" Kaminski, Appleton, WI, was called by Jesus on June 17, 2007. Dee Kaminski was born Sept. 17, 1922 in Elmira, MO. to Herman and Dessie Knutter. She resided in Ocala, FL from 1974 until 1998. She had two children, Dee (Robertson) Fowler and Antonet Robertson Woods. Funeral services will be at 10:00 AM. Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Polo Christian Church, Polo, MO. Burial will be at 10:00 AM Monday at Ft. Leavenworth National Cemetery, Leavenworth, KS (Arr.'s: McGilley Antioch Chapel, 3325 NE Vivion Rd, Kansas City, MO, 816-453-7700) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/23/2007 - 6/24/2007.

2359. LEE, HILDA LEE (Obituary No. 2359.), 79 Belleview - Hilda L. Lee, age 79, passed away Monday, June 18, 2007 at MRMC. She was born in Pelham, GA on June 26, 1927 and has been a lifetime resident of Marion County. She was a retired nurse and a graduate of the University of Florida School of Nursing. Hilda enjoyed the Gaither's gospel music, her church family, and her pet cats. She is survived by one daughter Margie Marie Aviles of Dunnellon, two brothers Vernon Scarborough of Largo, and David Scarborough of Brooksville, four grandchildren Kelly, Carl, Ericka and Casey Dunn, and five great grandchildren. Memorial services will be held on Wednesday, June 27, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2360. MORROW, BRANDON TERRY (Obituary No. 2360.), 48 Auburn, GA - Brandon Terry Morrow, 48, of Auburn died June 20, 2007. He was born in Greenville, TN. He attended United Church and was a member of the United Church in Ocala, FL.. He was a Student at Lanier Technical College. He is survived by John and Joyce Green Morrow of Ocala, FL; wife Laura Bryden Morrow of Auburn; a son Brandon A. Morrow of Winder, GA; daughter Rachel Morrow of Auburn; 1 grandchild; 2 brothers Toney Morrow of Dunnellon and Kevin Morrow of Morriston, FL. Memorial Services will be at 2 p.m. on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Smith Memory Chapel with John Burchfield officiating. Arrangements by SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 770-867-4553 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/23/2007 - 6/24/2007.
2361. P RICE, RICHARD LEE (Obituary No. 2361.), 52 Ocala - Richard Lee Price, lover of Jehovah God and devoted Christian husband, passed away Friday, June 15, 2007. Even at times of pain and adversity, Richard lived his life to the full, with love, joy and humor. He achieved much in his 52 years, and tried to bring glory to God in everything he did. Grieving for Richard are his beloved wife, Victoria Jean Price, his sister Karen Holland, and her sons, Brandon and Steven. Richard also touched the hearts of many friends and neighbors who mourn his passing. Richard raised and treasured two children, Jacob Lee Price and Sarah Elizabeth Price of Idaho. Richard was born the youngest of three, in Camden, NJ, to Edwin and Ellen Elizabeth (Batz) Price on September 21, 1954. His dear mother taught him to study the Bible from infancy, and he held God's Word close in his heart. His brother Keith Price preceded him in death. He graduated from DeVrys Institute, and climbed quickly at IBM as World Wide Service Rep for the PC Division before leaving due to downsizing. During cleanup after Hurricane Andrew, he received a humanitarian award from the U.S. Army Reserves for outstanding service in assisting others during that difficult time. A brief Memorial Service is being arranged at the Shady Oaks Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, 3660 SW 7th Place, Ocala, FL, July 7, 2007 at 1 pm. Donations in Richard's memory may be sent there in lieu of flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2362. RIVOLI, DOLORES (Obituary No. 2362.) Ocala - Rivoli, Dolores entered into rest Friday, June 22, 2007. Survived by loving husband Anthony, son Mark, grandchildren and great grandchildren. Proceeded in death by son, Joseph. She was loved by many and will be missed by all. Funeral arrangements private. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2363. ROLF ES, JR., HARRY F. (Obituary No. 2363.), 55 Dunnellon - Harry F. Rolfes, Jr., 55, of Dunnellon, passed away Friday, June 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A Native of Lake Wales, Florida, he moved to Dunnellon in 1991 coming from Orlando, Florida. Mr. Rolfes is the owner of H & D Aircraft Maintenance Company of Williston. Mr. Rolfes is of Roman Catholic faith. Mr. Rolfes was a licensed A & P mechanic - pilot in the Aviation Industry. He is survived by his wife, Carol M. Rolfes of Dunnellon; son, Harry F. Rolfes, 3rd, and daughter, Caroline Rolfes, both of Dunnellon; father, Dr. Harry F. Rolfes, Sr. of Sarasota, Florida; brothers, Thomas Rolfes of Tallahassee, Florida and James Rolfes of Osprey, Florida; sisters, Carol Tyrell of Los Angeles, California and Anne Rolfes of St. Petersburg, Florida, and by many nieces and nephews. A cremation memorial service will be conducted, Tuesday, June 26, at 11:00 a.m. in ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL in Dunnellon, with Mr. Harry Bernet, officiating. Information provided by ROBERTS OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2364. THOMAS, EARL MICHAEL (Obituary No. 2364.), 58 Ocala - Earl Michael Thomas, 58, passed away on June 21, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. He was a native and lifetime resident of Ocala. He served his country in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War as an Airborne Rigger. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, scuba diving, four wheeling and CB and Ham Radio. He was a Quality Insurance Engineer for nuclear plants at Turkey Point, Idaho and Crystal River. He was most proud of his son, Michael Earl Thomas and his wife Sue, his nephew, Kylor McQuaig and his step-grandsons, Kyle Livingston and Justin Lynchner and his wife of 27 years, Paula
Thomas who preceded him in death on Feb. 1, 2006. He was also an Eagle Scout, receiving the God and Country Award. Other survivors include his mother, Allene Connell Johnson, stepfather, Jim Johnson, sisters, Janice Thomas Makofski and Pamela Stack and his brother Hurdy J. Stack all of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his father, Everett Earl Thomas, Jr. in 1950. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, June 26, 2007 at 2:00 P.M. at HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Pastor Frank Grant officiating. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 P.M. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4760, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Monday, June 25, 2007

2365. ARMITAGE, CATHERINE M. (Obituary No. 2365.), 92 Ocala - Catherine Mary Armitage, 92, passed away peacefully at her home after a short illness. She was the devoted and loving wife of the late Charles C. Armitage, Sr. for 62 years. She resided in Ocala, FL for 51 years. Moving here from Cherry Valley in Stroudsburg, PA. She is survived by six children: Avis Blakeslee, Stroudsburg, PA, Joan Klinger, Ocala, FL, Charles C. Armitage, Jr., Stroudsburg, PA, Robert Armitage, Ocala, FL, Judith Oakley, Oxford, FL, Charlotte Cockrell, Richardson, TX and one brother Eddie Keller, Lynn, MA, 13 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren. The family will be have a private memorial service. Family members suggest that any memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society or Hospice of Marion County. We will miss you Mama and thank you and Daddy for the beautiful memories. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2366. BOWMEN, ELFRIEDE (Obituary No. 2366.), 87 Ocala - Elfriede Bowmen, 87, passed away June 13, 2007. She was not like others. She was a wonderful wife, secretary, model, cosmetologist and artist. I was born when I met her. I lived a beautiful life while she was with me. I know she is waiting for me. I will not be happy till I am with her again. This world was not made for someone as lovely as her. John Bowmen. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2367. CENTONZE, ANN (Obituary No. 2367.), 81 Ocala - Ann Centonze, 81, of Ocala, Florida died Wednesday, June 20, 2007. She was born July 12, 1925 in Long Island, New York. Ann lived most of her life in Key West. She retired to Ocala in 1982. She was preceded in death by her husband Nicholas Centonze. Nick and Ann owned Luigi's Restaurant in Key West for many Years. She is survived by her daughter, Andrea Centonze of Ocala and her son, Gary Centonze of Key West. She had four granddaughters, Monica Centonze of Ocala, Melissa Babanats of Tampa, Marissa Muir of Key West and Sarah Centonze of Key West. Two great grandsons, Drae Centonze and Jae Centonze, both of Ocala. She has a sister, Mildred Merlo and a niece Linda Cerati, both of Connecticut. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2368. COTTEN, FRANCIS WALTER (Obituary No. 2368.), 76 Ocala - Francis "Fritz" Walter Cotten, 76, a long time resident of Ocala, Florida passed Saturday, June 23, 2007 following a courageous battle with Parkinson's Disease. He was born September 9, 1930 in Charleston, SC. Left to cherish his many memories is his first wife, Rita Marietta; his second wife, Patsy Bowen;
his 4 sons, Bobby, Larry, Gary and Greg; his daughter, Julie; and their spouses. In addition he has 8 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. A graduate of the Citadel Military Academy in Charleston, Fritz served with the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. His entrepreneurial skills led him to form Suncoast insulation and later Suncoast Wall & Ceiling Incorporated. Fritz loved to fish, play golf and be surrounded by his family and friends. He is loved and will be missed by all. The family will receive from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Monday, June 25, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, Ocala. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, June 26, 2007 at the Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Highlands Memorial Park Cemetery. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida, 34470. Phone number 352-629-7171. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/25/2007 - 6/26/2007.

2369. EMERICK, BETTY JEAN (Obituary No. 2369.), 86 Ocala - Mrs. Betty Jean Emerick, 86, passed away May 27, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in DuBois, PA and moved to Ocala in 1986 from N. Ft. Myers, FL. She was a very active member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church, an avid reader and liked doing crafts. She is survived by Reuben D. Emerick Jr., her husband of 54 years, sons David Emerick of Florence, KY, William Emerick of Terre Haute, IN and 4 grandchildren. There will be a memorial service at 3 p.m. Monday, June 25, 2007 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church with Dr. Ken Kleckner officiating. Donations may be made to the Ocala West United Methodist Church or Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/23/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2370. GLERUM, FRANCIS R. (Obituary No. 2370.), 82 Ocala - Francis R. Glerum, R.N., age 82, beloved wife and mother, passed away June 21, 2007 after a brief illness. She was the daughter of A. Clyde and Florence Root of Ashville, NY. She was predeceased by her parents, brother Edward Root and sister Ruth Palacio. She is survived by her husband Richard Z. Glerum. They were married for sixty years. Also surviving are daughter Mary L. Green, Nicholas, NY, son David R. Glerum, Daytona Beach, FL, son-in-law Carl Green and daughter-in-law Margaret A. Glerum, five grandchildren Derek Green, Christopher Green, Andrea Green, David Glerum, Jr., and Daniel Glerum. Also survived by sisters Elizabeth Park, Ashville, NY, Cecile Nuerschback, Tonawanda, NY, and Lucille Small Broadalbin, NY and many nieces, nephews and cousins. She was a compassionate and respected nurse for over 43 years. She retired from the oncology floor at Ocala Regional Hospital. She was a graduate of nursing at the University of Rochester and Chautauqua High School. Her hobbies included gardening, cooking, walking, shopping and crossword puzzles. She loved singing and music. She will be remembered for her gentle and loving personality. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice Marion County Legacy House, 9505 SW 110 St., Ocala, FL 34481. At the request of deceased, there will be no funeral service. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2371. JONES, CHARLES ROBERT (Obituary No. 2371.), 78 Silver Spring - Mr. Charles Robert Jones, 78, passed away on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. He was born in McKeesport, PA and moved to Silver Springs 34 years ago from Hialeah, FL. He was a retired Automobile Restorer. He was a member of Forest United Methodist Church and the Hudson-Terraplan Club. He served on the board of directors of A.R.C. and Shady Acres. He
served in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Korean War. Survivors include his wife, Dorothy; his
daughters, Susan of Ocala and Shirley Salter of Graysville, AL; his sons, Mike of Apopka and
Mark of Bradenton; his five grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be
held on Wednesday, June 27, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver
Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Nathan Grinn officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday, June 26,
2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Interment will be in Good Shepard Memorial Gardens. In lieu of
flowers, please make memorial contributions to A.R.C. Marion, Inc., 2800 SE Maricamp Road,

2372. LEE, HILDA LEE (Obituary No. 2372.), 79 Belleview - Hilda L. Lee, age 79, passed
away Monday, June 18, 2007 at MRMC. She was born in Pelham, GA on June 26, 1927 and has
been a lifetime resident of Marion County. She was a retired nurse and a graduate of the
University of Florida School of Nursing. Hilda enjoyed the Gaither's gospel music, her church
family, and her pet cats. She is survived by one daughter Margie Marie Aviles of Dunnellon, two
brothers Vernon Scarborough of Largo, and David Scarborough of Brooksville, four
grandchildren Kelly, Carl, Ericka and Casey Dunn, and five great grandchildren. Memorial
services will be held on Wednesday, June 27, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME,
910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 -

2373. MROCZKOWSKI, EUGENE FRANCIS (Obituary No. 2373.), 82 Dunnellon - Eugene F.
Mroczkowski, 82, of Dunnellon, passed away Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional
Medical Center. A native of Hilliard, Michigan, he moved to Dunnellon 13 years ago, coming
from St. Petersburg, Florida. MR. Mroczkowski is a U.S. Army veteran and a member of St.
John The Baptist Catholic Church.. He is a member of the V.F.W. and a fifty year member of the
Fraternal Order of Elks. He is survived by his wife, Marian Mroczkowski of Dunnellon, Florida;
sons, Mark Mroczkowski of Orlando, Florida and Scott Mroczkowski of Bradenton, Florida;
grandsons, Kyle Mroczkowski of Washington, D.C., and Justin Callahan of Brandon, Florida;
great grandson, Ryan Callahan of Brandon, Florida; granddaughters, Britney Mroczkowski of
Boca Raton, Florida and Tamara (Chris) Callahan of Brandon, Florida. Mr. Mroczkowski was
the owner and manager of Hoff's Mobile Home Park in Pinellas Park, Florida. A Catholic Mass
will be said on Thursday, June 28, 2007 at 11 a.m. at St. John The Baptist Catholic Church with
Fr. Joe Pinchock officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. till the start of the
Mass at the Church. Burial will follow at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida.
Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the

2374. PRICE, RICHARD LEE (Obituary No. 2374.), 52 Ocala - Richard Lee Price, lover of
Jehovah God and devoted Christian husband, passed away Friday, June 15, 2007. Even at times
of pain and adversity, Richard lived his life to the full, with love, joy and humor. He achieved
much in his 52 years, and tried to bring glory to God in everything he did. Grieving for Richard
are his beloved wife, Victoria Jean Price, his sister Karen Holland, and her sons, Brandon and
Steven. Richard also touched the hearts of many friends and neighbors who mourn his passing.
Richard raised and treasured two children, Jacob Lee Price and Sarah Elizabeth Price of Idaho.
Richard was born the youngest of three, in Camden, NJ, to Edwin and Ellen Elizabeth (Batz)
Price on September 21, 1954. His dear mother taught him to study the Bible from infancy, and he
held God's Word close in his heart. His brother Keith Price preceded him in death. He graduated from DeVrys Institute, and climbed quickly at IBM as World Wide Service Rep for the PC Division before leaving due to downsizing. During cleanup after Hurricane Andrew, he received a humanitarian award from the U.S. Army Reserves for outstanding service in assisting others during that difficult time. A brief Memorial Service is being arranged at the Shady Oaks Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, 3660 SW 7th Place, Ocala, FL, July 7, 2007 at 1 pm. Donations in Richard's memory may be sent there in lieu of flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2375. RIVOLI, DOLORES (Obituary No. 2375.) Ocala - Rivoli, Dolores entered into rest Friday, June 22, 2007. Survived by loving husband Anthony, son Mark, grandchildren and great grandchildren. Proceeded in death by son, Joseph. She was loved by many and will be missed by all. Funeral arrangements private. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2376. ROLFES, JR., HARRY F. (Obituary No. 2376.), 55 Dunnellon - Harry F. Rolfes, Jr., 55, of Dunnellon, passed away Friday, June 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A Native of Lake Wales, Florida, he moved to Dunnellon in 1991 coming from Orlando, Florida. Mr. Rolfes is the owner of H & D Aircraft Maintenance Company of Williston. Mr. Rolfes is of Roman Catholic faith. Mr. Rolfes was a licensed A & P mechanic - pilot in the Aviation Industry. He is survived by his wife, Carol M. Rolfes of Dunnellon; son, Harry F. Rolfes, 3rd, and daughter, Caroline Rolfes, both of Dunnellon; father, Dr. Harry F. Rolfes, Sr. of Sarasota, Florida; brothers, Thomas Rolfes of Tallahassee, Florida and James Rolfes of Osprey, Florida; sisters, Carol Tyrell of Los Angeles, California and Anne Rolfes of St. Petersburg, Florida, and by many nieces and nephews. A cremation memorial service will be conducted, Tuesday, June 26, at 11:00 a.m. in ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL in Dunnellon, with Mr. Harry Bernet, officiating. Information provided by ROBERTS OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.

2377. THOMAS, EARL MICHAEL (Obituary No. 2377.), 58 Ocala - Earl Michael Thomas, 58, passed away on June 21, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. He was a native and lifetime resident of Ocala. He served his country in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War as an Airborne Rigger. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, scuba diving, four wheeling and CB and Ham Radio. He was a Quality Insurance Engineer for nuclear plants at Turkey Point, Idaho and Crystal River. He was most proud of his son, Michael Earl Thomas and his wife Sue, his nephew, Kylor McQuaig and his step-grandsons, Kyle Livingston and Justin Lynchner and his wife of 27 years, Paula Thomas who preceded him in death on Feb. 1, 2006. He was also an Eagle Scout, receiving the God and Country Award. Other survivors include his mother, Allene Connell Johnson, stepfather, Jim Johnson, sisters, Janice Thomas Makofski and Pamela Stack and his brother Hurdy J. Stack all of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his father, Everett Earl Thomas, Jr. in 1950. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, June 26, 2007 at 2:00 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Pastor Frank Grant officiating. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 P.M. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4760, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/24/2007 - 6/25/2007.
2378. WHALLON, CAROLYN G. (Obituary No. 2378.), 77 Ocala - Carolyn G Whallon died March 23, 2007, in Ocala. Cary was born in Akron, OH and moved to Shelbyville IN when in grade school. She attended Hanover College and was a member of Phi Mu Fraternity. There Cary met and married Daniel Whallon, the son of Presbyterian missionaries in China. In Shelbyville, Cary was a charter member of PEO Chapter BL and was the first President of Coulston School's Parent-Teacher Organization. In 1959, the Whallon family moved to Madison IN where Cary became the head of Medical Records at King's Daughters Hospital and learned to be a clergy spouse while Dan attended Louisville Seminary. In 1962, the Whallon family moved to Taipei, Taiwan as missionaries for the Presbyterian Church. Cary learned Mandarin Chinese and especially enjoyed Chinese writing. She transcribed the New Testament from Chinese to Romanization so people unable to read Chinese could read the Romanization and proclaim the Scriptures in Chinese. She also wrote a Bible Glossary and a Medical Records manual. Cary became an Accredited Records Technician while a consultant for Mackay Memorial Hospital. She later became the English Language Secretary for the Moderator of the Presbyterian Church of Taiwan and was named an Honorary Member of Gikong Presbyterian Church. Cary and Dan retired to Ocala in 1987. Cary was ordained Elder at First Presbyterian Church where she served on the Session, the Senior Adults Ministry Committee, Interim Pastor Search Committee, honored as a Life Member of Presbyterian Women, and sang in the choir. She was active in Chapter CT of PEO as President and on the Bylaws Committee and was honored as a 60-year member of PEO. Cary was a strong advocate for inter-generational activities, local and international missions, and accessibility for people with disabilities as she had a major stroke in 1985. Cary was preceded in death by Daniel, her husband of 53 years. She is survived by their children, Diane (Ocala) and Daniel (Largo); brother, William (Centerville, OH); sister, Marilyn (Concord, NH); cousin Martha (Crawfordsville, IN); and 11 nieces and nephews. While being active in her church and community, Cary enjoyed needlework and knitted hundreds of lap robes. She also enjoyed baseball, good jokes, cooking, and corresponding with good friends of many years and many miles. Cary will be remembered for her planning and organizing capabilities, her strength of character in overcoming adversity, her deep faith, her candor, her hospitality, and her determination to be as active as possible. The celebration of Carolyn's life and ministry will be June 30, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Countryside Presbyterian Church. Memorial donations may be made to The Worldwide Ministries Division, Presbyterian Church USA, 100 Witherspoon Street, Louisville KY 40402-1396. Cary donated her body for medical research to help others live as her journey in this life has ended and her new life in Christ has begun.


Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Tuesday, June 26, 2007

2379. BEDFORD, ANNE-LOUISE (Obituary No. 2379.), 77 Ocala - Anne-Louise Bedford, 77, of Ocala, passed away Friday, June 22, 2007. She was born on November 25, 1929, to William and Clare Erck Fletcher, and grew up in Leesburg, FL. She graduated from the University of Florida and moved to Ocala with her first husband W. C. "Rusty" Gray. They were members of Grace Episcopal Church, and she began teaching at Grace Day School in 1961. She left Grace Day School in 1970, to teach in the Marion County Public School System. In 1975, she married Rudy Bedford, and continued teaching reading in elementary schools, including Howard Elementary and College Park Elementary schools. Mrs. Bedford retired form teaching in 1988. Mrs. Bedford is survived by her husband Rudy J. Bedford of Ocala, FL; two daughters, Clare
Gray-Bayne (Edward) of Columbus, GA and Marianne Gray of Bethesda, MD; two stepsons, Ted J. Bedford (Pam) and Andrew J. Bedford (Jodi); one stepdaughter, Lauren Chenette (Sean); and thirteen step grandchildren. Memorial Services will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday, June 28, 2007 at St. George's Anglican Church. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County or Music program of St. John's Cathedral in Jacksonville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2380. BOYLE, JAMES W. (Obituary No. 2380.), 90  Ocala - James W. Boyle, 90, passed away June 24, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Philadelphia, PA and moved to Ocala in 1987 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. He was a retired insurance agent, liked traveling and was a baseball fan. He is survived by Evelyn E. Boyle, his wife of 66 years; daughters, Patricia Hayes of Ocala, Kathleen Reddy of Hollywood, FL., and Eileen Behan of Jasper, GA; 5 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2381. CAMPBELL, DOLLY A. (Obituary No. 2381.), 68  Ft. McCoy - Dolly A. Campbell, 68, of Ft. McCoy, passed away June 24, 2007. Born in Union Township, Illinois, she came to this area in 1981 from Delray Beach, FL. She was a retired accountant and owned and operated a Greyhound breeding and training farm in Ft. McCoy. She was Lutheran by faith and is survived by her sons, Kevin Campbell of Ft. McCoy and Dan Campbell of Jamestown, NY; daughters, Julie Campbell of Ft. McCoy and Kerri Burke of Boynton Beach, FL; brothers, John Kuhn of Arizona and Mike and Pat Kuhn of Illinois; sister, Dixie Howard of Illinois; 9 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Thursday, June 28, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. The funeral service will follow at the Funeral home at 2 p.m. Interment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2382. CONLEY, LOIS M. (Obituary No. 2382.), 89  Petoskey, MI - Lois M. Conley, 89, of Petoskey, MI, died June 22, 2007 at her residence. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, June 26, 2007 at Stone Funeral Home in Petoskey, MI. Contributions in memory of Lois may be made to Hospice of Little Traverse Bay or the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by STONE FUNERAL HOME, INC., Petoskey, MI, 231-347-2291. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2383. COTTEN, FRANCIS WALTER (Obituary No. 2383.), 76  Ocala - Francis "Fritz" Walter Cotten, 76, a long time resident of Ocala, Florida passed Saturday, June 23, 2007 following a courageous battle with Parkinson's Disease. He was born September 9, 1930 in Charleston, SC. Left to cherish his many memories is his first wife, Rita Marietta; his second wife, Patsy Bowen; his 4 sons, Bobby, Larry, Gary and Greg; his daughter, Julie; and their spouses. In addition he has 8 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. A graduate of the Citadel Military Academy in Charleston, Fritz served with the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. His entrepreneurial skills led him to form Suncoast insulation and later Suncoast Wall & Ceiling Incorporated. Fritz loved to fish, play golf and be surrounded by his family and friends. He is loved and will be missed by all. The family will receive from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Monday, June 25, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, Ocala. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, June 26, 2007.

2384. FOX, VELMA MARIE (Obituary No. 2384.), 100 Ocala - Mrs. Fox of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, June 24, 2007. Born in Mount Zion, Ohio, she moved to Ocala in 1951 from Mansfield, OH. She was a school teacher and a graduate from Northern Ohio College. Mrs. Fox was active in the family hardware business in Ohio. She was active in the Boys and Girls Scouts of America, and was the past President of the YWCA in Ohio (1945-1946) and a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. Preceded in death by her husband, Howard W. Fox. She is survived daughter, Eleanor Fox Fay, Long Island, NY; son, John H. Fox, Dunnellon, FL; six grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren. A family memorial service will be held at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to: Thornwell Home for Children, P.O. Box 60, Clinton, SC., 29325-9972. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2385. GLERUM, FRANCES R. (Obituary No. 2385.), 82 Ocala - Frances Root Glerum, R.N., age 82, beloved wife and mother, passed away June 21, 2007 after a brief illness. She was the daughter of A. Clyde and Florence Root of Ashville, NY. She was predeceased by her parents, brother Edward Root and sister Ruth Palacio. She is survived by her husband Richard Z. Glerum. They were married for sixty years. Also surviving are daughter Mary Frances Green, Nichols, NY, son David R. Glerum, Daytona Beach, FL, son-in-law Carl Green and daughter-in-law Margaret A. Glerum, five grandchildren Derek Green, Christopher Green, Andrea Green, David Glerum, Jr., and Daniel Glerum. Also survived by sisters Elizabeth Park, Ashville, NY, Cecile Fuerschbach, Tonawanda, NY, and Lucille Small Brodalbin, NY and many nieces, nephews and cousins. She was a compassionate and respected nurse for over 43 years. She retired from the oncology floor at Ocala Regional Hospital. She was a graduate of nursing at the University of Rochester and Chautauqua High School. Her hobbies included gardening, cooking, walking, shopping and crossword puzzles. She loved singing and music. She will be remembered for her gentle and loving personality. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice Marion County Legacy House, 9505 SW 110 St., Ocala, FL 34481. At the request of deceased, there will be no funeral service. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2386. JONES, CHARLES ROBERT (Obituary No. 2386.), 78 Silver Spring - Mr. Charles Robert Jones, 78, passed away on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. He was born in McKeesport, PA and moved to Silver Springs 34 years ago from Hialeah, FL. He was a retired Automobile Restorer. He was a member of Forest United Methodist Church and the Hudson-Terraplan Club. He served on the board of directors of A.R.C. and Shady Acres. He served in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Korean War. Survivors include his wife, Dorothy; his daughters, Susan of Ocala and Shirley Salter of Graysville, AL; his sons, Mike of Apopka and Mark of Bradenton; his five grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, June 27, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Nathan Grinn officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday, June 26, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Interment will be in Good Shepard Memorial Gardens. In lieu of

2387. MROCKOWSKI, EUGENE FRANCIS (Obituary No. 2387.), 82 Dunnellon - Eugene F. Mroczkowski, 82, of Dunnellon, passed away Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Hilliard, Michigan, he moved to Dunnellon 13 years ago, coming from St. Petersburg, Florida. MR. Mroczkowski is a U.S. Army veteran and a member of St. John The Baptist Catholic Church. He is a member of the V.F.W. and a fifty year member of the Fraternal Order of Elks. He is survived by his wife, Marian Mroczkowski of Dunnellon, Florida; sons, Mark Mroczkowski of Orlando, Florida and Scott Mroczkowski of Bradenton, Florida; grandsons, Kyle Mroczkowski of Washington, D.C., and Justin Callahan of Brandon, Florida; great grandson, Kyle Mroczkowski of Washington, D.C., and Justin Callahan of Brandon, Florida; great grandson, Ryan Callahan of Brandon, Florida; granddaughters, Britney Mroczkowski of Boca Raton, Florida and Tamara (Chris) Callahan of Brandon, Florida. Mr. Mroczkowski was the owner and manager of Hoff's Mobile Home Park in Pinellas Park, Florida. A Catholic Mass will be said on Thursday, June 28, 2007 at 11 a.m. at St. John The Baptist Catholic Church with Fr. Joe Pinchock officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. till the start of the Mass at the Church. Burial will follow at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida.


2388. PUTMAN, RUTH ANN (Obituary No. 2388.), 67 Summerfield - Ruth Putman, 67, of Summerfield passed away on Friday, June 22, 2007 at Tuscany House. She was born in Moline, IL and moved here from Onsted, MI in 2000. Mrs. Putman was a member of the First Baptist Church of Bellevue. Her survivors include: Terry Putnam, her husband of 48 years; three sons, Dan of Livonia, MI., Jamie of Toledo, OH., and Rob of Livonia, MI; sister, Bonnie Hudson of Stoughton, WI. She also leaves two grandchildren and one great grandchild. Visitation will be at 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Tuesday, June 26, 2007 with funeral services at 11 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Bellevue, 6107 SE Agnew Road. Burial will be at Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Ocala. The family requests any memorials be given to First Baptist Church of Bellevue or the American Cancer Society. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIE. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2389. WHALLON, CAROLYN G. (Obituary No. 2389.), 77 Ocala - Carolyn G Whallon died March 23, 2007, in Ocala. Cary was born in Akron, OH and moved to Shelbyville IN when in grade school. She attended Hanover College and was a member of Phi Mu Fraternity. There Cary met and married Daniel Whallon, the son of Presbyterian missionaries in China. In Shelbyville, Cary was a charter member of PEO Chapter BL and was the first President of Coulston School's Parent-Teacher Organization. In 1959, the Whallon family moved to Madison IN where Cary became the head of Medical Records at King's Daughters Hospital and learned to be a clergy spouse while Dan attended Louisville Seminary. In 1962, the Whallon family moved to Taipei, Taiwan as missionaries for the Presbyterian Church. Cary learned Mandarin Chinese and especially enjoyed Chinese writing. She transcribed the New Testament from Chinese to Romanization so people unable to read Chinese could read the Romanization and proclaim the Scriptures in Chinese. She also wrote a Bible Glossary and a Medical Records manual. Cary became an Accredited Records Technician while a consultant for Mackay Memorial Hospital. She later became the English Language Secretary for the Moderator of the Presbyterian Church.
of Taiwan and was named an Honorary Member of Gikong Presbyterian Church. Cary and Dan retired to Ocala in 1987. Cary was ordained Elder at First Presbyterian Church where she served on the Session, the Senior Adults Ministry Committee, Interim Pastor Search Committee, honored as a Life Member of Presbyterian Women, and sang in the choir. She was active in Chapter CT of PEO as President and on the Bylaws Committee and was honored as a 60-year member of PEO. Cary was a strong advocate for inter-generational activities, local and international missions, and accessibility for people with disabilities as she had a major stroke in 1985. Cary was preceded in death by Daniel, her husband of 53 years. She is survived by their children, Diane (Ocala) and Daniel (Largo); brother, William (Centerville, OH); sister, Marilyn (Concord, NH); cousin Martha (Crawfordsville, IN); and 11 nieces and nephews. While being active in her church and community, Cary enjoyed needlework and knitted hundreds of lap robes. She also enjoyed baseball, good jokes, cooking, and corresponding with good friends of many years and many miles. Cary will be remembered for her planning and organizing capabilities, her strength of character in overcoming adversity, her deep faith, her candor, her hospitality, and her determination to be as active as possible. The celebration of Carolyn's life and ministry will be June 30, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Countryside Presbyterian Church. Memorial donations may be made to The Worldwide Ministries Division, Presbyterian Church USA, 100 Witherspoon Street, Louisville KY 40402-1396. Cary donated her body for medical research to help others live as her journey in this life has ended and her new life in Christ has begun.

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2390. BEDFORD, ANNE-LOUISE (Obituary No. 2390.), 77 Ocala - Annie-Louise Bedford, 77, of Ocala, passed away Friday, June 22, 2007. She was born on November 25, 1929, to William and Clare Erck Fletcher, and grew up in Leesburg, FL. She graduated from the University of Florida and moved to Ocala with her first husband W. C. "Rusty" Gray. They were members of Grace Episcopal Church, and she began teaching at Grace Day School in 1961. She left Grace Day School in 1970, to teach in the Marion County Public School System. In 1975, she married Rudy Bedford, and continued teaching reading in elementary schools, including Howard Elementary and College Park Elementary schools. Mrs. Bedford retired form teaching in 1988. Mrs. Bedford is survived by her husband Rudy J. Bedford of Ocala, FL; two daughters, Clare Gray-Bayne (Edward) of Columbus, GA and Marianne Gray of Bethesda, MD; two stepsons, Ted J. Bedford (Pam) and Andrew J. Bedford (Jodi); one stepdaughter, Lauren Chenette (Sean); and thirteen step grandchildren. Memorial Services will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday, June 28, 2007 at St. George's Anglican Church. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County or Music program of St. John's Cathedral in Jacksonville, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/25/2007 - 6/26/2007.

2391. BOSS, ELIZABETH P. (Obituary No. 2391.), 75 Ocala - Mrs. Elizabeth P. Boss, age 75, of Ocala, Florida died on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Sylvia's House Hospice. She was born in St. Louis, Missouri and moved to Ocala in 2005 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. She was a homemaker and Roman Catholic by faith. She loved, first and foremost, her family, she also loved reading, knitting and bowling. She is survived by her son, William F. "Bill" and wife Traci Boss of Royal Palm Beach, Florida; her daughter, Charlotte B. and husband Allan Biela of Ocala, Florida; her brother, Donald Pfander of Indian Rocks Beach, Florida and 5 grandchildren. Memorial
contributions may be made to the Foundation Fighting Blindness, P.O. Box 17279, Baltimore, Maryland 21297, in memory of Mrs. Elizabeth P. Boss. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 S.E. Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL 34471 352-732-9944

2392. BOYLE, JAMES W. (Obituary No. 2392.), 90 Ocala - James W. Boyle, 90, passed away June 24, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Philadelphia, PA and moved to Ocala in 1987 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. He was a retired insurance agent, liked traveling and was a baseball fan. He is survived by Evelyn E. Boyle, his wife of 66 years; daughters, Patricia Hayes of Ocala, Kathleen Reddy of Hollywood, FL., and Eileen Behan of Jasper, GA; 5 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2393. BROWN, ELVATIE C. (Obituary No. 2393.), 75 Ocala - Funeral Services for Mr. Elvatie Brown, 75, retired elevator operator for the U.S. Postal Service will be held on Friday, June 29, 2007 at 11 a.m. in Cunningham's Chapel of Faith with Rev. Willie Reynolds conducting the service. Mr. Brown was born in Lockheart, TX on November 6, 1931 to the late Cornelius Brown and Mintre Sims. He later moved to Chicago, IL where he completed his education, later entered the U.S. Army until January of 1959. He met and married Enid King in 2001. He leaves to cherish fond memories a devoted wife, Enid King Brown, Ocala, FL; 3 daughters, Terry Brown and Angel Blair, Chicago, IL and Jamelie Brown, New York; and a host of grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Interment will follow in Florida National Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be on Thursday, June 28, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the funeral home Friday in the chapel from 9 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/28/2007.

2394. BURCHETT, ANN E. UNDERWOOD (Obituary No. 2394.), 72 Salt Springs - Mrs. Burchett, age 72, of Salt Springs, FL passed away at ORMC, June 24, 2007. A native of Homosassa Springs, she was a lifetime resident of Marion County. She was a school bus driver, Past Worthy Matron, Order of The Eastern Star, the last living Charter member of Salt Springs Christian Church, and the past President of the Lioness Club. Proceeded in death by her son, Randall Lee Underwood. Survivors include her husband of 28 years, Randall G. Burchett, Salt Springs; daughter, Theda Severance, Salt Springs; two sons, William Stanley Underwood, Ft. McCoy and Peter David Underwood, Salt Springs; eight grandchildren, three step grandchildren, twelve great grandchildren, four step great grandchildren and one great-great step grandchild. Services will be at 2 p.m. on Thursday, June 28, 2007 at Salt Springs Christian Church, with interment to follow. Visitation will be from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/28/2007.

2395. CAMPBELL, DOLLY A. (Obituary No. 2395.), 68 Ft. McCoy - Dolly A. Campbell, 68, of Ft. McCoy, passed away June 24, 2007. Born in Union Township, Illinois, she came to this area in 1981 from Delray Beach, FL. She was a retired accountant and owned and operated a Greyhound breeding and training farm in Ft. McCoy. She was Lutheran by faith and is survived
by her sons, Kevin Campbell of Ft. McCoy and Dan Campbell of Jamestown, NY; daughters, Julie Campbell of Ft. McCoy and Kerri Burke of Boynton Beach, FL; brothers, John Kuhn of Arizona and Mike and Pat Kuhn of Illinois; sister, Dixie Howard of Illinois; 9 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Thursday, June 28, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. The funeral service will follow at the Funeral home at 2 p.m. Interment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2396. COLEMAN, EDWARD C. (Obituary No. 2396.), 76 Dunnellon - Edward C. Coleman was born January 25, 1931 in Chicago, Illinois. He was the sixth child of George Sr. and Nettie Coleman. Ed departed this Earth on June 23, 2007 at 3:20 p.m. in Ocala, Florida with his loving, devoted wife Doreatha and sons nearby. He was preceded in death by both parents; brothers: Charles, George Jr. and Earl; sisters: Irene and Mable. Ed attended and graduated from Morgan Park High School. He excelled academically with an emphasis in mathematics. He also played on the Morgan Park H.S. basketball team. Edward actively served in the United States Air Force from December 8, 1952 to December 7, 1956. He was stationed in Rapid City, South Dakota and later transferred to the Danish territory of Greenland. He continued to serve in the military reserves until 1960. Ed attended Wilson Junior College, Roosevelt University where he received his Bachelors Degree in Accounting, and the University of Chicago where he received his Master's Degree in Business Administration. He also played intercollegiate basketball. Ed spent most of his life residing in the Chicago area. Ed was united in holy matrimony to Charlotte Betty Samuels on June 6, 1953. They were married thirty-nine years until she made her transition in April, 1992. To this union were born four sons and one daughter. In 2000, Ed relocated to Florida. He married Doreatha Thomas on March 26, 2002. Ed's career of thirty-five years was at the University of Chicago, which he began in 1957 and retired in 1992. Among many positions held, he served as Director of Personnel and retired as Assistant Vice President of Labor Relations. Ed was a good and loyal friend to many. He was a hard working and positive thinker. He was noted for being strong willed and having a direct sense of humor (if you needed to be told something, then Ed was the one to tell you). His spouse and children saw him as a husband and father who was reliable, loving, giving and a provider. Ed leaves to cherish his memories: his wife Doreatha of Dunnellon, FL.; children: Edward & Melody Coleman of Naperville, IL, Gene Coleman of Orlando, FL, David Coleman of Country Club Hills, IL, Karen Coleman of Flossmoor, IL, and Dale & Kimberly Coleman of Ocala, One sister, Dorothy Carruthers-Johnson (Ellis) of Lakeside, MI; grandchildren: Lisa, Sharitha, Wesley, Anthony, Singleton, Isaac, Landon; 4 great-grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews, in-laws, cousins and friends. Funeral services will be held at Beth Eden Baptist Church. Services directed by BROOKINS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/28/2007.

2397. CONLEY, LOIS M. (Obituary No. 2397.), 89 Petoskey, MI - Lois M. Conley, 89, of Petoskey, MI, died June 22, 2007 at her residence. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, June 26, 2007 at Stone Funeral Home in Petoskey, MI. Contributions in memory of Lois may be made to Hospice of Little Traverse Bay or the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by STONE FUNERAL HOME, INC., Petoskey, MI, 231-347-2291. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.
2398. FOX, VELMA MARIE (Obituary No. 2398.), 100 Ocala - Mrs. Fox of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, June 24, 2007. Born in Mount Zion, Ohio, she moved to Ocala in 1951 from Mansfield, OH. She was a school teacher and a graduate from Northern Ohio College. Mrs. Fox was active in the family hardware business in Ohio. She was active in the Boys and Girls Scouts of America, and was the past President of the YWCA in Ohio (1945-1946) and a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. Preceded in death by her husband, Howard W. Fox. She is survived daughter, Eleanor Fox Fay, Long Island, NY; son, John H. Fox, Dunnellon, FL; six grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren. A family memorial service will be held at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to: Thornwell Home for Children, P.O. Box 60, Clinton, SC., 29325-9972. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2399. GLERUM, FRANCES R. (Obituary No. 2399.), 82 Ocala - Frances Root Glerum, R.N., age 82, beloved wife and mother, passed away June 21, 2007 after a brief illness. She was the daughter of A. Clyde and Florence Root of Ashville, NY. She was predeceased by her parents, brother Edward Root and sister Ruth Palacio. She is survived by her husband Richard Z. Glerum. They were married for sixty years. Also surviving are daughter Mary Frances Green, Nichols, NY, son David R. Glerum, Daytona Beach, FL, son-in-law Carl Green and daughter-in-law Margaret A. Glerum, five grandchildren Derek Green, Christopher Green, Andrea Green, David Glerum, Jr., and Daniel Glerum. Also survived by sisters Elizabeth Park, Ashville, NY, Cecile Fuerschbach, Tonawanda, NY, and Lucille Small Broadalbin, NY and many nieces, nephews and cousins. She was a compassionate and respected nurse for over 43 years. She retired from the oncology floor at Ocala Regional Hospital. She was a graduate of nursing at the University of Rochester and Chautauqua High School. Her hobbies included gardening, cooking, walking, shopping and crossword puzzles. She loved singing and music. She will be remembered for her gentle and loving personality. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice Marion County Legacy House, 9505 SW 110 St., Ocala, FL 34481. At the request of deceased, there will be no funeral service. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2400. LAMOUREUX, PATRICIA MYRICK (Obituary No. 2400.), 53 Weirsdale - Mrs. Patricia Myrick Lamoureux, age 53, passed away June 23, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. She was a registered nurse. Patricia was born in Greene, New York on July 7, 1953. She moved to Weirsdale in 1985 from Ocala. She is a member of First Assembly of God Church in Ocala. She was an avid vegetable gardener. She loved the old time music especially Gospel, Country & Western and Rock-n-Roll. She is survived by her husband, Steven Paul Lamoureux of Weirsdale, FL; daughter, Katrina Marie Myrick of Weirsdale, FL; mother, Barbara J. Warner of Ocala, FL; sisters, Velda Cooper of Ocala, FL., Barbara (Roger) Lamb of Windsor, New York and April (Daniel) Walling of Waverly, New York. A memorial service will be held on Monday, July 9, 2007 at 10 a.m. at First Assembly of God Church, 14th Street, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2401. MARUNA, MARY (Obituary No. 2401.), 79 Ocala - Mary Maruna, 79, of Ocala, FL passed away June 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in New York, NY she came to Florida in 1980 from New York. She was a homemaker and of the Catholic faith. Survived by son, Frank Maruna Jr. of New York; daughter, Mary Ann Ruane of New York; John

2402. NOWAK, DORIS MAY (Obituary No. 2402.), 78 Ocala - Doris May Nowak, 78, of Ocala, passed away June 24, 2007. She came to this area 23 years ago from her native, Cleveland, Ohio. She was a homemaker and an active member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Ocala. She is survived by her daughters, Susan Nowak-Wilson of Brunswick, Ohio and Diane Nowak of Ocala; brother, Richard Phillips of NC; grandchildren, Pamela Taylor, Philip Vazquez, Timothy Vazquez and Adam Wilson. She was preceded in death by her husband, William Nowak and son, William O. Nowak. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-944 on Thursday, June 28, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. The Funeral service will be held at the Funeral Home on Friday, June 29, 2007 at 11 a.m. with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/28/2007.

2403. PALMER, BETTY R. (Obituary No. 2403.), 50 Ocala - Betty R. Palmer, 50, of Ocala, FL passed away on June 25, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Leadville, CO and moved to Ocala in 1969 from Minnesota. She was a former bank Vice-President. Mrs. Palmer is survived by her husband, Woodrow Palmer of Ocala, FL; son, Dustin Palmer of Ocala, FL; daughter, Michelle Belton of Ocala, FL; step daughters, Tena Palmer and Natalie Palmer of Ocala, FL and Brooke Palmer of Lizzella, GA; stepson, Michael Engelbrecht of Chicago, IL; grandsons, Colby Henderson and James Belton of Ocala, FL; granddaughters, Sara Palmer and Sierra Hack both of Ocala, FL; sisters, Mary Locke of Ft. Pierce, FL, Donna Hill of Cornelius, NC, Cheryl Schipman of Jacksonville, FL and Marlene Pospect of Hoyt Lakes, MN; brother, Melvin Garland of Covington, WA; 36 nieces and nephew. She was predeceased by her parents and a brother Dale Garland. Visitation will be held Wednesday, June 27, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and the service will follow at 4 p.m. at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2404. PILLA, JEANETTE M. CORRADO (Obituary No. 2404.), 85 Ocala - Jeanette M. Corrado Pilla, an 18 year resident of Oak Run has died at age 85. She and her late husband Nick moved from Long Island, New York. One of seven siblings, Jeanette grew up in Queens, New York in a large Italian-American family. She graduated from Julia Richmond High School and worked in retail for Macy's, Gertz and Gimbel's department stores, and retired as a buyer for J.C. Penney's. In Florida she volunteered for the Oak Run Library, took art and craft classes, and volunteered in a reading program at Sunrise Elementary. She enjoyed her grandchildren and great grandchildren and the numerous friends she made throughout her lifetime. Among her hobbies were traveling, knitting and cooking special Italian dishes for her family, friends and neighbors. Jeanette was a Charter Member of the Angela S. Santos V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary Post 4781 and was concerned about the treatment of veterans and their families. She was preceded in death by her husband, Nicholas G. Pilla a veteran of World War II and a 38 year career with the U.S. Postal Service. She is survived by her sons, Thomas, Vito and Richard, 11 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren and three sisters: Mary, Lucy, and Lorraine. A funeral mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Thursday, June 28, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. The VFW Post will conduct a memorial service at 6 p.m. Thursday evening. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations

2405. PUTMAN, RUTH ANN (Obituary No. 2405.), 67  Summerfield - Ruth Putman, 67, of Summerfield passed away on Friday, June 22, 2007 at Tusca

ny House. She was born in Moline, IL and moved here from Onsted, MI in 2000. Mrs. Putman was a member of the First Baptist Church of Belleview. Her survivors include: Terry Putnam, her husband of 48 years; three sons, Dan of Livonia, MI., Jamie of Toledo, OH., and Rob of Livonia, MI; sister, Bonnie Hudson of Stoughton, WI. She also leaves two grandchildren and one great grandchild. Visitation will be at 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Tuesday, June 26, 2007 with funeral services at 11 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Belleview, 6107 SE Agnew Road. Burial will be at Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Ocala. The family requests any memorials be given to First Baptist Church of Belleview or the American Cancer Society. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEU. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/26/2007 - 6/27/2007.

2406. SIMMONS, NEIL C. (Obituary No. 2406.), 87  Gainesville - Mr. Neil C. Simmons, 87, resident of Gainesville, Florida died Monday, June 25, 2007 following a long illness. Mr. Simmons was a native of Erie, Pennsylvania, son of the late Harold and Vera McDannel Simmons, and had resided in Gainesville for the past year, having moved here from McIntosh, where he had lived for many years. Mr. Simmons was a veteran of World War II, having served in the U.S. Army Air Force. He was employed for many years as a zone service representative for the Buick Motor Division of General Motors. Mr. Simmons was then employed by the Dade County School Board until his retirement in 1987. He was a member of the McIntosh Lions Club and attended the McIntosh Presbyterian Church. Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Jane Simmons; three daughters and son-in-laws, Lorie Simmons (Michael Cameron), of Portland, Oregon, Christine (James) Waters of Boca Raton, and Jeanne (Michael) Sims, of McIntosh; one granddaughter, Sarah Sims, of Micanopy. Memorial services will be conducted by Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 11 a.m. in the McIntosh Presbyterian Church, with Dr. Ina Boyd, officiating and Rev. Tommy Lee assisting. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Haven Hospice, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606 or the McIntosh Presbyterian Church, 5825 Avenue F, P.O. Box 385 McIntosh, FL 32664. For further information WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN 352-376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2407. TOKARSKI, LAVERNE R. (Obituary No. 2407.), 82  Ocala - LaVerne R. Tokarski, age 82, of Ocala, FL (Oak Run) passed away at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, FL on Monday, June 25, 2007. She was born in Plainesville, PA on November 7, 1924. Mrs. Tokarski moved to Ocala from New Jersey in 1999. She was a Catholic and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. She worked as a Travel Agent for Safety Bus Co. in Pennsauken, NJ for 15 years. Her hobbies included reading and earlier in her life photography. She was a member of The Fountains Book Club in Oak Run. She is survived by her husband of 34 years Edward Tokarski; son John Tokarski of Los Angeles; son Stephen Tyburski of Cabo San Lucas, MX; one sister and 2 grandchildren. Funeral service will be Thursday, June 28, 10:30am at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the funeral home. Interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by
2408. ANNATONE, DOMINIC (Obituary No. 2408.), 72 Ocala - Dominic Annatone, 72, of Ocala, died June 13, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala after a long illness. Born in New Haven, CT to the late Michael and Patricia Annatone, he retired from Armstrong Tire and Rubber Co in West Haven, CT in 1981 and moved to Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Dorothy, and his second wife, Joyce. He will be missed by his son, Michael and wife Stephanie Annatone of Brentwood, CA.; his daughter, Theresa Annatone Dougherty of Ocala, FL; his stepson, Randall and wife Linda Ockerman of Glennville, GA; his two brothers, Michael and wife Joan Annatone of Orange, CT and Robert Annatone of Palm Springs, CA; his sister, Carmella and husband Ronald Antonetti of West Haven, CT; his four grandchildren, Jennifer, Valarie, Christina, and Rocco; and his three great grandchildren, Sierra, Tess, and Meadow. The family has requested that memorials be made to the American Diabetes Association by calling 1-800-342-2383 or go online http://www.diabetes.org Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2409. BELL, WILLIAM S. (Obituary No. 2409.), 74 Ocala - William S. "Bill" Bell, 74, passed away June 26, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Glasgow, Scotland and moved to Ocala in 2005 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. He was a retired millwright, liked traveling and was a member of the Roe Fulkerson Masonic Lodge #299 F&AM. He is survived by Elizabeth B. Bell, his wife of 52 years; sons, William Bell of Port St. Lucie, FL and Derek Bell of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; daughter, Catherine Bell of Toronto, Canada; 7 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren; sisters, Elizabeth Murray of Glasgow, Scotland, May Skirving of Toronto, Canada and Nancy Symington of England. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Legacy Hospice House. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2410. BOSS, ELIZABETH P.(Obituary No. 2410.), 75 Ocala - Mrs. Elizabeth P. Boss, age 75, of Ocala, Florida died on Saturday, June 23, 2007 at Sylvia's House Hospice. She was born in St. Louis, Missouri and moved to Ocala in 2005 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. She was a homemaker and Roman Catholic by faith. She loved, first and foremost, her family, she also loved reading, knitting and bowling. She is survived by her son, William F. "Bill" and wife Traci Boss of Royal Palm Beach, Florida; her daughter, Charlotte B. and husband Allan Biela of Ocala, Florida; her brother, Donald Pfander of Indian Rocks Beach, Florida and 5 grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to the Foundation Fighting Blindness, P.O. Box 17279, Baltimore, Maryland 21297, in memory of Mrs. Elizabeth P. Boss. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 S.E. Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL 34471 352-732-9944 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/28/2007.

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2412. BURCHETT, ANN E. UNDERWOOD (Obituary No. 2412.), 72 Salt Springs - Mrs. Burchett, age 72, of Salt Springs, FL passed away at ORMC, June 24, 2007. A native of Homosassa Springs, she was a lifetime resident of Marion County. She was a school bus driver, Past Worthy Matron, Order of The Eastern Star, the last living Charter member of Salt Springs Christian Church, and the past President of the Lioness Club. Proceeded in death by her son, Randall Lee Underwood. Survivors include her husband of 28 years, Randall G. Burchett, Salt Springs; daughter, Theda Severance, Salt Springs; two sons, William Stanley Underwood, Ft. McCoy and Peter David Underwood, Salt Springs; eight grandchildren, three step grandchildren, twelve great grandchildren, four step great grandchildren and one great-great step grandchild. Services will be at 2 p.m. on Thursday, June 28, 2007 at Salt Springs Christian Church, with interment to follow. Visitation will be from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/28/2007.

2413. COLEMAN, EDWARD C. (Obituary No. 2413.), 76 Dunnellon - Edward C. Coleman was born January 25, 1931 in Chicago, Illinois. He was the sixth child of George Sr. and Nettie Coleman. Ed departed this Earth on June 23, 2007 at 3:20 p.m. in Ocala, Florida with his loving, devoted wife Doreatha and sons nearby. He was preceded in death by both parents; brothers: Charles, George Jr. and Earl; sisters: Irene and Mable. Ed attended and graduated from Morgan Park High School. He excelled academically with an emphasis in mathematics. He also played on the Morgan Park H.S. basketball team. Edward actively served in the United States Air Force from December 8, 1952 to December 7, 1956. He was stationed in Rapid City, South Dakota and later transferred to the Danish territory of Greenland. He continued to serve in the military reserves until 1960. Ed attended Wilson Junior College, Roosevelt University where he received his Bachelors Degree in Accounting, and the University of Chicago where he received his Master's Degree in Business Administration. He also played intercollegiate basketball. Ed spent most of his life residing in the Chicago area. Ed was united in holy matrimony to Charlotte Betty Samuels on June 6, 1953. They were married thirty-nine years until she made her transition in April, 1992. To this union were born four sons and one daughter. In 2000, Ed relocated to Florida. He married Doreatha Thomas on March 26, 2002. Ed's career of thirty-five years was at the University of Chicago, which he began in 1957 and retired in 1992. Among many positions held, he served as Director of Personnel and retired as Assistant Vice President of Labor Relations. Ed was a good and loyal friend to many. He was a hard working and positive thinker. He was noted for being strong willed and having a direct sense of humor (if you needed to be told something, then Ed was the one to tell you). His spouse and children saw him as a husband and father who was reliable, loving, giving and a provider. Ed leaves to cherish his memories:
his wife Doreatha of Dunnellon, FL., children: Edward & Melody Coleman of Naperville, IL, 
Gene Coleman of Orlando, FL, David Coleman of Country Club Hills, IL, Karen Coleman of 
Flossmoor, IL, and Dale & Kimberly Coleman of Ocala, One sister, Dorothy Carruthers-Johnson 
(Ellis) of Lakeside, MI; grandchildren: Lisa, Sharitha, Wesley, Anthony, Singleton, Isaac, 
Landon; 4 great-grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews, in-laws, cousins and friends. 
Funeral services will be held at Beth Eden Baptist Church. Services directed by BROOKINS 

2414. CUTRONE, NICHOLAS (Obituary No. 2414.), 84 Ocala - Nicholas Cutrone, 84, passed 
away June 26, 2007 at MRMC at Timberridge. He was born in New York, NY and moved to 
Ocala in 1995 from Oceanside, NY. He enjoyed doing artwork and was a U.S. Coast Guard 
veteran of WWII. He is survived by Rose Cutrone, his wife of 64 years; daughters, Rosemarie 
Hasnoot of Ocala, Michelle Shand of New York, Colette Landis of Belleview, FL; sons-in-law, 
Bruce Haasnoot, Eddie Shand and Garry Landis. He is also survived by 7 grandchildren and 3 
great grandchildren. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of 

2415. DAVIS, JONATHAN L. "J.J" (Obituary No. 2415.), 19 Ocala - Jonathan L. Davis, age 19, 
of Ocala passed away Tuesday, June 26, 2007. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic 
Church. HE attended Maplewood Elementary School, Howard Middle School where he won the 
Presidential Scholar Award. He also attended Forest High School with a 3.2 GPA. J.J. loved 
watching sports and loved fishing and boating at Lake Weir. He enjoyed the friends at Rick's 
Barber Shop. He loved the Gators, cowboy music, eating frosty's, shopping, and celebrating 
birthdays at El Toreo's with whipped cream pies in his face. J.J. took lemons and turned them 
into lemonade. He also loved Thanksgiving dinners. J.J. is preceded in death by his brother 
Joseph Scott, grandmother Marjorie McDonald Aulet, and grandfather Carroll Frye. He is 
survived by his mother Judith Scott and father Larry Davis of Ocala; stepfather Ronnie Scott and 
stepmother Judy Davis of Ocala; a sister Taylor Scott; a brother Ryan Scott; stepbrother Dean 
Luce all of Ocala; maternal grandfather Joseph Aulet, Sr.; and paternal grandmother Elaine Frye. 
Funeral mass will be 12 p.m. Saturday, June 30, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. 
Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Garden, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be from 2 p.m. 
to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, June 29, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver 

2416. ECKERDT, BERNADINE B. (Obituary No. 2416.), 61 Ocala - Bernadine B. Eckerdt, 
age 61, of Ocala, passed away on Friday, June 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Hospital in Ocala. 
Born in Wyoming, PA., she moved to Florida in 1993 from Dover, DE. Bernadine was retired 
from K-Mart in Ocala, and Catholic by faith. Life member of veterans of foreign war post 4781, 
Ocala. Associate member of Marine Corp League, Ocala west detachment in Ocala. Industrial 
Engineering technology student club, Delaware Tech community college. Survived by husband, 
Donald G. Eckerdt of Ocala; son, Walter S. (Kriss) Mera Jr. of Clayton, DE; and 2 
grandchildren, Rebecca and Daniel. Memorial services will be held Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 
12 noon at VFW 4781, 9401 SW 110th St. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 
2417. FORT, KENNETH EUGENE (Obituary No. 2417.) 55 Citra - Kenneth Eugene Fort, 55, of Citra, died Monday, June 25, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Ken was born in Willacoochee, GA. Long time resident of Marion County. Ken was an inspector for Progress Energy. He enjoyed hunting and fishing, and anything to do with nature. He was of the Pentecostal faith. He is survived by his devoted wife of 35 years Kristina Fort of Citra, FL; 3 sons Kenneth "Ryan" Fort of Riverview, FL., Jonathan Michael Fort of Ocala, FL., and Michael Christopher Fort of Citra, FL., brother James L. Fort of Dewy Rose, GA., sister, Mary Nelson of Crawfordville, FL., sister Irene Haynes of Montgomery, AL., sister Shirley Bennett of Valdosta, GA., brother Glenn Fort of Gainesville, FL., and many nieces and nephew. Friends may call on the family at the gathering at Roberts Downtown Chapel, Thursday, June 28, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be Friday, June 29, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the Roberts Funeral Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Lee Moffit Cancer Center in Tampa or the Shriner Children's Hospital. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2418. HOUSTON, MARY C. (Obituary No. 2418.) 92 Ocala - Mrs. Mary C. Houston, 92, housewife, services will be held Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church with Dr. T. L. Brooks, Pastor, conducting the service. Mrs. Houston was born June 9, 1915 to the late John Rocker and Cora Knox in Avalon, GA. She was a choir member of the Senior Choir. Survivors include husband, Elbert Houston of Ocala, FL, two sisters, Zeberble Coleman and Irene Speiehts, both of Ocala, FL and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Interment will follow in Chestnut Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care", CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, June 29, 2007 from 9:00-7:00 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the church from 12:00 noon until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2419. JUDD, LAWRENCE LANE, (Obituary No. 2419.) 51 Jacksonville - Lawrence Lane Judd, 51, passed away June 24, 2007. Born in Ocala, Fl, he lived most of his life in Jacksonville. He retired from the U.S. Navy having been stationed at NAS Jacksonville and was an avid golfer and on-line poker enthusiast. He joins grandparents, Bob & Edith Walker in Heaven and is survived by the love of his life, wife, Cynthia B. Judd; parents, Margaret Belle Baker & Marvin Lawrence Judd; Aunt Andree; brothers, Mitchell & Scott; daughters, Miranda & Jessica; step-daughters, Alyson & Jessica; granddaughter, Victoria; grandsons, Jackson, Tristan, and Evan; and numerous other relatives and close friends. Lane will be forever missed by all. A memorial service celebrating his life will be held, with full military honors, at 2 p.m. Friday, June 29, 2006, in the chapel of HARDAGE-GIDDENS CHAPEL HILLS FUNERAL HOME, 850 St. Johns Bluff Rd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2420. LAMOUREUX, PATRICIA MYRICK, (Obituary No. 2420.) 53 Weirsdale - Mrs. Patricia Myrick Lamoureux, age 53, passed away June 23, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. She was a registered nurse. Patricia was born in Greene, New York on July 7, 1953. She moved to Weirsdale in 1985 from Ocala. She is a member of First Assembly of God Church in Ocala. She was an avid vegetable gardener. She loved the old time music especially Gospel, Country & Western and Rock-n-Roll. She is survived by her husband, Steven Paul Lamoureux of Weirsdale,
FL; daughter, Katrina Marie Marick of Weirsdale, FL; mother, Barbara J. Warner of Ocala, FL; sisters, Velda Cooper of Ocala, FL., Barbara (Roger) Lamb of Windsor, New York and April (Daniel) Walling of Waverly, New York. A memorial service will be held on Monday, July 9, 2007 at 10 a.m. at First Assembly of God Church, 14th Street, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/29/2007.


2422. NELSON, DEDE L., (Obituary No. 2422.) 45 Ocala - Mrs. DeDe Lorraine Nelson, 45, cosmetologist, self employed. Services will be held Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Mt. Tabor African Methodist Episcopal Church with Dr. T. Patricia Nelson, Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Nelson was born in Stroudsberg, PA to Eddie Allen & Moonyeen Kendrick. She was a 1980 graduate of Forest High School class of 1980. She received her cosmetology degree from CFCC. She was a junior trustee and youth dance group director at Mt. Table AME Church. She leaves to cherish fond memories, husband Andre Nelson of Ocala; daughter, Stephanie Nelson of Ocala; parents, Alfred & Moonyeen Bryant of Ocala; 2 brothers, Christopher Allen of Ocala and Alfred Bryant, Jr. of Ocala; 4 sisters, Lori Bryant or Raleigh, NC., Dawn Whitaker of Albany, GA., Stacy Allen of Ocala and Lamarenee Allen of Athens, GA. Intermment will follow in Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, June 29, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. A wake service from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. in Cunningham's Chapel of Faith. Saturday at the church from 9 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2423. NOWAK, DORIS MAY, (Obituary No. 2423.) 78 Ocala - Doris May Nowak, 78, of Ocala, passed away June 24, 2007. She came to this area 23 years ago from her native, Cleveland, Ohio. She was a homemaker and an active member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Ocala. She is survived by her daughters, Susan Nowak-Wilson of Brunswick, Ohio and Diane Nowak of Ocala; brother, Richard Phillips of NC; grandchildren, Pamela Taylor, Philip Vazquez, Timothy Vazquez and Adam Wilson. She was preceded in death by her husband, William Nowak and son, William O. Nowak. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-944 on Thursday, June 28, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. The Funeral service will be held at the Funeral Home on Friday, June 29, 2007 at 11 a.m. with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/28/2007.

2424. PALMER, BETTY R., (Obituary No. 2424.) 50 Ocala - Betty R. Palmer, 50, of Ocala, FL passed away on June 25, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Leadville, CO and moved to Ocala in 1969 from Minnesota. She was a former bank Vice-President. Mrs. Palmer is survived by her husband, Woodrow Palmer of Ocala, FL; son, Dustin Palmer of Ocala, FL; daughter, Michelle Belton of Ocala, FL; step daughters, Tena Palmer and Natalie Palmer of
Ocala, FL and Brooke Palmer of Lizzella, GA; stepson, Michael Engelbrecht of Chicago, IL;
grandsons, Colby Henderson and James Belton of Ocala, FL; granddaughters, Sara Palmer and
Sierra Hack both of Ocala, FL; sisters, Mary Locke of Ft. Pierce, FL, Donna Hill of Cornelius,
NC, Cheryl Schipman of Jacksonville, FL and Marlene Pospect of Hoyt Lakes, MN; brother,
Melvin Garland of Covington, WA; 36 nieces and nephew. She was predeceased by her parents
and a brother Dale Garland. Visitation will be held Wednesday, June 27, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 4
p.m. and the service will follow at 4 p.m. at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN
CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 -

2425. PILLA, JEANETTE M. CORRADO, (Obituary No. 2425.) 85 Ocala - Jeanette M.
Corrado Pilla, an 18 year resident of Oak Run has died at age 85. She and her late husband Nick
moved from Long Island, New York. One of seven siblings, Jeanette grew up in Queens, New
York in a large Italian-American family. She graduated from Julia Richmond High School and
worked in retail for Macy's, Gertz and Gimbel's department stores, and retired as a buyer for J.C.
Penney's. In Florida she volunteered for the Oak Run Library, took art and craft classes, and
volunteered in a reading program at Sunrise Elementary. She enjoyed her grandchildren and
great grandchildren and the numerous friends she made throughout her lifetime. Among her
hobbies were traveling, knitting and cooking special Italian dishes for her family, friends and
neighbors. Jeanette was a Charter Member of the Angela S. Santos V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary Post
4781 and was concerned about the treatment of veterans and their families. She was preceded in
death by her husband, Nicholas G. Pilla a veteran of World War II and a 38 year career with the
U.S. Postal Service. She is survived by her sons, Thomas, Vito and Richard, 11 grandchildren
and 5 great grandchildren and three sisters: Mary, Lucy, and Lorraine. A funeral mass will be
held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Thursday, June 28, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. The VFW Post
will conduct a memorial service at 6 p.m. Thursday evening. In lieu of flowers, the family
suggests donations be made to Veteran's Family Service, Jeanette Pilla Donations, L.A. VFW

2426. SAVASTEN, MARGARET HELEN, (Obituary No. 2426.) 89 Canaseraga, NY - Mrs.
Margaret H. Savasten, age 89, passed away peacefully June 23, 2007 at her home in Canaseraga,
New York, after a short illness. She resided in Ocala, Florida for 15 years, moving here from
Buffalo, New York. She was a compassionate and respected nurse for 40 years. She retired from
the Ocala Geriatric Center in 1992. Margaret was a true caregiver and she was devoted to her
family, patients and co-workers. She is survived by her daughter Marie Ripton, who took lovely
care of her for many years; three sons, Richard, Robert and John; son-in-law, Patrick; daughters-
in-laws, Sarah, Charmagne and Susan; seven grandchildren, Richard J. Candace, Jennifer,
Jonathan, Trisha, Keith and Dale, and numerous great grandchildren. We will miss you Peggy.
You will rest in peace with the Lord for your kindness and goodness. Thank you for all the
wonderful memories. A private family memorial service will be held at a later date. Funeral
arrangements entrusted to the ROBERTSON FUNERAL HOME, 354 Canisteo St., Hornell, NY

2427. SIMMONS, NEIL C., (Obituary No. 2427.) 87 Gainesville - Mr. Neil C. Simmons, 87,
resident of Gainesville, Florida died Monday, June 2007 following a long illness. Mr. Simmons
was a native of Erie, Pennsylvania, son of the late Harold and Vera McDannel Simmons, and had resided in Gainesville for the past year, having moved here from McIntosh, where he had lived for many years. Mr. Simmons was a veteran of World War II, having served in the U.S. Army Air Force. He was employed for many years as a zone service representative for the Buick Motor Division of General Motors. Mr. Simmons was then employed by the Dade County School Board until his retirement in 1987. He was a member of the McIntosh Lions Club and attended the McIntosh Presbyterian Church. Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Jane Simmons; three daughters and son-in-laws, Lorie Simmons (Michael Cameron), of Portland, Oregon, Christine (James) Waters of Boca Raton, and Jeanne (Michael) Sims, of McIntosh; one granddaughter, Sarah Sims, of Micanopy. Memorial services will be conducted by Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 11 a.m. in the McIntosh Presbyterian Church, with Dr. Ina Boyd, officiating and Rev. Tommy Lee assisting. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Haven Hospice, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606 or the McIntosh Presbyterian Church, 5825 Avenue F, P.O. Box 385 McIntosh, FL 32664. For further information WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN 352-376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2428. THORNTON, STARLETHA, (Obituary No. 2428.) 89 Citra - Funeral services will be on Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 11 a.m., Church of By Faith in Righteousness & True Holiness, Citra, FL. Minister Christopher Stokes will conduct the words of comfort. A wake service will be held at the Deliverance Revival Center, Citra, FL on Thursday at 6 p.m. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Peggy Tuggerson (17210 NE 18th Ave. Citra, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Sister Thornton 6 daughters Annie Mae Mitchell of Citra, Florida, Altamease Morley of Sarasota, Florida, Betty Nichols and Peggy Tuggerson of Citra, Florida, Brenda Alexander of Citra, Florida, and Shandia Thornton of Douglas, Georgia; 2 sons, James Thornton of Citra, Florida and Willis Thornton of Sparr, Florida; 29 grandchildren, 46 great grandchildren and 6 great-great grandchildren. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2430. TOKARSKI, LAVERNE R., (Obituary No. 2429.) 82 Ocala - LaVerne R. Tokarski, age 82, of Ocala, FL (Oak Run) passed away at neds Hospital in Gainesville, FL on Monday, June 25, 2007. She was born in Plainesville, PA on November 7, 1924. Mrs. Tokarski moved to Ocala from New Jersey in 1999. She was a Catholic and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. She worked as a Travel Agent for Safety Bus Co. in Pennsauken, NJ for 15 years. Her hobbies included reading and earlier in her life photography. She was a member of The Fountains Book Club in Oak Run. She is survived by her husband of 34 years Edward Tokarski; son John Tokarski of Los Angeles; son Stephen Tyburski of Cabo San Lucas, MX; one sister and 2 grandchildren. Funeral service will be Thursday, June 28, 10:30am at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the funeral home. Interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by HIER-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIDGE, Ocala, FL. (352)873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/28/2007.

Obituaries Listed in the Ocala Star-Banner, Friday, June 29, 2007
2430. ANNATONE, DOMINIC, (Obituary No. 2430.) 72 Ocala - Dominic Annatone, 72, of Ocala, died June 13, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala after a long illness. Born in New Haven, CT to the late Michael and Patricia Annatone, he retired from Armstrong Tire and Rubber Co in West Haven, CT in 1981 and moved to Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Dorothy, and his second wife, Joyce. He will be missed by his son, Michael and wife Stephanie Annatone of Brentwood, CA.; his daughter, Theresa Annatone Dougherty of Ocala, FL; his stepson, Randall and wife Linda Ockerman of Glennville, GA; his two brothers, Michael and wife Joan Annatone of Orange, CT and Robert Annatone of Palm Springs, CA; his sister, Carmella and husband Ronald Antonetti of West Haven, CT; his four grandchildren, Jennifer, Valarie, Christina, and Rocco; and his three great grandchildren, Sierra, Tess, and Meadow. The family has requested that memorials be made to the American Diabetes Association by calling 1-800-342-2383 or go online http://www.diabetes.org Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2431. BELL, WILLIAM S., (Obituary No. 2431.) 74 Ocala - William S. "Bill" Bell, 74, passed away June 26, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Glasgow, Scotland and moved to Ocala in 2005 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. He was a retired millwright, liked traveling and was a member of the Roe Fulkerson Masonic Lodge #299 F&AM. He is survived by Elizabeth B. Bell, his wife of 52 years; sons, William Bell of Port St. Lucie, FL and Derek Bell of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; daughter, Catherine Bell of Toronto, Canada; 7 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren; sisters, Elizabeth Murray of Glasgow, Scotland, May Skirving of Toronto, Canada and Nancy Symington of England. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Legacy Hospice House. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2432. CLARK, MARY ESTHER, (Obituary No. 2432.) 81 Ocala - Mrs. Mary Esther Clark, age 81, beloved wife and mother, died June 24, 2007 in Ocala. Mrs. Clark was a homemaker and enjoyed adventures and traveling with her surviving husband of 61 years. She had an accomplished life in community service, photographic restoration and arts and crafts. Mrs. Clark was originally from New Hampshire and moved to West Palm Beach, Florida with her husband in 1979. They moved to Ocala in December of 2000. She is survived by her husband, David Clark, their six children, Jonathan, Dale, Becky, Don, Virginia and Robert, as well as 10 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren. She will be laid to rest at Clark Family Cemetery in Barnstead, New Hampshire. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of local arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/29/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2433. CUTRONE, NICHOLAS, (Obituary No. 2433.) 84 Ocala - Nicholas Cutrone, 84, passed away June 26, 2007 at MRMC at Timberridge. He was born in New York, NY and moved to Ocala in 1995 from Oceanside, NY. He enjoyed doing artwork and was a U.S. Coast Guard veteran of WWII. He is survived by Rose Cutrone, his wife of 64 years; daughters, Rosemarie Haasnoot of Ocala, Michelle Shand of New York, Colette Landis of Belleview, FL; sons-in-law, Bruce Haasnoot, Eddie Shand and Garry Landis. He is also survived by 7 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.
2434. DAVIS, JONATHAN L. “J. J.” (Obituary No. 2434.) 19 Ocala - Jonathan L. Davis, age 19, of Ocala passed away Tuesday, June 26, 2007. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He attended Maplewood Elementary School, Howard Middle School where he won the Presidential Scholar Award. He also attended Forest High School with a 3.2 GPA. J.J. loved watching sports and loved fishing and boating at Lake Weir. He enjoyed the friends at Rick's Barber Shop. He loved the Gators, cowboy music, eating frosty's, shopping, and celebrating birthdays at El Torreo's with whipped cream pies in his face. J.J. took lemons and turned them into lemonade. He also loved Thanksgiving dinners. J.J. is preceded in death by his brother Joseph Scott, grandmother Marjorie McDonald Aulet, and grandfather Carroll Frye. He is survived by his mother Judith Scott and father Larry Davis of Ocala; stepfather Ronnie Scott and stepmother Judy Davis of Ocala; a sister Taylor Scott; a brother Ryan Scott; stepbrother Dean Luce all of Ocala; maternal grandfather Joseph Aulet, Sr.; and paternal grandmother Elaine Frye. Funeral mass will be 12 p.m. Saturday, June 30, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Garden, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, June 29, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2435. ECKERDT, BERNADINE B., (Obituary No. 2435.) 61 Ocala - Bernadine B. Eckerdt, age 61, of Ocala, passed away on Friday, June 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Hospital in Ocala. Born in Wyoming, PA., she moved to Florida in 1993 from Dover, DE. Bernadine was retired from K-Mart in Ocala, and Catholic by faith. Life member of veterans of foreign war post 4781, Ocala. Associate member of Marine Corp League, Ocala west detachment in Ocala. Industrial Engineering technology student club, Delaware Tech community college. Survived by husband, Donald G. Eckerdt of Ocala; son, Walter S. (Kriss) Mera Jr. of Clayton, DE; and 2 grandchildren, Rebecca and Daniel. Memorial services will be held Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 12 noon at VFW 4781, 9401 SW 110th St. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2436. EHLERS, EDWARD W., (Obituary No. 2436.) 77 Summerfield - Edward W. Ehlers, 77, of Summerfield, died June 26, 2007, at his residence. He was born in Elmhurst, IL., and was a longtime resident of Marion County. He was owner of MC Grove Service. Mr. Ehlers was Protestant by faith, and a member of the Bellevue Masonic Lodge, York Rite, Scottish Rite, Shrine, and Red Cross of Constantine. He served in the United States Air Force. Mr. Ehlers is survived by his wife, Barbara Ehlers, Summerfield; daughters, Pamela Ehlers, Wildwood and Victoria Kuhn and son-in-law, Jerry Kuhn of Cape Coral; sisters, Dorothy Kispet, Orlando and Frances Crabb, Homosassa; granddaughters, Sarah Kuhn and Hannah Kuhn, Cape Coral. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 30, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Bellevue, with visitation one hour prior. Contributions may be made to American Heart Assoc., American Cancer Society, or American Diabetes Assoc. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/29/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2437. ELAM, ELAINE NORMA, (Obituary No. 2437.) 75 Summerfield - Elaine Norma Elam, 75, of Summerfield, passed away on Tuesday, June 26, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield. A native of Hillsboro, IL., she came here in 1984 from Lake Place, FL. Elaine was a former employee of the Ocala Star Banner in the Advertising Dept. and a bartender at the Orange Blossom Inn in Summerfield. Mrs. Elam is survived by her son, Ronald Elam of Orlando; sister
Ruth Fenton of Greenville, IL.; one grandchild and one great grandchild. Graveside services will be held on Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala.

2438. FORT, KENNETH EUGENE, (Obituary No. 2438.) 55 Citra - Kenneth Eugene Fort, 55, of Citra, died Monday, June 25, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Ken was born in Willacoochee, GA. Long time resident of Marion County. Ken was an inspector for Progress Energy. He enjoyed hunting and fishing, and anything to do with nature. He was of the Pentecostal faith. He is survived by his devoted wife of 35 years Kristina Fort of Citra, FL; 3 sons Kenneth "Ryan" Fort of Riverview, FL., Jonathan Michael Fort of Ocala, FL., and Michael Christopher Fort of Citra, FL., brother James L. Fort of Dewy Rose, GA., sister, Mary Nelson of Crawfordville, FL., sister Irene Haynes of Montgomery, AL., sister Shirley Bennett of Valdosta, GA., brother Glenn Fort of Gainesville, FL., and many nieces and nephew. Friends may call on the family at the gathering at Roberts Downtown Chapel, Thursday, June 28, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be Friday, June 29, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the Roberts Funeral Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Lee Moffit Cancer Center in Tampa or the Shriner Children's Hospital. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2439. HENENFELD, MARVIN, (Obituary No. 2439.) 78 Ocala - Marvin Henenfeld, 78, passed away June 27, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in The Bronx, New York and moved to Ocala in 1992 from New York, NY. He was Jewish, a US Army veteran of the Korean Conflict and enjoyed reading. He is survived by Dolores "Dee" Henenfeld his wife of many years, of Ocala; brothers, Ernie and Gilbert Henenfeld, and sisters, Vivian Betterton and Toby Henenfeld, all of New York, NY. He was preceded in death by a sister, Beverly and a brother, Eddie and his parents. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/29/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2440. HOUSTON, MARY C., (Obituary No. 2440.) 92 Ocala - Mrs. Mary C. Houston, 92, housewife, services will be held Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church with Dr. T. L. Brooks, Pastor, conducting the service. Mrs. Houston was born June 9, 1915 to the late John Rocker and Cora Knox in Avalon, GA. She was a choir member of the Senior Choir. Survivors include husband, Elbert Houston of Ocala, FL, two sisters, Zeberble Coleman and Irene Speiehts, both of Ocala, FL and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Interment will follow in Chestnut Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care", CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, June 29, 2007 from 9:00-7:00 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the church from 12:00 noon until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2441. JUDD, LAWRENCE LANE, (Obituary No. 2441.) 51 Jacksonville - Lawrence Lane Judd, 51, passed away June 24, 2007. Born in Ocala, Fl, he lived most of his life in Jacksonville. He retired from the U.S. Navy having been stationed at NAS Jacksonville and was an avid golfer and on-line poker enthusiast. He joins grandparents, Bob & Edith Walker in Heaven and is survived by the love of his life, wife, Cynthia B. Judd; parents, Margaret Belle Baker & Marvin
Lawrence Judd; Aunt Andree; brothers, Mitchell & Scott; daughters, Miranda & Jessica; step-daughters, Alyson & Jessica; granddaughter, Victoria; grandsons, Jackson, Tristan, and Evan; and numerous other relatives and close friends. Lane will be forever missed by all. A memorial service celebrating his life will be held, with full military honors, at 2 p.m. Friday, June 29, 2006, in the chapel of HARDAGE-GIDDENS CHAPEL HILLS FUNERAL HOME, 850 St. Johns Bluff Rd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2442. LAMOUREUX, PATRICIA MYRICK, (Obituary No. 2442.) 53 Weirsdale - Mrs. Patricia Myrick Lamoureux, age 53, passed away June 23, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. She was a registered nurse. Patricia was born in Greene, New York on July 7, 1953. She moved to Weirsdale in 1985 from Ocala. She is a member of First Assembly of God Church in Ocala. She was an avid vegetable gardener. She loved the old time music especially Gospel, Country & Western and Rock-n-Roll. She is survived by her husband, Steven Paul Lamoureux of Weirsdale, FL; daughter, Katrina Marie Myrick of Weirsdale, FL; mother, Barbara J. Warner of Ocala, FL; sisters, Velda Cooper of Ocala, FL., Barbara (Roger) Lamb of Windsor, New York and April (Daniel) Walling of Waverly, New York. A memorial service will be held on Monday, July 9, 2007 at 10 a.m. at First Assembly of God Church, 14th Street, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2443. NELSON, DEDE L., (Obituary No. 2443.) 45 Ocala - Mrs. DeDe Lorraine Nelson, 45, cosmetologist, self employed. Services will be held Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Mt. Tabor African Methodist Episcopal Church with Dr. T. Patricia Nelson, Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Nelson was born in Stroudsberg, PA to Eddie Allen & Moonyeen Kendrick. She was a 1980 graduate of Forest High School class of 1980. She received her cosmetology degree from CFCC. She was a junior trustee and youth dance group director at Mt. Table AME Church. She leaves to cherish fond memories, husband Andre Nelson of Ocala; daughter, Stephanie Nelson of Ocala; parents, Alfred & Moonyeen Bryant of Ocala; 2 brothers, Christopher Allen of Ocala and Alfred Bryant, Jr. of Ocala; 4 sisters, Lori Bryant or Raleigh, NC., Dawn Whitaker of Albany, GA., Stacy Allen of Ocala and Lamarenee Allen of Athens, GA. Interment will follow in Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, June 29, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. A wake service from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. in Cunningham's Chapel of Faith. Saturday at the church from 9 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2444. PALMER, BETTY R., (Obituary No. 2444.) 50 Ocala - Betty R. Palmer, 50, of Ocala, FL passed away on June 25, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Leadville, CO and moved to Ocala in 1969 from Minnesota. She was a former bank Vice-President. Mrs. Palmer is survived by her husband, Woodrow Palmer of Ocala, FL; son, Dustin Palmer of Ocala, FL; daughter, Michelle Belton of Ocala, FL; step daughters, Tena Palmer and Natalie Palmer of Ocala, FL and Brooke Palmer of Lizzella, GA; stepson, Michael Engelbrecht of Chicago, IL; grandsons, Colby Henderson and James Belton of Ocala, FL; granddaughters, Sara Palmer and Sierra Hack both of Ocala, FL; sisters, Mary Locke of Ft. Pierce, FL, Donna Hill of Cornelius, NC, Cheryl Schipman of Jacksonville, FL and Marlene Pospect of Hoyt Lakes, MN; brother, Melvin Garland of Covington, WA; 36 nieces and nephew. She was predeceased by her parents and a brother Dale Garland. Visitation will be held Wednesday, June 27, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 4
2445. SAVALAS, MARGARET HELEN, (Obituary No. 2445.) 89 Canaseraga, NY - Mrs. Margaret H. Savasten, age 89, passed away peacefully June 23, 2007 at her home in Canaseraga, New York, after a short illness. She resided in Ocala, Florida for 15 years, moving here from Buffalo, New York. She was a compassionate and respected nurse for 40 years. She retired from the Ocala Geriatric Center in 1992. Margaret was a true caregiver and she was devoted to her family, patients and co-workers. She is survived by her daughter Marie Ripton, who took lovely care of her for many years; three sons, Richard, Robert and John; son-in-law, Patrick; daughters-in-laws, Sarah, Charmagne and Susan; seven grandchildren, Richard J. Candace, Jennifer, Jonathan, Trisha, Keith and Dale, and numerous great grandchildren. We will miss you Peggy. You will rest in peace with the Lord for your kindness and goodness. Thank you for all the wonderful memories. A private family memorial service will be held at a later date. Funeral arrangements entrusted to the ROBERTSON FUNERAL HOME, 354 Canisteo St., Hornell, NY 14843. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2446. SIMMONS, NEIL C., (Obituary No. 2446.) 87 Gainesville - Mr. Neil C. Simmons, 87, resident of Gainesville, Florida died Monday, June 25, 2007 following a long illness. Mr. Simmons was a native of Erie, Pennsylvania, son of the late Harold and Vera McDannel Simmons, and had resided in Gainesville for the past year, having moved here form McIntosh, where he had lived for many years. Mr. Simmons was a veteran of World War II, having served in the U.S. Army Air Force. He was employed for many years as a zone service representative for the Buick Motor Division of General Motors. Mr. Simmons was then employed by the Dade County School Board until his retirement in 1987. He was a member of the McIntosh Lions Club and attended the McIntosh Presbyterian Church. Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Jane Simmons; three daughters and son-in-laws, Lorie Simmons (Michael Cameron), of Portland, Oregon, Christine (James) Waters of Boca Raton, and Jeanne (Michael) Sims, of McIntosh; one granddaughter, Sarah Sims, of Micanopy. Memorial services will be conducted by Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 11 a.m. in the McIntosh Presbyterian Church, with Dr. Ina Boyd, officiating and Rev. Tommy Lee assisting. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Haven Hospice, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606 or the McIntosh Presbyterian Church, 5825 Avenue F, P.O. Box 385 McIntosh, FL 32664. For further information WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN 352-376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/27/2007 - 6/29/2007.

2447. THORNTON, STARLETHA, (Obituary No. 2447.)89 Citra - Funeral services will be on Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 11 a.m., Church of God By Faith in Righteousness & True Holiness, Citra, FL. Minister Christopher Stokes will conduct the words of comfort. A wake service will be held at the Deliverance Revival Center, Citra, FL on Thursday at 6 p.m. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Peggy Tuggerson (17210 NE 18th Ave. Citra, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Sister Thornton 6 daughters Annie Mae Mitchell of Citra, Florida, Altamease Morley of Sarasota, Florida, Betty Nichols and Peggy Tuggerson of Citra, Florida, Brenda Alexander of Citra, Florida, and Shandia Thornton of Douglas, Georgia; 2 sons, James Thornton

2448. WHITE, THERESÉ BOUDREAU, (Obituary No. 2448.) 88 Ocala - Therése A. White, age 88, of Ocala, FL passed away Wednesday, June 27, 2007 at ORMC. She was born in Morrisville, VT, the oldest daughter of the late Fannie and Emile Boudreau. She attended Peoples Academy in Morrisville, Class of 1937. After graduation, she went to Washington, DC in 1940 and worked at Merkle Press Printers & Publishers as a PBX operator until she retired in 1976, and moved to Summerfield, FL. Therese was a member of the Anglican Church and the Ladies of the Elk's. She is survived by one brother, Dr. Paul E. Boudreau of Cary, NC; three sisters, Ruth Hird of Morrisville, VT., Gloria Smith of Burlington, VT., and Beverly Jones of Essex Junction, VT. Proceeded in death by Jack C. Morrow her first husband, in 1981 and her second husband Vincent G. White, in 2002, and a sister, Lucille Jones. Funeral services will be 3 p.m. Sunday, July 1, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with interment to follow at Greenwood Cemetery, Weirsdale, FL. Contributions may be made to a charity of your selection. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/29/2007 - 6/30/2007.

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2449. CLARK, MARY ESTHER, (Obituary No. 2449.) 81 Ocala - Mrs. Mary Esther Clark, age 81, beloved wife and mother, died June 24, 2007 in Ocala. Mrs. Clark was a homemaker and enjoyed adventures and traveling with her surviving husband of 61 years. She had an accomplished life in community service, photographic restoration and arts and crafts. Mrs. Clark was originally from New Hampshire and moved to West Palm Beach, Florida with her husband in 1979. They moved to Ocala in December of 2000. She is survived by her husband, David Clark, their six children, Jonathan, Dale, Becky, Don, Virginia and Robert, as well as 10 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren. She will be laid to rest at Clark Family Cemetery in Barnstead, New Hampshire. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of local arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/29/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2450. EHLERS, EDWARD W., (Obituary No. 2450.) 77 Summerfield - Edward W. Ehlers, 77, of Summerfield, died June 26, 2007, at his residence. He was born in Elmhurst, IL., and was a longtime resident of Marion County. He was owner of MC Grove Service. Mr. Ehlers was Protestant by faith, and a member of the Bellevue Masonic Lodge, York Rite, Scottish Rite, Shrine, and Red Cross of Constantine. He served in the United States Air Force. Mr. Ehlers is survived by his wife, Barbara Ehlers, Summerfield; daughters, Pamela Ehlers, Wildwood and Victoria Kuhn and son-in-law, Jerry Kuhn of Cape Coral; sisters, Dorothy Kispet, Orlando and Frances Crabb, Homosassa; granddaughters, Sarah Kuhn and Hannah Kuhn, Cape Coral. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 30, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, with visitation one hour prior. Contributions may be made to American Heart Assoc., American Cancer Society, or American Diabetes Assoc. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/29/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2451. ELAM, ELAINE NORMA, (Obituary No. 2451.) 75 Summerfield - Elaine Norma Elam, 75, of Summerfield, passed away on Tuesday, June 26, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield.
A native of Hillsboro, IL., she came here in 1984 from Lake Place, FL. Elaine was a former employee of the Ocala Star Banner in the Advertising Dept. and a bartender at the Orange Blossom Inn in Summerfield. Mrs. Elam is survived by her son, Ronald Elam of Orlando; sister Ruth Fenton of Greenville, IL.; one grandchild and one great grandchild. Graveside services will be held on Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/29/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2452, HENENFELD, MARVIN, (Obituary No. 2452.) 78 Ocala - Marvin Henenfeld, 78, passed away June 27, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in The Bronx, New York and moved to Ocala in 1992 from New York, NY. He was Jewish, a US Army veteran of the Korean Conflict and enjoyed reading. He is survived by Dolores "Dee" Henenfeld his wife of many years, of Ocala; brothers, Ernie and Gilbert Henenfeld, and sisters, Vivian Betterton and Toby Henenfeld, all of New York, NY. He was preceded in death by a sister, Beverly and a brother, Eddie and his parents. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/29/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2453. HOUSTON, MARY C., (Obituary No. 2453.) 92 Ocala - Mrs. Mary C. Houston, 92, housewife, services will be held Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church with Dr. T. L. Brooks, Pastor, conducting the service. Mrs. Houston was born June 9, 1915 to the late John Rocker and Cora Knox in Avalon, GA. She was a choir member of the Senior Choir. Survivors include husband, Elbert Houston of Ocala, FL., two sisters, Zeberble Coleman and Irene Speiehts, both of Ocala, FL and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Interment will follow in Chestnut Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care", CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, June 29, 2007 from 9:00-7:00 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the church from 12:00 noon until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2454. THORNTON, STARLETHA, (Obituary No. 2454.) 89 Citra - Funeral services will be on Saturday, June 30, 2007 at 11 a.m., Church of God By Faith in Righteousness & True Holiness, Citra, FL. Minister Chrostopher Stokes will conduct the words of comfort. A wake service will be held at the Deliverance Revival Center, Citra, FL on Thursday at 6 p.m. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Peggy Tuggerson (17210 NE 18th Ave. Citra, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Sister Thornton 6 daughters Annie Mae Mitchell of Citra, Florida, Altamease Morley of Sarasota, Florida, Betty Nichols and Peggy Tuggerson of Citra, Florida, Brenda Alexander of Citra, Florida, and Shandia Thornton of Douglas, Georgia; 2 sons, James Thornton of Citra, Florida and Willis Thornton of Sparr, Florida; 29 grandchildren, 46 great grandchildren and 6 great-great grandchildren. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/28/2007 - 6/30/2007.

2455. WHITE, THERESE BOUDREAU, (Obituary No. 2455.) 88 Ocala - Therese A. White, age 88, of Ocala, FL passed away Wednesday, June 27, 2007 at ORMC. She was born in Morrisville, VT, the oldest daughter of the late Fannie and Emile Boudreau. She attended Peoples Academy in Morrisville, Class of 1937. After graduation, she went to Washington, DC
in 1940 and worked at Merkle Press Printers & Publishers as a PBX operator until she retired in 1976, and moved to Summerfield, FL. Therese was a member of the Anglican Church and the Ladies of the Elk's. She is survived by one brother, Dr. Paul E. Boudreau of Cary, NC; three sisters, Ruth Hird of Morrisville, VT., Gloria Smith of Burlington, VT., and Beverly Jones of Essex Junction, VT. Proceeded in death by Jack C. Morrow her first husband, in 1981 and her second husband Vincent G. White, in 2002, and a sister, Lucille Jones. Funeral services will be 3 p.m. Sunday, July 1, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with interment to follow at Greenwood Cemetery, Weirsdale, FL. Contributions may be made to a charity of your selection. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 6/29/2007 - 6/30/2007.

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1. BENEDICT, PAULINE, (Obituary No. 1.) 86 Hamilton - died at her residence on Wednesday, June 27, 2007. Born in Middleburgh, New York, on December 13, 1920, she was the daughter of the late Linn and Laura (Tryon) Rose. On October 22, 1941, Pauline married her husband of over 65 years, Lauren Archie Benedict, and he preceded her in death on November 17, 2006. Pauline is survived by her five children Lorna (Dave) Andrews, Susan (Dick) Norwood, Nancy (Don) Copland, Phil (Susan) Benedict and Scott (Rhonda) Benedict; thirteen grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren; four nieces and two nephews. Pauline was also preceded in death by her brother John Rose and her sister Mary Schermerhorn. The family suggests memorial contributions to Joy Lutheran Church, 7045 SW 83rd Place, Ocala, FL 34476 or to Berkeley Square, 100 Berkeley Drive, Hamilton, OH 45013. Private services will be held at the convenience of the family. Condolences to the family may be left at www.Webb-Noonan.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.

2. CROMER, DANIEL HAGAN, COL., USAF, RET. (Obituary No. 2.) 92, Lakeland - Daniel H. Cromer, 92, went home to be with the Lord on June 27, 2007 from complications of Alzheimer's. Born in Townville, SC, on April 19, 1915 and moved to Lakeland at the age of 10, where he graduated from Lakeland High School in 1933, and went on to the University of Florida; in 1940 he went into the Army-Air-Corps, and Graduated from Flight School in June of 1941, in Bakersfield, CA. He retired and returned to Florida in 1966 and was a member and long time deacon at Lakeside Baptist church. Col. Cromer was preceded in death by his parents: Edrew and Annie Cromer and a sister, Frances Cypress. Survivors include his wife of 65 years, Grace Ingram Cromer, sons: Daniel H. and his wife Cathy Cromer, Jr. of Gainesville, FL, Dr. Charles J. Cromer of Coco Beach, FL, John H. Cromer of Gainesville, Edrew A. and his wife Barbara Cromer of Lakeland William R. and his wife Nancy Cromer of Phoenix, AZ, daughters: Ann and her husband Sam Sapp of Ocala, FL, and Tincy and her husband Steve German of Ocala, FL, 18 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren. Friends will be received at LAKELAND FUNERAL HOME on Friday, June 29, 2007 from 6:00 to 8:00 P.M. Funeral Services held on Saturday, June 30th at 1:00 p.m. at Lakeside Baptist Church, 1736 New Jersey Road. Interment will follow in Lakeland Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the family wishes that donations be made to Good Shepherd Hospice, Auburndale. LAKELAND FUNERAL HOME AND MEMORIAL GARDENS is serving the family. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.

3. DILL, ANNE, (Obituary No. 3.) 82 Ocala - Anne Dill, 82, of Ocala, Florida, died May 17, 2007 while visiting her daughter in Cave Junction, Oregon. A memorial service will be held at 11a.m. on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at 8553 SW 52nd Street, Ocala. Contributions can be made to
Lovejoy Hospice, 939 SE 8th St., Grants Pass, OR 97526. Anne was born in New York City, New York on August 9, 1924 to Ludwig and Anna Beni. She graduated from high school at 16, married and moved to New Jersey to raise her daughter in the country. She was a life-long lover of all animals. She came to Ocala 45 years ago and soon became active in breeding German Shepherds. That changed over to breeding Borzois, or Russian Wolfhounds. She bred over 40 conformation champions and several lure coursing champions/best in field winners. She was the breeder of the first UDT Borzoi in the history of the breed. Her kennel, Kumason, became synonymous with high quality, soundly built show dogs. She was a steward at many AKC dog shows and taught obedience classes in Ocala for many years. Her love for the breed was gladly shared and passed on. Anne started visiting her daughter in Oregon several years ago and dearly loved that country, its people and the Takilma Bible Church. Pastor Dan Robinson officiated at a memorial service held there for her. Anne is survived by her daughter, Martha Raymond Hodges of Cave Junction, Oregon; two sons, Jesse Dill of Ocala; and Andrew Dill of North Carolina; her brother, Adam Beni of Venice, Florida; seven grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and her ex-husband, Vernon Dill of Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.

4. DUMOND, ANNA L., (Obituary No. 4.) 83 Ocala - Anna Lorraine DuMond, 83, passed away on Friday, June 29, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. A resident of Ocala, Ms. DuMond moved here from Elmira, NY 25 years ago. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She worked as a stenographer for an attorney. She is survived by her son Robert (Judy) DuMond of Ocala; two daughters Karen (Mohammed) Saghebi and Patricia DuMond, both of Freemont, CA; and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren. A funeral mass will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday, July 3, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street. Interment to follow at Good Shepard Memorial Gardens. HIERs FUNERAL HOME is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.

5. GRAHAM, JANET S., (Obituary No. 5.) 75 Ocala - Janet S. Graham, age 75, of Ocala passed away on Friday, June 29, 2007. She was born in Wilkes-Barre, PA on October 3, 1931. Mrs. Graham was a Catholic and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church where she volunteered many hours maintaining the facilities. Her hobbies included square dancing, traveling, broadway shows, family and friends. She is survived by her friend John Del Pizzo of Ocala; daughter Teresa Wright of Corpus Christi, TX; daughter Laura Feathers of Jacksonville, FL; daughter Janine Roberts of Springfield, GA; sisters Delores Slusarz, Rita Smith and Maryanne Volkmar; ten grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Skip Graham. Funeral mass for Mrs. Graham will be Tuesday, July 3, 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Visitation will be Monday, July 2, 5-7pm at HIERs-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERRIDGE, Ocala, FL. Interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.

6. LONDON, JOE HENRY, (Obituary No. 6.) 81 Ocala - Joe Henry London, 81, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, June 29, 2007 at Monroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Lynchburg, Tenn., Joe was a US Navy World War II Veteran. He moved here in 1951 to take a coaching position at Anthony High School and was a school teacher in Marion County for 41 years. He loved all sports and was an avid reader of WWII history. Survivors include his wife Paula London, son Joe London, daughter Lyn London, stepsons Richard Klimowicz and Raymond Klimowicz, and four grandsons. It was his wishes to be remembered in your hearts without ceremony. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.
7. MARTINIE, GLEN, (Obituary No. 7.) 77 Reddick - Glen Martinie, 77, devoted husband and father died June 1, 2007 in his home near Reddick, FL. He was born June 2, 1929 to Ralph and Lola Martinie of Indianapolis, IN. Glen's honorable service during the Korean conflict period included the U.S. Navy, 1948-1950 and also the U.S. Army Chemical Corps, 1951-1953. After many years in sales and business ownership in Indianapolis, he moved to Vero Beach, Florida and was a traffic analyst for Indian and a licensed computer consultant in Florida. He was an avid golfer, a lifelong Dodgers fan, and a member of MENSA. Glen was preceded in death by his parents, his first wife Anna Louise, his brother Donald and stepdaughter Dianne Lee McCord. Surviving are his wife of forty years, Patricia Smith McCord Martinie of Reddick; daughter, Dr. Mary Martinie, her husband Dr. Robert Meisel, and grandson, Nathaniel Hainje, all of Brownsburg, IN; sister, Mrs. Ruth Kinzer of Beech Grove, IN; stepdaughter, Victoria McCord Riley and her husband Terry Riley of Franklin, IN; and stepdaughter, Michelle McCord Raley, her husband Bruce Raley and son Sean Raley of Placerville, CA. Interment with military honors is at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL, July 3, 2007 at 2:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association or the Alzheimer's Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.

8. SIMPSON, JAMES DAVID "JIM", (Obituary No. 8.) 62 Ocala - Mr. James David "Jim" Simpson, age 62, of Ocala, Florida died Thursday, June 28, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Berwyn, Illinois and moved to Ocala in 2003 from Elburn, Illinois. He was a General Contractor by trade and he loved his hunting, fishing and target range shooting. He was a past president of the Ocala Gun Club. He especially loved spending quality time with his family. He is survived by his wife of thirty years, Diane C. Simpson of Ocala, FL, his three sons, James of Naperville, IL, Scott of Belleview, FL, and Chad of Orland Park, IL, his daughter, Desiree, of Ocala, FL, his sister, Patricia, of Naperville, IL, nine grandchildren and a great grandson. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.

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13. GRAHAM, JANET S., (Obituary No. 13.) 75 Ocala - Janet S. Graham, age 75, of Ocala passed away on Friday, June 29, 2007. She was born in Wilkes-Barre, PA on October 3, 1931. Mrs. Graham was a Catholic and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church where she volunteered many hours maintaining the facilities. Her hobbies included square dancing, traveling, broadway shows, family and friends. She is survived by her friend John Del Pizzo of Ocala; daughter Teresa Wright of Corpus Christi, TX; daughter Laura Feathers of Jacksonville,
FL; daughter Janine Roberts of Springfield, GA; sisters Delores Slusarz, Rita Smith and Maryanne Volkmar; ten grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Skip Graham. Funeral mass for Mrs. Graham will be Tuesday, July 3, 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Visitation will be Monday, July 2, 5-7pm at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERIDGE, Ocala, FL. Interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.

14. LONDON, JOE HENRY, (Obituary No. 14.) 81 Ocala - Joe Henry London, 81, of Ocala, FL passed way on Friday, June 29, 2007 at Monroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Lynchburg, Tenn., Joe was a US Navy World War II Veteran. He moved here in 1951 to take a coaching position at Anthony High School and was a school teacher in Marion County for 41 years. He loved all sports and was an avid reader of WWII history. Survivors include his wife Paula London, son Joe London, daughter Lyn London, stepsons Richard Klimowicz and Raymond Klimowicz, and four grandsons. It was his wishes to be remembered in your hearts without ceremony. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.

15. MARTINIE, GLEN, (Obituary No. 15.) 77 Reddick - Glen Martinie, 77, devoted husband and father died June 1, 2007 in his home near Reddick, FL. He was born June 2, 1929 to Ralph and Lola Martinie of Indianapolis, IN. Glen's honorable service during the Korean conflict period included the U.S. Navy, 1948-1950 and also the U.S. Army Chemical Corps, 1951-1953. After many years in sales and business ownership in Indianapolis, he moved to Vero Beach, Florida and was a traffic analyst for Indian and a licensed computer consultant in Florida. He was an avid golfer, a lifelong Dodgers fan, and a member of MENSA. Glen was preceded in death by his parents, his first wife Anna Louise, his brother Donald and stepdaughter Dianne Lee McCord. Surviving are his wife of forty years, Patricia Smith McCord Martinie of Reddick; daughter, Dr. Mary Martinie, her husband Dr. Robert Meisel, and grandson, Nathaniel Hainje, all of Brownsburg, IN; sister, Mrs. Ruth Kinzer of Beech Grove, IN; stepdaughter, Victoria McCord Riley and her husband Terry Riley of Franklin, IN; and stepdaughter, Michelle McCord Raley, her husband Bruce Raley and son Sean Raley of Placerville, CA. Interment with military honors is at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL., July 3, 2007 at 2:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association or the Alzheimer's Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/1/2007 - 7/2/2007.

16. O'STEEN, GEORGE LUTHER, (Obituary No. 16.) 56 Williston - George Luther O'Steen, 56, a resident of Williston passed away on June 30, 2007 at his home. Mr. O'Steen was of the Baptist faith. He was a faithful and dedicated employee with Williston Peanuts. He enjoyed farming and Bar-B-Q-ing. He is the son of the late Marcus O'Steen and Laura Mar head O'Steen. Survivors include his wife of 27 years, Mrs. Penny O'Steen of Williston; his daughters, Jodie Ruth O'Steen and Hilary Jean O'Steen both of Williston; a brother, Marcus O'Steen; and sisters Carolyn Boney and Laura Marie Burch; one granddaughter, Jacey O'Steen. A host of nieces and nephew and many friends who also survive him. Funeral Service will be held on Tuesday, July 3, 2007 at 2 p.m. in Orange Hill Cemetery in Williston. A visitation will be held on Monday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME of Williston which is in charge of all arrangements. Memorial contributions can be made to the George O'Steen Memorial Fund at Perkins State Bank in Williston. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/2/2007 - 7/3/2007.

17. SHOAF, DOROTHY L., (Obituary No. 17.) 89 Ocala - Dorothy L. Shoaf, 89, of Ocala, died Saturday, June 30, 2007 at her residence. A native of Champaign, IL she moved to Ocala in
1943. Mrs. Shoaf retired as a chief telephone operator for Florida/United Telephone, and was a member of First United Methodist Church. She is survived by her husband of 68 years, Leon Shoaf, Sr., her son Leon Shoaf, Jr., and his wife Jill, granddaughter Stacy Carroll and husband Billy and great grandson Ace Eason all of Ocala. Also surviving are sister-in-law Judy Mallory of Umatilla, 3 step grandchildren and 7 step great grandchildren. Cryptside funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, July 3, 2007, at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum with Apostle Johnny Snellgrove officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/2/2007 - 7/3/2007.

18. SIMPSON, JAMES DAVID "JIM ", (Obituary No. 18.) 62 Ocala - Mr. James David "Jim" Simpson, age 62, of Ocala, Florida died Thursday, June 28, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Berwyn, Illinois and moved to Ocala in 2003 from Elburn, Illinois. He was a General Contractor by trade and he loved his hunting, fishing and target range shooting. He was a past president of the Ocala Gun Club. He especially loved spending quality time with his family. He is survived by his wife of thirty years, Diane C. Simpson of Ocala, FL, his three sons, James of Naperville, IL, Scott of Bellevue, FL, and Chad of Orland Park, IL, his daughter, Desiree, of Ocala, FL, his sister, Patricia, of Naperville, IL, nine grandchildren and a great grandson.

ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements.

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Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, July 3, 2007

19. BRENAN, ROBERT LEROY, (Obituary No. 19.) 62 Ocala - Robert Leroy Brenan passed away quietly in his sleep on June 26, 2007. He was born in Neptune, NJ on August 17, 1944. A devoted father, husband and friend, he is survived by his wife, Kathy; children, Ronnie, Sandra, Lisa, and Ryan; mother, Blanche; and many dear friends. Memorial Services will be held at the chapel of the First United Methodist Church at Fort King and 11th Street on Monday, July 9, 2007 at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to the Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/3/2007 - 7/4/2007.

20. DAVIDSON, JESSICA JO, (Obituary No. 20.) 25 Ocala - Jessica Jo Davidson, 25, of Ocala, died Wednesday, June 27, 2007 at her residence. Jessica was born in Gainesville, FL and was a life long resident of Marion County. Jessica was a homemaker, and loved her dogs and the rabbits in the back yard. Jessica is survived by her companion, Robert Veith of Ocala, FL; mother, Sandy Smith of Ocala, FL; father, Wayne Shearer of Lady Lake, FL; 2 brothers, Gerard Shearer of Ocala, FL, and Donny Shearer of East Prairie, Missouri; grandparents, Jo and Vicky Shearer of Summerfield, FL and Willie and Shirley Davidson of East Prairie, Missouri; and many aunts and uncles who loved her; devoted caring friends who loved her like a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Burkhardt of Ocala, FL. The family is having a gathering at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown, Chapel, Thursday, July 5, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. With a Chapel Service Friday, July 6, 2007 at 1 p.m. by Father Patrick O'Doherty and Dr. Michael Patton. All family and friends are welcome. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/3/2007 - 7/4/2007.

21. MARTINEZ, ANITA, (Obituary No. 21.) 62 Ocala - Ana Martinez, 62, of Ocala, passed away on Saturday, June 30, 2007 at home. A native of Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, she moved here in 1995 from Lake Mary, Florida and was a retired A. T. & T. operator and clerical worker with nearly 40 years of service. Ana was a member of the Cosmopolitans of Ocala and
loved gardening. She is survived by two daughters, Lucero and Melissa Flynn, both of Ocala; sister, Lydia Sievers of Laurel Springs, NJ; and grandson, Dylan Boyer of Ocala. Ana was preceded in death by her husband of 25 years, Stanley E. Flynn on December 24, 1997. Friends will be received on Friday, July 7, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala. Interment will be at a later date at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/3/2007 - 7/4/2007.

22. MUSUMECI, PAULINE E., (Obituary No. 22.) 88 Summerfield- Pauline E. Musumeci 88, passed away Thursday, June 28, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital in Lady Lake Florida. Mrs. Musumeci was born in Waycross, Georgia. Formerly from Beverly, MA she moved to Florida 15 years ago from California. While in California, Mrs. Musumeci worked for many years as the secretary for the Downey California Elks Club where she had many supportive friends. Pauline loved to crochet and made many afghans and baby blankets which she donated to Social Services at St. Theresa's Catholic Church. She had a wonderful sense of humor and enjoyed playing the organ, dancing, and taking care of her cat, Baxter. She is survived by her husband Joseph Musumeci, Summerfield, FL; sisters Jean Shamroth of Boynton Beach, FL and Mollie Sauve and (Leo) of N ashua, N H; a grandson, Justin B alch of G oldsboro, N C; stepdaughters, Judy Renwick (and Michael) of Tallahassee, FL; and their 3 children Peggy Hoganson and her 5 children; 6 great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephew. She was preceded in death by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley W right; so n, Clark; 3 sisters and a brother. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/3/2007 - 7/4/2007.

23. O'STEEN, GEORGE LUTHER, (Obituary No. 23.) 56 Williston - George Luther O'Steen, 56, a resident of Williston passed away on June 30, 2007 at his home. Mr. O'Steen was of the Baptist faith. He was a faithful and dedicated employee with Williston Peanuts. He enjoyed farming and Bar-B-Q-ing. He is the son of the late Marcus O'Steen and Laura Mar head O'Steen. Survivors include his wife of 27 years, Mrs. Penny O'Steen of Williston; his daughters, Jo die R uth O'Steen and Hilary Jean O'Steen both of Williston; a brother, Marcus O'Steen; and sisters Carolyn Boney and Laura Marie Burch; one granddaughter, Jacey O'Steen. A host of nieces and nephew and many friends who also survive him. Funeral Service will be held on Tuesday, July 3, 2007 at 2 p.m. in Orange Hill Cemetery in Williston. A visitation will be held on Monday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME of Williston which is in charge of all arrangements. Memorial contributions can be made to the George O'Steen Memorial Fund at Perkins State Bank in Williston. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/2/2007 - 7/3/2007.

24. SHOAF, DOROTHY L., (Obituary No. 24.) 89 Ocala - Dorothy L. Shoaf, 89, of Ocala, died Saturday, June 30, 2007 at her residence. A native of Champaign, IL she moved to Ocala in 1943. Mrs. Shoaf retired as a chief telephone operator for Florida/United Telephone, and was a member of First United Methodist Church. She is survived by her husband of 68 years, Leon Shoaf, Sr., her son Leon Shoaf, Jr., and his wife Jill, granddaughter Stacy Carroll and husband Billy and great grandson Ace Eason all of Ocala. Also surviving are sister-in-law Judy Mallory of Umatilla, 3 step grandchildren and 7 step great grandchildren. Cryptside funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, July 3, 2007, at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum with Apostle Johnny Snellgrove officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/2/2007 - 7/3/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, July 4, 2007
25. BRENAN, ROBERT LEROY, (Obituary No. 25.) 62 Ocala - Robert Leroy Brenan passed away quietly in his sleep on June 26, 2007. He was born in Neptune, NJ on August 17, 1944. A devoted father, husband and friend, he is survived by his wife, Kathy; children, Ronnie, Sandra, Lisa, and Ryan; mother, Blanche; and many dear friends. Memorial Services will be held at the chapel of the First United Methodist Church at Fort King and 11th Street on Monday, July 9, 2007 at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to the Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/3/2007 - 7/4/2007.

26. BRETER, EDITH J., (Obituary No. 26.) 83 Ocala - Mrs. E Jean Sturgis Breter, 83 passed away Sunday, July 1, 2007 at a local health care facility following a brief illness. Born in Union City, Pennsylvania she and her late husband Dick moved to St. Petersburg in 1958 where they lived until 1993 when they moved to Ocala. She was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. Mrs. Breter was preceded in death by her husband Richard, parents Leo and Inez Sturgis, a brother Ivan Sturgis, and one grandson. She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law Don and Pat Breter of Enterprise, Alabama; a brother, Frank (Leona) Sturgis, Erie, Pennsylvania; one granddaughter, two grandsons and five great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held Friday, July 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the Ocala West United Methodist Church. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

27. CHAPMAN, HERBERT BLAISDELL, (Obituary No. 27.) 94 Belleview - Herbert Blaisdell Chapman, 94, of Belleview, FL and Augusta and Waterville, Maine died in his sleep June 28, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield, FL. Mr. Chapman was born in Augusta, Maine, September 30, 1912, the son of Charles William and Jennie Blaisdell Chapman. He graduated from Cony High School in Augusta, Maine in 1931. He graduated from Bentley College in Boston, Massachusetts in 1933. Mr. Chapman was a retired revenue officer for the Waterville, Maine International Revenue Service where he worked for more than 30 years. He also worked at the Edwards Manufacturing Company and the State of Maine in Augusta. Mr. Chapman honorably served his country during WWII in the U.S. Army European War Theatre. Mr. Chapman shared a passion for music and was a talented violinist. He was known for his skills on the pool table, charismatic smile and positive attitude. Mr. Chapman is survived by his wife Catherine J. of Brunswick, Maine; two daughters, Catherine M. Chapman of Orrs Island, Maine and Judith Chapman of Castle Rock, Colorado; three grandchildren, Aaron Hoffman of Minneapolis, Minnesota, Anna Beaty Kerr of Omaha, Nebraska and Kayla Hoffman of Scarborough, Maine; and one sister, Mildred Squirs of Concord, N.H. A small family service will be held in Maine at a later date. In lieu of flowers send memorial contributions to the Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

28. DAVIDSON, JESSICA JO, (Obituary No. 28.) 25 Ocala - Jessica Jo Davidson, 25, of Ocala, died Wednesday, June 27, 2007 at her residence. Jessica was born in Gainesville, FL and was a life long resident of Marion County. Jessica was a homemaker, and loved her dogs and the rabbits in the back yard. Jessica is survived by her companion, Robert Veith of Ocala, FL; mother, Sandy Smith of Ocala, FL; father, Wayne Shearer of Lady Lake, FL; 2 brothers, Gerard Shearer of Ocala, FL, and Donny Davidson of East Prairie, Missouri; grandparents, Jo and Vicky Shearer of Summerfield, FL and Willie and Shirley Davidson of East Prairie, Missouri; and many aunts and uncles who loved her; devoted caring friends who loved her like a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Burkhardt of Ocala, FL. The family is having a gathering at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown, Chapel, Thursday, July 5, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. With a Chapel Service
Friday, July 6, 2007 at 1 p.m. by Father Patrick O'Doherty and Dr. Michael Patton. All family and friends are welcome. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/3/2007 - 7/4/2007.

29. GIACHETTI, INGEBORG (NEE RENNEM ANN)(Obituary No. 29.), 90 Clifton, NJ - Ingeborg (nee Rennemann) Giachetti, 90, a resident of Clifton, NJ formerly from Ocala, FL died at home on July 2, 2007. Beloved wife of the late Thomas I. Giachetti (1989), Predeceased by her sons, Rudiger and Volker Weiz. Devoted mother to daughter, Charlotte and her husband Ronald Grorun of Clifton; loving grandmother to Bettina, Christine, Sabine, Matthew, and Daniel; and three great grandchildren. She will be greatly missed by family and friends. Ingeborg did not wish to have a funeral or memorial service. We hope everyone will have fond memories of her. Cremation will be private. Information provided by CREMATION SOCIETY OF NEW JERSEY, 583 Van Houten Ave., Clifton, NJ 07013. 1-800-833-2843. www.cremationnj.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

30. LONG, JAMES DALTON, (Obituary No. 30.) 73 Roswell, GA - James Dalton, Long, 73, of Roswell, Georgia died July 2, 2007. A native of Ocala, he graduated from Ocala High School in 1952. He worked in the family automobile business until 1958 when he moved to Tampa and worked for Jim Walter Corporation. He moved to Atlanta in 1966. Mr. Long was a retired officer of Decatur Federal Savings and Loan in Atlanta and owned & operated several day care centers. He was a long time member of 1st Baptist Church in Ocala and now was a member of Woodstock Baptist Church in Woodstock, GA. He is survived by his daughter Lori McDonald and her husband David of Roswell, GA; his son, James D. Long, Jr. of Clearwater, FL; sister, Clara Nell Quincey and husband Frank of Trenton, FL; granddaughters, Charlie Wilder, Dominique King both of Atlanta, Kristen Straney Berry of Vine Grove, KY; great grandchildren, Luke King, Madilynn Berry; and many nieces and nephews. He is the son of the late Clara Sykes Long and Dutton E. Long, Sr. He was predeceased by a brother, Dutton E. Long, Jr., daughter, Hope Long Straney and granddaughter, Taylor Lynn Straney. A memorial service will be held in the Fellowship Hall of 1st Baptist Church, Ocala on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at 4 p.m. According to his wishes, his body was given to Emory Memorial Hospital, Atlanta, Georgia for use in furthering medical science. Memorial contributions may be made to 1st Baptist Church building fund, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL., 34471 or Hospice of Marion County,, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL., 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

31. MARTINEZ, ANA RITA, (Obituary No. 31.) 62 Ocala - Ana Rita Martinez, 62, of Ocala, passed away on Sat., June 30, 2007 at home. A native of Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, she moved to the U.S. when she was two years old. She was raised in Manhattan, NYC where she spent her days raising a family and working full time. Ana always kept her two daughters busy in dance classes and other activities. She moved to Florida in 1991. After retiring with AT&T with nearly 40 years of service, she moved to Ocala, Florida in 1999. Ana is survived by two daughters, Lucero and Melissa Flynn, both of Ocala; sister Lydia Sievers of Laurel Springs, NJ and grandson Dylan Boyer of Ocala. Ana was preceded in death by her husband of 25 years, Stanley E. Flynn, on Dec. 24, 1997. Ana was one of four sisters. She was preceded in death by her two youngest sisters Linda Martinez and Hilda Maldonado. Ana was a member of the Cosmopolitans of Ocala. She enjoyed gardening and going on day trips with her sister-in-law Clarencia Walker. Ana was around to lend an ear to all. She was well trusted and loved by all family and friends. Ana was a patient woman who always put others before her. She loved to laugh and always had a soft spot in her heart for children and animals. Friends will be received on Fri., July 6th from 2-5
p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Interment will be at a later date at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/3/2007 - 7/6/2007.

**32. MUSUM ECI, PAULINE E., (Obituary No. 32.)** 88 Summerfield- Pauline E. Musumeci 88, passed away Thursday, June 28, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital in Lady Lake Florida. Mrs. Musumeci was born in Waycross, Georgia. Formerly from Beverly, MA she moved to Florida 15 years ago from California. While in California, Mrs. Musumeci worked for many years as the secretary for the Downey California Elks Club where she had many supportive friends. Pauline loved to crochet and made many afghans and baby blankets which she donated to Social Services at St. Theresa's Catholic Church. She had a wonderful sense of humor and enjoyed playing the organ, dancing, and taking care of her cat, Baxter. She is survived by her husband Joseph Musumeci, Summerfield, FL; sisters Jean Shamroth of Boynton Beach, FL and Mollie Sauve and (Leo) of Nashua, NH; a grandson, Justin Balch of Goldsboro, NC; stepdaughters, Judy Renwick (and Michael) of Tallahassee, FL; and their 3 children Peggy Hoganson and her 5 children; 6 great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephew. She was preceded in death by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wright; son, Clark; 3 sisters and a brother. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/3/2007 - 7/4/2007.

**33. NORDBERG, CHAD N., (Obituary No. 33.)** 19 Ocala - Chad N. Nordberg, 19, of Ocala, Fl died on Sunday, July 1, 2007. Chad, a lifetime resident of Ocala, graduated from Forest High School in 2006 where he played the drums in the school's band. He was a loader at Federal Express Shipping, loved music, spending time with family and friends and basketball. He was also a fan of the Miami Hurricanes and the Florida Gators as well as NASCAR. Chad is survived by his mother, Deborah Bass and husband, Louis of Ocala; father, LeRoy Chesteen and wife Erika of Dunnellon; maternal grandparents, Arthur and Lillie Alexander of Ocala; brother, Lorenzo Bass of Ocala; sisters, Debrina Nordberg of Ocala, Kiara Bass of Ocala, Brianna Chesteen of Ocala and Khailah Chesteen of Dunnellon. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, Bruce E. Nordberg and his paternal grandparents, Betty Dixon and Lofton Chesteen. The family will receive friends Friday, July 6, 2007 between the hours of 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

**34. ONUFROCK, MARY (Obituary No. 34.),** 82 Ocala - Mary Onufrock, age 82, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, June 28, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Brooklyn, NY on August 7, 1924. Ms. Onufrock was a retired Ward Clerk for Southside Hospital. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She was an active member of the Irish-American Club at OTOW. Her hobbies included reading and spending time with her family. She is predeceased by her husband Andrew Onufrock, who passed away on May 21, 2004. She is survived by her son, Kenneth Onufrock and wife Robin, of West Islip, NY. and daughters Karen Dailey, of Los Angeles, CA. Kimberly and husband John Bracco of Blue Point, NY.; sisters, Florence Manning of Ocala, Fl. and Betty Greene of Canada; Brother Brian Ryan of Canada; eight grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Services will be held Friday July 6, 2007 at 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Memorials may be made to The Vasculitis Foundation P.O. Box 28660, Kansas City, MO. 64188 or to Tourettes Syndrome Association 4240 Bell Blvd. Bayside, NY. 11361. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBER RIDGE Ocala, FL (352) 873-4114 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.
35. RILEY, JR., PATRICK JOHN, (Obituary No. 35.) 77 Ocala - Patrick John Riley, Jr., 77, died June 29, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Columbus, Ohio on August 1, 1929. Mr. Riley moved from Finley, Ohio to Ocala in 1987. He was of Catholic faith. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean and Vietnam War. He is survived by his wife, Anna Riley of Ocala, FL; brother, William Riley of Lancaster, Ohio; and sister-in-law, Rita Riley of Columbus, Ohio. He was predeceased by his brother, Thomas Riley. Information provided by ALL FAITHS CREMATION SOCIETY, 2 La Grande Blvd., The Villages, FL 32159. 352-753-2612. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

36. SHEPHERD, KIMBERLY DAWN, (Obituary No. 36.) 35 Ocala - Kimberly Dawn Shepherd, age 35, of Ocala passed away Sunday, July 1, 2007 at her residence. She was a nurse practitioner and life resident of Ocala. She is survived by her parents, Barbara and Glen Shepherd; brother, Bud Shepherd; sister, Robin Tighe; all of Ocala. Service will be at 10 a.m. on Friday, July 6, 2007 at the Central Church of Christ, 4200 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Mr. Colin Williamson officiating. Visitation will be Thursday, July 5, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

37. SLIKER, HAROLD, (Obituary No. 37.) 84 Ocala - HAROLD SLIKER, 84, devoted husband and dearly beloved father, grandfather and great grandfather, passed peacefully in his sleep at his home in Ocala early Saturday morning, June 30, 2007. Born in Niagara Falls, New York on August 16, 1922 to Mazie & Blair Sliker, Harold graduated with honors from Whitewater College in Wisconsin. He later received his Masters degree from the University of Miami; and, in 1967 pursued his Ph.D. in Education at the University of Florida. He was a World War II veteran pilot married to Margaret Bruns and they had three children, Paula, David and Rex. Margaret passed away in 1963. In 1965, Harold met and married Bernice Lott Gillett and embraced her two sons, Don and Michael. They were married for 42 wonderful years. Harold dedicated 36 years to a career in education with the Miami-Dade County school system, first as a classroom teacher then as a guidance counselor, visiting teacher and Director of Student Services. Harold was an avid golfer who also grew beautiful roses and made delicious pies. He was a true gentleman who lived his life with dignity, integrity, a great sense of humor and a deep love for his family and friends. He will be missed by all who knew him and eternally loved by his wife, Bernice; his children Don, Paula, Mike, David and Rex; his grandchildren Maggie, Jason, Darcy, Jennifer, Shawna, Noah; and his great grandchildren Tyler, Parker, Isis, Reef and Braden. A private family service will be held in Miami. For those who wish, donations may be made in Harold's memory to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

38. TAYLOR, KENNETH CONLEY, (Obituary No. 38.) 85 Summerfield - Kenneth Conley Taylor, 85, a World War II Vet, of Summerfield Florida died June 30th at Ocala Health and Rehab. Born June 13th, 1922 in Traverse City, Michigan, he was the son of William and Esther (Ayers) Taylor. On June 21, 1942 he married Leah Basch. He is survived by their three children: Linda (Larry) Golden of Saginaw Michigan, Bill (Rose) Taylor of Winter Park Florida and Karen King of Traverse City Michigan. In 1958 he married Georgia B. Mcguire. She preceded him in 2004. They have two sons: Tim and Tom Taylor of Flint Michigan. Besides his children he is survived by a special sister, Loretta Johnson of Greenville, Michigan. He was predeceased by his siblings, an infant sister, Fred, Pete, Wilber, Mildred, Harold and Lee. He retired from General Motors in Flint Michigan in June of 1987. He was of the Baptist faith, enjoyed his garden, wood crafts and working with the seniors at his church. Private graveside services will
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39. WELLS, DONNA MARIE, (Obituary No. 39.) 62 Summerfield - Donna Marie Wells, 62, Beloved Mother, went to be with the Lord in her home on June 15, 2007 after a brief illness. She is survived by her two children, Tina Marie Garcia and Joseph Edward Mercurio, III; two grandsons, Jason O'Neil Tong and Joseph Edward Mercurio, IV; and great grandson, Avien Joseph Tong. She is forever in our hearts and will be greatly missed. Information provided by ALL FAITHS CREMATION SOCIETY, 2 La Grande Blvd., The Villages, Florida 32159. 352-753-2612. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

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41. BRADSHAW, ANNE P., (Obituary No. 41.) 83 Lakeland - Anne P. Bradshaw of Lakeland, widow of Harold M. Bradshaw, died June 29, 2007 at the age of 83. She was born on May 21, 1924 in Martinsburg, WV. The daughter of the late George F. Penn and Pearl M. (Munson) Penn. She was a member of Grace Lutheran Church in Lakeland. Mrs. Bradshaw worked for the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority in Washington, DC as a draftsman, until she retired. She was preceded in death by one brother, George T. Penn; 2 sisters, Esther Penn (Weatherholtz) and Eula Metros. Surviving her is one sister, Ruby Fansler of Lakeland, Florida and many nieces and nephew. Mrs. Bradshaw passed away at Oakbridge Health Care, under the care of Good Shepherd Hospice from an extended illness. Memorial services will be Sunday, July 7, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Grace Lutheran Church, 745 Ingraham Ave., Lakeland. Memorials may be made to Good Shepherd Hospice, 115 S. Missouri Ave., Suite 500, Lakeland, FL 33815. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/6/2007.

42. BRETER, EDITH J., (Obituary No. 42.) 83 Ocala - Mrs. E Jean Sturgis Breter, 83 passed away Sunday, July 1, 2007 at a local health care facility following a brief illness. Born in Union City, Pennsylvania she and her late husband Dick moved to St. Petersburg in 1958 where they lived until 1993 when they moved to Ocala. She was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. Mrs. Breter was preceded in death by her husband Richard, parents Leo and Inez Sturgis, a brother Ivan Sturgis, and one grandson. She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law Don and Pat Breter of Enterprise, Alabama; a brother, Frank (Leona) Sturgis, Erie, Pennsylvania; one granddaughter, two grandsons and five great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held Friday, July 6, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the Ocala West United

43. CHAPMAN, HERBERT BLAISDELL, (Obituary No. 43.) 94 Belleview - Herbert Blaisdell Chapman, 94, of Belleview, FL and Augusta and Waterville, Maine died in his sleep June 28, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield, FL. Mr. Chapman was born in Augusta, Maine, September 30, 1912, the son of Charles William and Jennie Blaisdell Chapman. He graduated from Cony High School in Augusta, Maine in 1931. He graduated from Bentley College in Boston, Massachusetts in 1933. Mr. Chapman was a retired revenue officer for the Waterville, Maine International Revenue Service where he worked for more than 30 years. He also worked at the Edwards Manufacturing Company and the State of Maine in Augusta. Mr. Chapman honorably served his country during W W II in the U.S. Army European War Theatre. Mr. Chapman shared a passion for music and was a talented violinist. He was known for his skills on the pool table, charismatic smile and positive attitude. Mr. Chapman is survived by his wife Catherine J. of Brunswick, Maine; two daughters, Catherine M. Chapman of Orrs Island, Maine and Judith Chapman of Castle Rock, Colorado; three grandchildren, Aaron Hoffman of Minneapolis, Minnesota, Anna Beaty Kerr of Omaha, Nebraska and Kayla Hoffman of Scarborough, Maine; and one sister, Mildred Squirrel of Concord, N.H. A small family service will be held in Maine at a later date. In lieu of flowers send memorial contributions to the Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

44. GIACCHETTI, INGEBORG (NEE RENNEMANN) (Obituary No. 44.), 90 Clifton, NJ - Ingeborg (nee Rennemann) Giachetti, 90, a resident of Clifton, NJ formerly from Ocala, FL died at home on July 2, 2007. Beloved wife of the late Thomas I. Giachetti (1989), Predeceased by her sons, Rudiger and Volker Weiz. Devoted mother to daughter, Charlotte and her husband Ronald Grorun of Clifton; loving grandmother to Bettina, Christine, Sabine, Matthew, and Daniel; and three great grandchildren. She will be greatly missed by family and friends. Ingeborg did not wish to have a funeral or memorial service. We hope everyone will have fond memories of her. Cremation will be private. Information provided by CREMATION SOCIETY OF NEW JERSEY, 583 Van Houten Ave., Clifton, NJ 07013. 1-800-833-2843. www.cremationnj.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

45. LONG, JAMES DALTON, (Obituary No. 45.) 73 Roswell, GA - James Dalton, Long, 73, of Roswell, Georgia died July 2, 2007. A native of Ocala, he graduated from Ocala High School in 1952. He worked in the family automobile business until 1958 when he moved to Tampa and worked for Jim Walter Corporation. He moved to Atlanta in 1966. Mr. Long was a retired officer of Decatur Federal Savings and Loan in Atlanta and owned & operated several day care centers. He was a long time member of 1st Baptist Church in Ocala and now was a member of Woodstock Baptist Church in Woodstock, GA. He is survived by his daughter Lori McDonald and her husband David of Roswell, GA; his son, James D. Long, Jr. of Clearwater, FL; sister, Clara Nell Quincey and husband Frank of Trenton, FL; granddaughters, Charlie Wilder, Dominique King both of Atlanta, Kristen Straney Berry of Vine Grove, KY; great grandchildren, Luke King, Madilynn Berry; and many nieces and nephews. He is the son of the late Clara Sykes Long and Dutton E. Long, Sr. He was predeceased by a brother, Dutton E. Long, Jr., daughter, Hope Long Straney and granddaughter, Taylor Lynn Straney. A memorial service will be held in the Fellowship Hall of 1st Baptist Church, Ocala on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at 4 p.m. According to his wishes, his body was given to Emory Memorial Hospital, Atlanta, Georgia for use in furthering medical science. Memorial contributions may be made to 1st Baptist Church building
46. MARTINEZ, ANA RITA, (Obituary No. 46.) 62 Ocala - Ana Rita Martinez, 62, of Ocala, passed away on Sat., June 30, 2007 at home. A native of Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, she moved to the U.S. when she was two years old. She was raised in Manhattan, NYC where she spent her days raising a family and working full time. Ana always kept her two daughters busy in dance classes and other activities. She moved to Florida in 1991. After retiring with AT&T with nearly 40 years of service, she moved to Ocala, Florida in 1999. Ana is survived by two daughters, Lucero and Melissa Flynn, both of Ocala; sister Lydia Sievers of Laurel Springs, NJ and grandson Dylan Boyer of Ocala. Ana was preceded in death by her husband of 25 years, Stanley E. Flynn, on Dec. 24, 1997. Ana was one of four sisters. She was preceded in death by her two youngest sisters Linda Martinez and Hilda Maldonado. Ana was a member of the Cosmopolitans of Ocala. She enjoyed gardening and going on day trips with her sister-in-law Clarencia Walker. Ana was around to lend an ear to all. She was well trusted and loved by all family and friends. Ana was a patient woman who always put others before her. She loved to laugh and always had a soft spot in her heart for children and animals. Friends will be received on Fri., July 6th from 2 - 5 pm at FORESTLAW FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Interment will be at a later date at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/3/2007 - 7/6/2007.

47. NORDBERG, CHAD N., (Obituary No. 47.) 19 Ocala - Chad N. Nordberg, 19, of Ocala, Fl died on Sunday, July 1, 2007. Chad, a lifetime resident of Ocala, graduated from Forest High School in 2006 where he played the drums in the school's band. He was a loader at Federal Express Shipping, loved music, spending time with family and friends and basketball. He was also a fan of the Miami Hurricanes and the Florida Gators as well as NASCAR. Chad is survived by his mother, Deborah Bass and husband, Louis of Ocala; father, LeRoy Chesteen and wife Erika of Dunnellon; maternal grandparents, Arthur and Lillie Alexander of Ocala; brother, Lorenzo Bass of Ocala; sisters, Debrina Nordberg of Ocala, Kiara Bass of Ocala, Brianna Nordberg of Ocala, Kiara Bass of Ocala, Brianna Nordberg of Ocala and Khailah Chesteen of Dunnellon. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, Bruce E. Nordberg and his paternal grandparents, Betty Dixon and Lofton Chesteen. The family will receive friends Friday, July 6, 2007 between the hours of 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. A Memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

48. ONUFROCK, MARY, (Obituary No. 48.) 82 Ocala - Mary Onufrock, age 82, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, June 28, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Brooklyn, N.Y. on August 7, 1924. Ms. Onufrock was a retired Ward Clerk for Southside Hospital. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She was an active member of the Irish-American Club at OTOW. Her hobbies included reading and spending time with her family. She is predeceased by her husband Andrew Onufrock, who passed away on May 21, 2004. She is survived by her son, Kenneth Onufrock and wife Robin, of West Islip, N.Y. and daughters Karen Dailey, of Los Angeles, CA. Kimberly and husband John Bracco of Blue Point, NY.; sisters, Florence Manning of Ocala, Fl. and Betty Greene of Canada; brother B rian Ryan of Canada; eight grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Services will be held Friday July 6, 2007 at 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Father Patrick J. O'D. Osher officiating. Memorials may be made to The Vasculitis Foundation P.O. Box 28660, Kansas City, MO. 64188 or to Tourettes Syndrome Association 4240 Bell Blvd. Bayside, NY. 11361. HIERS-BAXLEY
49. RILEY, JR., PATRICK JOHN, (Obituary No. 49.) 77 Ocala - Patrick John Riley, Jr., 77, died June 29, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Columbus, Ohio on August 1, 1929. Mr. Riley moved from Finley, Ohio to Ocala in 1987. He was of Catholic faith. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean and Vietnam War. He is survived by his wife, Anna Riley of Ocala, FL; brother, William Riley of Lancaster, Ohio; and sister-in-law, Rita Riley of Columbus, Ohio. He was predeceased by his brother, Thomas Riley. Information provided by ALL FAITHS CREMATION SOCIETY, 2 La Grande Blvd., The Villages, FL 32159. 352-753-2612. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

50. RIOandan, Edward T., (Obituary No. 50.) 82 Ocala - Edward T. Riordan, 82, passed away at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in New York, NY and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Baldwin, LI, NY. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, a lifetime member of the Knights of Columbus, was 4th degree and Knight of the Year. He was also a volunteer for the church and hospital. He was a U.S. Army veteran. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Audrey M. Riordan; sons Edward J. (Nancy) Riordan of Winter Springs, FL, Thomas J. (Eileen) Riordan of Baldwin, LI, NY, four grandchildren Kelly, Dylan, Patricia and Colleen, and two sisters Marie Riordan and Margaret Pogan, both of New York. The family will receive friends from 3 to 5 p.m. on Thursday, July 5th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala. There will be a funeral mass at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, July 6th at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Interment with military honors will be at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/6/2007.

51. SHEPHERD, KIMBERLY DAWN, (Obituary No. 51.) 35 Ocala - Kimberly Dawn Shepherd, age 35, of Ocala passed away Sunday, July 1, 2007 at her residence. She was a nurse practitioner and life resident of Ocala. She is survived by her parents, Barbara and Glen Shepherd; brother, Bud Shepherd; sister, Robin Tighe; all of Ocala. Service will be at 10 a.m. on Friday, July 6, 2007 at the Central Church of Christ, 4200 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Mr. Colin Williamson officiating. Visitation will be Thursday, July 5, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

52. Sliker, Harold, (Obituary No. 52.) 84 Ocala - Harold Sliker, 84, devoted husband and dearly beloved father, grandfather and great grandfather, passed peacefully in his sleep at his home in Ocala early Saturday morning, June 30, 2007. Born in Niagara Falls, New York on August 16, 1922 to Mazie & Blair Sliker, Harold graduated with honors from Whitewater College in Wisconsin. He later received his Masters degree from the University of Miami; and, in 1967 pursued his Ph.D. in Education at the University of Florida. He was a World War II veteran pilot married to Margaret Bruns and they had three children, Paula, David and Rex. Margaret passed away in 1963. In 1965, Harold met and married Bernice Lott Gillett and embraced her two sons, Don and Michael. They were married for 42 wonderful years. Harold dedicated 36 years to a career in education with the Miami-Dade County school system, first as a classroom teacher then as a guidance counselor, visiting teacher and Director of Student Services. Harold was an avid golfer who also grew beautiful roses and made delicious pies. He was a true gentleman who lived his life with dignity, integrity, a great sense of humor and a deep love for his family and friends. He will be missed by all who knew him and eternally loved by his wife, Bernice; his children Don, Paula, Mike, David and Rex; his grandchildren Maggie,
Jason, Darcy, Jennifer, Shawna, Noah; and his great grandchildren Tyler, Parker, Isis, Reef and Braden. A private family service will be held in Miami. For those who wish, donations may be made in Harold's memory to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

53. SUTTON, NORA ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 53.) 85 Ocala - Mrs. Nora Elizabeth Sutton, age 85, of Ocala, Florida died Monday, July 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Mt. Vernon, OH and moved to Ocala, FL in 1986 from Deerfield Beach, FL. She is a 1943 graduate of the Ohio State University with her Bachelors Degree in Fine Arts. She is a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and loves genealogy, charities and collecting antiques. She is also a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. She is survived by her loving husband of 61 years, Dale R. Sutton of Ocala, FL, her son, Gregg W. Sutton of Weeki Wachee, FL, her daughter, Nancy Sutton Sparks of Jonesborough, TN, her brother, Wilford P. Crise of Columbus, OH, her four grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476 on Thursday, July 5, 2007 from 4:00 p.m. till 6:00 p.m. There will be a Memorial Service celebrating the life of Mrs. Nora E. Sutton on Friday, July 6, 2007 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church at 2:00 p.m. A private burial will be in Danville, Ohio. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/7/2007.

54. TAYLOR, KENNETH CONLEY, (Obituary No. 54.) 85 Summerfield - Kenneth Conley Taylor, 85, a World War II Vet, of Summerfield Florida died June 30th at Ocala Health and Rehab. Born June 13th, 1922 in Traverse City, Michigan, he was the son of William and Esther (Ayers) Taylor. On June 21, 1942 he married Leah Basch. He is survived by their three children: Linda (Larry) Golden of Saginaw Michigan, Bill (Rose) Taylor of Winter Park Florida and Karen King of Traverse City Michigan. In 1958 he married Georgia B. Mccguire. She preceded him in death in 2004. They have two sons: Tim and Tom Taylor of Flint Michigan. Besides his children he is survived by a special sister, Loretta Johnson of Greenville, Michigan. He was predeceased by his siblings, an infant sister, Fred, Pete, Wilber, Mildred, Harold and Lee. He retired from General Motors in Flint Michigan in June of 1987. He was of the Baptist faith, enjoyed his garden, wood crafts and working with the seniors at his church. Private graveside services will take place at Crum cemetery in Summerfield. HODGES FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, Dade City, FL was in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/5/2007.

55. THORNTON, CALVIN "M IDNIGHT", (Obituary No. 55.) 53 Reddick - Mr. Calvin Thornton, "Midnight", age 53, a resident of Reddick, FL died on June 25, 2007. Mr. Calvin Thornton is survived by his wife Bernita Horne Thornton of Gainesville, FL, mother Hattie Thomas and step father Cliff Thomas, both of Sylvester, GA, two children: son Iroyricus Thornton and daughter Tytanyal Thornton, both of Atlanta, GA, and two step sons, Michael Brown of Reddick, FL and Tyrone Nelson of Ocala, FL, four grandsons and two granddaughters, siblings: Otis Thornton of Sylvester, GA, Ondra Thornton of Reddick, FL, Annette Parker, Phyllis Thornton, Randolph Thomas, Bruce Thomas, all of Sylvester, GA, Michael Thomas of Bainbridge, GA, Horace Catt of Albany, GA, and John H. Thornton of West Palm Beach, stepsister Ernestine Mathis, and father-in-law Eddie Horne of Reddick, FL. Services for Mr. Calvin Thornton will be held on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at New Chapel Baptist Church in Reddick, Florida. Burial will follow in the New Hope Cemetery in Williston, Florida. Services are under the direction of CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida, (352) 493-1857. Visitation hours for Mr. Thornton will be held Friday at the
Funeral Home in the Wade Greenlee Memorial Chapel from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. and on Saturday at the church one hour prior to services. The family is asked to assemble at the Home of Minister Ondre and Theola Thornton on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the cortege. Please have all floral arrangements delivered to the Funeral Home on Friday from 11 a.m.-7 p.m. CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME, Chiefland, FL "Providing everlasting memories and love." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/6/2007.

56. WARD, WILMA FRIEDEL, (Obituary No. 56.) 76 Evinston - Wilma Ward passed away Sunday, July 1, 2007. She was born in Cleveland, Ohio to William and Selma Friedel on January 5, 1931. She moved to Gainesville in 1947 and graduated from Gainesville High the following year. Wilma married John C. (Sam) Ward on August 5, 1949. She was a homemaker and former owner of Woods Printing. She enjoyed life in the small community of Evinston for 42 years (a relatively new comer to the community). She was an avid quilter, who enjoyed making and giving away quilts. She is known for her beautiful flower garden and for feeding the cardinals and hummingbirds around her home. She was a member of Evinston United Methodist Church and the McIntosh Seedling Garden Club. Her immediate family consists of Susan Camp (Glenn) of Sparr, Steven Ward (Deborah) of Flemington, Nancy Wood of Ocala and Patricia Harrell (Spurge) of Jacksonville. She has seven grandchildren whom she loved dearly: Alicia Wood, Travis Camp, John Ward, James Wood, John Camp, Christopher Ward and Samantha Ward. Wilma will be missed by all. Graveside service will be held at Centerpoint Cemetery on Saturday, July 7th at 10:30 am. A fellowship will be held immediately following the service at Evinston United Methodist Church. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Evinston United Methodist Church or Hospice of Marion County, Inc. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICE, 311 S. Main Street, Gainesville, FL 32601 (352) 376-5361. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/7/2007.

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59. WILSON, RITA GRAVEL, (Obituary No. 59.) 81 Leesburg - Rita Gravel Wilson, 81, of Leesburg, FL died Monday, July 2, 2007 in Leesburg, FL. Born in Clinton, MA, she lived in
Leesburg for 11 years, having moved from Ocala in 1996. She was a registered nurse for 18 years and was retired. She was a member of The Eustis Bridge club. She is survived by her husband David S. Wilson of Leesburg, FL. BEYE FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY, Leesburg, FL, (352) 787-4343. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/6/2007.

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61. FARRELL, JAMES GEORGE, (Obituary No. 61.) 71 Ocala - James George Farrell, age 71, of Ocala, passed away Wednesday, July 4, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Jersey City, NJ and moved to Ft. Lauderdale, FL in 1955. After nearly 30 years of service with Ft. Lauderdale Fire Dept., he retired as District Commander, then moved to Ocala in 1987. Mr. Farrell was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Survivors include his wife of 32 years, JoAnn Farrell, of Ocala, his children, Cindy Richbourg, Prescott, AZ., James G. Farrell, Jr., Allentown, NJ., Cathleen Bauder, Chino Valley, AZ., Christine Kyser, Tallahassee, FL., Patrick Foslin, Bradenton, FL., two brothers, George Farrell, Plantation, FL., and Andrew Farrell, Safety Harbor, FL., ten grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Funeral mass will be 11 a.m. on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be one hour prior to services in the church chapel. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Marion Co. Hospice, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478 or Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/6/2007 - 7/7/2007.

62. GREGORY, SHIRLEY M., (Obituary No. 62.) 80 Ocala - Shirley M. Gregory, 80, passed away at Hospice Legacy House of Ocala on July 5, 2007 of congestive heart failure. Born Shirley Jane Mitchell on September 28, 1926 in Luzerne County Pennsylvania, she graduated from Forty-Fort High School on D-Day in 1944. She married William Roland Bomboy, who served in the navy in WWII, they had two children, William and Betsy before he was killed tragically at the age of 25. She later met and married John Patrick Gregory, father of Jay and Susan. They moved to Fort Lauderdale in 1959 where Shirley went on to become the Chief of the Civil Division of the Court of Record of Broward County, the only woman to ever hold that position. Later, she was a legal secretary for several prominent law firms and finished her career in 1991 as an Administrative Secretary with the Department of Children and Families, where she was known simply as "Mom". Shirley moved to Ocala in 1993 and devoted her time to her two passions of reading and doting on her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son William Earl Bomboy in April of the year and is survived by her devoted daughters, Betsy Jane Bomboy and Susan Lee Gregory of Ocala, her son Jay Gary Gregory of
Fort Lauderdale, her seven grandchildren, Erik, Amy (John), David, William (Ashley), Christopher, Tammy and Frank, her six great grandchildren, her brother Earl T. Mitchell and his wife Beverly, their children Todd (Monica) and Michelle and their families, her son-in-law David Michaels and her daughters-in-law Jane Bomboy and Carlotta Clarke. Shirley leaves behind a legacy of love of family and friends that will continue on in all who knew her. Services for Mrs. Gregory will be held on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at 3 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Se Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Father Joe Goss and Chaplin Jack Cushman officiating. Visitations will be prior to the service on Saturday from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Burial will be in Forest Lawn Cemetery South in Ft. Lauderdale. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/6/2007 - 7/7/2007.

63. KANNEGIETER, REV. MARVIN O., (Obituary No. 63.) 74 Waterloo, IA - Rev. Marvin O. Kannegieter, 74, of Waterloo, died Monday, July 2, at Allen Hospital of natural causes. He was born June 14, 1933 in Parkersburg, son of Arend and Angelena Harken Kannegieter. He married Jessie Viola Beasley June 21, 1952 in Nebraska. Rev. Kannegieter was the pastor at Walnut Street Calvary Church in Waterloo in the 1970's. He then was the pastor at Sunnyside Christian Center in Ocala, FL for 25 years, retiring in 1998. Survivors include his wife of the Bartels Home in Waverly; two daughters, Judy Kay (Ronald) Burr of Denver and Mary Ardith (Greg) Boggs of Carrollton, GA; two sisters, Pearl Mitchell of LaPorte City and Angeline (Kenneth) Palmer of Quasqueton; seven grandchildren, Elisabeth (John) Cobb, Rebecca Still, Jessica Robyn Burr, Christy (Scott) Kingkade, and Joey, Angel and Emily Boggs; and four great grandchildren, Brooklyn, Madison and Christian Kingkade and Jackson Cobb. He was preceded in death by one brother, Cornelius "Bud" Kannegieter. Services will be 2 p.m. Friday at Kearns, Huisman-Schumacher Chapel on Kimball, with burial in Garden of Memories Cemetery. Friends may call from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday and one hour prior to services Friday at the funeral home. Memorials may be directed to the family. Condolences may be left at www.kearnsfuneralservice.com Arrangements by KEARNS, HUISMAN-SCHUMACHER FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/6/2007 - 7/7/2007.

64. LUNZ, FORTUNETTA C., (Obituary No. 64.) 92 Hatley, WI - Fortunetta C. Lunz, 92, of Hatley, WI, died Sunday, July 1, 2007. Survivors include her three children, Sister Marcia Lunz, OSF, Milwaukee, Sharon (Rich) Konkol, Hatley and Edward (Gloria) Lunz, Lakeland, Florida, six grandchildren, three great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and friends. The funeral mass will be celebrated at 11:30 a.m., Saturday, July 7, 2007 at St. Florian Catholic Church, Hatley. Visitation will be Saturday from 9:30 a.m. until the time services at the church. Entombment will be at 11 a.m., Wednesday, July 11, 2007 in Good Shepherd Memorial Garden, Ocala, Florida. In lieu of flowers memorials may be directed to the Retirement Fund: Sisters of St. Francis of Assisi, 3221 South Lake Drive, St. Francis, WI., 53235. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/6/2007 - 7/7/2007.

65. MARTINEZ, ANA RITA, (Obituary No. 65.) 62 Ocala - Ana Rita Martinez, 62, of Ocala, passed away on Sat., June 30, 2007 at home. A native of Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, she moved to the U.S. when she was two years old. She was raised in Manhattan, NYC where she spent her days raising a family and working full time. Ana always kept her two daughters busy in dance classes and other activities. She moved to Florida in 1991. After retiring with AT&T with nearly 40 years of service, she moved to Ocala, Florida in 1999. Ana is survived by two daughters, Lucero and Melissa Flynn, both of Ocala; sister Lydia Sievers of Laurel Springs, NJ and grandson Dylan Boyer of Ocala. Ana was preceded in death by her husband of 25 years, Stanley E. Flynn, on Dec. 24, 1997. Ana was one of four sisters. She was preceded in death by her two
youngest sisters Linda Martinez and Hilda Maldonado. Ana was a member of the Cosmopolitans of Ocala. She enjoyed gardening and going on day trips with her sister-in-law Clarencia Walker. Ana was around to lend an ear to all. She was well trusted and loved by all family and friends. Ana was a patient woman who always put others before her. She loved to laugh and always had a soft spot in her heart for children and animals. Friends will be received on Fri., July 6th from 2-5 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Interment will be at a later date at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/3/2007 - 7/6/2007.

66. PHILLIPS, WAYNE ROSS, (Obituary No. 66.) 64 Reddick - Wayne Ross Phillips, 64, passed away on June 30th, 2007. He was born and raised in Madison, Indiana and moved to Melbourne in 1957. He graduated from Melbourne High School in 1961 and also graduated from Florida State University. He raised his family in Ocala-Lowell area. He was a member of the United Methodist Church in Reddick, Florida. Wayne worked for the Florida Department of Corrections and also retired in June in 2001 as a substance abuse counselor after 32 years of service. He loved music and playing his guitar. He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Eileen (Van Meter) Phillips, daughter, Dr. Kelley Ann Phillips of New York, two brother in laws, Mark and Chris Thoe; sister in law, Olivia Charlton; cousin Linda (Burris) Lee of Nabb, In. He especially love his 2 puppies. He was preceded in death by his parents Mary (Danner) and Daily Ross Phillips. He will be missed by his many friends and family. A celebration of life will be held 2 p.m. on Friday July 6, 2007 at Davis Seawinds Funeral Home. Arrangements by DAVIS SEAWINDS FUNERAL HOME, Melbourne. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/6/2007 - 7/7/2007.

67. RIORDAN, EDWARD T., (Obituary No. 67.) 82 Ocala - Edward T. Riordan, 82, passed away at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in New York, NY and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Baldwin, LI, NY. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, a lifetime member of the Knights of Columbus, was 4th degree and Knight of the year. He was also a volunteer for the church and hospital. He was a US Army veteran. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Audrey M. Riordan, sons Edward J. (Nancy) Riordan of Winter Springs, FL, Thomas J. (Eileen) Riordan of Baldwin, LI, NY, four grandchildren Kelly, Dylan, Patricia and Colleen, and two sisters Marie Riordan and Margaret Pogan, both of New York. The family will receive friends from 3 to 5 p.m. on Thursday, July 5th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala. There will be a funeral mass at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, July 6th at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Interment with military honors will be at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/6/2007.

68. SUTTON, NORA ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 68.) 85 Ocala - Mrs. Nora Elizabeth Sutton, age 85, of Ocala, Florida died Monday, July 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Mt. Vernon, OH and moved to Ocala, FL in 1986 from Deerfield Beach, FL. She is a 1943 graduate of the Ohio State University with her Bachelors Degree in Fine Arts. She is a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and loves genealogy, charities and collecting antiques. She is also a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. She is survived by her loving husband of 61 years, Dale R. Sutton of Ocala, FL, her son, Gregg W. Sutton of Weeki Wachee, FL, her daughter, Nancy Sutton Sparks of Jonesborough, TN, her brother, Wilford P. Crise of Columbus, OH, her four grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476 on Thursday, July 5, 2007 from 4:00 p.m. till 6:00 p.m. There will be a Memorial Service celebrating the life of Mrs. Nora E. Sutton on Friday, July
6, 2007 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church at 2:00 p.m. A private burial will be in Danville, Ohio. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/7/2007.

69. THORNTON, CALVIN "MIDNIGHT", (Obituary No. 69.) 53 Reddick - Mr. Calvin Thornton, "Midnight", age 53, a resident of Reddick, FL died on June 25, 2007. Mr. Calvin Thornton is survived by his wife Bernita Horne Thornton of Gainesville, FL, mother Hattie Thomas and stepfather Cliff Thomas, both of Sylvester, GA, two children: son Iroyricus Thornton and daughter Tytanyal Thornton, both of Atlanta, GA, and two step sons, Michael Brown of Reddick, FL and Tyrone Nelson of Ocala, FL, four grandsons and two granddaughters, siblings: Otis Thornton of Sylvester, GA, Ondra Thornton of Reddick, FL, Annette Parker, Phyllis Thornton, Randolph Thomas, Bruce Thomas, all of Sylvester, GA, Michael Thomas of Bainbridge, GA, Horace Caitt of Albany, GA, and John H. Thornton of West Palm Beach, stepsister Ernestine Mathis, and father-in-law Eddie Horne of Reddick, FL. Services for Mr. Calvin Thornton will be held on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at New Chapel Baptist Church in Reddick, Florida. Burial will follow in the New Hope Cemetery in Williston, Florida. Services are under the direction of CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida, (352) 493-1857. Visitation hours for Mr. Thornton will be held Friday at the Funeral Home in the Wade Greenlee Memorial Chapel from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. and on Saturday at the church one hour prior to services. The family is asked to assemble at the Home of Minister Ondre and Theola Thornton on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the cortege. Please have all floral arrangements delivered to the Funeral Home on Friday from 11 a.m.-7 p.m. CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME, Chiefland, FL "Providing everlasting memories and love." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/6/2007.

70. WARD, WILMA A FRIEDEL, (Obituary No. 70.) 76 Evinston - Wilma Ward passed away Sunday, July 1, 2007. She was born in Cleveland, Ohio to William and Selma Friedel on January 5, 1931. She moved to Gainesville in 1947 and graduated from Gainesville High the following year. Wilma married John C. (Sam) Ward on August 5, 1949. She was a homemaker and former owner of Woods Printing. She enjoyed life in the small community of Evinston for 42 years (a relatively new comer to the community). She was an avid quilter, who enjoyed making and giving away quilts. She is known for her beautiful flower garden and for feeding the cardinals and hummingbirds around her home. She was a member of Evinston United Methodist Church and the McIntosh Seedling Garden Club. Her immediate family consists of Susan Camp (Glenn) of Sparr, Steven Ward (Deborah) of Flemington, Nancy Wood of Ocala and Patricia Harrell (Spurge) of Jacksonville. She has seven grandchildren whom she loved dearly: Alicia Wood, Travis Camp, John Ward, James Wood, John Camp, Christopher Ward and Samantha Ward. Wilma will be missed by all. Graveside service will be held at Centerpoint Cemetery on Saturday, July 7th at 10:30 am. A fellowship will be held immediately following the service at Evinston United Methodist Church. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Evinston United Methodist Church or Hospice of Marion County, Inc. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICE, 311 S. Main Street, Gainesville, FL 32601 (352) 376-5361. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/7/2007.

71. WILSON, RITA GRAVEL, (Obituary No. 71.) 81 Leesburg - Rita Gravel Wilson, 81, of Leesburg, FL died Monday, July 2, 2007 in Leesburg, FL. Born in Clinton, MA, she lived in Leesburg for 11 years, having moved from Ocala in 1996. She was a registered nurse for 18 years and was retired. She was a member of The Eustis Bridge club. She is survived by her

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72. CRUSE, STANLEY (Obituary No. 72.) F., 89 Dunnellon - Stanley F. Cruse, age 89, of Dunnellon, died Thursday, July 5, 2007 at his home. He was born in Ashland, KY, August 23, 1917, son of Sarah and Fred Cruse. He married Rayma L. Cruse, Jan. 23, 1940, in Yuma, AZ. After moving to St. Petersburg, FL, in 1953, he worked for Pursley Turf & Garden for over 40 years during the time he designed a number of golf courses around the state including Disney World. He was President of Florida Turf & Grass Association (FTGA) 1973-1974. He retired in 1984, moved to Dunnellon, and for ten years had a tree farm. While in St. Petersburg, he was a member of First Baptist Church and taught Sunday School. He was a current member of Lake Panasoffkee Baptist Church. Survived by his wife of 68 years, Rayma L. Cruse, daughters, Barbara A. Williams, of St. Petersburg and Sharon E. Blazvick, of Dunnellon. Grandchildren: Sherry Ann Oswald, Ocala; Stanley E. Williams, St. Petersburg; Shaun Blazvick, VA; Lynn Wood, Tampa; Shane Blazvick, Tampa, and eight great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Lake Panasoffkee Baptist Church, Lake Panasoffkee, Florida. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME of Dunnellon - still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/7/2007 - 7/8/2007.

73. EICOFF, LARRY LEE, (Obituary No. 73.) 55 Ocala - Mr. Eicoff of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 4, in Chicago, IL. Born in Chicago, IL he had made Ocala his home for the past 25 years. He had worked in Law Enforcement in Chicago for 10 years. Once in Ocala he raised and trained horses and raced them throughout the United States. He enjoyed fishing and was a private airplane pilot. Survivors include: wife of 25 years, Charmaine Eicoff, two daughters; Leanne and Amber Eicoff, two grandchildren Karlee and Addison Eicoff, Mother; Helene Eicoff, brother; Jeff Eicoff, and sister-in-law, Brenda Lee Smiley. Services will be held at 4 p.m. on Sunday, July 8, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Family will receive friends from 3-4 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society 7077 Bonneval Road, Suite 610, Jacksonville, FL 32216. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/7/2007 - 7/8/2007.

74. FARRELL, JAMES GEORGE, (Obituary No. 74.) 71 Ocala - James George Farrell, age 71, of Ocala, passed away Wednesday, July 4, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Jersey City, NJ and moved to Ft. Lauderdale, FL in 1955. After nearly 30 years of service with Ft. Lauderdale Fire Dept., he retired as District Commander, then moved to Ocala in 1987. Mr. Farrell was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Survivors include his wife of 32 years, JoAnn Farrell, of Ocala, his children, Cindy Richbourg, Prescott, AZ., James G. Farrell, Jr., Allentown, NJ., Cathleen Bauder, Chino Valley, AZ., Christine Kyser, Tallahassee, FL., Patrick Foslin, Bradenton, FL., two brothers, George Farrell, Plantation, FL., and Andrew Farrell, Safety Harbor, FL., ten grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Funeral mass will be 11 a.m. on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be one hour prior to services in the church chapel. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Marion Co. Hospice, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478 or Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/6/2007 - 7/7/2007.

75. GREGORY, SHIRLEY M., (Obituary No. 75.) 80 Ocala - Shirley M. Gregory, 80, passed away at Hospice Legacy House of Ocala on July 5, 2007 of congestive heart failure. Born
Shirley Jane Mitchell on September 28, 1926 in Luzerne County Pennsylvania, she graduated from Forty-Fort High School on D-Day in 1944. She married William Roland Bomboy, who served in the navy in WWII, they had two children, William and Betsy before he was killed tragically at the age of 25. She later met and married John Patrick Gregory, father of Jay and Susan. They moved to Fort Lauderdale in 1959 where Shirley went on to become the Chief of the Civil Division of the Court of Record of Broward County, the only woman to ever hold that position. Later, she was a legal secretary for several prominent law firms and finished her career in 1991 as an Administrative Secretary with the Department of Children and Families, where she was known simply as "Mom". Shirley moved to Ocala in 1993 and devoted her time to her two passions of reading and doting on her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son William Earl Bomboy in April of the year and is survived by her devoted daughters, Betsy Jane Bomboy and Susan Lee Gregory of Ocala, her son Jay Gary Gregory of Fort Lauderdale, her seven grandchildren, Erik, Amy (John), David, William (Ashley), Christopher, Tammy and Frank, her six great grandchildren, her brother Earl T. Mitchell and his wife Beverly, their children Todd (Monica) and Michelle and their families, her son-in-law David Michaels and her daughters-in-law Jane Bomboy and Carlotta Clarke. Shirley leaves behind a legacy of love of family and friends that will continue on in all who knew her. Services for Mrs. Gregory will be held on Saturday, July 7, 2007 at 3 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Se Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Father Joe Goss and Chaplin Jack Cushman officiating. Visitation will be prior to the service on Saturday from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Burial will be in Forest Lawn Cemetery South in Ft. Lauderdale. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/6/2007 - 7/8/2007.

76. GUARE, GEORGE E., (Obituary No. 76.) 91 Ocala - George E. Guare, 91, passed away on Thursday, July 5, 2007. He retired from the Villa Park, IL post office after 33 years of service. He was a native of Elmhurst, IL and moved to Ocala in 1974. He was a member of First Christian Church and was a veteran of WWII serving in the U.S. Army. He was Concertmaster of the Ocala Symphony for 13 years and a member of the Oak Park Symphony, Elmhurst Symphony and Wheaton Symphony in Illinois. Survivors include his wife of 60 years Marene Guare of Ocala, daughter, Kathy LaValla of Bartlett, IL, son, George E., Guare, Jr., of Crest Hill, IL and 3 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Graveside services will be held on Monday, July 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park with Dr. Douglas V. Moore officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to First Christian Church. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/7/2007 -7/8/2007.

77. KANNEGIETER, REV. MARVIN O., (Obituary No. 77.) 74 Waterloo, IA - Rev. Marvin O. Kannegieter, 74, of Waterloo, died Monday, July 2, at Allen Hospital of natural causes. He was born June 14, 1933 in Parkersburg, son of Arend and Angelena Harken Kannegieter. He married Jessie Viola Beasley June 21, 1952 in Nebraska. Rev. Kannegieter was the pastor at Walnut Street Calvary Church in Waterloo in the 1970's. He then was the pastor at Sunnyside Christian Center in Ocala, FL for 25 years, retiring in 1998. Survivors include his wife of the Bartels Home in Waverly; two daughters, Judy Kay (Ronald) Burr of Denver and Mary Ardith (Greg) Boggs of Carrollton, GA; two sisters, Pearl Mitchell of LaPorte City and Angeline (Kenneth) Palmer of Quasqueton; seven grandchildren, Elisabeth (John) Cobb, Rebecca Still, Jessica Robyn Burr, Christy (Scott) Kingkade, and Joey, Angel and Emily Boggs; and four great grandchildren, Brooklyn, Madison and Christian Kingkade and Jackson Cobb. He was preceded in death by one brother, Cornelius "Bud" Kannegieter. Services will be 2 p.m. Friday at Kearns,
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78. LAFLAMME, DONALD HENRY "DON", (Obituary No. 78.) 79 Ocala - Mr. Donald Henry "Don" LaFlamme, age 79, of Ocala, Florida died Wednesday, July 4, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Tupper Lake, New York and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Port Charlotte, Florida. For over 25 years, Don worked as a lumberjack with the Draper Division of Rockwell International. He also served as a postal clerk in Tupper Lake, N. Y. for a period of (17) years and in 1980, was commissioned as a postal clerk for the Winter Olympics in Lake Placid, N.Y. Don served his country in the U.S. Navy during W.W.II. As a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus, Council #8012, of Bellevue, he was also active in Ocala Moose Lodge. Don loved working in his yard, bowling and ornamental woodworking. He is pre-deceased by both his mother and father, Floriane and Victoria LaFlamme, his sister, Marsella Fuller and his beautiful wife, Mary H. LaFlamme. He is survived by his loving companion, Sylvia Butler of Ocala, Florida, his (4) sons, Michael of Utica, NY, Charles and Timothy, both of Ocala, Florida, and Jeffrey of the Netherlands, his daughter, Donna Bartell of Rome, New York, (8) grandchildren and (5) great-grandchildren. Also a niece, Judy McGowin of Ocala, Florida. Mass will be celebrated at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church on Sunday, July 8, 2007. A Private family Committal Service with Military Honors will be in Florida National Cemetery at a later date. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Bruce Chapel East, 1739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, Florida 34471, on Sunday, July 8, 2007, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The family request donations may be made in memory of both Donald and Mary H. LaFlamme to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/7/2007 - 7/8/2007.

79. LUNZ, FORTUNETTA C., (Obituary No. 79.) 92 Hatley, WI - Fortunetta C. Lunz, 92, of Hatley, WI., died Sunday, July 1, 2007. Survivors include her three children, Sister Marcia Lunz, OSF, Milwaukee, Sharon (Rich) Konkol, Hatley and Edward (Gloria) Lunz, Lakeland, Florida, six grandchildren, three great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and friends. The funeral mass will be celebrated at 11:30 a.m., Saturday, July 7, 2007 at St. Florian Catholic Church, Hatley. Visitation will be Saturday from 9:30 a.m. until the time services at the church. Entombment will be at 11 a.m., Wednesday, July 11, 2007 in Good Shepherd Memorial Garden, Ocala, Florida. In lieu of flowers memorials may be directed to the Retirement Fund: Sisters of St. Francis of Assisi, 3221 South Lake Drive, St. Francis, WI, 53235. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/6/2007 - 7/7/2007.

80. PHILLIPS, WAYNE ROSS, (Obituary No. 80.) 64 Reddick - Wayne Ross Phillips, 64, passed away on June 30th , 2007. He was born and raised in Madison, Indiana and moved to Melbourne in 1957. He graduated from Melbourne High School in 1961 and also graduated from Florida State University. He raised his family in Ocala-Lowell area. He was a member of the United Methodist Church in Reddick, Florida. Wayne worked for the Florida Department of Corrections and also retired in June in 2001 as a substance abuse counselor after 32 years of service. He loved music and playing his guitar. He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Eileen (Van Meter) Phillips, daughter, Dr. Kelley Ann Phillips of New York, two brother in laws, Mark and Chris Thoe; sister in law, Olivia Charlton; cousin Linda (Burris) Lee of Nabb, In. He especially love his 2 puppies. He was preceded in death by his parents Mary (Danner) and Daily
Ross Phillips. He will be missed by his many friends and family. A celebration of life will be held 2 p.m. on Friday July 6, 2007 at Davis Seawinds Funeral Home. Arrangements by DAVIS SEAWINDS FUNERAL HOME, Melbourne Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/6/2007 - 7/7/2007.

81. SUTTON, NORA ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 81.) 85 Ocala - Mrs. Nora Elizabeth Sutton, age 85, of Ocala, Florida died Monday, July 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Mt. Vernon, OH and moved to Ocala, FL in 1986 from Deerfield Beach, FL. She is a 1943 graduate of the Ohio State University with her Bachelors Degree in Fine Arts. She is a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and loves genealogy, charities and collecting antiques. She is also a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. She is survived by her loving husband of 61 years, Dale R. Sutton of Ocala, FL, her son, Gregg W. Sutton of Weeki Wachee, FL, her daughter, Nancy Sutton Sparks of Jonesborough, TN, her brother, Wilford P. Crise of Columbus, OH, her four grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476 on Thursday, July 5, 2007 from 4:00 p.m. till 6:00 p.m. There will be a Memorial Service celebrating the life of Mrs. Nora E. Sutton on Friday, July 6, 2007 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church at 2:00 p.m. A private burial will be in Danville, Ohio. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/7/2007.

82. WARD, WILMA FRIEDEL, (Obituary No. 82.) 76 Evinston - Wilma Ward passed away Sunday, July 1, 2007. She was born in Cleveland, Ohio to William and Selma Friedel on January 5, 1931. She moved to Gainesville in 1947 and graduated from Gainesville High the following year. Wilma married John C. (Sam) Ward on August 5, 1949. She was a homemaker and former owner of Woods Printing. She enjoyed life in the small community of Evinston for 42 years (a relatively new comer to the community). She was an avid quilter, who enjoyed making and giving away quilts. She is known for her beautiful flower garden and for feeding the cardinals and hummingbirds around her home. She was a member of Evinston United Methodist Church and the McIntosh Seedling Garden Club. Her immediate family consists of Susan Camp (Glenn) of Sparr, Steven Ward (Deborah) of Flemington, Nancy Wood of Ocala and Patricia Harrell (Spurge) of Jacksonville. She has seven grandchildren whom she loved dearly: Alicia Wood, Travis Camp, John Ward, James Wood, John Camp, Christopher Ward and Samantha Ward. Wilma will be missed by all. Graveside service will be held at Centerpoint Cemetery on Saturday, July 7th at 10:30 am. A fellowship will be held immediately following the service at Evinston United Methodist Church. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Evinston United Methodist Church or Hospice of Marion County, Inc. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICE, 311 S. Main Street, Gainesville, FL 32601 (352) 376-5361. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/5/2007 - 7/7/2007.

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83. CONNELLY, JOANN REAGAN, (Obituary No. 83.) 61 Ocala - JoAnn Reagan-Connelly, 61, of Ocala, passed away July 6th at her home. Born in Asheville, NC, she was a lifelong resident of the area, a homemaker, and Baptist by faith. She is survived by her husband, Ted Connelly; son, Ted Connelly, Jr. of Ocala; daughter, Barbara Ammer of Ocala; sisters, Shirley Nichols, Candy DeLawter and Ezalee Saldano; brothers, Buck, Jerry and Ronnie Reagan; six grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Tuesday (July 10th) from
10-11 a.m. The Funeral Service will follow at 11:00 a.m. Interment will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/8/2007 - 7/9/2007.

**84. CRUSE, STANLEY F., (Obituary No. 84.)** 89 Dunnellon - Stanley F. Cruse, age 89, of Dunnellon, died Thursday, July 5, 2007 at his home. He was born in Ashland, KY, August 23, 1917, son of Sarah and Fred Cruse. He married Rayma L. Cruse, Jan. 23, 1940, in Yuma, AZ. After moving to St. Petersburg, FL, in 1953, he worked for Pursley Turf & Garden for over 40 years during the time he designed a number of golf courses around the state including Disney World. He was President of Florida Turf & Grass Association (FTGA) 1973-1974. He retired in 1984, moved to Dunnellon, and for ten years had a tree farm. While in St. Petersburg, he was a member of First Baptist Church was a Deacon and taught Sunday School. He was a current member of Lake Panasoffkee Baptist Church. Survived by his wife of 68 years, Rayma L. Cruse, daughters, Barbara A. Williams, of St. Petersburg and Sharon E. Blazvick, of Dunnellon. grandchildren: Sherry Ann Oswald, Ocala; Stanley E. Williams, St. Petersburg; Shaun Blazvick, VA; Lynn Wood, Tampa; Shane Blazvick, Tampa, and eight great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Lake Panasoffkee Baptist Church, Lake Panasoffkee, Florida. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME of Dunnellon - still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/7/2007 - 7/8/2007.

**85. EICOFF, LARRY LEE, (Obituary No. 85.)** 55 Ocala - Mr. Eicoff of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 4, in Chicago, IL. Born in Chicago, IL he had made Ocala his home for the past 25 years. He had worked in Law Enforcement in Chicago for 10 years. Once in Ocala he raised and trained horses and raced them throughout the United States. He enjoyed fishing and was a private airplane pilot. Survivors include: wife of 25 years, Charmaine Eicoff, two daughters; Leanne and Amber Eicoff, two grandchildren Karlee and Addison Eicoff, Mother; Helene Eicoff, brother; Jeff Eicoff, and sister-in-law, Brenda Lee Smiley. Services will be held at 4 p.m. on Sunday, July 8, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Family will receive friends from 3-4 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society 7077 Bonneval Road, Suite 610, Jacksonville, FL 32216. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/7/2007 - 7/8/2007.

**86. FROHNE, ROBERT P. "BOB" (Obituary No. 86.)** 83, St Petersburg - Robert P. "Bob" Frohne, 83, died Wednesday (July 4th, 2007). He was born in Wayland, NY. He was a Navy veteran of WWII and Korea. Survivors include his wife of 51 years, Minnie; a brother, Richard, A sister Ruth Bunce, Mulberry FL., and several nieces and nephews. VISITATION 10 - 11 AM Tuesday at Garden Sanctuary in Seminole, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/8/2007 - 7/9/2007.

**87. GOULD, KRYSTAN LEE, (Obituary No. 87.)** 23 Reno, NV - Krystan Lee Gould, 23, of Reno, Nevada passed away on June 29, 2007. Surviving are daughter Shaylee Michele Harrison (A-Ron); parents Eileen and Robert (Tonya); sister Robby; grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins and many friends. Private services were held in Reno, Nevada. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/8/2007 - 7/9/2007.

**88. GUARE, GEORGE E., (Obituary No. 88.)** 91 Ocala - George E. Guare, 91, passed away on Thursday, July 5, 2007. He retired from the Villa Park, IL post office after 33 years of service. He was a native of Elmhurst, IL and moved to Ocala in 1974. He was a member of First Christian Church and was a veteran of WWII serving in the U.S. Army. He was Concertmaster of the Ocala Symphony for 13 years and a member of the Oak Park Symphony, Elmhurst Symphony and Wheaton Symphony in Illinois. Survivors include his wife of 60 years Marene Guare of Ocala, daughter, Kathy LaValla of Bartlett, IL, son, George E., Guare, Jr., of Crest Hill,
IL and 3 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Graveside services will be held on Monday, July 9, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park with Dr. Douglas V. Moore officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to First Christian Church. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/7/2007 - 7/8/2007.

89. LAFLAMME, DONALD HENRY "DON", (Obituary No. 89.) 79 Ocala - Mr. Donald Henry "Don" LaFlamme, age 79, of Ocala, Florida died Wednesday, July 4, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Tupper Lake, New York and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Port Charlotte, Florida. For over 25 years, Don worked as a lumberjack with the Draper Division of Rockwell International. He also served as a postal clerk in Tupper Lake, N. Y. for a period of (17) years and in 1980, was commissioned as a postal clerk for the Winter Olympics in Lake Placid, N.Y. Don served his country in the U.S. Navy during W.W.II. As a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus, Council #8012, of Belleview, he was also active in Ocala Moose Lodge. Don loved working in his yard, bowling and ornamental woodworking. He is pre-deceased by both his mother and father, Floriane and Victoria LaFlamme, his sister, Marsella Fuller and his beautiful wife, Mary H. LaFlamme. He is survived by his loving companion, Sylvia Butler of Ocala, Florida, his (4) sons, Michael of Utica, NY, Charles and Timothy, both of Ocala, Florida, and Jeffrey of the Netherlands, his daughter, Donna Bartell of Rome, New York, (8) grandchildren and (5) great-grandchildren. Also a niece, Judy McGowin of Ocala, Florida. Mass will be celebrated at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church on Sunday, July 8, 2007. A Private family Commital Service with Military Honors will be in Florida National Cemetery at a later date. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Bruce Chapel East, 1739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, Florida 34471, on Sunday, July 8, 2007, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The family request donations may be made in memory of both Donald and Mary H. LaFlamme to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/7/2007 - 7/8/2007.

90. LAKES, HUBERT J., (Obituary No. 90.) 68 Dunnellon - Hubert J. Lakes, of Dunnellon, passed away unexpectedly July 6, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. Mr. Lakes moved to the Dunnellon area in 2001 from Berea, Kentucky. He was employed with Vikings, L.L.C. security. Mr. Lakes was awarded the Vietnam Service Medal for this tour of duty with the Army. Mr. Lakes is survived by his wife, Linda Lakes of Dunnellon; daughters, Leslie Jill Lakes of Ocala and Rebecca Lakes of Lexington, Kentucky; brother, Jerry Lakes of Fincastle, Virginia; sisters, Virginia Faye Ballinger of Richmond, Kentucky and Cora Jean Botkins of Russell Springs, Kentucky; and by one grandson. The family will receive friends Wednesday, July 11, 2007 from 10:00 a.m. till the start of the service at 11:00 a.m. in the Chapel of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, Florida. The Rev. Timothy Buchholtz, of the Assembly of God Church, will officiate. Military honors will be conducted at Florida National Cemetery. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/8/2007 - 7/9/2007.

91. LONG, JAMES DALTON, (Obituary No. 91.) 73 Roswell, GA - James Dalton, Long, 73, of Roswell, Georgia died July 2, 2007. A native of Ocala, he graduated from Ocala High School in 1952. He worked in the family automobile business until 1958 when he moved to Tampa and worked for Jim Walter Corporation. He moved to Atlanta in 1966. Mr. Long was a retired officer of Decatur Federal Savings and Loan in Atlanta and owned & operated several day care centers. He was a long time member of 1st Baptist Church in Ocala and now was a member of Woodstock Baptist Church in Woodstock, GA. He is survived by his daughter Lori McDonald
and her husband David of Roswell, GA; his son, James D. Long, Jr. of Clearwater, FL; sister, Clara Nell Quincey and husband Frank of Trenton, FL; granddaughters, Charlie Wilder, Dominique King both of Atlanta, Kristen Straney Berry of Vine Grove, KY; great grandchildren, Luke King, Madilynn Berry; and many nieces and nephews. He is the son of the late Clara Sykes Long and Dutton E. Long, Sr. He was predeceased by a brother, Dutton E. Long, Jr., daughter, Hope Long Straney and granddaughter, Taylor Lynn Straney. A memorial service will be held in the Fellowship Hall of 1st Baptist Church, Ocala on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at 4 p.m. According to his wishes, his body was given to Emory Memorial Hospital, Atlanta, Georgia for use in furthering medical science. Memorial contributions may be made to 1st Baptist Church building fund, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL, 34471 or Hospice of Marion County,, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL. 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/4/2007 - 7/9/2007.

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93. CONNELLY, JOANN REAGAN, (Obituary No. 93.) 61 Ocala - JoAnn Reagan-Connelly, 61, of Ocala, passed away July 6th at her home. Born in Asheville, NC, she was a lifelong resident of the area, a homemaker, and Baptist by faith. She is survived by her husband, Ted Connelly; son, Ted Connelly, Jr. of Ocala; daughter, Barbara Ammer of Ocala; sisters, Shirley Nichols, Candy DeLawter and Ezalee Saldano; brothers, Buck, Jerry and Ronnie Reagan; six grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Tuesday (July 10th) from 10-11 am. The Funeral Service will follow at 11:00 a.m. Interment will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/8/2007 - 7/9/2007.

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born in Corbin, KY and retired from General Electric as an aircraft engineer. Survivors include three sons, Kenneth R. Patterson, Jr. of Cincinnati, OH., Donald W. Patterson of Kettle, KY., and Richard Patterson of Cincinnati, OH; daughter, Vickie J. Auwbrey of Highland Heights, KY; three sisters, Shirley J. Flynn of Cincinnati, OH., Joan Brown of Mechanicsburg, OH., and Linda Lewis of Florence, KY; two brothers, Jerry W. Patterson of Loveland, OH., and Mike Patterson of Walton, KY; seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren; and companion Jeanette. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, July 10, 2007 at HIER-S-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, BELLEVUE, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL. Visitation will be two hours prior to services. Cremation and inurnment at Florida National Cemetery will follow. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/9/2007 - 7/10/2007.

100. ROSENZWEIG, MARGARET, (Obituary No. 100.) 87 Ocala - Mrs. Margaret Rosenzweig, 87, passed away on July 6, 2007 in Ocala, FL. She was born in Louisville, KY on June 20, 1920. She was a retired Salesperson at W.T. Grant Dept. Stores in Ocala, FL. She attended Maricamp Road Church of Christ in Ocala. She was a member of the Women of the Moose Lodge # 1142 in Ocala and the VFW Lodge Women's Auxiliary in Belleview. She moved to the area in 1962 from Pensacola, FL. She is survived by her husband, Kenneth of Ocala; a son, Walter McHargue, Jr. of Sebring, FL; daughter, Mary Jane Braddock of Ocala; 3 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Graveside services will take place July 9, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/9/2007 - 7/10/2007.

101. SPAETH, WILLIAM A., (Obituary No. 101.) 86 Ocala - William A. Spaeth, 86, of Ocala, FL died on Thursday, July 5, 2007 at this home. A native of Brookfield, Michigan, he relocated to Marion County in 1972 from Michigan. Bill was a retired Milk Inspector, manager with Certified Grocery, as well as a retired MSGT from the US Army, WWII. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church where he was involved in numerous associations within the congregation. He was a lifetime member and past commander with the VFW, member of the DAV, and past president of the Lions Club in MI. His enjoyments included gardening, golf and his involvement in Little League. William is survived by his wife of 60 years, Frances M. Spaeth, daughter, Barbara S. Henrich and husband Paul, sons, Dennis W. Spaeth and wife Shari, Pastor Marc Spaeth and Jeffrey T. Spaeth, all of Ocala, four grandchildren Molly, Sarah, Chris, and Kinsey. A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, July 12 at 4:00 p.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. John's Lutheran Church Family Life Center. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/8/2007 - 7/9/2007.

102. THOMAS, CATHERINE L., (Obituary No. 102.) 85 Silver Springs - Catherine L. Thomas, 85, passed away July 6, 2007 at the Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Terre Haute, IN and moved to Silver Springs in 1987 from Brazil, IN. She was a member of the Memorial Baptist Church, the Order of the Eastern Star, and enjoyed camping, fishing and was an avid sports fan. She is survived by her husband of 65 years William A. Thomas, daughter Rebecca S. (Dana) Montgomery of Silver Springs, sons William A. Thomas, Jr. of Silver Springs, Daniel E. (Lynn) Thomas and Steve D. (Sharon) Thomas, all of Brazil, IN, seven grandchildren, seven great grandchildren and a sister Dorothy Jeffers of Sullivan, IN. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, July 10th at the Memorial Baptist Church, 3693 SE 95th Street, Ocala. A funeral service will be at the church at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 11th with Pastor Michael West officiating. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial
103. WILLIAMS, MALACHI WAYNE, INFANT (Obituary No. 103.) Ocala - Malachi Wayne Williams, New Born, passed away, July 6, 2007. He was survived by his mother Kristina Francisco and father, Michael Williams of Ocala; maternal grandparents, Pam and Jim Stahlin of Orlando, FL and Robert and Lynn Francisco of Melbourne, FL; paternal grandparents, Gerald and Debbie Williams of Ocala; maternal great grandparents, George and Marie Jackson of Melbourne, FL and Robert and Nancy Francisco, Sr., of Melbourne, FL; paternal great grandparents, Hershel and Suzanne Short of Middletown, OH and Christine Short of Middletown, OH. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR-200 Ocala, 854-2266, on Wednesday, July 11, 2007 from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. The Funeral service will follow at 12 p.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/9/2007 - 7/10/2007.

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104. DIETERICH, ANNA M., (Obituary No. 104.) 92 Ocala - Mrs. Anna M. Dieterich, age 92 of Ocala, passed away at Estelle's House Monday, July 9, 2007. She was born in Brooklyn, New York. She moved to Ocala 27 years ago from New York. Mrs. Anna Dieterich was a member of the Red Hat Society, The "Bingo" Queen of Chambrel and also and Atlanta Braves fan. She was a member of Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church. She is survived by daughter, Carol Ann Josten and son-in-law, Bill of Ocala, and daughter Barbara Chlebana of Chicago, IL; son, Robert Dieterich and daughter-in-law, Jane of Long Island, NY; sister, Rose Gatterdam of Long Island, NY; 6 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. A Graveside service will be held at Highland Memorial Park Thursday, July 12, 2007 at 10 a.m. with Rick Hugli officiating.. Visitation will be at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., on Wednesday, July 11, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. for those who wish to make memorial contributions, make them to The American Cancer Society or Hospice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/11/2007.

105. DOMINICK, JOSEPH GREGORY, (Obituary No. 105.) 89 Ocala - Joseph Gregory Dominick, 89, died Sunday, July 8, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Troy, NY on December 22, 1917. Mr. Dominick moved to Ocala, FL in 2004. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corp. He was an office proceduralist. His hobbies included bird watching, and he was an avid reader. He enjoyed Photography and was a member of the Italian Lodge of PA. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church of Ocala. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Gloria Bottone Dominick of Ocala FL; daughter, Denise Lee of Downtown, PA; son, Paul Dominick of Harrisburg, PA; brother, Nicholas Dominick of Latham, NY; and two grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on SR 200 Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL., 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/11/2007.

106. HOWARD, JOSIAH DAVID, INFANT (Obituary No. 106.) Riverdale, GA - Josiah David Howard, Infant - New Born fell asleep in death on July 5, 2007. He is survived by his parents, Terrelle and Kathleen Howard of Riverdale, GA; siblings, Joshua, Caleb, and Ashley Howard of Riverdale, GA; paternal grandparents, Tyrone Howard of Cleveland, OH and Anita Williams of Monroeville, PA; maternal grandparents, James and Kathleen Ojeda of Ocala; great great grandmother, Sarah Tate of Augusta, GA; aunt and uncle, Jason and Monique Ojeda of Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/9/2007 - 7/10/2007.
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107. MAGEE, LORRAINE "RAINY", (Obituary No. 107.) 78 Dunnellon - Lorraine "Rainy" Magee, 78, passed away July 9, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born Lorraine Ann Provencher in Manchester, NH., on October 6, 1928. She was a retired registered nurse and a volunteer at Seven Rivers Hospital and St. John the Baptist Catholic Church. She was very active with the Red Hat Rowdies of Dunnellon and the Lunch Bunch of Fairway Estates, Rainbow Springs, FL. She moved to Dunnellon in 2002 from Fayetteville, NC. She is survived by her husband of 55 years, retired Colonel Bobby Magee of Dunnellon; sons, Scott and Bryan Magee of Sarasota, FL.; daughter Bonnie Mary Magee of Aspen, CO; two sisters, Lucille Martel and Muriel Pelletier of Manchester, NH; and grandchildren, Christopher and Lauren Magee of Sarasota, FL. Visitation will be at Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon, on Thursday, July 12, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. with Funeral Services on Friday, July 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon. Rainy will be interred with her son, Robert Magee, Jr. at Arlington National Cemetery. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/12/2007.

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109. PRICE, MARGARET PAMELA, (Obituary No. 109.) 47 Dunnellon - Margaret Pamela Price, 47, died on Sunday, July 8, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Ocala and was a lifetime resident of this area. She was a retired Mail Carrier of the US Postal Service and was of the Baptist Faith. Mrs. Price is survived by her husband, John Price of Dunnellon; parents, Arthur Starling, Jr. and Margaret Starling of Dunnellon; one brother, Arthur Starling III of Pedro; two sisters, Janice Jennings of Dunnellon and Paula Starling of Dunnellon, Florida. A visitation will be Wednesday, July 11, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/11/2007.

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Walter McHargue, Jr. of Sebring, FL; daughter, Mary Jane Braddock of Ocala; 3 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Graveside services will take place July 9, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/9/2007 - 7/10/2007.

111. SWINGLE, BERTIE LOYCE TURNER, (Obituary No. 111.) 87 Ocala - Bertie Loyce Turner Swingle, age 87, passed away Saturday, July 7, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Grant, LA, served in US Navy during WWII and retired to Ocala in 1975 from Pembroke Pines, FL after a career in nursing. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Salt Springs and enjoyed gardening, flowers and her church family. Survivors include two daughters, JoAnn Szabo (husband Ron), and Pamela Ann Feliciani, both of Ocala; two sons, James C. Swingle (wife Gail) and Robert J. Swingle (wife Julia); five grandchildren, Jaymi, Shaun, Lauren, Megan, C.J., and four great grandchildren, Garret, Landon, Mac and Mosses. Memorial services will be 2 p.m. on Sunday, July 22, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Salt Springs, with Dr. Bob Hines, officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the First Baptist Church of Salt Springs. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/12/2007.

112. THOMAS, CATHERINE L., (Obituary No. 112.) 85 Silver Springs - Catherine L. Thomas, 85, passed away July 6, 2007 at the Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Terre Haute, IN and moved to Silver Springs in 1987 from Brazil, IN. She was a member of the Memorial Baptist Church, the Order of the Eastern Star, and enjoyed camping, fishing and was an avid sports fan. She is survived by her husband of 65 years William A. Thomas, daughter Rebecca S. (Dana) Montgomery of Silver Springs, sons William A. Thomas, Jr. of Silver Springs, Daniel E. (Lynn) Thomas and Steve D. (Sharon) Thomas, all of Brazil, IN, seven grandchildren, seven great grandchildren and a sister Dorothy Jeffers of Sullivan, IN. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, July 10th at the Memorial Baptist Church, 3693 SE 95th Street, Ocala. A funeral service will be at the church at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 11th with Pastor Michael West officiating. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/9/2007 - 7/10/2007.

113. WILLIAMS, MALACHI WAYNE, INFANT (Obituary No. 113.) Ocala - Malachi Wayne Williams, New Born, passed away, July 6, 2007. He was survived by his mother Kristina Francisco and father, Michael Williams of Ocala; maternal grandparents, Pam and Jim Stahlin of Orlando, FL and Robert and Lynn Francisco of Melbourne, FL; paternal grandparents, Gerald and Debbie Williams of Ocala; maternal great grandparents, George and Marie Jackson of Melbourne, FL and Robert and Nancy Francisco, Sr., of Melbourne, FL; paternal great grandparents, Hershell and Suzanne Short of Middletown, OH and Christine Short of Middletown, OH. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR-200 Ocala, 854-2266, on Wednesday, July 11, 2007 from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. The Funeral service will follow at 12 p.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/9/2007 - 7/10/2007.

114. WIMBERLY, LONNIE LEE, (Obituary No. 114.) 80 Ocala - Lonnie Lee Wimberly, 80 of Ocala, beloved husband of Vernese Wimberly, passed away peacefully into Eternal Life on Thursday, July 5, 2007, at Monroe Regional Hospital. He was a member of the Shiloh Seventh Day Adventist Church of Ocala, FL., and Evangelistic Caravan Center in Waterbury, CT. He was the beloved father of Myra Wimberly, of Meriden, CT., and Vanessa L. Wimberly of East Hartford, CT., and Laura (Wimberly) Martinez, ( husband Angel) of Waterbury, CT.,
grandchildren, and 10 great grandchildren. The family members would like to give special thanks to Davita Kidney Center & The Monroe Regional Medical Center, along with Dr. Melvin Seek & staff. Funeral/Memorial Services will be held on Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the SELLERS FUNERAL HOME Chapel, 440 S.W. Broadway St., Ocala. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/11/2007.

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115. COLETTI, EMILIO PETER, (Obituary No. 115.) 76 Ocala - Emilio Peter Coletti, 76, died Monday, July 9, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Mt. Kisco, NY., May 20, 1931. Mr. Coletti lived most of his life in Carmel, NY and was a Veteran of the U.S. Navy serving in the Korean War. He retired form the NY Telephone Company as a repairman/technician. He moved to Ocala in 1993. He was a member to Queen of Peace Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus Counsel #09649; OTOW men's Golf Association and Bowling team. He is survived by his wife, Anne Burro Coletti of Ocala, FL; sons, Steven Coletti of Jacksonville, FL., and John Coletti of Carmel, NY; five grandchildren, Samuel and Matthew Blakley of Scarsdale, NY., Erin, Tommy and Tara Coletti of Jacksonville, FL; half brother, Peter of Katonah, NY; half sister, Christina of Bedford, NY. He was preceded in death by his beloved daughter Deborah Blakley on December 18, 2005. Visitation will be Thursday, July 12, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Service TimberRidge from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Prayer Service at 2 p.m. & Knights of Columbus Service at 7 p.m. Funeral Mass will be at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on SR-200 on Friday, July 13, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion Co. Legacy House. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE CHAPEL, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/11/2007 - 7/12/2007.

116. DIETERICH, ANNA M., (Obituary No. 116.) 92 Ocala - Mrs. Anna M. Dieterich, age 92 of Ocala, passed away at Estelle's House Monday, July 9, 2007. She was born in Brooklyn, New York. She moved to Ocala 27 years ago from New York. Mrs. Anna Dieterich was a member of the Red Hat Society, The "Bingo" Queen of Chambrel and also and Atlanta Braves fan. She was a member of Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church. She is survived by daughter, Carol Ann Josten and son-in-law, Bill of Ocala, and daughter Barbara Chlebana of Chicago, IL; son, Robert Dieterich and daughter-in-law, Jane of Long Island, NY; sister, Rose Gatterdam of Long Island, NY; 6 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. A Graveside service will be held at Highland Memorial Park Thursday, July 12, 2007 at 10 a.m. with Rick Hugli officiating.. Visitation will be at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., on Wednesday, July 11, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. for those who wish to make memorial contributions, make them to The American Cancer Society or Hospice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/11/2007 - 7/12/2007.

117. DOMINICK, JOSEPH GREGORY, (Obituary No. 117.) 89 Ocala - Joseph Gregory Dominick, 89, died Sunday, July 8, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Troy, NY on December 22, 1917. Mr. Dominick moved to Ocala, FL in 2004. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corp. He was an office proceduralist. His hobbies included bird watching, and he was an avid reader. He enjoyed Photography and was a member of the Italian Lodge of PA. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church of Ocala. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Gloria Bottone Dominick of Ocala FL; daughter, Denise Lee of Downtowny, PA; son, Paul Dominick of Harrisburg, PA; brother, Nicholas Dominick of Latham, NY; and two
grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on SR 200 Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. HIRS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL., 34481. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/11/2007.

118. JOHNSON, LOFTIN, (Obituary No. 118.) 96 Roswell, GA - Loftin Johnson of Roswell, Georgia, born to James Edwin and Mary Elizabeth Loftin (Bessie) Johnson on December 15, 1910 in Fair Bluff, North Carolina, passed away on July 6, 2007 following a brief illness. He was preceded in death by Melvene, his wife of 66 years, his parents, his sister and brothers as well as a daughter, Pamela. Loftin is survived by two sons, Jim, of Roswell, Georgia and David of Orange, California, their wives, Ellen and Cathy, three grandchildren: Christy Johnson, Jennifer Orr, and Mary Elizabeth Dion; five sisters-in-law and numerous nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, Florida on Friday, July 13 between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. Services will take place at 11 a.m. on Saturday, July 14, 2007 at the funeral home. Interment will follow the service in the family cemetery in Fellowship. A memorial service for Loftin will also be held at a future date at Northbrook United Methodist Church in Roswell, Georgia. Loftin earned an EE degree in 1934 at the University of Florida by putting himself through college waiting on tables. He then started his career with Florida Power and Light Company in 1935 in Palatka, Florida as a substation operator. In July 1939, he married his sweetheart, Melvene Young in Dania, Florida. Loftin career at FP&L was interrupted by World War II, where he served in the Navy as Lieutenant from July 1944 to March 1948. In addition to being stationed at Princeton and Harvard where he received his training, he served on the headquarters ship, The USS San Clemente (AG-79) in the South Pacific. On December 29, 1945, their five year old daughter, Pamela, passed away after contracting Leukemia. After the war, Loftin continued his career with Florida Power and Light Company, moving to a number of towns in central Florida as he advanced in his career. On December 10, 1947, Loftin was raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason of the Brevard Lodge Number 113 of Cocoa, Florida. In 1952, Loftin's career took him to Miami, and, in November 1956, was promoted to Operating Vice President. While in Miami, Loftin and Melvene were very active in South Miami United Methodist Church. Loftin was also very active in the Boy Scouts with his two sons, Jim and David. Loftin retired in December 1975 as Senior Vice President with 40 years of service. In 1984, Loftin and Melven moved to Roswell, Georgia to be near their grandchildren and became active members of the Northbrook United Methodist Church. Loftin and Melven also attended the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon, Florida where they spent their summers at their home on the Rainbow River. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Lymphoma and Leukemia Society. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/11/2007 - 7/12/2007.

119. MAGEE, LORRAINE "RAINY", (Obituary No. 119.) 78 Dunnellon - Lorraine "Rainy" Magee, 78, passed away July 9, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born Lorraine Ann Provencher in Manchester, NH., on October 6, 1928. She was a retired registered nurse and a volunteer at Seven Rivers Hospital and St. John the Baptist Catholic Church. She was very active with the Red Hat Rowdies of Dunnellon and the Lunch Bunch of Fairway Estates, Rainbow Springs, FL. She moved to Dunnellon in 2002 from Fayetteville, NC. She is survived by her husband of 55 years, retired Colonel Bobby Magee of Dunnellon; sons, Scott and Bryan Magee of Sarasota, FL.; daughter Bonnie Mary Magee of Aspen, CO; two sisters, Lucille Martel and Muriel Pelletier of Manchester, NH; and grandchildren, Christopher and
Lauren Magee of Sarasota, FL. Visitation will be at Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon, on Thursday, July 12, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. with Funeral Services on Friday, July 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon. Rainy will be interred with her son, Robert Magee, Jr. at Arlington National Cemetery. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/12/2007.

120. PRICE, MARGARET PAMELA, (Obituary No. 120.) 47 Dunnellon - Margaret Pamela Price, 47, died on Sunday, July 8, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Ocala and was a lifetime resident of this area. She was a retired Mail Carrier of the US Postal Service and was of the Baptist Faith. Mrs. Price is survived by her husband, John Price of Dunnellon; parents, Arthur Starling, Jr. and Margaret Starling of Dunnellon; one brother, Arthur Starling III of Pedro; two sisters, Janice Jennings of Dunnellon and Paula Starling of Dunnellon, Florida. A visitation will be Wednesday, July 11, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/11/2007.

121. RACKETT, SR., MALCOLM "MAC", (Obituary No. 121.) 95 Ocala - Malcolm "Mac" Rackett, Sr., 95, of Ocala, passed away July 7, 2007 at New Horizon Rehab Center in Ocala. Survived by his wife of 70 years, Merline; daughter, Barbara Andrade of Orient, NY; and three sons, Malcolm Jr., Charles and David. Mac was a WWII veteran in the US Coast Guard and a Mason in the Peconic Lodge 349, Greenport, NY. We all loved him and will miss him. He'll always be in our hearts. A graveside service will be held in Greenport, NY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/11/2007 - 7/12/2007.

122. SWINGLE, BERTIE LOYCE TURNER, (Obituary No. 122.) 87 Ocala - Bertie Loyce Turner Swingle, age 87, passed away Saturday, July 7, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Grant, LA, served in US Navy during WWII and retired to Ocala in 1975 from Pembroke Pines, FL after a career in nursing. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Salt Springs and enjoyed gardening, flowers and her church family. Survivors include two daughters, JoAnn Szabo (husband Ron), and Pamela Ann Feliciani, both of Ocala; two sons, James C. Swingle (wife Gail) and Robert J. Swingle (wife Julia); five grandchildren, Jaymi, Shaun, Lauren, Megan, C.J., and four great grandchildren, Garret, Landon, Mac and Mosses. Memorial services will be 2 p.m. on Sunday, July 22, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Salt Springs, with Dr. Bob Hines, officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the First Baptist Church of Salt Springs. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/12/2007.

123. VIAU, MONNETTE COX, (Obituary No. 123.) 83 R.N., PH.D Ocala - Monnette Viau, 83, of Ocala, died Sunday, July 8, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. A native of Texas, Mrs. Viau moved to Ocala in 2002, coming here from Spring Hill, FL. Mrs. Viau was a Registered Nurse, a nursing professor at Cal State University, Fresno, and the author of Understanding & Resolving Grief. She was a Army Nurse Lieutenant, serving her country during WWII. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Alex Viau; daughter, Susan Boland of Mill Spring, NC; son, Carm Viau of Ocala; sisters, Sallie Roberson of El Paso, TX., Pauline Owens of Dallas, and Jae Ann Ireton of San Antonio, TX. Mrs. Viau also has 1 grandson and 3 granddaughters and 1 great granddaughter. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, July 13, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/11/2007 - 7/12/2007.
124. WIMBERLY, LONNIE LEE, (Obituary No. 124.) 80 Ocala - Lonnie Lee Wimberly, 80 of Ocala, beloved husband of Vernese Wimberly, passed away peacefully into Eternal Life on Thursday, July 5, 2007, at Monroe Regional Hospital. He was a member of the Shiloh Seventh Day Adventist Church of Ocala, FL., and Evangelistic Caravan Center in Waterbury, CT. He was the beloved father of Myra Wimberly, of Meriden, CT., and Vanessa L. Wimberly of East Hartford, CT., and Laura (Wimberly) Martinez, (husband Angel) of Waterbury, CT., 6 grandchildren, and 10 great grandchildren. The family members would like to give special thanks to Davita Kidney Center & The Monroe Regional Medical Center, along with Dr. Melvin Seek & staff. Funeral/Memorial Services will be held on Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the SELLERS FUNERAL HOME Chapel, 440 S.W. Broadway St., Ocala. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/11/2007.

125. ZECCHINO, MARYANN "MYRNA", (Obituary No. 125.) 93 Baton Rouge - MaryAnn (Myrna) Zecchino, a resident of Baton Rouge, she passed away on Sunday, July 8, 2007, at St. Clare Manor. She was 93 years old, born August 21, 1913, in Bloomfield, NJ. She is survived by a sister, Sandra Milder of Olyphant, PA; a daughter, MaryAnn Gutweiler of Baton Rouge; a son, Gary Zecchino of Baton Rouge and a daughter, Margie Zelenko of Orange Park, FL; five grandchildren, Lynda Foster, Michael Gutweiler, Janis Chidester, Racheal Fischer, and Magen Zecchino, and five great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Edward Edwin Zecchino; parents Joseph Daszkiewicz and mother Cornelia Kozloski; sisters, Leona Greer, Jane Batkowski, Sonya Brooks, and a brother Walter Batkowski. She was a member of the Veteran of Foreign War Auxiliary for many years. She was also a member of the Red Hat Lady Society. Her gentle, fun loving nature will be remembered by all who knew and loved her. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Hospice of Baton Rouge, 9063 Siegen Lane, Suite A, Baton Rouge, LA 70810-1951. Many thanks to Hospice of Baton Rouge and to the staff of St. Clare Manor for their compassion and care. Visiting will be at Greenoaks Funeral Home, 9595 Florida Blvd. on Thursday, July 12, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. A memorial service will follow at 6 p.m. by Pastor Ken Spivey. Arrangements by GREENOAKS FUNERAL HOME, 9595 Florida Blvd., Baton Rouge, LA 70815, Phone number 225-925-5331. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/11/2007 - 7/12/2007.

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126. COLETTI, EMILIO PETE R, (Obituary No. 126.) 76 Ocala - Emilio Peter Coletti, 76, died Monday, July 9, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Mt. Kisco, NY., May 20, 1931. Mr. Coletti lived most of his life in Carmel, NY and was a Veteran of the U.S. Navy serving in the Korean War. He retired form the NY Telephone Company as a repairman/technician. He moved to Ocala in 1993. He was a member to Queen of Peace Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus Counsel #09649; OTOW men's Golf Association and Bowling team. He is survived by his wife, Anne Burro Coletti of Ocala, FL; sons, Steven Coletti of Jacksonville, FL., and John Coletti of Carmel, NY; five grandchildren, Samuel and Matthew Blakley of Scarsdale, NY., Erin, Tommy and Tara Coletti of Jacksonville, FL; half brother, Peter of Katonah, NY; half sister, Christina of Bedford, NY. He was preceded in death by his beloved daughter Deborah Blakley on December 18, 2005. Visitation will be Thursday, July 12, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Service TimberRidge from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Prayer Service at 2 p.m. & Knights of Columbus Service at 7 p.m. Funeral Mass will be at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on SR-200 on Friday, July 13, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. Memorials may be made to Hospice of
127. DAVIS, ROBERT BURL, (Obituary No. 127.) 89 Porter, IN- Mr. Robert Burl Davis, of Porter, IN, passed away on Sunday, July 8, 2007 at Porter Valparaiso Hospital Campus. He was born on November 21, 1918 in East Liverpool, OH, the son of Edwin and Josephine (Burl) Davis, both of whom preceded him in death. He is also preceded in death by his first wife, Florence Mary (Smith) Davis to whom he was married for 37 years and a brother, Jack Davis.

He is survived by his wife of 23 years, Jan Davis; daughter, Allison; sons, Christopher and Timothy; step daughters, Susan Monahan, Victoria Anderson and Cynthia Chandler. Also surviving are his grandsons, Nicklaus Davis, Miles and Asher Young; step grandchildren, Julie Bickis, Alexander Reader, Johanna Machamer and Tanner Gordon; great grandchildren, Hannah and Tanner Davis; step great grandchildren, Brendan and Nathan Bickis. He is also survived by a brother Donald Davis. Mr. Davis retired from the Tappan Company as Vice President of Marketing, and was the owner of Smith & Philips Furniture stores in Canton and East Liverpool, OH. After moving to Florida in 1986, he was a Realtor for Big Sun Realty in Ocala, FL. Mr. Davis was an avid golfer and in 1984 he won the Blue Coat Tournament at Brookside Country Club in Canton, OH. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 28, 2007 at 11:00 AM at the Riverview Cemetery in East Liverpool, OH. Cremation by Heritage Crematory, Portage, IN. Arrangements by EDMONDS AND EVANS FUNERAL HOME, 517 Broadway, Chesterton, IN. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/12/2007 - 7/13/2007.

128. DEMAREST, CAROLYN, (Obituary No. 128.) 69 Canton, GA- Carolyn Demarest, 69, formerly of Ocala, passed away at her residence on July 4, 2007. She was born in Decatur, IL and moved to Ocala in 1976 from Hollywood, FL. She was a secretary for Hiers Funeral Home in Ocala for many years and she and her husband owned and operated American Window Fashions before moving to Canton. She was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Ocala and the Order of the Eastern Star, Chapter No. 29. Her survivors include her husband, Frank, her daughter and son in law, Jane and Chris Storch and one grandchild Sarah Storch all of Canton. She was preceded in death by her parents, Kelsey F. and Sarah Janet Crain and her brother David Crain. A memorial service will be held on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at 3:00P.M. at First Presbyterian Church with Rev. Samuel W. Clements, Dr. Ray C. Ruark, Jr. and O.E.S. Chapter No. 29 officiating. A reception will follow at the church. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to First Presbyterian Church, 511 SE 3rd St. Ocala, FL 34471. Arrangements by HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/12/2007 - 7/13/2007.

129. FLAGG, SANDRA L, (Obituary No. 129.) 82 Ocala- Sandra L. Flagg, 82, passed away on Tuesday, July 10, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield, FL. Born in Savannah, GA. She had made Ocala her home for the past 63 years. She retired from Monroe Regional Medical Center after 33 years as a dedicated nurse. Mrs. Flagg was a faithful member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church for over 60 years. She work diligently with the Catholic Women's Association, Ebony Women's Club and as a Brother's Keeper Volunteer as long as her health permitted. She was married to the late Robert E. Flagg Sr. for 50 years. Survivors include a son Robert E. Flagg Jr. of Daytona Beach, daughter, Angela F. Brown, Ocala Fl.; Step-daughter, Margaret E. Ruffin Pensacola, FL.; brothers, Eugene Washington, Monrovia, CA.; P.S. Washington, Pasadena, CA.; grandchildren, Robert F. Flagg, III, Virginia Beach, VA., Keith Brown, San Diego, CA, Justin Brown, Ocala FL., Bonita Ruffin, Orlando, FL. Funeral Mass for Mrs. Flagg will be held on
Friday July 13, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, at 2:00PM, with Father Patrick Sheedy conducting services; Rev Eugene Broxton Eulogist. Public visitation will be held on Thursday from 5-7PM at Blessed Trinity Chapel. Family will gather at 1:15 at 2010 SW 5th Street to form the cortege. Burial in Chestnut Cemetery under the direction of O.B. SAMUEL FUNERAL HOME. "Dedicated To Those We Serve". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/12/2007 - 7/13/2007.

130. GOODSON, BOBBIE, (Obituary No. 130.) 65 Ocala - Homegoing Celebration for Mrs. Bobbie Goodie will be on Saturday, July 14, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at New St. John Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks Pastor conducting the services. A wake celebration will be at New St. John Baptist Church on Thursday, July 12, 2007 at 7:00 p.m. Survivors include sons, Theodore Goodson, Jr., Johnny Bernard Goodson, daughters, Sylvia Prince, Angela Reddish, Wanda Goodson, siblings, Altamese Grant, Shirley Daymon, Luther Daymon, Jr., Harold Daymon, Alphonso Daymon, Joe Daymon, Rudolph Daymon, 14 grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Visitation will be on Friday, July 13, 2007 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/12/2007 - 7/13/2007.

131. JOHNSON, LOFTIN, (Obituary No. 131.) 96 Roswell, GA - Loftin Johnson of Roswell, Georgia, born to James Edwin and Mary Elizabeth Loftin (Bessie) Johnson on December 15, 1910 in Fair Bluff, North Carolina, passed away on July 6, 2007 following a brief illness. He was preceded in death by Melvene, his wife of 66 years, his parents, his sister and brothers as well as a daughter, Pamela. Loftin is survived by two sons, Jim, of Roswell, Georgia and David of Orange, California, three grandchildren: Christy Johnson, Jennifer Orr, and Mary Elizabeth Dion; five sisters-in-law and numerous nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, Florida on Friday, July 13 between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. Services will take place at 11 a.m. on Saturday, July 14, 2007 at the funeral home. Interment will follow the service in the family cemetery in Fellowship. A memorial service for Loftin will also be held at a future date at Northbrook United Methodist Church in Roswell, Georgia. Loftin earned an EE degree in 1934 at the University of Florida by putting himself through college waiting on tables. He then started his career with Florida Power and Light Company in 1935 in Palatka, Florida as a substation operator. In July 1939, he married his sweetheart, Melvene Young in Dania, Florida. Loftin career at FP&L was interrupted by World War II, where he served in the Navy as Lieutenant from July 1944 to March 1948. In addition to being stationed at Princeton and Harvard where he received his training, he served on the headquarters ship, The USS San Clemente (AG-79) in the South Pacific. On December 29, 1945, their five year old daughter, Pamela, passed away after contracting Leukemia. After the war, Loftin continued his career with Florida Power and Light Company, moving to a number of towns in central Florida as he advanced in his career. On December 10, 1947, Loftin was raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason of the Brevard Lodge Number 113 of Cocoa, Florida. In 1952, Loftin's career took him to Miami, and, in November 1956, was promoted to Operating Vice President. While in Miami, Loftin and Melvene were very active in South Miami United Methodist Church. Loftin was also very active in the Boy Scouts with his two sons, Jim and David. Loftin retired in December 1975 as Senior Vice President with 40 years of service... In 1984, Loftin and Melvene moved to Roswell, Georgia to be near their grandchildren and became active members of the Northbrook United Methodist Church. Loftin and Melvene also attended the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon, Florida where they spent their summers at their home on the Rainbow River. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the...
132. MAGEE, LORRAINE "RAINY", (Obituary No. 132.) 78 Dunnellon - Lorraine "Rainy" Magee, 78, passed away July 9, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born Lorraine Ann Provenc- her in Manchester, NH., on October 6, 1928. She was a retired registered nurse and a volunteer at Seven Rivers Hospital and St. John the Baptist Catholic Church. She was very active with the Red Hat Rowdies of Dunnellon and the Lunch Bunch of Fairway Estates, Rainbow Springs, FL. She moved to Dunnellon in 2002 from Fayetteville, NC. She is survived by her husband of 55 years, retired Colonel Bobby Magee of Dunnellon; sons, Scott and Bryan Magee of Sarasota, FL.; daughter Bonnie Mary Magee of Aspen, CO; two sisters, Lucille Martel and Muriel Pelletier of Manchester, NH; and grandchildren, Christopher and Lauren Magee of Sarasota, FL. Visitation will be at Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon, on Thursday, July 12, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. with Funeral Services on Friday, July 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon. Rainy will be interred with her son, Robert Magee, Jr. at Arlington National Cemetery. Arrangements by FERO FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/12/2007.

133. POLANOWSKI, CAROL, (Obituary No. 133.) 85 Ocala- Mrs. Carol D. Polanowski, 85 passed away July 8, 2007 at her home. She was born in Rochester, N.Y. and moved to Orlando, FL. with her husband in 1982. After several years they moved to Ocala, FL. Mrs. Polanowski attended the Ocala West United Methodist Church where a Memorial Service will be Saturday 9:30A.M. with Dr. Ken Kleckner III officiating. She was preceded in death by her husband Thaddeus Polanowski and great-granddaughter Shemariah. She is survived by daughters Linda Trickey and husband Charles of Ocala, and Judith Morris and husband Harold of Victor, N.Y., Five Grandchildren and eight Great-grandchildren. Her hobbies included bingo, cards, and reading. Robert Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/12/2007 - 7/13/2007.

134. RACKETT, SR., MALCOLM "MAC", (Obituary No. 134.) 95 Ocala - Malcolm "Mac" Rackett, Sr., 95, of Ocala, passed away July 7, 2007 at New Horizon Rehab Center in Ocala. Survived by his wife of 70 years, Merleine; daughter, Barbara Andrade of Orient, NY; and three sons, Malcolm Jr., Charles and David. Mac was a WWII veteran in the US Coast Guard and a Mason in the Peconic Lodge 349, Greenport, NY. We all loved him and will miss him. He'll always be in our hearts. A graveside service will be held in Greenport, NY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/11/2007 - 7/12/2007.

135. SWINGLE, BERTIE LOYCE TURNER, (Obituary No. 135.) 87 Ocala - Bertie Loyce Turner Swingle, age 87, passed away Saturday, July 7, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Grant, LA, served in US Navy during WWII and retired to Ocala in 1975 from Pembroke Pines, FL after a career in nursing. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Salt Springs and enjoyed gardening, flowers and her church family. Survivors include two daughters, JoAnn Szabo (husband Ron), and Pamela Ann Feliciani, both of Ocala; two sons, James C. Swingle (wife Gail) and Robert J. Swingle (wife Julia); five grandchildren, Jaymi, Shaun, Lauren, Megan, C.J., and four great grandchildren, Garret, Landon, Mac and Mosses. Memorial services will be 2 p.m. on Sunday, July 22, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Salt Springs, with Dr. Bob Hines, officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the First Baptist Church of Salt Springs. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/10/2007 - 7/12/2007.
136. VIAU, MONNETTE COX, (Obituary No. 136.) 83 R.N., PH.D Ocala - Monnette Viau, 83, of Ocala, died Sunday, July 8, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. A native of Texas, Mrs. Viau moved to Ocala in 2002, coming here from Spring Hill, FL. Mrs. Viau was a Registered Nurse, a nursing professor at Cal State University, Fresno, and the author of Understanding & Resolving Grief. She was a Army Nurse Lieutenant, serving her country during WWII. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Alex Viau; daughter, Susan Boland of Mill Spring, NC; son, Carm Viau of Ocala; sisters, Sallie Roberson of El Paso, TX., Pauline Owens of Dallas, and Jae Ann Ireton of San Antonio, TX. Mrs. Viau also has 1 grandson and 3 granddaughters and 1 great granddaughter. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, July 13, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/11/2007 - 7/12/2007.

137. ZECCHINO, MARYANN "MYRNA", (Obituary No. 137.) 93 Baton Rouge - MaryAnn (Myrna) Zecchino, a resident of Baton Rouge, she passed away on Sunday, July 8, 2007, at St. Clare Manor. She was 93 years old, born August 21, 1913, in Bloomfield, NJ. She is survived by a sister, Sandra Milder of Olyphant, PA; a daughter, MaryAnn Gutweiler of Baton Rouge; a son, Gary Zecchino of Baton Rouge and a daughter, Margie Zelenko of Orange Park, FL; five grandchildren, Lynda Foster, Michael Gutweiler, Janis Chidester, Rachel Fischer, and Magen Zecchino, and five great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Edward Edwin Zecchino; parents Joseph Daszkiewicz and mother Cornelia Kozloski; sisters, Leona Greer, Jane Batkowski, Sonya Brooks, and a brother Walter Batkowski. She was a member of the Veteran of Foreign War Auxiliary for many years. She was also a member of the Red Hat Lady Society. Her gentle, fun loving nature will be remembered by all who knew and loved her. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Hospice of Baton Rouge, 9063 Siegen Lane, Suite A, Baton Rouge, LA 70810-1951. Many thanks to Hospice of Baton Rouge and to the staff of St. Clare Manor for their compassion and care. Visiting will be at Greenoaks Funeral Home, 9595 Florida Blvd. on Thursday, July 12, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. A memorial service will follow at 6 p.m. by Pastor Ken Spivey. Arrangements by GREENOAKS FUNERAL HOME, 9595 Florida Blvd., Baton Rouge, LA 70815, Phone number 225-925-5331. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/11/2007 - 7/12/2007.

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138. DAVIS, ROBERT BURL, (Obituary No. 138.) 89 Porter, IN- Mr. Robert Burl Davis, of Porter, IN, passed away on Sunday, July 8, 2007 at Porter Valparaiso Hospital Campus. He was born on November 21, 1918 in East Liverpool, OH, the son of Edwin and Josephine (Burl) Davis, both of whom preceded him in death. He is also preceded in death by his first wife, Florence Mary (Smith) Davis to whom he was married for 37 years and a brother, Jack Davis. He is survived by his wife of 23 years, Jan Davis; daughter, Allison; sons, Christopher and Timothy; step daughters, Susan Monahan, Victoria Anderson and Cynthia Chandler. Also surviving are his grandsons, Nicklaus Davis, Miles and Asher Young; step grandchildren, Julie Bickis, Alexander Reader, Johanna Machamer and Tanner Gordon; great grandchildren, Hannah and Tanner Davis; step great grandchildren, Brendan and Nathan Bickis. He is also survived by a brother Donald Davis. Mr. Davis retired from the Tappan Company as Vice President of Marketing, and was the owner of Smith & Philips Furniture stores in Canton and East Liverpool, OH. After moving to Florida in 1986, he was a Realtor for Big Sun Realty in Ocala, FL. Mr. Davis was an avid golfer and in 1984 he won the Blue Coat Tournament at Brookside Country
Club in Canton, OH. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 28, 2007 at 11:00 AM at the Riverview Cemetery in East Liverpool, OH. Cremation by Heritage Crematory, Portage, IN. Arrangements by EDMONDS AND EVANS FUNERAL HOME, 517 Broadway, Chesterton, IN. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/12/2007 - 7/13/2007.

139. DEMAREST, CAROLYN, (Obituary No. 139.) 69 Canton, GA—Carolyn Demarest, 69, formerly of Ocala, passed away at her residence on July 4, 2007. She was born in Decatur, IL and moved to Ocala in 1976 from Hollywood, FL. She was a secretary for Hiers Funeral Home in Ocala for many years and she and her husband owned and operated American Window Fashions before moving to Canton. She was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Ocala and the Order of the Eastern Star, Chapter No. 29. Her survivors include her husband, Frank, her daughter and son in law, Jane and Chris Storch and one grandchild Sarah Storch all of Canton. She was preceded in death by her parents, Kelsey F. and Sarah Janet Crain and her brother David Crain. A memorial service will be held on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at 3:00P.M. at First Presbyterian Church with Rev. Samuel W. Clements, Dr. Ray C. Ruark, Jr. and O.E.S. Chapter No. 29 officiating. A reception will follow at the church. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to First Presbyterian Church, 511 SE 3rd St. Ocala, FL 34471.


140. DIEFFENWIERTH, HELEN M., (Obituary No. 140.) 90 Jesup - Helen M. Dieffenwierth, 90, of Jesup, GA, died Tuesday, July 10, 2007, in the Beverly Health & Rehab Center after a short illness. The Duval Co., FL native was a former resident of Bartow, FL for 33 years, moving to Bradenton, FL, and then to Ocala, FL, before moving to Jesup, GA, for the last two years. She was raised a Catholic and became a Methodist when she married. She was a kindergarten and daycare center teacher. She was the widow of John Wesley Dieffenwierth. Survivors are five sons: John Wesley Dieffenwierth, Jr. of Bradenton, FL, Raymond Dieffenwierth of Jesup, GA, Daniell Thomas Dieffenwierth of Ocala, FL, Robert Ernest Dieffenwierth of Dudley, MA, and Paul David Dieffenwierth of Tampa, FL, a sister: Mary Cleveland of Jacksonville, FL, ten grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. Graveside funeral services will be 12 noon Friday, July 13, 2007, from the Evergreen Cemetery in Jacksonville, FL. The RINEHART & SONS FUNERAL HOME of Jesup, GA is in charge of Arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/13/2007 - 7/14/2007.

141. FLAGG, SANDRA L, (Obituary No. 141.) 82 Ocala - Sandra L. Flagg, 82, passed away on Tuesday, July 10, 2007 at Tuscany House in Summerfield, FL. Born in Savannah, GA. She had made Ocala her home for the past 63 years. She retired from Monroe Regional Medical Center after 33 years as a dedicated nurse. Mrs. Flagg was a faithful member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church for over 60 years. She work diligently with the Catholic Women's Association, Ebony Women's Club and as a Brother's Keeper Volunteer as long as her health permitted. She was married to the late Robert E. Flagg Sr. for 50 years. Survivors include a son Robert E. Flagg Jr. of Daytona Beach, daughter, Angela F. Brown, Ocala Fl.; Step-daughter, Margaret E. Ruffin Pensacola, FL.; brothers, Eugene Washington, Monrovia, CA.; P.S. Washington, Pasadena, CA.; grandchildren, Robert F. Flagg, III, Virginia Beach, VA., Keith Brown, San Diego, CA, Justin Brown, Ocala FL., Bonita Ruffin, Orlando, FL. Funeral Mass for Mrs. Flagg will be held on Friday July 13, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, at 2:00PM, with Father Patrick Sheedy conducting services; Rev Eugene Brouxton Eulogist. Public visitation will be held on Thursday from 5-7PM at Blessed Trinity Chapel. Family will gather at 1:15 at 2010 SW 5th Street to form
the cortege. Burial in Chestnut Cemetery under the direction of O.B. SAMUEL FUNERAL HOME. "Dedicated To Those We Serve". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/12/2007 - 7/13/2007.

142. GOODSON, BOBBIE, (Obituary No. 142.) 65 Ocala - Homegoing Celebration for Mrs. Bobbie Goodie will be on Saturday, July 14, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at New St. John Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks Pastor conducting the services. A wake celebration will be at New St. John Baptist Church on Thursday, July 12, 2007 at 7:00 p.m. Survivors include sons, Theodore Goodson, Jr., Johnny Bernard Goodson, daughters, Sylvia Prince, Angela Reddish, Wanda Goodson, siblings, Altamese Grant, Shirley Daymon, Luther Daymon, Jr., Harold Daymon, Alphonso Daymon, Joe Daymon, Rudolph Daymon, 14 grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Visitation will be on Friday, July 13, 2007 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/12/2007 - 7/13/2007.

143. KONOPA, VIRGINIA CAROLYN, (Obituary No. 143.) 67 Lakeland - Virginia Carolyn Konopa, 67, passed away on Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at Good Shepherd Hospice in Lakeland. She was born in Ft. Lauderdale and lived in Anthony from 1981 to 2003 before moving to Lakeland. She operated an upholstery business and loved fishing and crafts. She is survived by her husband of 27 years, Robert, her daughter, Sherry Wood of Ocala, her sons, Troy Konopinski of Ocala, Dale W. Konopinski of Boston Sparr, NY, John S. Konopinski of Tobaccoville, NC, and Chris Konopinski of Anthony, her step-daughters, Justine Truesdel of Bahama, NC, Ginger Thomas of Atlanta, Julia Sluder of Ft. Sill, OK and Michelle Ringoot of Plantation, her step-sons, Michael Konopa of Anthony, William Konopa and Robert Konopa both of Monroe, NC, thirty-one grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, July 14, 2007 at 1:00PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be from 11:00AM to 1:00P.M. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/13/2007 - 7/14/2007.

144. LANKFORD, JEREMY RYAN, (Obituary No. 144.) 22 Ocala - Jeremy Ryan Lankford, age 22, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, July 9, 2007. He was a student at the University of Central Florida. He is survived by his parents, Rick and Mary Lankford; brother, Jeff Lankford; grandparents, M.R. and Carolyn Lankford and Frank and Mary Canty; aunts and uncles, Steve Lankford, Cheryl Lanier, Judy Lankford, Sandra Gourash, Frank Canty, Tom Canty, Terry Canty, Barbara Hopkins and Mark Canty; several cousins. He was preceded in death by his aunt, Leone Canty. A memorial service will be held at 11:00AM on Saturday, July 14, 2007 in the First United Methodist Church of Ocala, 1126 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family graciously request that contributions be made in memory of Jeremy to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-1942. Arrangements by NEWCOMER FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, Orlando, 407-277-4227. To leave a special message for the family on-line, please visit www.newcomerfamily.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/13/2007 - 7/14/2007.

November 16, 1941 - February 2, 1946; Aviation Machinist Mate; Good Conduct Medal, American Theater, Victory Medal. As an Aviation salesman, Dad traveled throughout Latin America and Europe with his beloved Regina. He will be interred at the National Cemetery in Bushnell, We love him and thank him for all that he taught us. Donations may be sent to Haven Hospice House, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/13/2007 - 7/14/2007.

146. POLANOWSKI, CAROL, (Obituary No. 146.) 85 Ocala- Mrs. Carol D. Polanowski, 85 passed away July 8, 2007 at her home. She was born in Rochester, N.Y. and moved to Orlando, FL. with her husband in 1982. After several years they moved to Ocala, FL. Mrs. Polanowski attended the Ocala West United Methodist Church where a Memorial Service will be Saturday 9:30A.M. with Dr. Ken Kleckner III officiating. She was preceded in death by her husband Thaddeus Polanowski and great-granddaughter Shemariah. She is survived by daughters Linda Trickey and husband Charles of Ocala, and Judith Morris and husband Harold of Victor, N.Y., Five Grandchildren and eight Great-grandchildren. Her hobbies included bingo, cards, and reading. Robert Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/12/2007 - 7/13/2007.

147. SULTER, RODERICK "RON", (Obituary No. 147.) 69 Ocala - My name is Roderick (Ron) Sulter and I am now resting peacefully. I have lived a happy and fulfilling life with my wife and best friend, Linda. We have been blessed with my children, Ronnie, Cheryl, Marc, Valerie and Tanner and her daughters, Kim, Kris and Dyan. Together we have 11 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. I was preceded in death by my parents Johannes and Maja Sulter. I leave behind my brother Stephane and sisters, Jeannette and Virginia. I will miss my family dearly, but I'm no longer suffering. Stay close and show each other love. To my friends, I will miss you too. I will miss all the dances/parties,. Daytona trips and fun times together, but please continue on and have fun. That's what life is about. Yamadaya! To my wonderful wife, thank you for loving me the way you did. You have been not only my dance partner, but also my life partner. I'm grateful for every day I had with you. You've been my strength and my inspiration; my world was a better place because of you. and I want you to know that I've been blessed because I was loved by You. Please join in a Celebration of my Life on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at 1 p.m. at the Moose Lodge on Maricamp Rd/CR 464. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/13/2007 - 7/14/2007.


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**150. DISCHINO, MARY H. (Obituary No. 150.)**, 86 Dunnellon, FL - Mary H. Dischino, 86, formerly Salisbury, MA passed away on July 3, 2007. Survivors include son Angelo and his wife Susan M. Dischino of Fremont, NH; daughters Elizabeth Dischino White of Attleboro, MA and Pamela Jane Dischino of Dunnellon, FL; grandchildren, Mary E. Dischino of Derry, NY and Lisa A. Dischino Murrey of Fremont, NH and great grandchildren Jay and Faith Murrey. She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph R. Dischino. A private service was held. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/14/2007 - 7/15/2007.

**151. FREIMUTH, WINIFRED R. (Obituary No. 151.)**, 82 Reddick - Mrs. R. Freimuth, 82, of Reddick, died Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehabilitation and Nursing Center in Ocala. Born in Ocala, she was a lifetime resident of Marion County. Mrs. Freimuth is survived by her daughter Frances Calderone of Reddick, son Larry Freimuth of Ocala, six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Carl and her brother George Rou. Services will be held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at the First United Methodist Church in Reddick, with Pastor Paul Daniels, Dr. Donald W. Jones, and Rev. Harold Henderson officiating. Interment will follow in Millwood Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 p.m. at HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to First United Methodist Church, Reddick. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/14/2007 - 7/16/2007.

**152. GIBSON, DENNIS N. (Obituary No. 152.)**, 56 Ocala - Dennis N. Gibson, 56, died on Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Tampa, Florida, a graduate of Ocala (Forest) High School, he served in the US Coast Guard, was the Owner/Operator of Gibson Electric, Inc. established in 1966. Dennis was a member of the Elks, founder of the FAEC, he received his Business Degree from CFCC, was a State Certified Master Electrician/Contractor, and a Jack-of-All Trades. His enjoyments included building furniture, boating, fishing, and sharing his uncertain sense of humor with family and friends. He is survived by his wife of 32 years, Sharon S. Gibson, daughter, Kerri L. Gibson-Delk, sons, Andrew W. Gibson and Don G. Gibson, and parents, Gene and Marie Gibson all of Ocala, FL. He is also survived by his brother, Wayne Gibson of Herndon, Virginia, sister, Jean E. Gibson, and six grandchildren, Landen, Lilah, Cala, Bailey, Mason, and Morgan. The Gibson family will receive friends at the funeral home between the hours of 3-5 PM on Tuesday, July 17 with the Memorial Service beginning at 5:00 PM. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/14/2007 - 7/15/2007.
153. KONOPA, VIRGINIA CAROLYN, (Obituary No. 153.) 67. Lakeland- Virginia Carolyn Konopa, 67, passed away on Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at Good Shepherd Hospice in Lakeland. She was born in Ft. Lauderdale and lived in Anthony from 1981 to 2003 before moving to Lakeland. She operated an upholstery business and loved fishing and crafts. She is survived by her husband of 27 years, Robert, her daughter, Sherry Wood of Ocala, her sons, Troy Konopinski of Ocala, Dale W. Konopinski of Boston Sparr, NY, John S. Konopinski of Tobaccoville, NC, and Chris Konopinski of Anthony, her step-daughters, Justine Truesdel of Bahama, NC, Ginger Thomas of Atlanta, Julia Sluder of Ft. Sill, OK and Michelle Ringoot of Plantation, her step-sons, Michael Konopa of Anthony, William Konopa and Robert Konopa both of Monroe, NC, thirty-one grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, July 14, 2007 at 1:00PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be from 11:00AM to 1:00P.M. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/13/2007 - 7/14/2007.

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156. RIOS, HECTOR DOEL (Obituary No. 156.), 62 Ocala- Mr. Hector Doel Rios, 62 passed away on Friday, July 13, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Puerto Rico and moved to Ocala in 1990 from Bronx, NY. He was a set- up mechanic for a security company and enjoyed baseball, and antique cars. Mr. Rios was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Candler. Survivors include his wife of 38 years, Rose R. Rios, daughters Tania, Darcie and Tiana Rios, all of Van Nuys, CA, sisters Rosie and Nelly Rios, Puerto Rico, and brothers Thomas Rios, Puerto Rico and Victor Rios, Kissimmee, FL. A Funeral Mass will be held on
Monday July 16, 2007 at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church with Fr. Felicito Baybay, officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Sunday, 2PM-4PM and 5PM-8PM at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/14/2007 - 7/15/2007.

157. STARKE, EMMA DORA (Obituary No. 157.), 87 Ocala- Mrs. Emma Dora Starke, 87 passed away on July 12, 2007 in Ocala, FL. She was born in Chester, PA on August 18, 1919. She was a loving mother and wife. She moved to the area in 1988 from Goshen, NJ. She is survived by her husband Frank of 52 years. A daughter Rosemarie and a son-in-law James Darrah of Ocala. A brother Clarence Smith of Clearmont, NJ. and a sister Beatrice Smith of Rio Grand NJ. Graveside services will be held July 16, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens at 2:00PM with ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL conducting the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/14/2007 - 7/15/2007.

158. SULTER, RODERICK "RON" (Obituary No. 158.), 69 Ocala - My name is Roderick (Ron) Sulter and I am now resting peacefully. I have lived a happy and fulfilling life with my wife and best friend, Linda. We have been blessed with my children, Ronnie, Cheryl, Marc, Valerie and Tanner and her daughters, Kim, Kris and Dyan. Together we have 11 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. I was preceded in death by my parents Johannes and Maja Sulter. I leave behind my brother Stephane and sisters, Jeannette and Virginia. I will miss my family dearly, but I'm no longer suffering. Stay close and show each other love. To my friends, I will miss you too. I will miss all the dances/parties,, Daytona trips and fun times together, but please continue on and have fun. That's what life is about. Yamadaya! To my wonderful wife, thank you for loving me the way you did. You have been not only my dance partner, but also my life partner. I'm grateful for every day I had with you. You've been my strength and my inspiration; my world was a better place because of you. and I want you to know that I've been blessed because I was loved by You. Please join in a Celebration of my Life on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at 1 p.m. at the Moose Lodge on Maricamp Rd/CR 464. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/13/2007 - 7/14/2007.

159. TAYLOR, JOSEPH "JOE" (Obituary No. 159.) , 73 Ocala- Joseph "Joe F. Taylor, 73. Passed way July 5, 2007 at Hospice of Marion County, Estelle House. He was born in Hillsboro Ohio and also resided in Zanesville, Ohio before moving to Ocala, Florida in 1999, where he met and married Elizabeth " Joyce" Badilo. He was much loved by his immediate and extended family. He was preceded in death by his first wife Ann "Annie" Taylor and is survived by his loving wife Elizabeth "Joyce" Taylor, three children Bruce J. Taylor TX, April Gochberg TN, Donna Jo Gosser KY, step children, Theresa "Terri" Anderson, Renee A. Duckworth, Orlando, Richard "Rick" White Jr. Ocala, Sons-in- laws, nine grandchildren and two great grand children. Arrangements by Florida Cremation Society. Private Family Memorial Services to be held in Ohio and Ocala, Florida at a future date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/13/2007 - 7/14/2007.

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160. CHILDS, NANCY W. (Obituary No. 160.) 96 Pensacola- Nancy W. Childs, age 96, passed away on June 29, 2007 in Pensacola, Florida. At the time of her death Nancy was a resident of the Sabal House of Pensacola. She was preceded in death by her husband of forty years and noted Atlanta surgeon, Dr. LeRoy Childs. She is survived by her brother, Colonel John Worth Williams (Ret.), of Tampa, Florida, and by her sister, Marion W. Williams, of Atlanta,
Georgia. Born in Carrollton, Georgia, Nancy later attended Mercer University in Macon, Georgia. For forty years Nancy and her late husband resided at Lake Kerr in Citra, Florida, where they were members of the Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala, Florida. Nancy was known for her fierce independence and her love of the outdoors, as she was an avid hunter and marksman, and she received the national Skeet Championship Title for 410-gage shotgun. In 1941 Nancy was a founder of REA for Seminole, Alachua, Citrus, and Sumter counties of Florida. She was noted for her cultivation of beautiful roses and other flowers that brought pleasure to many. Donations may be made to Lifepath Hospice in Nancy's memory. A private service for the family will be conducted at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.

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162. DISCHINO, MARY H. (Obituary No. 162.), 86 Dunnellon, FL - Mary H. Dischino, 86, formerly Salisbury, MA passed away on July 3, 2007. Survivors include son Angelo and his wife Susan M. Dischino of Fremont, NH; daughters Elizabeth Dischino White of Attleboro, MA and Pamela Jane Dischino of Dunnellon, FL; grandchildren, Mary E. Dischino of Derry, NY and Lisa A. Dischino Murrey of Fremont, NH and great grandchildren Jay and Faith Murrey. She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph R. Dischino. A private service was held. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.

163. DREVES, WILLIAM H. III (Obituary No. 163.), 84 Saybrook- William H. Dreves, III, at 84, of Saybrook, CT, formerly of Marion Oaks, Ocala, Florida, and Bronx, New York. Died on June 29, 2007, after a long illness; son of the lat William H. (II) and Elizabeth Dreves. Loving uncle to Kenneth and Charles Adelmann of Old Saybrook; Suzan Adelmann of S. Boston, Mass.; John Adelmann of Peosta, Iowa; Peter Adelmann of Biglerville, Penn. Interment Riverside Cemetery, Old Saybrook. Donations in Bill's memory may be made to Community Congregational United Church of Christ, 15050 SW 29th Terrace Road, Ocala, Florida 34473. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.

164. FREIMUTH, WINIFRED R. (Obituary No. 164.), 82 Reddick - Mrs. R. Freimuth, 82, of Reddick, died Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehabilitation and Nursing Center in Ocala. Born in Ocala, she was a lifetime resident of Marion County. Mrs. Freimuth is survived by her daughter Frances Calderone of Reddick, son Larry Freimuth of Ocala, six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Carl and her brother George Rou. Services will be held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at the First United Methodist Church in Reddick, with Pastor Paul Daniels, Dr. Donald W. Jones, and Rev. Harold Henderson officiating. Interment will follow in Millwood Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday from 6-8 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to First United Methodist Church, Reddick. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/14/2007 - 7/16/2007.
165. GIBSON, DENNIS N. (Obituary No. 165.) , 56 Ocala - Dennis N. Gibson, 56, died on Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Tampa, Florida, a graduated of Ocala (Forest) High School, he served in the US Coast Guard, was the Owner/Operator of Gibson Electric, Inc. established in 1966. Dennis was a member of the Elks, founder of the FAEC, he received his Business Degree from CFCC, was a State Certified Master Electrician/Contractor, and a Jack-of-All Trades. His enjoyments included building furniture, boating, fishing, and sharing his uncertain sense of humor with family and friends. He is survived by his wife of 32 years, Sharon S. Gibson, daughter, Kerri L. Gibson-Delk, sons, Andrew W. Gibson and Don G. Gibson, and parents, Gene and Marie Gibson all of Ocala, FL. He is also survived by his brother, Wayne Gibson of Herndon, Virginia, sister, Jean E. Gibson, and six grandchildren, Landen, Lilah, Cala, Bailey, Mason, and Morgan. The Gibson family will receive friends at the funeral home between the hours of 3-5 PM on Tuesday, July 17 with the Memorial Service beginning at 5:00 PM. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/14/2007 - 7/15/2007.

166. GIBSON, GENE LOCKETT (Obituary No. 166.) , 80 Ocala - Mr. Gibson of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, July 12, 2007 at his residence. A native of Coffee Springs, AL, he had made Ocala his home since 1963, moving from Gainesville, FL. Mr. Gibson was the founder of Gibson Electric. He served in WWII in the U.S. Navy, and then in The Army National Guard. He was Protestant in faith and a former member of the Ocala Elks Club. An avid fisherman, who enjoyed working with this orange trees and garden, he loved his dog "Abby" Abbegail. Mr. Gibson was preceded in death by son, Dennis N. Gibson. Survivors include wife, Margie E. Gibson, daughter, Jean E. Gibson, son, Wayne K. Gibson, sister, Lillian Day of Sarasota, FL, five grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 18, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Visitation will be held one hour prior to services. HIERS FUNERAL HOME in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.

167. GRANSER, EDWARD R. (Obituary No. 167.) , 81 Ocala - Edward R. Granser, age 81, of Ocala passed away on Thursday, July 12, 2007. He was born on January 20, 1926 in Brooklyn, NY and was the only son of Edward and Edith Granser. Edward served in WWII in the Signal Corps. He was a graduate of Pace University in New York majoring in Marketing. He worked for America Cynamide, Standard Brands, and then Progresso Foods as Marketing Manager. He also worked in real estate as a Sales Representative. The last 16 years he has worked for Sears Holding Corp. until his death. Mr. Granser was a Free and Accepted Mason and was a member of the Masonic Lodge of Floral Park, Long Island. Edward is survived by his wife of 29 years, Joan. Also surviving are his step children David Ferraris and his wife Karen of Washington, D.C., Tracey Flicker and her husband Robert of Smithtown, Long Island, Kevin Ferraris of Stony Brook, NY, Karen O'Toole of Rockledge, FL; and granddaughters Allison and Lauren Flicker. Edward was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. He was involved in Liturgy and Scripture reading. Edward was an avid New York sports fan, particularly the New York Mets. A memorial service for Mr. Granser will be held on Monday, July 16, 1:00pm at Ocala West United Methodist Church. Memorial contributions may be made to Ocala West United Methodist Church for the Music Department and sound system. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE, Ocala, FL, (352) 873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.

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Philadelphia, Jack served in WWII with the US Army Air Force in the North Africa & European Theatres where he worked on aircraft maintenance and was also an aerial engineer. After the War, Jack moved to Miami when he was hired as a mechanic for Eastern Airlines in 1947. From 1951 to 1964, Jack served as a Flight Engineer with EAL. From 1964 to 1984, he worked for National Airlines as a Flight / Check Engineer and FAA Examiner, moving to Ocala prior to his retirement from NAL / Pan American World Airways. Jack is survived by his beloved wife of over 60 years, Norma Evelyn, daughter Karen (Llera), grandson Ryan M. Llera, DVM, (both of Davie, Florida) his sister Florence Klineberger, step-sister Margaret (Peggy) Brun, several nieces and nephews (all of Philadelphia), and cousins in Ireland & England, as well as many devoted long-time friends and co-workers. Jack was an active member of St. John's United Methodist Church of Cotton Plant and the BPOE Lodge # 1835. His hobbies were restoring old cars, flying light aircraft and being a devoted NASCAR fan. He was also a frequent contributor to the Editorial pages of the Ocala Star Banner and will be remembered for his passionate commentary on many issues. In lieu of flowers, Jack requested donations to the NASCAR Victory Junction Gang Camp, 4500 Adam's Way, Randleman, NC 27317, or to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 S.W. 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474. A service of remembrance will be held at St. John's United Methodist Church, 13290 West Highway 328, Ocala, Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 11 a.m., followed by a gathering of friends. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, 352-622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.

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170. LANKFORD, JEREMY RYAN (Obituary No. 170.) 22 Ocala- Jeremy Ryan Lankford, age 22, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, July 9, 2007. He was a student at the University of Central Florida. He is survived by his parents, Rick and Mary Lankford; brother, Jeff Lankford; grandparents, M.R. and Carolyn Lankford and Frank and Mary Canty; aunts and uncles, Steve Lankford, Cheryl Lanier, Judy Lankford, Sandra Gourash, Frank Canty, Tom Canty, Terry Canty, Barbara Hopkins and Mark Canty; several cousins. He was preceded in death by his aunt, Leone Canty. A memorial service will be held at 11:00AM on Saturday, July 14, 2007 in the First United Methodist Church of Ocala, 1126 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family graciously request that contributions be made in memory of Jeremy to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-1942. Arrangements by NEWCOMER FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, Orlando, 407-277-4227. To leave a special message for the family on-line, please visit www.newcomerfamily.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/13/2007 - 7/15/2007.

171. LUDWIG, MICHAEL P. (Obituary No. 171.) 50 Ocala - Michael P. Ludwig went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, July 11, 2007. Michael loved the Lord Jesus with all his heart, soul and mind. He was an avid fan of the St. Louis Cardinals, Miami Dolphins, and
University of Florida Gators. He is survived by his father and mother, Chris and Helen, and his brother Chris and wife Sally. Michael also had his nephews Christopher and his wife Corissa, Daniel and Caleb, Jason and his wife Danielle, and niece Leah. A funeral service will be held on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., at 2:00 p.m. with a viewing to be held one hour prior. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.


173. MERRILL, JANE ELIZABETH (Obituary No. 173.) Gainesville - Jane Elizabeth "Libba" Merrill, was born in Albany, Georgia, and moved to Gainesville in 1946. She was a member of the Southwest United Methodist Church, where she sang in the choir for many years. She was a realtor and very active in the family business, Century 21 John Merrill Inc., serving as secretary and treasurer. She was a member of the Gainesville Country Club serving for six years as secretary and treasurer. She was the past president of the Women's Golf Association and Women's Club champion in 1972. She was also active in the Florida Women's State Golf Association serving as President in 1974. Survivors include her husband of 64 years, John E. Merrill, her brother and sister-in-law C. Robert and Beverly Johnson of Atlantic Beach, three sons: John E. Merrill, Jr., C. Raymond Merrill and Thomas L. Merrill and his wife Lenora Merrill, all of Gainesville, two sisters-in-law, Marjorie M. Ward, and Ernestine Johnson, also of Gainesville, two granddaughters, Kristin E. Reynolds and her husband Ritch Reynolds of Livermore, CA, and Jamie Smith and her husband Jason Smith of Green Cove Springs, one grandson Adam C. Merrill and his wife Dana Merrill of Jacksonville, one great grandchild Josie Ray Smith of Green Cove Springs, two nephews, Ward John and his wife Jeanie Johnson of Germantown, TN, and James Johnson and his wife Susan Johnson of Fort White, and a niece Karen Scally and her husband Bill Scally of Winter Springs. Flowers are welcome, or memorial donations may be made to the charity of one's choice. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, July 17, 2007 from 10:30 a.m. until the time of service, and for a brief time following the service, prior to a private time for the family at the cemetery. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 a.m. at MILAM FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 311 South Main St. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 South Main Street, Gainesville, FL 32601, (352) 376-5361. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.

174. PARKER, CAROLYN E. (Obituary No. 174.) , 85 Citra - Mrs. Parker of Citra passed away into Heaven at her residence on Thursday, July 12, 2007. A native of Ashmore, IL, she had made her Citra her home since 1963, moving from Hollywood, FL. She was a High School
Guidance Counselor at North Marion High School and member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. She enjoyed playing the piano and organ, and knitting. Survivors include daughter, Lynda Pleasants of Citra, FL, two sons, Steve Parker of Oak, FL and Tim Parker of Anthony, FL, sister, Shirley Hought of Paris, IL, five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Services will be held 10:00 a.m. on Monday, July 16, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Visitation will be held Sunday, July 15, 2007 at the Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P. O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. HIERS FUNERAL HOME in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.

175. RIOS, HECTOR DOEL (Obituary No. 175.) , 62 Ocala- Mr. Hector Doel Rios, 62 passed away on Friday, July 13, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Puerto Rico and moved to Ocala in 1990 from Bronx, NY. He was a set- up mechanic for a security company and enjoyed baseball, and antique cars. Mr. Rios was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Candler. Survivors include his wife of 38 years, Rose R. Rios, daughters Tania, Darcie and Tiana Rios, all of Van Nuys, CA, sisters Rosie and Nelly Rios, Puerto Rico, and brothers Thomas Rios, Puerto Rico and Victor Rios, Kissimmee, FL. A Funeral Mass will be held on Monday July 16, 2007 at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church with Fr. Felicito Baybay, officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Sunday, 2PM-4PM and 5PM- 8PM at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/14/2007 - 7/15/2007.

176. STARKE, EMMA DORA (Obituary No. 176.) , 87 Ocala- Mrs. Emma Dora Starke, 87 passed away on July 12, 2007 in Ocala, FL. She was born in Chester, PA on August 18, 1919. She was a loving mother and wife. She moved to the area in 1988 from Goshen, NJ. She is survived by her Husband Frank of 52 years. A daughter Rosemarie and a son-in-law James Darrah of Ocala. A brother Clarence Smith of Clearmont, NJ. and a sister Beatrice Smith of Rio Grand NJ. Graveside services will be held July 16, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens at 2:00PM with ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL conducting the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/14/2007 - 7/15/2007.

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185. KEIPER, STANLEY W. (Obituary No. 185.), 75 Ocala - Mr. Stanley W. Keiper, 75, passed away in Ocala on July 14, 2007. He was born in Queens, NY on February 6, 1932. He
was a retired Produce Clerk at Winn Dixie Grocery Stores. He moved here in 1989 from Long Island, NY. He was a good husband, father, and grandfather. He is survived by his wife Theresa of 48 years; daughter, Barbara Keiper; and 2 grandchildren, Deanna Keiper (12) and Ashley Keiper (6) all of Ocala; also a brother Henry Keiper of Hempstead, NY. A gathering will take place Wednesday, July 18, 2007 at 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. and services will be at 11 A.M. on Thursday, July 19, 2007. Both will be at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Burial will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/16/2007 - 7/17/2007.

186. LONG, JERD J. JR. (Obituary No. 186.) 52 Mr. Jerd J. Long Jr. 52, passed away on July 11, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was born on January 5, 1955 in Neptune, New Jersey. He was an avid Fisherman. He moved to Ocala in 1997 from Miami, FL. He is survived by his wife Janice Ball and a daughter Alyssa Ball both of Ocala, FL. He was a great friend, father and husband. Send donations to the Costal Conservation Association of FL. PO Box #568886 Orlando, FL 32856 Attn: Marcia Dunsee. A gathering will be from 10Am-11AM on Wednesday July 18, 2007 with a Memorial Service following at ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/16/2007 - 7/17/2007.

187. LUDWIG, MICHAEL P. (Obituary No. 187.) 50 Ocala - Michael P. Ludwig went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, July 11, 2007. Michael loved the Lord Jesus with all his heart, soul and mind. He was an avid fan of the St. Louis Cardinals, Miami Dolphins, and University of Florida Gators. He is survived by his father and mother, Chris and Helen, and his brother Chris and wife Sally. Michael also had his nephews Christopher and his wife Corissa, Daniel and Caleb, Jason and his wife Danielle, and niece Leah. A funeral service will be held on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., at 2:00 p.m. with a viewing to be held one hour prior. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.


189. MERRILL, JANE ELIZABETH (Obituary No. 189.) Gainesville - Jane Elizabeth "Libba" Merrill, was born in Albany, Georgia, and moved to Gainesville in 1946. She was a member of the Southwest United Methodist Church, where she sang in the choir for many years. She was a realtor and very active in the family business, Century 21 John Merrill Inc., serving as secretary and treasurer. She was a member of the Gainesville Country Club serving for six years as secretary and treasurer. She was the past president of the Women's Golf Association and Women's Club champion in 1972. She was also active in the Florida Women's State Golf Association serving as President in 1974. Survivors include her husband of 64 years, John E.
Merrill, her brother and sister-in-law C. Robert and Beverly Johnson of Atlantic Beach, three sons: John E. Merrill, Jr., C. Raymond Merrill and Thomas L. Merrill and his wife Lenora Merrill, all of Gainesville, two sisters-in-law, Marjorie M. Ward, and Ernestine Johnson, also of Gainesville, two granddaughters, Kristin E. Reynolds and her husband Ritch Reynolds of Livermore, CA, and Jamie Smith and her husband Jason Smith of Green Cove Springs, one grandson Adam C. Merrill and his wife Dana Merrill of Jacksonville, one great grandchild Josie Ray Smith of Green Cove Springs, two nephews, Ward John and his wife Jeanie Johnson of Germantown, TN, and James Johnson and his wife Susan Johnson of Fort White, and a niece Karen Scally and her husband Bill Scally of Winter Springs. Flowers are welcome, or memorial donations may be made to the charity of one's choice. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, July 17, 2007 from 10:30 a.m. until the time of service, and for a brief time following the service, prior to a private time for the family at the cemetery. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 a.m. at MILAM FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 311 South Main St. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 South Main Street, Gainesville, FL 32601, (352) 376-5361. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.

190. PARKER, CAROLYN E. (Obituary No. 190.) , 85 Citra - Mrs. Parker of Citra passed away into Heaven at her residence on Thursday, July 12, 2007. A native of Ashmore, IL, she had made her Citra her home since 1963, moving from Hollywood, FL. She was a High School Guidance Counselor at North Marion High School and member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. She enjoyed playing the piano and organ, and knitting. Survivors include daughter, Lynda Pleasants of Citra, FL, two sons, Steve Parker of Oak, FL and Tim Parker of Anthony, FL, sister, Shirley Hought of Paris, IL, five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Services will be held 10:00 a.m. on Monday, July 16, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Visitation will be held Sunday, July 15, 2007 at the Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P. O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. HIERS FUNERAL HOME in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/15/2007 - 7/16/2007.

191. SANTINI, CARLOS R. (Obituary No. 191.) , 69 Ocala - Carlos R. Santini, age 69, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, July 13, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House in Summerfield, FL. Mr. Santini was born in Caquas, Puerto Rico on July 1, 1938. He worked as a Letter Carrier for the US Postal Service for 33 years in the Bronx. Carlos was an avid Yankees baseball fan. He was a Catholic and a member of St. Jude Catholic Church in Marion Oaks. Mr. Santini moved to Ocala from Bronx, NY. He is survived by his second wife of 27 years Doris Santini of Ocala and her children Danny and Tasha; He is also survived by his first wife Leticia Vasquez of Apopka and her children Jeanette, Carlos and Sandra; and grandchildren Andrew, Leticia, Danielle, Ariel, Raymond, Matthew, ILEANA, Alex and his granddaughter Christina who will be waiting for him in Heaven. He is also survived by his great grandchildren Melissa, Joshua, Jeremiah and Luis. Visitation for Mr. Santini will be Monday 2 p.m. - 9 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timber Ridge, Ocala. Funeral mass will take place Tuesday, July 17, 8:30 am at St. Jude Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBER RIDGE, Ocala, FL. (352)873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/16/2007 - 7/17/2007.

192. STEPHENS, SETH MATTHEW, INFANT (Obituary No. 192.) Lady Lake - Seth Matthew Stephens, infant, died Saturday, July 14, 2007 at Winnie Palmer Hospital for Women and Babies, Orlando, Florida. Seth Matthew Stephens was born in Orlando, Florida. He is
survived by his parents Frank and Gracemarie Stephens II of Lady Lake, FL; brother, Sean Zachary Stephens of Lady Lake, FL; maternal grandparents, Carlos and Jacqueline Perez of Lady Lake, FL; paternal grandparents, Frank and Cheryl Stephens of Dunnellon, FL; maternal great grandparents, Grace and Arnold Mellado of Lady Lake, FL; paternal uncle, Kevin Knight of Ocala, FL; and maternal uncle, Carlos Perez of Lady Lake, FL. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at Beyers Funeral Home with Rev. Robert Mullis officiating. Burial will be in Lone Oak Cemetery. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME in Lady Lake is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/16/2007 - 7/17/2007.

193. TROCHA, PAUL (Obituary No. 193.) 91 Ocala - Paul Trocha, passed away on Friday, July 13, 2007 at the age of 91. He was the beloved husband of Juanita Trocha, father of Larry Paul, Fay Marie and Patty Ray, grandfather of Kelly, Cory, and Sandra, stepfather of Marie Proctor and Wanda Dial. He was a WWII veteran. Visitation will be Tuesday, July 17, 2007 from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S Pine. Ave., Ocala, FL where funeral services will be held on Wednesday, July 18, 2007 at 2 p.m. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/16/2007 - 7/17/2007.

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194. BINGHAM, ALLAN R., (Obituary No. 194.) 77 Ocala - Allan R. Bingham, 77, of Ocala, died Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. He moved to Florida 20 years ago from Pequannock, NJ. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Mary Bingham of Ocala; sons, Daniel Bingham of Raleigh, NC and William Bingham of Constantia, NY; 3 grandchildren; sisters, Viola Thomas and Elizabeth Zimmer of Beverly Hills, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

195. CHARD, ANN CLAIRE (NAN) (Obituary No. 195.) Spartanburg, SC - Mrs. Chard died Sunday, July 15, 2007 at Magnolia Place after a long illness. Mrs. chard was born in Tollcross, Scotland and was the daughter of the late Harry and Margaret (McAvoy) McStravick and was the widow of the Robert William Chard. She was an RN and a member of the St. George's Anglican Church in Florida and the Red Hat Society. She is survived by four sons, Thomas and his wife Carol, William and his wife Connie, Gary and his wife Beth Ann, and Alan and his wife Tina; eleven grandchildren and five great grandchildren. A memorial will be held in August in Rochester, NY., the date to be announced. SEAWRIGHT FUNERAL HOME & CREMATORY. www.seawright-funeralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

196. COLYER-RICE, KATIE MAE, (Obituary No. 196.) 86 Flemington - Katie Mae Colyer-Rice, 86, passed away on Friday, July 13, 2007 at Shands at Alachua General Hospital in Gainesville, Florida. Mrs. Rice is survived by three daughters, Carol A. Rice-Hawkins, Virginia Beach, VA, Sharon P. Rice, Gainesville, FL and Rose D. Rice, Flemington, FL; three sons, Herman C. Rice, Irvine, FL, Vince C. Rice, Lake City, FL and Eric D. Rice, Gainesville, FL; two sisters, Pauline V. Colyer-Simons, Flemington, FL and Mamie Bryant, Miami, FL; 12 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Tuesday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Pauline Simmons (10345 NW 177th Place, Flemington, FL) on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. Viewing will follow the eulogy. Funeral services will be at Canaan Missionary Baptist Church, Flemington, FL on Wednesday, July 18, 2007 at 2 p.m. Reverend Nathan Simmons will conduct the words of comfort. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.
197. DUBOIS-ROSE, FLAVIA E., 93 (Obituary No. 197.) Ocala - Flavia E. DuBois-Rose, 93, of Ocala, FL died on Friday, July 13, 2007 at Life Care Center, Ocala. A native of Reinbeck, Iowa, she relocated to Miami, FL in 1941. She was the Radiology Administrator at Baptist Hospital, Miami. Upon retiring she made Marion County her home, relocating from Coral Gables, FL in 1986. Flavia attended Miami University, was a member of Beta Sigma Phi, enjoyed traveling, playing the piano and organ as well as the violin and was an avid reader. She is survived by her daughter, Flavia "Midge" Brown of Ocala; nephew, Raymond and his wife Irene Rose of Queensbury, NY; by special friends, Dottie Poyner of Ft. Pierce, FL, Loneta Girard of Ocala, and Charlotte & Jim Walter of Mills River, NC. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Friday, July 20, 2007 between the hours of 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. with graveside services scheduled for 11:30 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

198. GLASS, EDWARD D., (Obituary No. 198.) 84 Ocala - Mr. Edward D. Glass, 84, passed away Saturday, July 14, 2007 at Hospice Legacy House in Ocala, FL. He was born in Daytona Beach, FL but grew up in Philadelphia, PA. He was a US Navy veteran of WWII. He moved to Ocala in 1990. He is survived by his wife Nancy; 3 children, Marie Harrington of Ocala, Janet Yost of Kutztown, PA, and Eleanor Glass of Phoenix, AZ; 5 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. There will be no services. In lieu of flowers send donations to a charity of your choice. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

199. GRANT, JAMES W., (Obituary No. 199.) 64 Ocala - James W. Grant, 64, of Ocala, passed away July 14, 2007. Born in Louisville, KY, he was a lifelong resident of Ocala. He was a beverage company route truck driver and a Baptist by faith. He was preceded in death by his sons, James W. Grant Jr. and Marcus F. Grant, and is survived by his wife of 6 years, Barbara E. Grant; son, Troy R. Grant of Atlanta, GA; daughter, Dorothy M. Steadman (Bryan) of Orange City, FL; step-sons, Edward Ferber of Ocala and James Ferber (Debbie) of Las Vegas, NV; brother, Marcus Lee Grant (Frances) of Ocala; former wife, Bessie Ann Grant of Ocala; grandchildren, Shanna Foley, Stephanie Grant-LaPointe, Torri Steadman, Josh Fincher, Christina Grant, Robert Grant, Quinn Steadman and Jackson Boemler. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6241 SW SR-200, Ocala 854-2266) on Wednesday July 18, 2007 from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Funeral Service will be held at the Funeral Home on Thursday, July 19, 2007 at 3 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

200. GRECO, JOSEPHINE ANNE, (Obituary No. 200.) 77 Ocala - Josephine Anne Greco, 77, of Ocala passed away July 7, 2007. She and her family came to this area in 2002 from their native, Brooklyn, New York. She was a homemaker and a Roman Catholic by faith. She is survived by her daughter, Joanne, son-in-law, Billy Akerman; grandchildren, Jacqueline Anne, Shawna Josephine, Cimion Joseph; siblings, Mary Maione, Catherine Pignataro and David Armato. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Francesco Greco, second husband,, Antonio Petrassi, parents, Maggie and Marco Armato and siblings, Rosario and Anthony Armato. She left this world peacefully with son-in-law and lifelong friend Swesey by her side. A funeral mass will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church on Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.
201. KEEN, WILLIAM GEORGE, (Obituary No. 201.) 94 Cookeville, TN - William George Keen, 94, retired from the U.S. Foreign Service, died in his sleep Friday July 13, 2007, at Morningside Assisted Living in Cookeville, Tenn., where he had lived for six weeks after relocating from Florida. The Tennessee native was a resident of Silver Springs, Fla., near Ocala since 1980 and earlier of Miami, where he worked for the U.S. Customs Service in a post-retirement role. During a colorful diplomatic career, he gave former first lady Eleanor Roosevelt a tour in Switzerland and showed actor John Wayne around in the Azores. A World War II veteran, he attended Officer Candidate School in Miami with actor Clark Gable. He was U.S. Consul in Genoa, Italy, in Zurich, Switzerland, in Ponta Delgada, Azores near Portugal, and finally in Port of Spain, Trinidad before retiring. The Huntsville, Tenn., native grew up in Chattanooga, where he was a business administration graduate of the University of Chattanooga, now UT Chattanooga. He took an examination to enter the Foreign Service, but WWII interrupted those plans. He served in the 8th and 9th Army Air Force as a first lieutenant. He was in the European Theatre of operations, flew missions as an observer and later was with the Air Force's Counter Intelligence Corps. After the war during German reconstruction he was a foreign service officer with the U.S. High Commissioner of Germany. He served as governor in several counties in Bavaria. He returned to America in 1951, was married that year to Lilly Wolfrum of Germany (who died in 1998), and with her began his consulate service abroad. His parents were Willard Keen of Scott County, Tenn., and Esther Walton Keen of the nearby 1880 English settlement Rugby, Tenn. He had fond memories of his adventures as a child at his grandmother's house in Rugby, Walton Court. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 10208, the Ocala chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution, Sigma Chi Fraternity and the 556th Bomb Squadron Association. Survivors include his stepson, Heinz Frischke of Germany, and nieces and nephews in Tennessee, Texas and California. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. August 17, 2007 at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Ocala, Fla. The family asks that memorial donations be made to Historic Rugby Inc., P.O. Box 8, Rugby, TN 37733. Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home in charge of arrangements (931)526-6111 www.hhhfunerals.com

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202. KEIPER, STANLEY W., (Obituary No. 202.) 75 Ocala - Mr. Stanley W. Keiper, 75, passed away in Ocala on July 14, 2007. He was born in Queens, NY on February 6, 1932. He was a retired Produce Clerk at Winn Dixie Grocery Stores. He moved here in 1989 from Long Island, NY. He was a good husband, father, and grandfather. He is survived by his wife Theresa of 48 years; daughter, Barbara Keiper; and 2 grandchildren, Deanna Keiper (12) and Ashley Keiper (6) all of Ocala; also a brother Henry Keiper of Hempstead, NY. A gathering will take place Wednesday, July 18, 2007 at 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. and services will be at 11 A.M. on Thursday, July 19, 2007. Both will be at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Burial will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/16/2007 - 7/17/2007.

203. LONG, JERD J. JR., (Obituary No. 203.) 52 Mr. Jerd J. Long Jr. 52, passed away on July 11, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was born on January 5, 1955 in Neptune, New Jersey. He was an avid Fisherman. He moved to Ocala in 1997 from Miami, FL. He is survived by his wife Janice Ball and a daughter Alyssa Ball both of Ocala, FL. He was a great friend, father and husband. Send donations to the Costal Conservation Association of FL. PO Box #568886 Orlando, FL 32856 Attn: Marcia Dunsee. A gathering will be from 10Am-11AM on Wednesday July 18, 2007 with a Memorial Service following at ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/16/2007 - 7/17/2007.
204. MILLER, LOLA FRANCES, (Obituary No. 204.) 81 Ocala - Lola Frances Miller, 81 passed away at Tuscany Hospice House on July 12, 2007 after a long happy life. Born 11-11-25 in Pittsburgh, PA, she lived in VA & Ocala, FL in her adult life. Lola was very involved in the "We who care" program and the "Special Olympics" in Ocala. She and her best friends also had a group called the "Ya-Ya Sisters." She has 5 generations in the Ocala area beginning with her. She was preceded in death by her husband, Lester E. Miller, daughters Janet I. Martin, JoAnn Miller; son, Dickie E. Miller; Sister, Trina Todd; brother, Norman Miller. Survived by 7 of her 10 children: daughters, Jackie Mayhew, Melody Wilson and Terri Miller. Sons, Rickie C. Miller, Utah (Mickie) Miller and Cheyenne (Nickie) Miller. All are in this area. Also, stepdaughter Geneiva Parkinson, Texas. Local grandchildren, Teresa Farrell, Summer Martin and Robby Mayhew. Great grandchildren, Brooke McGee & Tori Murray. Great-great granddaughter Aryana McGee. Brothers Donald Miller (Texas), Bob Miller (Ohio) and Bill Miller (PA). Many more sons and daughters-in-laws and extended family. She is loved by so many and will be missed by many. A small Memorial will be held at Jackie Mayhew's home in the forest on Saturday, July 21, 3007 from 5 pm to 8 pm. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

205. SANTINI, CARLOS R., (Obituary No. 205.) 69 Ocala - Carlos R. Santini, age 69, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, July 13, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House in Summerfield, FL. Mr. Santini was born in Caquas, Puerto Rico on July 1, 1938. He worked as a Letter Carrier for the US Postal Service for 33 years in the Bronx. Carlos was an avid Yankees baseball fan. He was a Catholic and a member of St. Jude Catholic Church in Marion Oaks. Mr. Santini moved to Ocala from Bronx, NY. He is survived by his second wife of 27 years Doris Santini of Ocala and her children Danny and Tasha; He is also survived by his first wife Leticia Vasquez of Apopka and her children Jeannette, Carlos and Sandra; and grandchildren Andrew, Leticia, Daniel, Ariel, Raymond, Matthew, ILEANA, Alex and his granddaughter Christina who will be waiting for him in Heaven. He is also survived by his great grandchildren Melissa, Joshua, Jeremiah and Luis. Visitation for Mr. Santini will be Monday 2 p.m. - 9 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timber Ridge, Ocala. Funeral mass will take place Tuesday, July 17, 8:30 am at St. Jude Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBER RIDGE, Ocala, FL. (352)873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/16/2007 - 7/17/2007.

206. STEPHENS, SETH MATTHEW, INFANT (Obituary No. 206.) Lady Lake - Seth Matthew Stephens, infant, died Saturday, July 14, 2007 at Winnie Palmer Hospital for Women and Babies, Orlando, Florida. Seth Matthew Stephens was born in Orlando, Florida. He is survived by his parents Frank and Gracemarie Stephens II of Lady Lake, FL; brother, Sean Zachary Stephens of Lady Lake, FL; maternal grandparents, Carlos and Jacqueline Perez of Lady Lake, FL; paternal grandparents, Frank and Cheryl Stephens of Dunnellon, FL; maternal great grandparents, Grace and Arnold Mellado of Lady Lake, FL; paternal uncle, Kevin Knight of Ocala, FL; and maternal uncle, Carlos Perez of Lady Lake, FL. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at Beyers Funeral Home with Rev. Robert Mullis officiating. Burial will be in Lone Oak Cemetery. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME in Lady Lake is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/16/2007 - 7/17/2007.

207. THOMAS, MATTHEW TALMADGE, (Obituary No. 207.) 27 Hawthorne - Matthew T. Thomas, age 27, died Saturday, July 14, 2007. He was a life resident of Island Grove and Cross Creek, and his hobbies included hunting, fishing, and golf. Survivors include his parents, Wayne and Marie Thomas of Island Grove, one son Evan Thomas fiancé, Leah Bogue and daughter Hayli
Collins of Cross Creek, sister Amanda (husband Joe) McTiernan of Citra and two nephews Christopher and Hayden McTienan of Citra. His greatest enjoyment in his life were his family and friends. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., Thursday, July 19, 2007 at Island Grove Baptist Church with interment to follow at Antioch Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Memorial Contributions may be made to Trust Fund for Evan Thomas c/o Wayne & Marie Thomas P.O. Box 67, Island Grove, FL 32654 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

208. TROCHA, PAUL, (Obituary No. 208.) Ocala - Paul Trocha, passed away on Friday, July 13, 2007 at the age of 91. He was the beloved husband of Juanita Trocha, father of Larry Paul, Fay Marie and Patty Ray, grandfather of Kelly, Cory, and Sandra, stepfather of Marie Proctor and Wanda Dial. He was a WWII veteran. Visitation will be Tuesday, July 17, 2007 from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S Pine. Ave., Ocala, FL where funeral services will be held on Wednesday, July 18, 2007 at 2 p.m. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/16/2007 - 7/17/2007.

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209. BABCOCK, DESPINA "NINA", (Obituary No. 209.) Ocala - Despina "Nina" Babcock, 69, died on Saturday, July 14, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. A native of Jamaica, Queens, New York, she relocated to Marion County in 1994 from NY. She was an accountant, a parishioner at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Silver Springs, FL, and a member of the VFW Ladies Aux. Nina enjoyed playing the piano, crocheting, baking and caring for her beloved dog, Cocoa. She will be remembered as a person of etiquette. She is survived by her sister, Grace Brandt of Red Hook, NY, nephews, Richard VanEtten and his wife Dawn of Craryville, NY, and Andrew VanEtten and his wife Bonnie of Summerfield, FL, and by three cousins, C.B. Brewster and wife Terry, Charlie Murphy and wife Connie and Gail Cox. The family will receive friends at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Silver Springs, FL on Friday, July 20 between the hours of 10:30 - 11:30 AM with the Mass of the Christian Burial at 11:30 AM. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Diabetes Foundation. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/18/2007 - 7/19/2007.

210. BINGHAM, ALLAN R., (Obituary No. 210.) Ocala - Allen R. Bingham, 77, of Ocala, died Wednesday, July 11, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital. He moved to Florida 20 years ago from Pequannock, NJ. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Mary Bingham of Ocala; sons, Daniel Bingham of Raleigh, NC and William Bingham of Constantia, NY; 3 grandchildren; sisters, Viola Thomas and Elizabeth Zimmer of Beverly Hills, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

211. CHARD, ANN CLAIRE (NAN) (Obituary No. 211.) Spartanburg, SC - Mrs. Chard died Sunday, July 15, 2007 at Magnolia Place after a long illness. Mrs. chard was born in Tollcross, Scotland and was the daughter of the late Harry and Margaret (McAvo) McStravick and was the widow of the Robert William Chard. She was an RN and a member of the St. George's Anglican Church in Florida and the Red Hat Society. She is survived by four sons, Thomas and his wife Carol, William and his wife Connie, Gary and his wife Beth Ann, and Alan and his wife Tina; eleven grandchildren and five great grandchildren. A memorial will be held in August in Rochester, NY., the date to be announced. SEAWRIGHT FUNERAL HOME & CREMATORY.
212. COLYER-RICE, KATIE MAE, (Obituary No. 212.) 86 Flemington - Katie Mae Colyer-Rice, 86, passed away on Friday, July 13, 2007 at Shands at Alachua General Hospital in Gainesville, Florida. Mrs. Rice is survived by three daughters, Carol A. Rice-Hawkins, Virginia Beach, VA, Sharon P. Rice, Gainesville, FL and Rose D. Rice, Flemington, FL; three sons, Herman C. Rice, Irvine, FL, Vince C. Rice, Lake City, FL and Eric D. Rice, Gainesville, FL; two sisters, Pauline V. Colyer-Simons, Flemington, FL and Mamie Bryant, Miami, FL; 12 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Tuesday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ms. Pauline Simmons (10345 NW 177th Place, Flemington, FL) on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. Viewing will follow the eulogy. Funeral services will be at Canaan Missionary Baptist Church, Flemington, FL on Wednesday, July 18, 2007 at 2 p.m. Reverend Nathan Simmons will conduct the words of comfort. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

213. DUBOIS-ROSE, FLAVIA E., (Obituary No. 213.) 93 Ocala - Flavia E. DuBois-Rose, 93, of Ocala, FL died on Friday, July 13, 2007 at Life Care Center, Ocala. A native of Reinbeck, Iowa, she relocated to Miami, FL in 1941. She was the Radiology Administrator at Baptist Hospital, Miami. Upon retiring she made Marion County her home, relocating from Coral Gables, FL in 1986. Flavia attended Miami University, was a member of Beta Sigma Phi, enjoyed traveling, playing the piano and organ as well as the violin and was an avid reader. She is survived by her daughter, Flavia "Midge" Brown of Ocala; nephew, Raymond and his wife Irene Rose of Queensbury, NY; by special friends, Dottie Poyner of Ft. Pierce, FL, Loneta Girard of Ocala, and Charlotte & Jim Walter of Mills River, NC. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Friday, July 20, 2007 between the hours of 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. with graveside services scheduled for 11:30 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

214. GASKINS, ALMA D., (Obituary No. 214.) 67 West Palm Beach, FL - Alma D. Gaskins, 67, died Friday, July 13, 2007 in Boca Raton, FL. The service will be at 2P.M. on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at Mizell-Faville-Zern Funeral Home in West Palm Beach, FL with burial at Hillcrest Memorial in West Palm Beach, FL. Family will receive friends at 4-8 PM, Friday, July 20, 2007 and Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 11 AM-1PM at Mizell-Faville-Zern. Memorial contributions may be made to CBN, 977 Centerville Turnpike, Virginia Beach, VA 23463-0001. A native of Telico Plains, TN, she lived in West Palm Beach, FL since 1963. She was a loving and giving wife and mother with a heart like Jesus and strength beyond measure. The cancer that tried that valiant strength could not compete with the power of Almighty God who kept His promise and made her whole again. Her Jewels in her crown are innumerable and her spirit lives on in her children she loved so dearly. We will rise up and call her blessed forever. Survivors include: Sons: Ronald (Holly) Atchley of Ocala, FL; James (Melody) Gaskins; David Gaskins; Roger Gaskins and Johnny (Diane) Gaskins, all of West Palm Beach, FL. Daughters: Cynthia (Robert) Alford of Ocala, FL; Debra Raney of Ocala, FL; Judy (Rodney) Husey of Deerfield Beach, FL. Parents: Hazel Davis of Kissimmee, FL. Brothers: Jacky (Charlotte) Davis of Riceville, TN; James Loyd Davis of Etowah, TN; Allen (Linda) Davis, Glen Davis; and Mike (Lisa) Davis, all of
Kissimmee, FL. Sisters: Carol (H.V.) King of Titusville, FL. Many grandchildren and great grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/18/2007 - 7/19/2007.

**215. GLASS, EDWARD D., (Obituary No. 215.)** 84 Ocala - Mr. Edward D. Glass, 84, passed away Saturday, July 14, 2007 at Hospice Legacy House in Ocala, FL. He was born in Daytona Beach, FL but grew up in Philadelphia, PA. He was a US Navy veteran of WWII. He moved to Ocala in 1990. He is survived by his wife Nancy; 3 children, Marie Harrington of Ocala, Janet Yost of Kutztown, PA, and Eleanor Glass of Phoenix, AZ; 5 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. There will be no services. In lieu of flowers send donations to a charity of your choice. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

**216. GRANT, JAMES W., (Obituary No. 216.)** 64 Ocala - James W. Grant, 64, of Ocala, passed away July 14, 2007. Born in Louisville, KY, he was a lifelong resident of Ocala. He was a beverage company route truck driver and a Baptist by faith. He was preceded in death by his sons, James W. Grant Jr. and Marcus F. Grant, and is survived by his wife of 6 years, Barbara E. Grant; son, Troy R. Grant of Atlanta, GA; daughter, Dorothy M. Steadman (Bryan) of Orange City, FL; step-sons, Edward Ferber of Ocala and James Ferber (Debbie) of Las Vegas, NV; brother, Marcus Lee Grant (Frances) of Ocala; former wife, Bessie Ann Grant of Ocala; grandchildren, Shanna Foley, Stephanie Grant-LaPointe, Torri Steadman, Josh Fincher, Christina Grant, Robert Grant, Quinn Steadman and Jackson Boemler. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6241 SW SR-200, Ocala 854-2266) on Wednesday July 18, 2007 from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Funeral Service will be held at the Funeral Home on Thursday, July 19, 2007 at 3 p.m.. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

**217. GRECO, JOSEPHINE ANNE, (Obituary No. 217.)** 77 Ocala - Josephine Anne Greco, 77, of Ocala passed away July 7, 2007. She and her family came to this area in 2002 from their native, Brooklyn, New York. She was a homemaker and a Roman Catholic by faith. She is survived by her daughter, Joanne, son-in-law, Billy Akerman; grandchildren, Jacqueline Anne, Shawna Josephine, Cimion Joseph; siblings, Mary Maione, Catherine Pignataro and David Armato. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Francesco Greco, second husband, Antonio Petrassi, parents, Maggie and Marco Armato and siblings, Rosario and Anthony Armato. She left this world peacefully with son-in-law and lifelong friend Swesey by her side. A funeral mass will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church on Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

**218. KEEN, WILLIAM GEORGE, (Obituary No. 218.)** 94 Cookeville, TN - William George Keen, 94, retired from the U.S. Foreign Service, died in his sleep Friday July 13, 2007, at Morningside Assisted Living in Cookeville, Tenn., where he had lived for six weeks after relocating from Florida. The Tennessee native was a resident of Silver Springs, Fla., near Ocala since 1980 and earlier of Miami, where he worked for the U.S. Customs Service in a post-retirement role. During a colorful diplomatic career, he gave former first lady Eleanor Roosevelt a tour in Switzerland and showed actor John Wayne around in the Azores. A World War II veteran, he attended Officer Candidate School in Miami with actor Clark Gable. He was U.S. Consul in Genoa, Italy, in Zurich, Switzerland, in Ponta Delgada , Azores near Portugal , and finally in Port of Spain , Trinidad before retiring. The Huntsville, Tenn., native grew up in Chattanooga, where he was a business administration graduate of the University of Chattanooga, now UT Chattanooga. He took an examination to enter the Foreign Service, but WWII
interrupted those plans. He served in the 8th and 9th Army Air Force as a first lieutenant. He was in the European Theatre of operations, flew missions as an observer and later was with the Air Force's Counter Intelligence Corps. After the war during German reconstruction he was a foreign service officer with the U.S. High Commissioner of Germany. He served as governor in several counties in Bavaria. He returned to America in 1951, was married that year to Lilly Wolfrum of Germany (who died in 1998), and with her began his consulate service abroad. His parents were Willard Keen of Scott County, Tenn., and Esther Walton Keen of the nearby 1880 English settlement Rugby, Tenn. He had fond memories of his adventures as a child at his grandmother's house in Rugby, Walton Court. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 10208, the Ocala chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution, Sigma Chi Fraternity and the 556th Bomb Squadron Association. Survivors include his stepson, Heinz Frischke of Germany, and nieces and nephews in Tennessee, Texas and California. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. August 17, 2007 at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Ocala, Fla. The family asks that memorial donations be made to Historic Rugby Inc., P.O. Box 8, Rugby, TN 37733. Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home in charge of arrangements (931)526-6111 www.hhhfunerals.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

219. MILLER, LOLA FRANCES, (Obituary No. 219.) 81 Ocala - Lola Frances Miller, 81 passed away at Tuscany Hospice House on July 12, 2007 after a long happy life. Born 11-11-25 in Pittsburgh, PA, she lived in VA & Ocala, FL in her adult life. Lola was very involved in the "We who care" program and the "Special Olympics" in Ocala. She and her best friends also had a group called the "Ya-Ya Sisters." She has 5 generations in the Ocala area beginning with her. She was preceded in death by her husband, Lester E. Miller, daughters Janet I. Martin, JoAnn Miller; son, Dickie E. Miller; Sister, Trina Todd; brother, Norman Miller. Survived by 7 of her 10 children: daughters, Jackie Mayhew, Melody Wilson and Terri Miller. Sons, Rickie C. Miller, Utah (Mickie) Miller and Cheyenne (Nickie) Miller. All are in this area. Also, stepdaughter Geneiva Parkinson, Texas. Local grandchildren, Teresa Farrell, Summer Martin and Robby Mayhew. Great grandchildren, Brooke McGee & Tori Murray. Great-great granddaughter Aryana McGee. Brothers Donald Miller (Texas), Bob Miller (Ohio) and Bill Miller (PA). Many more sons and daughters-in-laws and extended family. She is loved by so many and will be missed by many. A small Memorial will be held at Jackie Mayhew's home in the forest on Saturday, July 21, 3007 from 5 pm to 8 pm. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

220. PELOSO, JOHN MATTHEW, (Obituary No. 220.) 44 Ocala - John M. Peloso, 44, passed away Sunday, July 15, 2007 in Ocala. Born in West Point, NY, Mr. Peloso moved to Ocala in 2002 from Norwalk, CT. He was a carpenter in building construction and was of Catholic faith. Survivors include his wife Kathy Ingersoll-Pelso, Ocala, son John Peloso, Jr., Ocala, numerous nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be held at 7 PM Thursday, July 19, 2007 in Hiers Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Father Rick Hugli, officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/18/2007 - 7/19/2007.

221. THOMAS, MATTHEW TALMADGE, (Obituary No. 221.) 27 Hawthorne - Matthew T. Thomas, age 27, died Saturday, July 14, 2007. He was a life resident of Island Grove and Cross Creek, and his hobbies included hunting, fishing, and golf. Survivors include his parents, Wayne and Marie Thomas of Island Grove, one son Evan Thomas fiancé?Leah Bogue and daughter Hayli Collins of Cross Creek, sister Amanda (husband Joe) McTiernan of Citra and two nephews Christopher and Hayden McTienan of Citra. His greatest enjoyment in his life were his family and friends. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., Thursday, July 19, 2007 at Island Grove Baptist
Church with interment to follow at Antioch Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Memorial Contributions may be made to Trust Fund for Evan Thomas c/o Wayne & Marie Thomas P.O. Box 67, Island Grove, FL 32654 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/17/2007 - 7/18/2007.

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222. ALEXANDER, ROSCOE, (Obituary No. 222.) 62 Belleview - Roscoe Alexander, 62, went home for his 40th anniversary on July 15, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Elkhart, IN and a longtime resident of this area. He was a retired pressman for the Ocala Star Banner after 19 years. Mr. Alexander served in the United States Coast Guard. He enjoyed his grandkids, fishing, golf, and hunting. Survivors include his daughters, Lezlie Fritts, Ocala, Kimberlie (Tom) LaSenna, Belleview, son Richard (Patty) Alexander, Ocala, 7 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren, and dog, Gator. Memorial services will be held at 11:30 AM, Monday, July 23, 2007 at Wings of Faith Fellowship, 5066 SE 64th Avenue, Ocala with Pastor Johnny Johnson officiating. A gathering of family and friends will be held one hour prior to the service. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/19/2007 - 7/20/2007.

223. BABCOCK, DESPINA "NINA", (Obituary No. 223.) 69 Ocala - Despina "Nina" Babcock, 69, died on Saturday, July 14, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. A native of Jamaica, Queens, New York, she relocated to Marion County in 1994 from NY. She was an accountant, a parishioner at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Silver Springs, FL, and a member of the VFW Ladies Aux. Nina enjoyed playing the piano, crocheting, baking and caring for her beloved dog, Cocoa. She will be remembered as a person of etiquette. She is survived by her sister, Grace Brandt of Red Hook, NY, nephews, Richard VanEtten and his wife Dawn of Craryville, NY, and Andrew VanEtten and his wife Bonnie of Summerfield, FL, and by three cousins, C.B. Brewster and wife Terry, Charlie Murphy and wife Connie and Gail Cox. The family will receive friends at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Silver Springs, FL on Friday, July 20 between the hours of 10:30 - 11:30 AM with the Mass of the Christian Burial at 11:30 AM. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Diabetes Foundation. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/19/2007 - 7/19/2007.

224. GALKO, JOHN JOHN, (Obituary No. 224.) 88 Ocala - John John Galko of Ocala, FL died July 15, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, he relocated to Marion County in 1983 from Detroit, Michigan. John served his country during WWII in the US Army, rising to the rank of Lt. Col. He was a retired Finance Officer, a member of Abiding Hope Evangelical Lutheran Church, and the VFW. His enjoyments included golf and listening to Big Band music. He is survived by his wife of 58 years Beatrice "Bea" Galko, Ocala; daughter, Kathryn Clarey and husband Martin of Cheverly, Maryland; sister, Caroline Petzold and husband Arthur of Milwaukee, WI; sister-in-law, Eunice Taves of St. Prarie, WI; two grandchildren, Martina and McKay; and a nephew and three nieces. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Abiding Hope Evangelical Lutheran church. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the church's building fund. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/19/2007 - 7/20/2007.
225. GASKINS, ALMA D., (Obituary No. 225.) 67 West Palm Beach, FL - Alma D. Gaskins, 67, died Friday, July 13, 2007 in Boca Raton, FL. The service will be at 2P.M. on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at Mizell-Faville-Zern Funeral Home in West Palm Beach, FL with burial at Hillcrest Memorial in West Palm Beach, FL. Family will receive friends at 4-8 PM. Friday, July 20, 2007 and Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 11 AM-1PM at Mizell-Faville-Zern. Memorial contributions may be made to CBN, 977 Centerville Turnpike, Virginia Beach, VA 23463-0001. A native of Telico Plains, TN, she lived in West Palm Beach, FL since 1963. She was a loving and giving wife and mother with a heart like Jesus and strength beyond measure. The cancer that tried that valiant strength could not compete with the power of Almighty God who kept His promise and made her whole again. Her Jewels in her crown are innumerable and her spirit lives on in her children she loved so dearly. We will rise up and call her blessed forever. Survivors include: Sons: Ronald (Holly) Atchley of Ocala, FL; James (Melody) Gaskins; David Gaskins; Roger Gaskins and Johnny (Diane) Gaskins, all of West Palm Beach, FL. Daughters: Cynthia (Robert) Alford of Ocala, FL; Debra Raney of Ocala, FL; Judy (Rodney) Husey of Deerfield Beach, FL. Parents: Hazel Davis of Kissimmee, FL. Brothers: Jacky (Charlotte) Davis of Riceville, TN; James Loyd Davis of Etoile, TN; Allen (Linda) Davis, Glen Davis; and Mike (Lisa) Davis, all of Kissimmee, FL. Sisters: Carol (H.V.) King of Titusville, FL. Many grandchildren and great grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/18/2007 - 7/19/2007.

226. HOWARD, DARRELL GLENN, (Obituary No. 226.) 45 Ocala - Funeral Services will be on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 11 a.m., Reddick Church of God, Reddick, FL. Elder James Russell will conduct the words of comfort. A wake service will be held at SELLER FUNERAL HOME on Thursday at 6 p.m. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Howard's residence (2712 NW 5th Avenue, Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. Viewing will follow the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Howard who was preceded in death by father, Henry Howard, wife, Betty J. Howard of Ocala, FL; children, Ryan Howard, Tyeshia Howard, Darius Taylor, Shacara Taylor and Samuel Kearney all of Ocala, FL; mother, Virginia L. Howard of Reddick; sisters, Ramonda Howard, Valarie Howard and Alma Evans all of Ocala, FL., Sherell Sapp, of Gainesville, FL. Angela Howard of Columbus, GA and Alice Howard; brothers, Cornelius Johnson, Christopher Howard, and Roger Howard, all of Reddick, FL and Carlos Johnson of Ocala, FL. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction”. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/19/2007 - 7/20/2007.

227. PELOSO, JOHN MATTHEW, (Obituary No. 227.) 44 Ocala - John M. Peloso, 44, passed away Sunday, July 15, 2007 in Ocala. Born in West Point, NY, Mr. Peloso moved to Ocala in 2002 from Norwalk, CT. He was a carpenter in building construction and was of Catholic faith. Survivors include his wife Kathy Ingersoll-Pelso, Ocala, son John Peloso, Jr., Ocala, numerous nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be held at 7 PM Thursday, July 19, 2007 in Hiers Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Father Rick Hugli, officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/18/2007 - 7/19/2007.

228. WOODRUFF, CAROL & WARREN JAY, SR. (Obituary No. 228.) 72 Ocala - Carol 71, and Warren, 72 died Friday, July 13, 2007 as the result of a motorcycle accident. They had been married for 54 years, and were longtime Michigan residents until their retirement to Ocala, Florida over a dozen years ago. They are survived by three children: Vicki Woodruff of Richmond, Virginia, Warren Woodruff of San Francisco, California and Lauri Baranowski and husband Barry of Overland Park, Kansas. They also leave grandchildren James Hinckley and
Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, July 20, 2007

229. ALEXANDER, (Obituary No. 229.) ROSCOE, 62 Belleview - Roscoe Alexander, 62, went home for his 40th anniversary on July 15, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born in Elkhart, IN and a longtime resident of this area. He was a retired pressman for the Ocala Star Banner after 19 years. Mr. Alexander served in the United States Coast Guard. He enjoyed his grandkids, fishing, golf, and hunting. Survivors include his daughters, Lezlie Fritts, Ocala, Kimberlie (Tom) LaSenna, Belleview, son Richard (Patty) Alexander, Ocala, 7 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren, and dog, Gator. Memorial services will be held at 11:30 AM, Monday, July 23, 2007 at Wings of Faith Fellowship, 5066 SE 64th Avenue, Ocala with Pastor Johnny Johnson officiating. A gathering of family and friends will be held one hour prior to the service. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/19/2007 - 7/20/2007.

230. FORD, GLADYS TUGGERSON, (Obituary No. 230.) 51 Ocala - Mrs. Gladys Tuggerson Ford, 51, Homegoing Services will be held on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Antioch Baptist Church, Sparr, FL with Rev. Carl Gadson, pastor, conducting the service. Visitation Friday, July 20, 2007, 10 AM - 6PM at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Survivors: Husband Everette C. Ford, Sr., Daughter Chiquita (Kita) Harmon, son Everette C. Ford, Jr., 3 grandchildren, 4 sisters: Maxine Jennings, Leola King, Cynthia Tuggerson, Diane Craft; 5 brothers: Henry Tuggerson, Jimmie Tuggerson, Frankie Tuggerson, Lorenzo Tuggerson, Negley Tuggerson; Uncle Negley Tuggerson, Sr. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.

231. GALKO, JOHN JOHN, (Obituary No. 231.) 88 Ocala - John John Galko of Ocala, FL died July 15, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, he relocated to Marion County in 1983 from Detroit, Michigan. John served his country during WWII in the US Army, rising to the rank of Lt. Col. He was a retired Finance Officer, a member of Abiding Hope Evangelical Lutheran Church, and the VFW. His enjoyments included golf and listening to Big Band music. He is survived by his wife of 58 years Beatrice "Bea" Galko, Ocala; daughter, Kathryn Clarey and husband Martin of Cheverly, Maryland; sister, Caroline Petzold and husband Arthur of Milwaukee, WI; sister-in-law, Eunice Taves of St. Prairie, WI; two grandchildren, Martina and McKay; and a nephew and three nieces. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Abiding Hope Evangelical Lutheran church. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the church's building fund. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/19/2007 - 7/20/2007.

232. HANKS, ALFRED "LEGARE", (Obituary No. 232.) 68 Ocala - Alfred Legare Hanks, 68, passed away Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida. He was born in
Belton, SC, a resident of Tampa for over 35 years, and retired to Ocala in 1998. Mr. Hanks was the co-owner of Furniture Source for over 15 years. He graduated from Clemson University and Ringling School of Arts. He was a member of the Kiwanis Club, the First Baptist Church of Ocala, enjoyed music and was an accomplished pianist who played for the Prodigal Sons gospel quartet. Survivors include his wife Elsie Hanks, daughter Teresa Hanks, son Eric Hanks (wife Susan), granddaughters Abigail and Madeline Hanks all of Ocala, and sister Jo LeRoy of Columbia, SC. He was preceded in death by his parents Alfred and Gertrude Hanks, and sister Marlene Oberlies. Memorial services 2 PM, Saturday, July 21, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers donations can be made for pancreatic research to the University of Florida Shands Cancer Center for research in memory of Alfred Legare Hanks, P.O. Box 103633, Gainesville, FL 32610-3633. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.

233. HESTER, SANDRA GAIL, (Obituary No. 233.) 54 Ocala - Ms. Sandra Gail Hester, age 54, passed away on July 12, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in Saginaw, Michigan. Mrs. Hester was employed by Central Florida Community College as an Administrative Assistant. She leaves to cherish her memories: (Son) James Winston, Jr., Danville, IL; (Granddaughter) Gianna Winston, Danville, IL; (Brothers) Ernest Johnson, Jr., Freddie Johnson, Preston Johnson; (Sisters) Annette Young, Marilyn Young, Marilyn Welch, Jacqueline Blaylock (all of Saginaw, Michigan), Goddaughters: Charlandrea (Monique) Parker, Tall., FL, Phyllis McDaniels, Florence, AL, Bridgette Blaylock, Atlanta, GA; (Aunts) Beatrice Roberts (Aunt Bitty), Lillian Long, Bay City, Mich.; (Uncles) Ronald & Donald Johnson, (Devoted Friend) Mr. Gary Mills, Ocala, FL. Funeral service for Ms. Sandra G. Hester will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, July 21, 2007 at New Saint John Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. Tommy L. Brooks, Pastor. Interment will follow in Chestnut Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.

234. HOWARD, DARRELL GLENN, (Obituary No. 234.) 45 Ocala - Funeral Services will be on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 11 a.m., Reddick Church of God, Reddick, FL. Elder James Russell will conduct the words of comfort. A wake service will be held at SELLER FUNERAL HOME on Thursday at 6 p.m. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Howard's residence (2712 NW 5th Avenue, Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. Viewing will follow the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Howard who was preceded in death by father, Henry Howard, wife, Betty J. Howard of Ocala, FL; children, Ryan Howard, Tyeshia Howard, Darius Taylor, Shacara Taylor and Samuel Kearney all of Ocala, FL; mother, Virginia L. Howard of Reddick; sisters, Ramonda Howard, Valerie Howard and Alma Evans all of Ocala, FL., Sherell Sapp, of Gainesville, FL Angela Howard of Columbus, GA and Alice Howard; brothers, Cornelius Johnson, Christopher Howard, and Roger Howard, all of Reddick, FL and Carlos Johnson of Ocala, FL. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/19/2007 - 7/20/2007.

235. JONES, RONALD A. "RON"', (Obituary No. 235.) 55 Dunnellon - Ronald A. "Ron" Jones, 55, employed many years by Holman's Towing of Dunnellon. Died Tuesday, July 17, 2007 in Dunnellon, Florida, born in St. Petersburg, FL, came here at the age of three. He was a Baptist, avid NASCAR fan, fisherman and outdoorsman. Survivors: Brother Robert Jones and wife Teena, Corpus Christi, TX, sister Dianne M., Whipple of Ocala, 3 nephews and 4 nieces. A
Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 2 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON. Family will receive friends from 1:30PM to Servicetime. Cremation arrangements under the care of Roberts Funeral Home. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.

236. JOSEPH-WOODARD, JANISE & WOODARD, BABY JOSIAH, (Obituary No. 236.) 24 Sanford - Mrs. Janise Joseph-Woodard, 24 and Baby Josiah Woodard, 6 months, mother and son, died on July 10, 2007 as a result of an airplane crash/house fire. Janise graduated from the University of Central Florida in the top 10 percent of her class and was a current law student at the Florida A & M University School of Law Orlando Campus. Josiah, only 6 months old, was not your typical baby, he did not cry a lot but was the sweetest little baby that brought extra joy to the Woodard home along with his sister Jurnee. Survivors include Joe Woodard who is a loving husband and devoted father, Marpiea J. Joseph (mother), Peter E. Joseph (father), Peter Joseph (brother), John A Frederick, Sr. (grandfather) Doreen Frederick (grandmother). 10 aunts, 3 uncles, a host of other relatives, sorrowing friends and mourning communities around the state and country. A Memorial services of love will be held on Friday, June 20, 2007 at 7 P.M. Harvest Time International, 225 North Kennel Road, Sanford, FL. Funeral Services will be held at 11 A.M., Saturday, July 21, 2007 at the House of God, 2830 NW 27th Ave., Ocala, FL

237. MASON, BETTY J., (Obituary No. 237.) 86 Ocala - Betty J. Mason, 86, of Ocala, FL, passed away July 18th. Born in Ft. Wayne, Indiana she has resided in Ocala for about a year. Previously she was a seasonal resident of both Lakeland, FL and Willow Street, PA. She was a homemaker and attended Fellowship Baptist Church. She was also a pianist and enjoyed square dancing with the Do Pas So and Grand Squares groups. She is survived by her husband of 62 years, William L. Mason; sons David E. Mason of Lancaster, PA and Keith W. Mason of Burlington, WA; daughter, Carol J. Borbas of Ocala, FL; sister, Marjorie Hamm of Clearwater, FL; grandchildren. Michelle Evans, Kristi Mason, Daniel Mason, Luke Mason, Paul Mason and Mark Mason; great grandchildren, Natalie Hrabik and Ashton Hrabik. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6421 SW SR200, Ocala 854-2266) on Sunday (July 22nd) from 6-8 p.m. The funeral service will be held at Fellowship Baptist Church (10500 N. US Hwy 27, Ocala) on Monday (July 23rd) at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.


239. WILEY, OMA C., (Obituary No. 239.) 81 Ocklawaha - Oma C. Wiley, 81, passed away July 18th at Lifecare Center of Ocala. Born in Elkhorn City, Kentucky, she came to this area 39 years ago fro Paintsville, KY. She was a retired waitress and a member of the Little Dove Baptist Church. Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 48 years, Clarence A. Wiley; daughter, Lois Ann Manns of Belleview; stepson, Rick Wiley of Franklin, OH; 12 grand, 12 great and 2 great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son, Bobby D. Jones, stepson, Clyde Wiley, 2 brothers and 2 sisters. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce
Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala 732-9944) on Friday (July 20th) from 6-8 PM. The Funeral Service will be held at the Little Dove Baptist Church (12005 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala 34472) on Saturday (July 21st) at 10 AM. Interment will follow at the Ocklawaha Cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to Little Dove Baptist Church PO Box 96 Candler, FL 32111. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.

240. WOODRUFF, CAROL ANN & WARREN JAY, SR., (Obituary No. 240.) 71 Ocala - Carol 71, and Warren, 72 died Friday, July 13, 2007 as the result of a motorcycle accident. They had been married for 54 years, and were longtime Michigan residents until their retirement to Ocala, Florida over a dozen years ago. They are survived by three children: Vicki Woodruff of Richmond, Virginia, Warren Woodruff of San Francisco, California and Lauri Baranowski and husband Barry of Overland Park, Kansas. They also leave grandchildren James Hinckley and partner Pam Kinney, Elizabeth Hinckley, Drew Baranowski and fiance Courtney Tucker, Jordan Baranowski and a great grand daughter, Elaina Baranowski. Carol and Warren leave many dear relatives and friends. A memorial service is planned for Saturday, July 21, 2007, at First United Methodist Church, 1126 East Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL. The family will welcome friends (downstairs) beginning at 10 a.m. followed by the service at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family asks contributions to the American Cancer Society, 2100 S.E. 17th Street, Ocala, FL 34471. Arrangements by Cremation Options, Inc. (865) 6WE-CARE (693-2273) www.cremationoptionsinc.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/19/2007 - 7/21/2007.

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241. FORD, GLADYS TUGGERSON, (Obituary No. 241.) 51 Ocala - Mrs. Gladys Tuggerson Ford, 51, Homegoing Services will be held on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Antioch Baptist Church, Sparr, FL with Rev. Carl Gadson, pastor, conducting the service. Visitation Friday, July 20, 2007, 10 AM - 6PM at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Survivors: Husband Everette C. Ford, Sr., Daughter Chiquita (Kita) Harmon, son Everette C. Ford, Jr., 3 grandchildren, 4 sisters: Maxine Jennings, Leola King, Cynthia Tuggerson, Diane Craft; 5 brothers: Henry Tuggerson, Jimmie Tuggerson, Frankie Tuggerson, Lorenzo Tuggerson, Negley Tuggerson; Uncle Negley Tuggerson, Sr. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing a memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.

242. HANKS, ALFRED "LEGARE", (Obituary No. 242.) 68 Ocala - Alfred Legare Hanks, 68, passed away Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida. He was born in Belton, SC, a resident of Tampa for over 35 years, and retired to Ocala in 1998. Mr. Hanks was the co-owner of Furniture Source for over 15 years. he graduated from Clemson University and Ringling School of Arts. He was a member of the Kiwanis Club, the First Baptist Church of Ocala, enjoyed music and was an accomplished pianist who played for the Prodigal Sons gospel quartet. Survivors include his wife Elsie Hanks, daughter Teresa Hanks, son Eric Hanks (wife Susan), granddaughters Abigail and Madeline Hanks all of Ocala, and sister Jo LeRoy of Columbia, SC. He was preceded in death by his parents Alfred and Gertrude Hanks, and sister Marlene Oberlies. Memorial services 2 PM, Saturday, July 21, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers donations can be made for pancreatic research to the University of Florida Shands Cancer Center for research in memory of Alfred Legare Hanks, P.O. Box 103633, Gainesville, FL 32610-3633. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.
243. HESTER, SANDRA GAIL, (Obituary No. 243.) 54 Ocala - Ms. Sandra Gail Hester, age 54, passed away on July 12, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in Saginaw, Michigan. Mrs. Hester was employed by Central Florida Community College as an Administrative Assistant. She leaves to cherish her memories: (Son) James Winston, Jr., Danville, IL; (Granddaughter) Gianna Winston, Danville, IL; (Brothers) Ernest Johnson, Jr., Freddie Johnson, Preston Johnson; (Sisters) Annette Young, Marilyn Young, Marilyn Welch, Jacqueline Blaylock (all of Saginaw, Michigan), Goddaughters: Charlandrea (Monique) Parker, Tallahassee, FL, Phyllis McDaniels, Florence, AL, Bridgette Blaylock, Atlanta, GA; (Aunts) Beatrice Roberts (Aunt Bitty), Lillian Long, Bay City, Mich.; (Uncles) Ronald & Donald Johnson, (Devoted Friend) Mr. Gary Mills, Ocala, FL. Funeral service for Ms. Sandra G. Hester will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, July 21, 2007 at New Saint John Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. Tommy L. Brooks, Pastor. Interment will follow in Chestnut Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.

244. JONES, RONALD A. "RON", (Obituary No. 244.) 55 Dunnellon - Ronald A. "Ron" Jones, 55, employed many years by Holman's Towing of Dunnellon. Died Tuesday, July 17, 2007 in Dunnellon, Florida, born in St. Petersburg, FL, came here at the age of three. He was a Baptist, avid NASCAR fan, fisherman and outdoorsman. Survivors: Brother Robert Jones and wife Teena, Corpus Christi, TX, sister Dianne M., Whipple of Ocala, 3 nephews and 4 nieces. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 2 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Family will receive friends from 1:30PM to Servicetime. Cremation arrangements under the care of Roberts Funeral Home. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.

245. JOSEPH-WOODARD, JANISE & BABY JOSIAH WOODARD (Obituary No. 245.), 6 MONTHS Sanford - Mrs. Janise Joseph-Woodard, 24 and Baby Josiah Woodard, 6 months, mother and son, died on July 10, 2007 as a result of an airplane crash/house fire. Janise graduated from the University of Central Florida in the top 10 percent of her class and was a current law student at the Florida A & M University School of Law Orlando Campus. Josiah, only 6 months old, was not your typical baby, he did not cry a lot but was the sweetest little baby that brought extra joy to the Woodard home along with his sister Jurnee. Survivors include Joe Woodard who is a loving husband and devoted father, Marpiea J. Joseph (mother), Peter E. Joseph (father), Peter a Joseph (brother), John A Frederick, Sr. (grandfather) Doreen Frederick (grandmother), 10 aunts, 3 uncles, a host of other relatives, sorrowing friends and mourning communities around the state and country. A Memorial services of love will be held on Friday, June 20, 2007 at 7 P.M. Harvest Time International, 225 North Kennel Road, Sanford, FL. Funeral Services will be held at 11 A.M., Saturday, July 21, 2007 at the House of God, 2830 NW 27th Ave., Ocala, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.

246. LYNN, ALICE STIEBRITZ, (Obituary No. 246.) 51 Ocala - Alice Stiebritz Lynn, age 51, passed away on Sunday, July 15, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in Coco Solo, Panama and came to Ocala with her family as a teenager, graduating from Forest High School in the early 70's. Alice was loved by all who knew her, and was preceded in death by her father and mother, Ernest C. & Edith P. Stiebritz and her brother, Ernie Stiebritz. She will be dearly missed by her husband, Larry, their children, Dawn and Jose Fernandez, 29; Jesse Ildeton, 27; Travis Lynn, 17; and Hope Lynn, 8; her sisters and brothers, Coletta and Paul Speakman, Edie and Harry Cooey, Sylvia and Wendell Renfroe, her three grandchildren, and her
nieces and nephews. Not a day will go by that she won't be loved. A graveside memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements made by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Sliver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/21/2007 - 7/22/2007.

247. MASON, BETTY J., (Obituary No. 247.) 86 Ocala - Betty J. Mason, 86, of Ocala, FL, passed away July 18th. Born in Ft. Wayne, Indiana she has resided in Ocala for about a year. Previously she was a seasonal resident of both Lakeland, FL and Willow Street, PA. She was a homemaker and attended Fellowship Baptist Church. She was also a pianist and enjoyed square dancing with the Do Pas So and Grand Squares groups. She is survived by her husband of 62 years, William L. Mason; sons David E. Mason of Lancaster, PA and Keith W. Mason of Burlington, WA; daughter, Carol J. Borbas of Ocala, FL; sister, Marjorie Hamm of Clearwater, FL; grandchildren. Michelle Evans, Kristi Mason, Daniel Mason, Luke Mason, Paul Mason and Mark Mason; great grandchildren, Natalie Hrabik and Ashton Hrabik. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6421 SW SR200, Ocala 854-2266) on Sunday (July 22nd) from 6-8 p.m. The funeral service will be held at Fellowship Baptist Church (10500 N. US Hwy 27, Ocala) on Monday (July 23rd) at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/20/2007 - 7/21/2007.


249. SMITH, SALLIE MAE, (Obituary No. 249.) 83 Ocala - Sallie Mae Smith, 83, passed away on Friday, July 20, 2007. She was born in Benhill County, GA and moved to Ocala in 1951 from Moultrie, GA. She was a member of Living Waters Worship Center and enjoyed cooking, gardening, church and family. She is survived by her husband of 65 years Grover H. Smith, her daughters, Lanette Mixson and Becky Gleason, her sons, James A., Eddie and Harry Smith all of Ocala, her sisters, Louise Moore and Zelma Handcock both of Ocala and Mary Law of Moultrie, GA, eleven grandchildren and eighteen great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a son, a grandchild, a great grandchild and seven brothers. Funeral services will be held on Monday, July 23, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Living Waters Worship Center with Pastor J. Randall Watson officiating. Entombment will be at Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Sunday from 5-7 p.m. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/21/2007 - 7/22/2007.

250. TISE, WILLIAM "BILLY" M., (Obituary No. 250.) 67 Ocala - William Billy M. Tise, 67, died Thursday, June 28, 2007. He was born in Englewood, N.J. May 2, 1940. Billy moved to Dunnellon, FL. To live with his sister, Ann L. Keesler (Erb.) He later moved into the BreakWaters Group Home in Ocala, FL, where he was a beloved resident until his passing. Billy always enjoyed being outdoors as well as collecting toy trains, toy cars, hats, and riding bikes. One of his best moments was in 2004 when he got to ride a vintage train and visit the train museum in Parrisa, FL. Survivors include his sister Ann L. Keesler of Dunnellon, FL; brother, Harold Erb and his wife of Orlando, FL, Eric Erb and his wife of Orlando, FL; two nieces and four nephews. A memorial service in memory of Billy will be Sunday, July 22, 2007 at 4 p.m. in

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254. ARGO, TRITHENA M., (Obituary No. 254.) 90 Ocala - Trithena M. Argo, 90 of Ocala, FL, died Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at M.R.M.C. She was born in York, Neb. And was a homemaker. Trithena was a member of Golden Hills Turf and County Club. She is survived by her very dear and close friends Everett and Susanne Kindberg of Ocala, FL, Nephew - John L. Wood of Clifton, MO. Niece - Judy Gilbert of Kansas City, MO. Cousins - John W. Tuttle of Berkeley, CA and Roy W. Wythers of Lincoln, NE. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.

255. CLAUDE, GEORGES PHILIPPE, (Obituary No. 255.) 81 Ocala - Mr. Georges Philippe Claude, 81, of Ocala passed away on July 20, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Jacmel, Haiti, he moved here in 1991 from Manhattan, NY upon his retirement as chef for the Mary Manning Walsh Home in Manhattan. Georges was a member of Local # 1199 Hospital and Health Services Union in New York and was of Catholic Faith. He is survived by his wife of 31 years, Roselaine Claude of Ocala, FL; sons, Oscar Claude (Alexis) and Georges Claude, Jr., both of Ocala; daughter, Sherline Claude of Shelton, CT., daughter, Judith Claude (Robert) of Henderson, NC; son, Yvon Claude of Manhattan, NY; daughter, Marie Anitte of Bridgeport, CT; brother, Luke Claude of Jacmel, Haiti; six grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren. Friends will be received on Tuesday, July 24, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where chapel services will be held on Wednesday, July 25, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. Entombment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.

256. LAZARUIS, GEORGE, (Obituary No. 256.) 85 Ocala - Mr. George Lazaruis, 85, passed away on Monday, July 16, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Chicago, IL, he moved to Ocala from Winter Park, FL in 1980. Mr. Lazaruis was retired with the USAF and the US Postal Service. Survivors include his wife, Sonia Lazaruis; sons, Jeffery A. Lazaruis and Barry D. Lazaruis; daughter-in-law, Aggie all of Ocala; brother, John Lazaruis of Arlington Heights, MI; grandchildren, Jara J. Barringer and her husband Bradley, Jade A. Lazaruis, Christopher L. Lazaruis and Sean M. Lazaruis; numerous nieces and nephews; dear friends, Rose Kerekes of Ocala, FL., Betty (Phil) Sorsky of Woolton, UK., Renee Kush of Ocala, FL., and Bunny (Bill) Muller of Lake Panasoffkee, FL. Funeral service will be at 2 p.m. on Monday, July 23, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will be private on Tuesday at the Florida National Cemetery. A gathering of family and friends will be held at the home of George and Sonia Lazaruis immediately following the service. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/24/2007.

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258. MARTELL, MARY M., (Obituary No. 258.) 96 Ocala - Mary M. Martell, 96 of Ocala, died Wednesday, July 18, 2007 at M.R.M.C. Born in Rockingham County, NC. Mary was a retired nurse. And was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Her son David Jefferies of Plant City, FL, survives her. There will be a gathering at the funeral home on Monday, July 23, 2007 at 11 a.m. to 12 noon at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, with the services at 12 noon with the burial to follow at 2 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.


260. NIMMS, GEORGE W., (Obituary No. 260.) 84 Ocala - George W. Nimms, 84, passed away on Friday, July 20, 2007. Born in Albany, NY., moving to Ocala from Chester, NY in 1986. He was a member of First Presbyterian Church and a veteran of WWII and the Korean War, serving in the US Army. He was a retired editorial writer in the publishing industry. He is survived by his wife Joan of Ocala; two nieces, Marcia Kane and Theresa Bridenbeck. A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, July 26, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL at 5 p.m. with Rev. Darren Bess officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.

261. SEAGER, KAREN D., (Obituary No. 261.) 66 Ocala - Karen D. Seager, 66, of Ocala, passed away July 19th at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She came to this area 11 years ago from her native, Buffalo, New York. She was a retired registered nurse and attended Southwestern Christian Church, Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 28 years, Kenneth A. Seager; sons, Daniel Voltman of Sanibel Island, FL and Dean Voltman of Orlando, FL; daughter, Michelle K. Skipper of Buffalo, NY; brother, Daniel Corutine of Ashville, NY; 7 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. She was preceded in death by her son, Dennis Voltman. A Memorial Service will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6421 SW SR200, Ocala 854-2266) on Monday (July 23rd) at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.
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263. THOMAS, JR., BERT LEE, (Obituary No. 263.) 80 Hernando - Mr. Bert Lee Thomas, Jr., age 80, of Hernando, Florida, died on Wednesday, July 18, 2007 in Inverness, Florida. He was the owner/operator of Bert Thomas Well and Pump Service, which he founded in 1972. He came to Hernando, Florida from St. Petersburg, Florida in 1969. He was born on October 23, 1926 in Newport, Kentucky. He was a U.S. Marine Corp veteran serving during WWII. He was a member of Life member of Leroy Rooks V.F.W., Post # 4252, Hernando. He was very active in the Inverness Little League since the 1970's. He also was a member of the Meadowbrook Church. He is preceded in death by his father and mother, Bert Lee Thomas, Sr., and Lucy Welch; and 2 brothers, Eugene and Paul Thomas. He is survived by his wife, Nancy "Pat" Thomas of Hernando; 3 sons, Bert Thomas and wife Pamela of Ocala, Robert Lee Thomas of Ocala and Scott D. Thomas and wife Sladana of Ft. Carson, CO; daughter, Vicky Bradford of Aiken, SC; 4 brothers, John A. Thomas and James D. Thomas both of Illinois, Don D. Thomas and Joseph N. Thomas both of Michigan; 2 sisters, Bertha Snodgrass of Inverness and Ann Doughman of Hernando; 14 grandchildren and great grandson, Clayton Lee Thomas. The Service of Remembrance for Mr. Bert Lee, Thomas will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with Pastor Tim Gilligan officiating. Friends may call between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Monday, July 23, 2007 at the Inverness Chapel of HOOPER FUNERAL HOMES. Those who wish may send memorial donations to Hospice of Citrus County, P.O. Box 641270, Beverly Hills, FL 34464. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.

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266. ARGO, TRITHENA M., (Obituary No. 266.) 90 Ocala - Trithena M. Argo, 90 of Ocala, FL, died Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at M.R.M.C. She was born in York, Neb. And was a homemaker. Trithena was a member of Golden Hills Turf and County Club. She is survived by her very dear and close friends Everett and Susanne Kindberg of Ocala, FL, Nephew- John L. Wood of Clifton, MO. Niece - Judy Gilbert of Kansas City, MO. Cousins - John W. Tuttle of Berkeley, CA and Roy W. Wythers of Lincoln, NE. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.

267. CLAUDE, GEORGES PHILIPPE, (Obituary No. 267.) 81 Ocala - Mr. Georges Philippe Claude, 81, of Ocala passed away on July 20, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Jacmel, Haiti, he moved here in 1991 from Manhattan, NY upon his retirement as chef for the Mary Manning Walsh Home in Manhattan. Georges was a member of Local # 1199 Hospital and Health Services Union in New York and was of Catholic Faith. He is survived by his wife of 31 years, Roselaine Claude of Ocala, FL; sons, Oscar Claude (Alexis) and Georges Claude, Jr., both of Ocala; daughter, Sherline Claude of Shelton, CT., daughter, Judith Claude (Robert) of Henderson, NC; son, Yvon Claude of Manhattan, NY; daughter, Marie Anitte of Bridgeport, CT; brother, Luke Claude of Jacmel, Haiti; six grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren. Friends will be received on Tuesday, July 24, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where chapel services will be held on Wednesday, July 25, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. Entombment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.

268. ELKINS, STANLEY L., (Obituary No. 268.) 83 Silver Springs - Mr. Stanley L. "Stan" Elkins, 83, passed away July 21, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Price Hill, W. VA. and moved to Ocala in 1984 from Wilmington, DE. He was a Bench Worker for Chrysler Corporation, a very active member of Central Baptist Church and bowled on the church league. He is survived by Virgie Elkins his wife of 25 years, a son Eugene Elkins of Newark, DE, stepdaughters Mary (Bob) Martin of Tazewell, VA, Linda Short of Townsend, DE, Brenda (Daryl) French of Newark, DE, Dorothy (Larry) Hess of Smyrna, DE, a stepson Henry Taylor of Bear, DE, several grandchildren and great grandchildren, a sister Gracie Turer of Onida, FL and a brother Lawrence Elkins of Elyria, OH. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. on Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at Central Baptist Church where there will be a funeral service at 11 a.m. with Rev. Andy Bloom and Dr. Jesse Bloom officiating. Final services and interment
269. GRIGGS, DELORES GRACE, (Obituary No. 269.) 64 Summerfield - Mrs. Delores Grace Griggs, 64, of Summerfield, died on July 19, 2007 at Shands Hospital @ UF in Gainesville. A native of Indianapolis, IN, she moved here 12 years ago from Ft. Lauderdale and was a former tagger at Hamilton Products in Ocala. Mrs. Griggs was Baptist. Delores is survived by her daughter Deniece Rushing of Summerfield, sister Margaret Payton of Ocklawaha, brother John Preston of Ocklawaha, brother George Preston of Summerfield, sister Barbara Jones of Indiana, grandchildren Allen and Amanda Rushing, both of Summerfield. She was preceded in death by her husband of 40 years, Howard David Griggs on April 15, 2006 and her son, Howard David Griggs, II in 1998. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at 1 p.m.. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, OCALA. Inurnment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/23/2007 - 7/24/2007.

270. LAZARUIS, GEORGE (Obituary No. 270.), 85 Ocala - Mr. George Lazaruis, 85, passed away on Monday, July 16, 2007 in Ocala. A native of Chicago, IL, he moved to Ocala from Winter Park, FL in 1980. Mr. Lazaruis was retired with the USAF and the US Postal Service. Survivors include his wife, Sonia Lazaruis; sons, Jeffery A. Lazaruis and Barry D. Lazaruis; daughter-in-law, Aggie all of Ocala; brother, John Lazaruis of Arlington Heights, MI; grandchildren, Jara J. Barringer and her husband Bradley, Jade A. Lazaruis, Christopher L. Lazaruis and Sean M. Lazaruis; great granddaughters, Morgan Barringer and Raven Lazaruis; numerous nieces and nephews; dear friends, Rose Kerekes of Ocala, FL., Betty (Phil) Sorsky of Woolton, UK., Renee Kush of Ocala, FL., and Bunny (Bill) Muller of Lake Panasoffkee, FL. Funeral service will be at 2 p.m. on Monday, July 23, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will be private on Tuesday at the Florida National Cemetery. A gathering of family and friends will be held at the home of George and Sonia Lazaruis immediately following the service. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/24/2007.

271. MARTELL, MARY M., (Obituary No. 271.) 96 Ocala - Mary M. Martell, 96 of Ocala, died Wednesday, July 18, 2007 at M.R.M.C. Born in Rockingham County, NC. Mary was a retired nurse. And was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Her son David Jefferies of Plant City, FL, survives her. There will be a gathering at the funeral home on Monday, July 23, 2007 at 11 a.m. to 12 noon at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, with the services at 12 noon with the burial to follow at 2 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.

Princella Thomas of Ocala, FL., Alfreda Maxwell of Ocala, FL., and Kimberly Mitchell of Bayshore, NY; and a special friend, Geneva Jacobs. Visitation will be Saturday, July 21, 2007 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. and Sunday, July 22, 2007 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Services will be held on Monday, July 23, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Greater Holy Temple Church of God in Christ, Supt. Andrew Heflin, Pastor Minister Willie Reynolds, Eulogy. Viewing will be after the Eulogy. Interment will be in Lincoln Memorial Gardens with "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.

273. NIMMS, GEORGE W., (Obituary No. 273.) 84 Ocala - George W. Nimms, 84, passed away on Friday, July 20, 2007. Born in Albany, NY., moving to Ocala from Chester, NY in 1986. He was a member of First Presbyterian Church and a veteran of WWII and the Korean War, serving in the US Army. He was a retired editorial writer in the publishing industry. He is survived by his wife Joan of Ocala; two nieces, Marcia Kane and Theresa Bridenbeck. A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, July 26, 2007 at HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL at 5 p.m. with Rev. Darren Bess officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.

274. RIKER, III., ANDREW L., (Obituary No. 274.) 79 Ocala - Andrew L. Ricker, III, 79 of Ocala, FL passed away on July 20, 2007. He was born in Fairfield, CT on July 11, 1928 to the late Andrew L. and Eleanor (Duell) Riker. He is survived by his wife of 30 years, Eleanor (Collins) Harriz Riker of Ocala; daughter, Dana Riker of Media, PA., daughter, Louise Nalsmith of Media, PA., and Tracy Manella of Cranberry Township, PA. He is also survived by his step-children, James Harriz of Avondale, PA., John Harriz of Glen Mills, PA., Maggee Harriz of Bala Cynwyd, PA., and Betty Duffy of Ocala, FL. He was the brother of Richard Riker of Oregon and James Riker of Connecticut and a sister, Eleanor Crosby of Ukiah, CA; 4 grandsons and 1 granddaughter all of Media, PA. Mr. Riker spent most of his life in Media, Pennsylvania before moving to Ocala, FL in 1989. Mr. Riker was a Retired Navy Commander, and Pilot/Engineer for Boeing-Vertol Corporation. He was also a Helicopter Pilot for the Philadelphia Eagles Football Team until his retirement to Ocala. Mr. Riker served in the Korean conflict and was a POW during that time. Funeral Services will be Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at HIER'S BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBER RIDGE, Chapel, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Friends may gather 1 hour prior to the service. Military Honors will be provided by Angela Santos VFW Post # 4781 of Ocala, FL. Interment will be in Edgewood Cemetery, Glenn Mills, PA. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County C/O Legacy House, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL., 34474, phone (352) 873-7400. https://www.hospiceofmarion.com/make-donation.html would be deeply appreciated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/23/2007 - 7/24/2007.

275. SEAGER, KAREN D., (Obituary No. 275.) 66 Ocala - Karen D. Seager, 66, of Ocala, passed away July 19th at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She came to this area 11 years ago from her native, Buffalo, New York. She was a retired registered nurse and attended Southwestern Christian Church, Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 28 years, Kenneth A. Seager; sons, Daniel Voltman of Sanibel Island, FL and Dean Voltman of Orlando, FL; daughter, Michelle K. Skipper of Buffalo, NY; brother, Daniel Corutine of Asville, NY; 7 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. She was preceded in death by her son, Dennis Voltman. A Memorial Service will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6421 SW SR200, Ocala 854-2266) on Monday (July 23rd) at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.
276. THOMAS, JR., BERT LEE, (Obituary No. 276.) 80 Hernando - Mr. Bert Lee Thomas, Jr., age 80, of Hernando, Florida, died on Wednesday, July 18, 2007 in Inverness, Florida. He was the owner/operator of Bert Thomas Well and Pump Service, which he founded in 1972. He came to Hernando, Florida from St. Petersburg, Florida in 1969. He was born on October 23, 1926 in Newport, Kentucky. He was a U.S. Marine Corp veteran serving during WWII. He was a member of Life member of Leroy Rooks V.F.W., Post # 4252, Hernando. He was very active in the Inverness Little League since the 1970's. He also was a member of the Meadowbrook Church. He is preceded in death by his father and mother, Bert Lee Thomas, Sr., and Lucy Welch; and 2 brothers, Eugene and Paul Thomas. He is survived by his wife, Nancy "Pat" Thomas of Hernando; 3 sons, Bert Thomas and wife Pamela of Ocala, Robert Lee Thomas of Ocala and Scott D. Thomas and wife Sladana of Ft. Carson, CO; daughter, Vicky Bradford of Aiken, SC; 4 brothers, John A. Thomas and James D. Thomas both of Illinois, Don D. Thomas and Joseph N. Thomas both of Michigan; 2 sisters, Bertha Snodgrass of Inverness and Ann Doughman of Hernando; 14 grandchildren and great grandson, Clayton Lee Thomas. The Service of Remembrance for Mr. Bert Lee, Thomas will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with Pastor Tim Gilligan officiating. Friends may call between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Monday, July 23, 2007 at the Inverness Chapel of HOOPER FUNERAL HOMES. Those who wish may send memorial donations to Hospice of Citrus County, P.O. Box 641270, Beverly Hills, FL 34464. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/22/2007 - 7/23/2007.

277. TOMPKINS, LUCY (Obituary No. 277.) , 78 Port Richey - Lucy Tompkins, 78, of Port Richey, died Monday, July 2, 2007 at Mease Hospital Dunedin. Born in White Plains, NY., she came to Florida in 1988 from LaGrangeville, NY. She retired from the claims department of Mutual of Omaha Insurance Co., and was of the Methodist faith. She was a member of the Jasmine Lakes Community and Civic Association, Ladies of the Moose, an avid bingo player and enjoyed cruises. Survivors include one brother, James W. Fitzgerald of Hawthorne, NY; one sister, Elizabeth F. Adam of Ocala, FL; and several nieces and nephew, Kari Fitzgerald Sharry, Heidi Fitzgerald, Marci, Kelly, and Chris (CJ) Healy. Memorial services for Lucy Tompkins will be held Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at GRACE MEMORIAL GARDENS AND FUNERAL HOME, 16931 US Hwy 19, Hudson, FL 34667, (727) 863-5471 with The Rev. Byron Osborn (First United Methodist Church of Hudson) conducting the service followed by inurnment at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions can be made to Morton Plant Mease Foundation, 1200 S. Druid Rd., Clearwater, FL 33756 in Lucy Tompkins name (Mease Dunedin Hospital CCU). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/21/2007 - 7/24/2007.

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278. ADLEY, JAMES FRANKLIN, (Obituary No. 278.) 70 Dunnellon - Jim Adley, 70, passed away on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at his home in Rainbow Springs, Fl with his family in attendance. Jim was born in Chicago, Illinois and attended Lawrence University in Appleton, Wisconsin where he majored in Economics. He moved to Washington, DC after graduation and worked for the Federal Government with the Civil Aeronautics Board until his retirement in 1987. He was a member of Manor Country Club in Rockville, Maryland and past Treasurer of the Rockville, Maryland chapter of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks (B.P.O.E.). Moving to Rainbow Springs 5 years ago, he was able to pursue his passion for golf. He also was a member of the Rainbow Springs Country Club. He is survived by his wife of 39 years - Jackie;
his daughters, Amanda Adley of Baltimore, MD., Beth Villalobos of Corona, CA., and Ellen Wilson of Clarksville, MS. He is also survived by his brothers, Michael Adley of Indianapolis, IN., and Ronald Adley of Munster, IN., as well as his uncle Russell Angeberg of Inverness, FL. He was loved and will be greatly missed by his family and friends. A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, July 26, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon on Rt. 40 West. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to Hospice of Marion County or the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon for its parish nurse and clown ministries. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED.


279. COOK, ETHAN SKYE, (Obituary No. 279.) Ocala - Ethan Skye Cook, 3, died Friday, July 20, 2007 at MRMC. He was a lifetime resident of Ocala, and a faithful attender of Church @ The Springs. Ethan is survived by his parents, Jay and Cathi Cook of Ocala, brother, Chase Cook of Ocala, maternal grandparents, Billy and Pam Rodgers of Ocala and Gay and Ward Foster of Lutz, FL., maternal grandmother, Chris Rodgers of Ocala, paternal grandfather Jim Cook of Ocala, paternal grandmother, Shelby Cook of Ocala, and maternal great grandmother, Carolyn Rose of Ocala, as well as numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, July 25, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Pastor Joe LaCognata officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. A trust fund in the memory of Ethan is being established at Florida Citizens Bank. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007

280. ELKINS, STANLEY L., (Obituary No. 280.) Mr. Stanley L. "Stan" Elkins, 83, passed away July 21, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Price Hill, W. VA. and moved to Ocala in 1984 from Wilmington, DE. He was a Bench Worker for Chrysler Corporation, a very active member of Central Baptist Church and bowled on the church league. He is survived by Virgie Elkins his wife of 25 years, a son Eugene Elkins of Newark, DE, stepdaughters Mary (Bob) Martin of Tazewell, VA, Linda Short of Townsend, DE, Brenda (Daryl) French of Newark, DE, Dorothy (Larry) Hess of Smyrna, DE, a stepson Henry Taylor of Bear, DE, several grandchildren and great grandchildren, a sister Gracie Turer of Onida, FL and a brother Lawrence Elkins of Elyria, OH. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. to 11 p.m.. on Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at Central Baptist Church where there will be a funeral service at 11 a.m. with Rev. Andy Bloom and Dr. Jesse Bloom officiating. Final services and interment will be in Delaware. Donations may be made to Central Baptist Church or Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/23/2007 - 7/24/2007

281. GREEN, JACK DON, (Obituary No. 281.) 77 Silver Springs - Jack Don Green, 77, of Silver Springs, FL died on Sunday, July 22, 2007 at Tuscany House. He was a retired Block Mason. Mr. Green was born in Coldwater, Michigan on June 16, 1930. He moved to Silver Springs, FL in 1995 from Miami, FL. He was in the US Air Force. He was an avid jazz musician, played trumpet and saxophone. He was preceded in death by his wife of 53 years, Gloria Green. He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, David and Anna Green of Lakeland, FL; his daughter and son-in-law, Sherry and Patrick Mansey of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; grandchildren, Joel, Brooke, Sean and Stephen; and great granddaughter, Britney. Information provided by ALL FAITHS CREMATION SOCIETY, 2 La Grande Blvd., The Villages, FL 32159, phone 352-753-2612. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007

282. GRIGGS, DELORES GRACE, (Obituary No. 282.) 64 Summerfield - Mrs. Delores Grace Griggs, 64, of Summerfield, died on July 19, 2007 at Shands Hospital @ UF in
Gainesville. A native of Indianapolis, IN, she moved here 12 years ago from Ft. Lauderdale and was a former tagger at Hamilton Products in Ocala. Mrs. Griggs was Baptist. Delores is survived by her daughter Deniece Rushing of Summerfield, sister Margaret Payton of Ocklawaha, brother John Preston of Ocklawaha, brother George Preston of Summerfield, sister Barbara Jones of Indiana, grandchildren Allen and Amanda Rushing, both of Summerfield. She was preceded in death by her husband of 40 years, Howard David Griggs on April 15, 2006 and her son, Howard David Griggs, II in 1998. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at 1 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, OCALA. Inurnment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/23/2007 - 7/24/2007

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284. PARK, JOYCE J., (Obituary No. 284.) 66 Dunnellon - Joyce J. Park, age 66, of Dunnellon, FL died in Ocala, FL on Friday, July 20, 2007. Born September 20, 1940 in Homestead, FL, daughter to Zobbie and Julia (Cochran) Freeman she moved here from Belleview, FL in 1962. She was a homemaker and of the Methodist Faith. Joyce was a past member of the Dunnellon and the Lake Tropicana Volunteer Fire Dept. She was a stay at home mom who loved fishing. Survivors include her husband of 44 years, Donald Park, Sr. of Dunnellon; one son, Donald Park, Jr. of Dunnellon; brother, Richard Freeman of Astor, FL; brother-in-law, James Park of Ft. McCoy, FL; 2 sister-in-laws, Faye Pippin of Ocala, FL and Linda Donahue of Ocala, FL; several nieces and nephew. A memorial service will be held at Robert Funeral Home Chapel, Dunnellon on Saturday, July 28, 2007 at 2:30 p.m. Friends will be received from 2 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Servicetime. Cremation arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007

285. REMINGTON, JR., JAMES L., (Obituary No. 285.) 80 Summerfield - James L. Remington, Jr., 80, passed away on Saturday, July 21, 2007 in Ocala. He was a lifetime resident of Marion County and was a farmer and cattle rancher. He was a member of Pedro Baptist Church and VFW Post # 8083 of Belleview. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Gloria, his daughter, Debbie Shannon of Two Egg, FL., his son, Jim Remington of Oxford, and his grandchildren, Clay Shannon, Travis Shannon, Dillon Remington, Cody Remington, Kasey Nesselrotte, Cassidy Williams, and Carey Williams. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Pedro Baptist Church with Rev. Rudy Williams officiating. Visitation
will be at the church on Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by HIER-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007.

286. RIKER, III., ANDREW L., (Obituary No. 286.) 79 Ocala - Andrew L. Ricker, III, 79 of Ocala, FL passed away on July 20, 2007. He was born in Fairfield, CT on July 11, 1928 to the late Andrew L. and Eleanor (Duell) Riker. He is survived by his wife of 30 years, Eleanor (Collins) Harriz Riker of Ocala; daughter, Dana Riker of Media, PA., daughter, Louise Nalsmith of Media, PA., and Tracy Manella of Cranberry Township, PA. He is also survived by his step-children, James Harriz of Avondale, PA., John Harriz of Glen Mills, PA., Maggee Harriz of Bala Cynwyd, PA., and Betty Duffy of Ocala, FL. He was the brother of Richard Riker of Oregon and James Riker of Connecticut and a sister, Eleanor Crosby of Ukiah, CA; 4 grandsons and 1 granddaughter all of Media, PA. Mr. Riker spent most of his life in Media, Pennsylvania before moving to Ocala, FL in 1989. Mr. Riker was a Retired Navy Commander, and Pilot/Engineer for Boeing-Vertol Corporation. He was also a Helicopter Pilot for the Philadelphia Eagles Football Team until his retirement to Ocala.Mr. Riker served in the Korean conflict and was a POW during that time. Funeral Services will be Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIER-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBER RIDGE, Chapel, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Friends may gather 1 hour prior to the service. Military Honors will be provided by Angela Santos VFW Post # 4781 of Ocala, FL. Interment will be in Edgewood Cemetery, Glenn Mills, PA. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County C/O Legacy House, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL., 34474, phone (352) 873-7400. https://www.hospiceofmarion.com/make-donation.html would be deeply appreciated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/23/2007 - 7/24/2007

287. SNIDER, CLYDE JAMES "WHITIE", (Obituary No. 287.) 87 Salt Springs - Graveside services for Mr. Clyde James "Whitie" Snider, 87, of Salt Springs, will be at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, July 25, 2007 at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell with Bro. Walt Miller officiating. Full military honors will also be conducted by the Sumter County Honor Guard. Visitation will be Tuesday, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Salt Springs Christian Church on Hwy 316. In lieu of flowers, the family request memorial donations be made to the Salt Springs Christian Church, 24571 NE Hwy 316, Salt Springs, FL 32134. Mr. Snider was a native of Akron, Ohio and resided in Salt Springs since the 1970's coming from Miami. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II where he fought at the Battle of The Bulge. He worked as a painter with unions in Miami and Orlando. "Whitie" as he was known to his friends was a Past President of VFW Post # 10208 in Salt Springs and was a member of VBOB (Veterans of the Battle of the Bulge) in Eustis. While in Miami, he volunteered as a Little League Baseball Coach. As his hobbies, he enjoyed hunting, fishing and playing poker. He is survived by his wife of 2 years, Minnie Snider; 2 sons, James F. Snider and his wife Patsy of St. Augustine, FL and Thomas Snider of North Carolina; a daughter, Judith M. Rainey and husband Perry Herbert Rainey of Borney, TX; a brother, Glenn Snider of Mandarin; a sister, Pauline Pierce of Orange Park; 4 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Arrangements are under the direction of JOHNSON-OVERTURF FUNERAL HOME in Palatka. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007

288. TOMPKINS, LUCY (Obituary No. 288.) , 78 Port Richey - Lucy Tompkins, 78, of Port Richey, died Monday, July 2, 2007 at Mease Hospital Dunedin. Born in White Plains, NY., she came to Florida in 1988 from LaGrangeville, NY. She retired from the claims department of Mutual of Omaha Insurance Co., and was of the Methodist faith. She was a member of the
Jasmine Lakes Community and Civic Association, Ladies of the Moose, an avid bingo player and enjoyed cruises. Survivors include one brother, James W. Fitzgerald of Hawthorne, NY; one sister, Elizabeth F. Adam of Ocala, FL; and several nieces and nephew, Kari Fitzgerald Sharry, Heidi Fitzgerald, Marci, Kelly, and Chris (CJ) Healy. Memorial services for Lucy Tompkins will be held Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. at GRACE MEMORIAL GARDENS AND FUNERAL HOME, 16931 US Hwy 19, Hudson, FL 34667, (727) 863-5471 with The Rev. Byron Osborn (First United Methodist Church of Hudson) conducting the service followed by inurnment at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions can be made to Morton Plant Mease Foundation, 1200 S. Druid Rd., Clearwater, FL 33756 in Lucy Tompkins name (Mease Dunedin Hospital CCU). Published in the Ocala Star Banner from 7/21/2007 - 7/24/2007.

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289. ADLEY, JAMES (Obituary No. 289.) FRANKLIN, 70 Dunnellon - Jim Adley, 70, passed away on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at his home in Rainbow Springs, FL with his family in attendance. Jim was born in Chicago, Illinois and attended Lawrence University in Appleton, Wisconsin where he majored in Economics. He moved to Washington, DC after graduation and worked for the Federal Government with the Civil Aeronautics Board until his retirement in 1987. He was a member of Manor Country Club in Rockville, Maryland and past Treasurer of the Rockville, Maryland chapter of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks (B.P.O.E.). Moving to Rainbow Springs 5 years ago, he was able to pursue his passion for golf. He also was a member of the Rainbow Springs Country Club. He is survived by his wife of 39 years - Jackie; his daughters, Amanda Adley of Baltimore, MD., Beth Villalobos of Corona, CA., and Ellen Wilson of Clarksville, MS. He is also survived by his brothers, Michael Adley of Indianapolis, IN., and Ronald Adley of Munster, IN., as well as his uncle Russell Angeberg of Inverness, FL. He was loved and will be greatly missed by his family and friends. A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, July 26, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon on Rt. 40 West. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to Hospice of Marion County or the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon for its parish nurse and clown ministries. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON - STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007

290. BIRDSALL, ROBERT J., (Obituary No. 290.) 83Ocala - Ocala- Mr. Robert Jacob Birdsell, Sr., 83, of Ocala and Hiawassee, Ga. passed away on July 23, 2007 at his residence. Born in West Palm Beach, Fla., Mr. Birdsell was a retired civil engineer, holding a State of Florida contractors license. Robert served in WW II, European Theatre. During his contracting career throughout Florida, he served as project manager for residential developments, utility systems, an air port terminal, large condominiums and high rise commercial buildings, including The First Financial Tower in downtown Tampa. He is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Betty Birdsell of Ocala and Hiawassee, 3 sons: James C. Birdsell, Juno Beach, Fla., Robert J. Birdsell, Jr., West Palm Beach, Fla. and William D. Birdsell, Ocala, Fla., sister Claire Gardner, Palm Beach, Fla., 2 grandsons, one great granddaughter, and many nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be held at 2 pm, Sunday, July 29, 2007, at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennslyvania Ave., Dunnellon, Fla. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Fla. 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/27/2007
291. **COOK, ETHAN SKYE, (Obituary No. 291.)** Ocala - Ethan Skye Cook, 3, of Ocala, died Friday, July 20, 2007 at MRMC. He was a lifetime resident of Ocala, and a faithful attender of Church @ The Springs. Ethan is survived by his parents, Jay and Cathi Cook of Ocala, brother, Chase Cook of Ocala, maternal grandparents, Billy and Pam Rodgers of Ocala and Gay and Ward Foster of Lutz, FL., maternal grandmother, Chris Rodgers of Ocala, paternal grandfather Jim Cook of Ocala, paternal grandmother, Shelby Cook of Ocala, and maternal great grandmother, Carolyn Rose of Ocala, as well as numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, July 25, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Pastor Joe LaCognata officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. A trust fund in the memory of Ethan is being established at Florida Citizens Bank. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007

292. **DUNHAM, JAMES HERBERT, (Obituary No. 292.)** Peachtree City, GA - James Herbert Dunham, 83, of Peachtree City, formerly of Dunnellon, Florida, died on Monday, July 23, 2007. He was a World War II army veteran and he later retired from the Marion County School Board. He lived in Dunnellon, Florida for over 35 years before moving to the suburbs of Atlanta to be closer to family. Survivors include his son, James Dunham and wife Janet of McDonough, Georgia; a daughter, Sheri Hawkins and her husband Danny, of Molina, Colorado; two grandsons, Allan Peters and Luca Yearsoviich; two granddaughters, Jessica Minkin and Myriah Marinov; and one great granddaughter, Lidia Minkin; along with many other family, friends and loved ones. He was preceded in death by his loving wife, Francine Dunham. The family will receive friends and visitors at the Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon, Florida on Thursday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Funeral services will be Friday at 10 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon with Rev. Eddie Fulford officiating. Interment will follow in Dunnellon Memory Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

293. **GREEN, JACK DON, (Obituary No. 293.)** Silver Springs - Jack Don Green, 77, of Silver Springs, FL died on Sunday, July 22, 2007 at Tuscany House. He was a retired Block Mason. Mr. Green was born in Coldwater, Michigan on June 16, 1930. He moved to Silver Springs, FL in 1995 from Miami, FL. He was in the US Air Force. He was an avid jazz musician, played trumpet and saxophone. He was preceded in death by his wife of 53 years, Gloria Green. He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, David and Anna Green of Lakeland, FL; his daughter and son-in-law, Sherry and Patrick Mansey of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; grandchildren, Joel, Brooke, Sean and Stephen; and great granddaughter, Britney. Information provided by ALL FAITHS CREMATION SOCIETY, 2 La Grande Blvd., The Villages, FL 32159, phone 352-753-2612. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007

294. **INGRAHAM, NORMAN W., (Obituary No. 294.)** Ocala - Norman W. Ingraham, of Ocala, FL formerly of the Rochester, NY area passed away suddenly on July 5, 2007 at the age of 89. He is predeceased by his wife, Francis; brothers, Cedric, Glenn, Herm, & Elwin; also sister Clela Powers. He is survived by his beloved son and daughter-in-law, N. William and Mary Jo (Nixon) Ingraham of Rochester; 2 grandsons, Dr. James (Pam) and Jeffrey; special niece, Geraldine (Jack) Deane; several nieces, nephews and many friends. Norman was a WWII veteran and a retiree of Eastman Kodak Co. and the US Postal Service in Florida. A memorial service will be held in Rochester, NY at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Interpreter Deaf Fund at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, 601 Edgewood Ave., Rochester, NY.
Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

295. PARK, JOYCE J., (Obituary No. 295.) 66 - Dunnellon - Joyce J. Park, age 66, of Dunnellon, FL died in Ocala, FL on Friday, July 20, 2007. Born September 20, 1940 in Homestead, FL, daughter to Zobbie and Julia (Cochran) Freeman she moved here from Belleview, FL in 1962. She was a homemaker and of the Methodist Faith. Joyce was a past member of the Dunnellon and the Lake Tropicana Volunteer Fire Dept. She was a stay at home mom who loved fishing. Survivors include her husband of 44 years, Donald Park, Sr. of Dunnellon; one son, Donald Park Jr. of Dunnellon; brother, Richard Freeman of Astor, FL; brother-in-law, James Park of Ft. McCoy, FL; 2 sister-in-laws, Faye Pippin of Ocala, FL and Linda Donahue of Ocala, FL; several nieces and nephew. A memorial service will be held at Robert Funeral Home Chapel, Dunnellon on Saturday, July 28, 2007 at 2:30 p.m. Friends will be received from 2 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Servicetime. Cremation arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007

296. PRANCE, DEWEY C., (Obituary No. 296.) 70 - Salt Springs - Mr. Dewey C. Prance, 70, of Salt Springs, FL passed away on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at Dickison County Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain, MI. A native of Tampa, FL he had made Salt Springs his home for the past ten years moving from Ocala, FL. Mr. Prance was a retired director for an electrical apprentice program and a member of Forest Community Church. Survivors include his wife of over 46 years, Marcella B. Prance; daughter, Donna LaFranca of Ocala; son, Michael C. Prance of Palatka, FL; mother, Alethea Prance of Tampa, FL; brother, George Prance of Largo, FL; three grandchildren, Bobby Moore, David and Adam LaFranca. Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, July 26, 2007 with Dr. Jim Beasley officiating. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to services, at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 S.E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

297. REMINGTON, JR., JAMES L., (Obituary No. 297.) 80 - Summerfield - James L. Remington, Jr., 80, passed away on Saturday, July 21, 2007 in Ocala. He was a lifetime resident of Marion County and was a farmer and cattle rancher. He was a member of Pedro Baptist Church and VFW Post # 8083 of Belleview. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Gloria, his daughter, Debbie Shannon of Two Egg, FL., his son, Jim Remington of Oxford, and his grandchildren, Clay Shannon, Travis Shannon, Dillon Remington, Cody Remington, Kasey Nesselrotte, Cassidy Williams, and Carey Williams. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Pedro Baptist Church with Rev. Rudy Williams officiating. Visitation will be at the church on Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007

298. REYNOLDS, JEAN A., (Obituary No. 298.) 79 - Ocala - Jean Reynolds, 79, passed away July 18, 2007 at her residence. Born in Louisville, KY, she came to Ocala area 28 years ago from Lexington, KY. She was a homemaker and an avid craft maker. Her kind ways and laughter will be deeply missed by her family and the many that she touched. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Lloyd Reynolds, Sr.; sons, Robert Reynolds and Stewart Reynolds of Ocala, Lloyd (Trina) Reynolds, Jr. of Rincon, GA; daughter-in-law, Debbie Reynolds of Lexington, KY; grandchildren, Ashley, Bobby Joe, Cheryl, Haley, Heather, Heidi, Jessica, Kenny, Megan,
Michele, Page, Phillip (Kristi), and Samuel; great grandchildren, April, Breana, Caleb, Chase, Chelsea, Dalton, Devin, Garrett, Griffin, Jesse, Kristen, Logan, Robert, Samantha, Sarah, and Sawyer. She was preceded in death by her parents, Robert and Florence Cones, a son, Samuel Reynolds, a sister, Edith Cones, a daughter-in-law, Cynthia Reynolds, and a grandson, Michael. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, July 27, 2007 at 11 a.m. at St. John's United Methodist Church, 12390 Hwy 328, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

299. SNIDER, CLYDE JAMES "WHITIE", (Obituary No. 299.) 87Salt Springs - Graveside services for Mr. Clyde James "Whitie" Snider, 87, of Salt Springs, will be at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, July 25, 2007 at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell with Bro. Walt Miller officiating. Full military honors will also be conducted by the Sumter County Honor Guard. Visitation will be Tuesday, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Salt Springs Christian Church on Hwy 316. In lieu of flowers, the family request memorial donations be made to the Salt Springs Christian Church, 24571 NE Hwy 316, Salt Springs, FL 32134. Mr. Snider was a native of Akron, Ohio and resided in Salt Springs since the 1970's coming from Miami. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II where he fought at the Battle of The Bulge. He worked as a painter with unions in Miami and Orlando. "Whitie" as he was known to his friends was a Past President of VFW Post # 10208 in Salt Springs and was a member of VBOB (Veterans of the Battle of the Bulge) in Eustis. While in Miami, he volunteered as a Little League Baseball Coach. As his hobbies, he enjoyed hunting, fishing and playing poker. He is survived by his wife of 2 years, Minnie Snider; 2 sons, James F. Snider and his wife Patsy of St. Augustine, FL and Thomas Snider of North Carolina; a daughter, Judith M. Rainey and husband Perry Herbert Rainey of Borney, TX; a brother, Glenn Snider of Mandarin; a sister, Pauline Pierce of Orange Park; 4 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Arrangements are under the direction of JOHNSON-OVERTURF FUNERAL HOME in Palatka. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/24/2007 - 7/25/2007

300. STRAIT, WARREN F., (Obituary No. 300.) 79Hope, NJ - Warren F. Strait went to be with the Lord on July 21, 2007 at East Stroudsburg, PA. Warren was born on April 5, 1928 in Hamburg, NJ. He was the son of Asa H. and Laura Strait. He was married to Myrtle Dennis of Hamburg for 58 years. He is predeceased by Myrtle and son Michael. Warren served in the Navy from 1945 - 1947. Warren was a farmer in Sussex County for 13 years before moving to Hope, NJ in 1960 and became members of the St. Johns Methodist Church. There he was active as a Little League coach and was the founder of the Babe Ruth League team. He played on various softball teams with his sons and served on the advisory board of the Hope Community Center. He was past President of the Hope Township Board of Education serving in 1969 - 1970. He owned his own business called Ace's Body Shop in Hope for almost 30 years. Warren served as a volunteer fireman all the time he lived in Hope. Warren enjoyed gardening and was happiest on his knees in his gardens. He was an avid fisherman and hunter enjoying the great outdoors of Pennsylvania, NJ and Florida. Warren has lived in Ocala, FL where he was a member of the Druid Hills Methodist Church and St. Augustine, FL where he is a member of the Shores United Methodist Church. He is survived by 3 sons, Dennis B. Strait of Hope, NJ., Bruce A. Strait of Ashley, PA., and Jeffrey D. Strait of St. Augustine, FL; 2 daughters, Roxana G. Greene of Ocala, FL and Laurie A. Strait-Jewell of East Stroudsburg, PA; and there are also 8 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Services will be held at St. John's Methodist Church in Hope, NJ on Wednesday, July 25, 2007 at 11 a.m. Interment will be in St. John's Cemetery. The FINEGAN FUNERAL HOME, 302 Heckman St., is in charge of arrangements. In lieu of flowers the family
requests that the following memorials be used: Shores United Methodist Church, 724 Shores Blvd., St. Augustine, FL 32086, Druid Hills Methodist Church, 1712 SE Lake Weir Road, Ocala, FL. 34471, Ft. King Lions Club, Hope Volunteer Fire Dept., Hope, NJ 07844 and St. Johns Methodist Church, Hope, NJ 07844. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

301. TIMBRELL, SR., PAUL MARK, (Obituary No. 301.) 49Ocala - Paul Mark Timbrell, Sr., age 49, of Ocala, FL died on vacation in England, July 12, 2007. He has been a resident of Ocala for the last 15 years, and was employed by Yale Industrial Trucks for 17 years located in Orlando and Ocala. Survivors include his wife Sue Timbrell of 27 years; one son, Paul Timbrell, Jr.: two daughters, Stephanie Potts and Tonya "Lynn"e Timbrell; his parents, Ronald and Janet Timbrell; all of Ocala; two brothers, Gary Timbrell of Kissimmee, FL and Mark Timbrell of CA; two grandchildren, John-John "Spike" and Devin "Little Bear" of Ocala and one grandchild due in February of 2008. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. on Friday, July 27, 2007 at Hiers FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL with interment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

302. TRAMMELL, ROBERT D., (Obituary No. 302.) 77Summerfield - Robert D. Trammell, 77, died peacefully at home on July 19, 2007. He was a member of Shiloh Church of Belleview, retired Chief Boatswain's Mate from the Coast Guard, Korean and Vietnam War Veteran, and a member of the Legion and DAV. "Rob" was an avid fisherman, hunter, and NASCAR fan. He loved growing plants, feeding the world, and traveling. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Ruth; 3 children, Kathy (Craig) Chaffee, Bob (Georgia) Trammell, and Teri (John) Hoolihan; 9 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren; 2 sisters, Lelama Thacker and Francine Jeffer; 4 brothers, Tom, Frank, Joe, and Floyd. A Celebration of his life will be held September 2, 2007, at the Shiloh Church of Belleview. Memorial contributions may be made to Shiloh Church of Belleview Food Pantry. Arrangements are under the direction of Hiers-Baxley FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW, Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007.

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303. ADAM, BEVERLY (Obituary No. 303.) ANN, 59Ocala - Beverly Ann Adam, 59, of Ocala, FL passed away at Estelle's Hospice House, Ocala, FL on July 21, 2007 of natural causes. A native of Washington, DC and a career administrative assistant for the Central Intelligence Agency for 381/2 years; she was a Lutheran that moved to the local area in 2003. Beverly is survived by her husband, Victor of Ocala, FL; a brother, Jim Rickard of Frostproof, FL and a sister, Shirley Petro of Parma, OH. VETERAN FUNERAL CARE, phone number 1-800-467-7850 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

304. BIRDSALL, ROBERT J., (Obituary No. 304.) 83Ocala - Ocala- Mr. Robert Jacob Birdsall, Sr., 83, of Ocala and Hiawassee, Ga. passed away on July 23, 2007 at his residence. Born in West Palm Beach, Fla., Mr. Birdsall was a retired civil engineer, holding a State of Florida contractors license. Robert served in WW II, European Theatre. During his contracting career throughout Florida, he served as project manager for residential developments, utility systems, an airport terminal, large condominiums and high rise commercial buildings, including The First Financial Tower in downtown Tampa. He is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Betty Birdsall of Ocala and Hiawassee, 3 sons: James C. Birdsall, Juno Beach, Fla., Robert J. Birdsall, Jr., West Palm Beach, Fla. and William D. Birdsall, Ocala, Fla., sister Claire Gardner, Palm Beach, Fla., 2 grandsons, one great granddaughter, and many nieces and nephews.
Memorial services will be held at 2 pm, Sunday, July 29, 2007, at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylavnia Ave., Dunnellon, Fla. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Fla. 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/27/2007

305. BOSTICK, RUTH ERNESTINE, (Obituary No. 305.) 80Dunnellon - Ruth Ernestine Bostick, 80, homemaker, passed away July 25, 2007 at New Horizon Rehab Center. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 28, 2007 at 2 p.m. from the 1st Bethel Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor and Rev. Michael Warren, officiating. Mrs. Bostick was born March 26, 1927 in Brooker, FL to the late John Jennings and Florence Bellamy. Survivors include 5 sons, Leronzo McIntyre, Tampa, FL, Alphonso Leslie, Memphis, TN, Ronnie Leslie, Gainesville, FL, Robert McIntyre, Dunnellon, FL and John Leslie, Macon, GA; 1 daughter, Julie Dennis, Tama, FL; 8 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Interment will be in Dunnellon Community Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, July 27, 2007 from 12 noon until 7 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the church from 1 p.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

306. COHEN, LORRAINE (FREEMAN), (Obituary No. 306.) 75Bristol, CT - Lorraine (Freeman) Cohen, 75, of Bristol, CT passed away on Tuesday, July 24, 2007. Born October 20, 1931 in Brooklyn, NY, Lorraine spent her life as a resident in New York, Connecticut, and Florida. She was predeceased by her husband, Bernard Cohen and by her parents, Irving and Rose (Weiss) Freeman. She is survived by her loving son Alan Cohen of Ocala, FL; her loving daughters, Maureen Gehring and her husband William of North Branford, CT, Debra McKean and her husband David of Jupiter, FL, Sandra Brandt and her husband John of Bristol, CT, Cynthia Hopper and her husband Richard of Ocala, FL and Rochelle Long and her husband Christopher of Clinton, CT; by her 14 loving and devoted grandchildren; and by 2 great grandchildren. She is also survived by two brothers, Norman Freeman of Sarasota, FL and Robert Freeman and sister-in-law Rhoda of Portland, ME; by brother-in-law Gerald Cohen and sister-in-law Charlotte of North Haven, CT; by sister-in-law Reeva Lynes and brother-in-law Gary; and by several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Morris and Mary Lou Cohen. Lorraine will be remembered as a Hadassah member, Girl Scout Leader, dog lover, and casino lover. Graveside services will be held Monday, July 30, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Gardens of Bnai Darom Synagogue Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association of CT, 45 Ash St., East Hartford, CT 06108-2372. Arrangements are entrusted to WEINSTEIN MORTUARY, Hartford, CT. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

307. DUMAS, MARIE VICTOIRE (CABANA), (Obituary No. 307.) 89Fredericksburg, VA - Marie Victoire (Cabana) Dumas, 89, beloved wife of Laurier R. Dumas, passed away Sunday, July 22, 2007 at Mary Washington Hospital in Fredericksburg, VA. Born May 7, 1918 in New Bedford, MA she was the daughter of the late Esther (Nadeau) and Arsene Joseph Cabana. In addition to her devoted husband of 56 years, she will be lovingly remembered by her children, Lucille Parkinson and her husband, John, of Fairfield, CT, Roger Dumas and his wife, Sue, of Eastham, MA, and Diane Dumas of Locust Grove, VA; two grandchildren, Melissa Posey and Christopher Leathe, and one great grandchild; a brother, Gerard Cabana and his wife Ruth of Fairhaven, MA, a sister, Therese Duggan of Marion, MA and many nieces and nephews. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place Friday at 11 a.m. at St. Patrick Church, Spotsylvania, VA. Arrangements have been made by LAUREL HILL FUNERAL HOME of Spotsylvania, VA. To
offer an online condolence please visit www.laurelhillfuneralhome.com In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 306 Industrial Park Rd., Middletown, CT 06457. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

308. DUNHAM, JAMES HERBERT, (Obituary No. 308.) 83Peachtree City, GA - James Herbert Dunham, 83, of Peachtree City, formerly of Dunnellon, Florida, died on Monday, July 23, 2007. He was a World War II army veteran and he later retired from the Marion County School Board. He lived in Dunnellon, Florida for over 35 years before moving to the suburbs of Atlanta to be closer to family. Survivors include his son, James Dunham and wife Janet of McDonough, Georgia; a daughter, Sheri Hawkins and her husband Danny, of Molina, Colorado; two grandsons, Allan Peters and Luca Yearsoovich; two granddaughters, Jessica Minkin and Myriah Marinov; and one great granddaughter, Lidia Minkin; along with many other family, friends and loved ones. He was preceded in death by his loving wife, Francine Dunham. The family will receive friends and visitors at the Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon, Florida on Thursday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Funeral services will be Friday at 10 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon with Rev. Eddie Fulford officiating. Interment will follow in Dunnellon Memory Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

309. HANDWORK, ANNE L., (Obituary No. 309.) 71Ocala - Anne L. Handwork, 71, passed away Monday, July 23, 2007. Born August 8, 1935 in Youngstown, Ohio she was the daughter of Harry and Martha Linebaugh. She was a resident of Ocala for the past 10 years. She was a retired bookkeeper and a homemaker. Preceded in death by her parents and brother (Neil Linebaugh), she is survived by her husband of 50 years, William R. Handwork; son and daughter-in-law, Lawrence and Colleen Handwork of Canton, OH; daughter and son-in-law, Sharon and Richard Gunter of Youngstown, OH; and five grandchildren, Lauren, Patrick, and Erin Handwork, and Richard and Derek Gunter. She was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother and will be greatly missed by family and friends. A Memorial reception will be held Friday, July 27, 2007 at 1 p.m. in the Marion Landing Clubhouse. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

310. INGRAHAM, NORMAN W., (Obituary No. 310.) 89Ocala - Norman W. Ingraham, of Ocala, FL formerly of the Rochester, NY area passed away suddenly on July 5, 2007 at the age of 89. He is predeceased by his wife, Francis; brothers, Cedric, Glenn, Herm, & Elwin; also sister Clela Powers. He is survived by his beloved son and daughter-in-law, N. William and Mary Jo (Nixon) Ingraham of Rochester; 2 grandsons, Dr. James (Pam) and Jeffrey; special niece, Geraldine (Jack) Deane; several nieces, nephews and many friends. Norman was a WWII veteran and a retiree of Eastman Kodak Co. and the US Postal Service in Florida. A memorial service will be held in Rochester, NY at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Interpreter Deaf Fund at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, 601 Edgewood Ave., Rochester, NY. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

311. MCDONALD, JR., WILLIAM H., (Obituary No. 311.) 82Ocala - William H. McDonald, Jr., 82, died Saturday, July 21, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Georgia, he moved here from Tallahassee in 1955. He retired as a CPA with 40 years experience. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. He was a disabled army veteran of WWII. He is survived by three sons, one daughter, and six grandchildren. A graveside service
312. **PRANCE, DEWEY C., (Obituary No. 312.)** 70Salt Springs - Mr. Dewey C. Prance, 70, of Salt Springs, FL passed away on Saturday, July 21, 2007 at Dickison County Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain, MI. A native of Tampa, FL he had made Salt Springs his home for the past ten years moving from Ocala, FL. Mr. Prance was a retired director for an electrical apprentice program and a member of Forest Community Church. Survivors include his wife of over 46 years, Marcella B. Prance; daughter, Donna LaFrance of Ocala; son, Michael C. Prance of Palatka, FL; mother, Alethea Prance of Tampa, FL; brother, George Prance of Largo, FL; three grandchildren, Bobby Moore, David and Adam LaFrance. Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, July 26, 2007 with Dr. Jim Beasley officiating. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to services, at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 S.E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES.

313. **REYNOLDS, JEAN A., (Obituary No. 313.)** 79Ocala - Jean Reynolds, 79, passed away July 18, 2007 at her residence. Born in Louisville, KY, she came to Ocala area 28 years ago from Lexington, KY. She was a homemaker and an avid craft maker. Her kind ways and laughter will be deeply missed by her family and the many that she touched. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Lloyd Reynolds, Sr.; sons, Robert Reynolds and Stewart Reynolds of Ocala, Lloyd (Trina) Reynolds, Jr. of Rincon, GA; daughter-in-law, Debbie Reynolds of Lexington, KY; grandchildren, Ashley, Bobby Joe, Cheryl, Haley, Heather, Heidi, Jessica, Kenny, Megan, Michele, Page, Phillip (Kristi), and Samuel; great grandchildren, April, Breana, Caleb, Chase, Chelsea, Dalton, Devin, Garrett, Griffin, Jesse, Kristen, Logan, Robert, Samantha, Sarah, and Sawyer. She was preceded in death by her parents, Robert and Florence Cones, a son, Samuel Reynolds, a sister, Edith Cones, a daughter-in-law, Cynthia Reynolds, and a grandson, Michael. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, July 27, 2007 at 11 a.m. at St. John's United Methodist Church, 12390 Hwy 328, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

314. **STRAIT, WARREN F., (Obituary No. 314.)** 79Hope, NJ - Warren F. Strait went to be with the Lord on July 21, 2007 at East Stroudsburg, PA. Warren was born on April 5, 1928 in Hamburg, NJ. He was the son of Asa H. and Laura Strait. He was married to Myrtle Dennis of Hamburg for 58 years. He is predeceased by Myrtle and son Michael. Warren served in the Navy from 1945 - 1947. Warren was a farmer in Sussex County for 13 years before moving to Hope, NJ in 1960 and became members of the St. Johns Methodist Church. There he was active as a Little League coach and was the founder of the Babe Ruth League team. He played on various softball teams with his sons and served on the advisory board of the Hope Community Center. He was past President of the Hope Township Board of Education serving in 1969 - 1970. He owned his own business called Ace's Body Shop in Hope for almost 30 years. Warren served as a volunteer fireman all the time he lived in Hope. Warren enjoyed gardening and was happiest on his knees in his gardens. He was an avid fisherman and hunter enjoying the great outdoors of Pennsylvania, NJ and Florida. Warren has lived in Ocala, FL where he was a member of the Druid Hills Methodist Church and St. Augustine, FL where he is a member of the Shores United Methodist Church. He is survived by 3 sons, Dennis B. Strait of Hope, NJ., Bruce A. Strait of Ashley, PA., and Jeffrey D. Strait of St. Augustine, FL; 2 daughters, Roxana G. Greene of Ocala, FL and Laurie A. Strait-Jewell of East Stroudsburg, PA; and there are also 8 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Services will be held at St. John's Methodist Church in Hope, NJ on
Wednesday, July 25, 2007 at 11 a.m. Interment will be in St. John's Cemetery. The FINEGAN FUNERAL HOME, 302 Heckman St., is in charge of arrangements. In lieu of flowers the family requests that the following memorials be used: Shores United Methodist Church, 724 Shores Blvd., St. Augustine, FL 32086, Druid Hills Methodist Church, 1712 SE Lake Weir Road, Ocala, FL. 34471, Ft. King Lions Club, Hope Volunteer Fire Dept., Hope, NJ 07844 and St. Johns Methodist Church, Hope, NJ 07844. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

315. TIMBRELL, SR., PAUL MARK, (Obituary No. 315.) 49Ocala - Paul Mark Timbrell, Sr., age 49, of Ocala, FL died on vacation in England, July 12, 2007. He has been a resident of Ocala for the last 15 years, and was employed by Yale Industrial Trucks for 17 years located in Orlando and Ocala. Survivors include his wife Sue Timbrell of 27 years; one son, Paul Timbrell, Jr.: two daughters, Stephanie Potts and Tonya "Lynn" Timbrell; his parents, Ronald and Janet Timbrell; all of Ocala; two brothers, Gary Timbrell of Kissimme, FL and Mark Timbrell of CA; two grandchildren, John "Spike" and Devin "Little Bear" of Ocala and one grandchild due in February of 2008. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. on Friday, July 27, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL with interment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007

316. TRAMMELL, ROBERT D., (Obituary No. 316.) 77Summerfield - Robert D. Trammell, 77, died peacefully at home on July 19, 2007. He was a member of Shiloh Church of Belleview, retired Chief Boatswain's Mate from the Coast Guard, Korean and Vietnam War Veteran, and a member of the Legion and DAV. "Rob" was an avid fisherman, hunter, and NASCAR fan. He loved growing plants, feeding the world, and traveling. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Ruth; 3 children, Kathy (Craig) Chaffee, Bob (Georgia) Trammell, and Teri (John) Hoolihan; 9 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren; 2 sisters, Lelama Thacker and Francine Jeffers; 4 brothers, Tom, Frank, Joe, and Floyd. A Celebration of his life will be held September 2, 2007, at the Shiloh Church of Belleview. Memorial contributions may be made to Shiloh Church of Belleview Food Pantry. Arrangements are under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW, Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/26/2007


317. ADAM, BEVERLY (Obituary No. 317.) ANN, 59Ocala - Beverly Ann Adam, 59, of Ocala, FL passed away at Estelle's Hospice House, Ocala, FL on July 21, 2007 of natural causes. A native of Washington, DC and a career administrative assistant for the Central Intelligence Agency for 381/2 years; she was a Lutheran that moved to the local area in 2003. Beverly is survived by her husband, Victor of Ocala, FL; a brother, Jim Rickard of Frostproof, FL and a sister, Shirley Petro of Parma, OH. VETERAN FUNERAL CARE, phone number 1-800-467-7850 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

318. BIRDSALL, ROBERT J., (Obituary No. 318.) 83Ocala - Ocala- Mr. Robert Jacob Birdsall, Sr., 83, of Ocala and Hiawassee, Ga. passed away on July 23, 2007 at his residence. Born in West Palm Beach, Fla., Mr. Birdsall was a retired civil engineer, holding a State of Florida contractors license. Robert served in WW II, European Theatre. During his contracting career throughout Florida, he served as project manager for residential developments, utility systems, an air port terminal, large condominiums and high rise commercial buildings, including The First Financial Tower in downtown Tampa. He is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Betty Birdsall of Ocala and Hiawassee, 3 sons: James C. Birdsall, Juno Beach, Fla., Robert J.
Birdsall, Jr., West Palm Beach, Fla. and William D. Birdsall, Ocala, Fla., sister Claire Gardner, Palm Beach, Fla., 2 grandsons, one great granddaughter, and many nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be held at 2 pm, Sunday, July 29, 2007, at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, Fla. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Fla. 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/25/2007 - 7/27/2007

319. BOSTICK, RUTH ERNESTINE, (Obituary No. 319.) 80Dunnellon - Ruth Ernestine Bostick, 80, homemaker, passed away July 25, 2007 at New Horizon Rehab Center. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 28, 2007 at 2 p.m. from the 1st Bethel Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor and Rev. Michael Warren, officiating. Mrs. Bostick was born March 26, 1927 in Brooker, FL to the late John Jennings and Florence Bellamy. Survivors include 5 sons, Leronzo McIntyre, Tampa, FL, Alphonso Leslie, Memphis, TN, Ronnie Leslie, Gainesville, FL, Robert McIntyre, Dunnellon, FL and John Leslie, Macon, GA; 1 daughter, Julie Dennis, Tama, FL; 8 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Interment will be in Dunnellon Community Cemetery under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, July 27, 2007 from 12 noon until 7 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the church from 1 p.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

320. COHEN, LORRAINE (FREEMAN), (Obituary No. 320.) 75Bristol, CT - Lorraine (Freeman) Cohen, 75, of Bristol, CT passed away on Tuesday, July 24, 2007. Born October 20, 1931 in Brooklyn, NY, Lorraine spent her life as a resident in New York, Connecticut, and Florida. She was predeceased by her husband, Bernard Cohen and by her parents, Irving and Rose (Weiss) Freeman. She is survived by her loving son Alan Cohen of Ocala, FL; her loving daughters, Maureen Gehring and her husband William of North Branford, CT, Debra McKean and her husband David of Jupiter, FL, Sandra Brandt and her husband John of Bristol, CT, Cynthia Hopper and her husband Richard of Ocala, FL and Rochelle Long and her husband Christopher of Clinton, CT; by her 14 loving and devoted grandchildren; and by 2 great grandchildren. She is also survived by two brothers, Norman Freeman of Sarasota, FL and Robert Freeman and sister-in-law Rhoda of Portland, ME; by brother-in-law Gerald Cohen and sister-in-law Charlotte of North Haven, CT; by sister-in-law Reeva Lynes and brother-in-law Gary; and by several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Morris and Mary Lou Cohen. Lorraine will be remembered as a Hadassah member, Girl Scout Leader, dog lover, and casino lover. Graveside services will be held Monday, July 30, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Gardens of Bnai Darom Synagogue Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association of CT, 45 Ash St., East Hartford, CT 06108-2372. Arrangements are entrusted to WEINSTEIN MORTUARY, Hartford, CT. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

321. DUMAS, MARIE VICTOIRE (CABANA), (Obituary No. 321.) 89Fredericksburg, VA - Marie Victoire (Cabana) Dumas, 89, beloved wife of Laurier R. Dumas, passed away Sunday, July 22, 2007 at Mary Washington Hospital in Fredericksburg, VA. Born May 7, 1918 in New Bedford, MA she was the daughter of the late Esther (Nadeau) and Arsene Joseph Cabana. In addition to her devoted husband of 56 years, she will be lovingly remembered by her children, Lucille Parkinson and her husband, John, of Fairfield, CT, Roger Dumas and his wife, Sue, of Eastham, MA, and Diane Dumas of Locust Grove, VA; two grandchildren, Melissa Posey and Christopher Leathe, and one great grandchild; a brother, Gerard Cabana and his wife Ruth of Fairhaven, MA, a sister, Therese Duggan of Marion, MA and many nieces and nephews. A Mass
of Christian Burial will take place Friday at 11 a.m. at St. Patrick Church, Spotsylvania, VA. Arrangements have been made by LAUREL HILL FUNERAL HOME of Spotsylvania, VA. To offer an online condolence please visit www.laurelhillfuneralhome.com. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 306 Industrial Park Rd., Middletown, CT 06457. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

322. HANDWORK, ANNE L., (Obituary No. 322.) 71Ocala - Anne L. Handwork, 71, passed away Monday, July 23, 2007. Born August 8, 1935 in Youngstown, Ohio she was the daughter of Harry and Martha Linebaugh. She was a resident of Ocala for the past 10 years. She was a retired bookkeeper and a homemaker. Preceded in death by her parents and brother (Neil Linebaugh), she is survived by her husband of 50 years, William R. Handwork; son and daughter-in-law, Lawrence and Colleen Handwork of Canton, OH; daughter and son-in-law, Sharon and Richard Gunter of Youngstown, OH; and five grandchildren, Lauren, Patrick, and Erin Handwork, and Richard and Derek Gunter. She was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother and will be greatly missed by family and friends. A Memorial reception will be held Friday, July 27, 2007 at 1 p.m. in the Marion Landing Clubhouse. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

323. MCDONALD, JR., WILLIAM H., (Obituary No. 323.) 82Ocala - William H. McDonald, Jr., 82, died Saturday, July 21, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Georgia, he moved here from Tallahassee in 1955. He retired as a CPA with 40 years experience. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. He was a disabled army veteran of WWII. He is survived by three sons, one daughter, and six grandchildren. A graveside service will be at 1 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Sign the guest registry at www.veteranfuneralcare.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/26/2007 - 7/27/2007

324. REAVES, MYRTLE WALDRON, (Obituary No. 324.) 93Ocala - Myrtle Waldron Reaves was surrounded by her loving children and grandchildren when Jesus called her home on Tuesday, July 24, 2007. Born to Mary Rhodes Waldron and Jesse Clarence Waldron on May 6, 1914 in Marion County, she was a life-long resident of Florida and lived in Ocala for most of her life. She continued to keep her home in Ocala and divided her time between her daughters in Orlando and Atlanta after the death of her husband of 55 years, John Wiley Reaves. She was preceded in death by 4 sisters and 3 brothers and is survived by her daughters and sons-in-law, Wylene and Ted Perry of Atlanta, GA and Judy and Don Dotzler of Orlando, Fl. She is also survived by her 3 grandchildren, Michael Perry and his wife Candy of Atlanta and Justin and Jeremy Dotzler of Orlando, 2 great grandchildren, Luke and Katie Perry of Atlanta; and several generations of nieces and nephews. She was retired from Munroe Memorial Hospital where she was the first director of housekeeping and later was a medical secretary. A warm, gentle and unselfish person, she was loved by everyone who knew her. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141 on Sunday, July 29, 2007 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. A Celebration of Life will be held at the Funeral Home on Monday, July 30, 2007 at 1 p.m. with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions be made to Embracing Hospice Care, 3180 Presidential Drive Suite G. Atlanta, GA 30340. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/27/2007 - 7/28/2007

325. SHAUGHNESSY, BARBARA J., (Obituary No. 325.) 50Belleview - Barbara J. Shaughnessy passed away on July 4, 2007 at the age of 50. Formerly of Rochester, NY and resident of Summerfield. Beloved mother of Shannon (Cory) Nichols and Kristy Shaughnessy of Belleview; grandmother of 4; sister of Don Burley of Rochester, NY, Peggy Berger, David
Burley of Malaysia, and Sharon Ackley; daughter of Evelyn Burley. Memorial Services at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens on Saturday, July 28, 2007 at 10 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/27/2007 - 7/28/2007

326. SIMMONS, WILLIAM "BILL", (Obituary No. 326.) 88 Summerfield- Bill Simmons, 88, died Tuesday, July 24, 2007. Mr. Simmons was born in Bogalusa, LA., was a Army Veteran of WWII and the Korean Conflict. He was a retired land surveyor and right of way coordinator, a member of Lady Lake American Legion; Belleview VFW; Veterans Club of Spruce Creek South and the Over The Hill Gang; his hobbies were music and golf. Survivors include his companion, Rita Desnoyers, Summerfield; daughter Caroline (George) Nault, Hoschton, GA; son, William Simmons, Jr., Pelsor AR; Daughter-In- Law, Carla Simmons, Deland, FL; sister Nell Wood, Baton Rouge, LA; 3 grandsons and 3 great-grandchildren. He was preceeded in death by his wife Gertrude Anna Simmons and son Art Simmons. A memorial mass will be held Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at 11:00AM at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to St. Theresa Soup Kitchen, 11528 SE US Hwy 301, Belleview, FL 34420. Arrangements by HIER S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/27/2007 - 7/28/2007.

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327. BOWERS, LOUISE (Obituary No. 327.) N. 83Ocala- Mrs. Louise N. "Terry" Bowers, 83, passed away July 26, 2007 at Timber Ridge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. She was born in Elkins, W. VA, and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Magnolia, NJ. She was a Catholic and enjoyed line dancing. She is survived by Louis J. Bowers, her husband of 61 years, a son David L. (Candace) Bowers of Tampa, FL., daughters Nanci (Jim) Wadsworth of Canton, OH. Donna Skay of Sicklerville, NJ, 7 grandchildren and 1 great granddaughter. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association for research. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/28/2007 - 7/29/2007

328. REAVES, MYRTLE WALDRON, (Obituary No. 328.) 93Ocala - Myrtle Waldron Reaves was surrounded by her loving children and grandchildren when Jesus called her home on Tuesday, July 24, 2007. Born to Mary Rhodes Waldron and Jesse Clarence Waldron on May 6, 1914 in Marion County, she was a life-long resident of Florida and lived in Ocala for most of her life. She continued to keep her home in Ocala and divided her time between her daughters in Orlando and Atlanta after the death of her husband of 55 years, John Wile Reaves. She was preceded in death by 4 sisters and 3 brothers and is survived by her daughters and sons-in-law, Wylene and Ted Perry of Atlanta, GA and Judy and Don Dotzler of Orlando, Fl. She is also survived by her 3 grandchildren, Michael Perry and his wife Candy of Atlanta and Justin and Jeremy Dotzler of Orlando, 2 great grandchildren, Luke and Katie Perry of Atlanta; and several generations of nieces and nephews. She was retired from Munroe Memorial Hospital where she was the first director of housekeeping and later was a medical secretary. A warm, gentle and unselfish person, she was loved by everyone who knew her. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141 on Sunday, July 29, 2007 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. A Celebration of Life will be held at the Funeral Home on Monday, July 30, 2007 at 1 p.m. with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions be made to Embracing Hospice Care, 3180 Presidential Drive Suite G. Atlanta, GA 30340. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/27/2007 - 7/28/2007

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331. VINCENT, ELIZABETH "BETSY" (Obituary No. 331.) 69, Ocala- Elizabeth A. "Betsy", age 69, passed away on Thursday, July 26, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. She was born in New York City, NY on December 1, 1937. Mrs. Vincent was a Homemaker all her life. She moved to Ocala from Baltimore, MD 17 years ago. She was a Catholic and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Her hobbies included tennis, sewing and family. She is survived by her husband of 49 years Raymond E. Vincent of Ocala; daughter Kerri Fream of Lakeland, FL; daughter Karen Jones of Chicago, IL; son Kevin Vincent of Orlando, FL sister Margie Grano of San Diego, CA and 4 grandchildren. A funeral mass for Mrs. Vincent will be celebrated at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Friday, August 3, 2007 at 8:30am. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion Co., c/o Legacy House, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBER RIDGE, Ocala, FL (352)873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/28/2007 - 7/29/2007.

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survived by his loving wife of 48 years, Carol, sons Richard E. Crow, Jr., Randall Crow, daughters Renee Antos, Jennifer Teeling, brothers Raymond Crow, Russell Crow, sister Carol Roper and six grandchildren, Colton, Kyle, Tyler, Ryan, Clayton and Brittany. A Memorial Service will be held Sunday, August 5th, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. in the Palm Grove Club House located in the Oak Run Community of Ocala, FL. Services entrusted to BREWER & SONS FUNERAL HOME, 3328 S. Dale Mabry Hwy, Tampa, FL 33629, PH: 813.835.4991. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007

334. ELLIS, ALFRED L., (Obituary No. 334.) 75Decatur, TN - Alfred L. Ellis, 75, of Decatur, TN, and formerly of Summerfield, FL, passed away Tuesday, July 24th at Memorial Hospital in Chattanooga, TN after a long illness. He was a Korean War Veteran and was of the Protestant Faith. He loved fishing and gardening. He is survived by his wife of 54 years Jewell Ellis, son Eric Ellis of Albuquerque, NM, daughters, Sandra Cook of Ocala, FL and Sara Ellis of Franklin, NC, and many nieces and nephews. A Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday, July 31st at 11:00 a.m. at Belleview Christian Church in Belleview, FL. Please contact 352-812-0186 for more information. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007.

335. HOPKINS, LOUISE GERALDINE "GERRY" KOLLOR (Obituary No. 335.), 88Manchester Twp, NJ - Louise Geraldine "Gerry" Kollor Hopkins, 88, of Manchester Twp, died Friday, July 27th at the Community Medical Center, Van Dyke Hospice Center, Toms River, NJ. She was born in Jersey City and resided in Roselle, then Rahway for many years. In 1966, she lived in the Breton Harbor section of Toms River, moving to Cedar Glen in 1992. She was a graduate of the Abraham Clark High School in Roselle. She worked as an accounts maintenance clerk for the U.S. Army for 18 years at Fort Monmouth, Camp Evans and Lakehurst Naval Air Engineering Station, retiring in 1992. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Toms River. She was predeceased by a daughter, Alberta Scott Hopkins in 1938. Surviving are: children Frances Pamela Hopkins Lyons of Ocala, FL, John Hopkins of Beachwood, NJ, Mary Susan Hopkins of Roselle, NJ, six grandchildren, and seven great grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the KEDZ FUNERAL HOME, 1123 Hooper Ave., Toms River, NJ. A funeral service will be held 10:00 a.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. Interment will follow at Graceland Memorial Park, Kenilworth. Contributions to the VanDyke Hospice and Palliative Care Center at Community Medical Center, 99 Route 37 West, Toms River, NJ 08755 in her name would be welcomed. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007.


337. MERRICK, MELISSA JOY, (Obituary No. 337.) 41Ocklawaha - Melissa Joy Merrick, 41, died at her residence on July 25, 2007. She was born in Middletown, NY and moved to Florida in 1993. She was a registered nurse at several area hospitals including Ocala Regional Medical Center and West Marion Community Hospital. She treasured her animals, had a love for learning and recently developed an interest in painting. She is survived by her daughter Manuela Merrick of Ocklawaha, her sons Nicholas Flood and Theodore Flood both of New Paltz, NY and Jorge Asian-Merrick whose father is Javier Asian of Ocklawaha, her parents Frank and Susan Merrick of Newburgh, NY, her brother David Merrick, Sr. of Warwick, NY and several nieces
and nephews. A gathering of family and friends will take place on Wednesday, Aug. 1, 2007 from 2-4 p.m. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Moffit Cancer Center, Attn: Art Program, P.O. Box 550985, Tampa, FL 33655-0985. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007

338. NEISLER, BEVERLY "BUNNY" HAMPTON, (Obituary No. 338.) 71 Ocala - Beverly "Bunny" Hampton Neisler, 71, of Ocala, passed away July 26th. She was a lifelong resident of the area, an X-Ray Technologist for Radiology Associates and a Methodist by faith. She is survived by her daughters, Susan Palmer of Anthony, FL and Barbara Goulard of Mancos, CO; sister, Janey Hampton-King of Neptune Beach, FL; four grandchildren, Brian, Brice, Alexis and Allison; two great grandchildren, Madison and Katlin. A Memorial Service will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 S.W. 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141, on Tuesday, July 31, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to: CTAE - Marion County School of Radiologic Technology, 1014 S.W. 7th Road, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007

339. VIALE, CAROLYN M. (Obituary No. 339.) 73 Ocala - Carolyn M. Viale, 73. Died Tuesday, July 3, 2007 at the New Horizon Health Care Center. Carolyn was born in New Jersey and came to Ocala in 1992 from Ridgefield Park, NJ. Carolyn was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, and she enjoyed playing cards and being with her devoted husband of 54 years James Viale who passed away this past March. She is survived by her Two daughters- Sherylann Pollock and her husband Gary of Ocala, FL. Darlene White of Georgetown, TX. Grandson Dylan White of Georgetown, TX, Grandson Jason and his wife Melissa Pollock of Atlanta, GA. Granddaughter Jessica Pollock of Riverview, FL. There will be a memorial service for Carolyn at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. 606 SW 2nd Ave. on Monday, July 30, 2007 at 10:00 AM with the burial to take place at Florida National Cemetery is following the service. The family will have a committal service for Mom and Dad at the cemetery together at 12:30 PM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007

340. VINCENT, ELIZABETH "BETSY" (Obituary No. 340.) 69, Ocala- Elizabeth A. "Betsy", age 69, passed away on Thursday, July 26, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. She was born in New York City, NY on December 1, 1937. Mrs. Vincent was a Homemaker all her life. She moved to Ocala from Baltimore, MD 17 years ago. She was a Catholic and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Her hobbies included tennis, sewing and family. She is survived by her husband of 49 years Raymond E. Vincent of Ocala; daughter Kerri Fream of Lakeland, FL; daughter Karen Jones of Chicago, IL; son Kevin Vincent of Orlando, FL sister Margie Grano of San Diego, CA and 4 grandchildren. A funeral mass for Mrs. Vincent will be celebrated at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Friday, August 3, 2007 at 8:30am. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion Co., c/o Legacy House, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBER RIDGE, Ocala, FL (352)873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/28/2007 - 7/29/2007

341. WYLD, ROBERT A., (Obituary No. 341.) 72 Ocala - Robert A. Wyld, 72, of Ocala, passed away July 23rd. He was a Navy Veteran, dog groomer and breeder, and was a Spiritualist by faith. In his early years, he sang country music under the stage name of Johnny Maggard. He is survived by his cousin, Patrick P. Breuer of Ocala, four children and several grandchildren. A graveside service will be held at Anthony Cemetery on Tuesday, July 31st, at 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to your local animal shelter.
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343. ELLIS, ALFRED L., (Obituary No. 343.) 75 Decatur, TN - Alfred L. Ellis, 75, of Decatur, TN, and formerly of Summerfield, FL, passed away Tuesday, July 24th at Memorial Hospital in Chattanooga, TN after a long illness. He was a Korean War Veteran and was of the Protestant Faith. He loved fishing and gardening. He is survived by his wife of 54 years Jewell Ellis, son Eric Ellis of Albuquerque, NM, daughters, Sandra Cook of Ocala, FL and Sara Ellis of Franklin, NC, and many nieces and nephews. A Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday, July 31st at 11:00 a.m. at Belleview Christian Church in Belleview, FL. Please contact 352-812-0186 for more information. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007.

344. HOPKINS, LOUISE GERALDINE "GERRY" KOLLOR (Obituary No. 344.), 88 Manchester Twp, NJ - Louise Geraldine "Gerry" Kollor Hopkins, 88, of Manchester Twp, died Friday, July 27th at the Community Medical Center, Van Dyke Hospice Center, Toms River, NJ. She was born in Jersey City and resided in Roselle, then Rahway for many years. In 1966, she lived in the Breton Harbor section of Toms River, moving to Cedar Glen in 1992. She was a graduate of the Abraham Clark High School in Roselle. She worked as an accounts maintenance clerk for the U.S. Army for 18 years at Fort Monmouth, Camp Evans and Lakehurst Naval Air Engineering Station, retiring in 1992. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Toms River. She was predeceased by a daughter, Alberta Scott Hopkins in 1938. Surviving are: children Frances Pamela Hopkins Lyons of Ocala, FL, John Hopkins of Beachwood, NJ, Mary Susan Hopkins of Roselle, NJ, six grandchildren, and seven great grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the KEDZ FUNERAL HOME, 1123 Hooper Ave., Toms River, NJ. A funeral service will be held 10:00 a.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. Interment will follow at Graceland Memorial Park, Kenilworth. Contributions to the VanDyke Hospice and Palliative Care Center at Community Medical Center, 99 Route 37 West, Toms River, NJ 08755 in her name would be welcomed. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007.


346. MERRICK, MELISSA JOY, (Obituary No. 346.) 41 Ocklawaha - Melissa Joy Merrick, 41, died at her residence on July 25, 2007. She was born in Middletown, NY and moved to
in 1993. She was a registered nurse at several area hospitals including Ocala Regional Medical Center and West Marion Community Hospital. She treasured her animals, had a love for learning and recently developed an interest in painting. She is survived by her daughter Manuela Merrick of Ocklawaha, her sons Nicholas Flood and Theodore Flood both of New Paltz, NY and Jorge Asian-Merrick whose father is Javier Asian of Ocklawaha, her parents Frank and Susan Merrick of Newburgh, NY, her brother David Merrick, Sr. of Warwick, NY and several nieces and nephews. A gathering of family and friends will take place on Wednesday, Aug. 1, 2007 from 2-4 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Moffit Cancer Center, Attn: Art Program, P.O. Box 550985, Tampa, FL 33655-0985. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007.

347. NEISLER, BEVERLY "BUNNY" HAMPTON, (Obituary No. 347.) 71 Ocala - Beverly "Bunny" Hampton Neisler, 71, of Ocala, passed away July 26th. She was a lifelong resident of the area, an X-Ray Technologist for Radiology Associates and a Methodist by faith. She is survived by her daughters, Susan Palmer of Anthony, FL and Barbara Goulard of Mancos, CO; sister, Janey Hampton-King of Neptune Beach, FL; four grandchildren, Brian, Brice, Alexis and Allison; two great grandchildren, Madison and Katlin. A Memorial Service will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 S.W. 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141, on Tuesday, July 31, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to: CTAE - Marion County School of Radiologic Technology, 1014 S.W. 7th Road, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007.

348. VIALE, CAROLYN M. (Obituary No. 348.) 73 Ocala- Carolyn M. Viale, 73. Died Tuesday, July 3, 2007 at the New Horizon Health Care Center. Carolyn was born in New Jersey and came to Ocala in 1992 from Ridgefield Park, NJ. Carolyn was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, and she enjoyed playing cards and being with her devoted husband of 54 years James Viale who passed away this past March. She is survived by her Two daughters- Sherylann Pollock and her husband Gary of Ocala, FL. Darlene White of Georgetown, TX. Grandson Dylan White of Georgetown, TX, Grandson Jason and his wife Melissa Pollock of Atlanta, GA. Granddaughter Jessica Pollock of Riverview, FL. There will be a memorial service for Carolyn at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. 606 SW 2nd Ave. on Monday, July 30, 2007 at 10:00 AM with the burial to take place at Florida National Cemetery is following the service. The family will have a committal service for Mom and Dad at the cemetery together at 12:30 PM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007.

349. WYLDP, ROBERT A., (Obituary No. 349.) 72 Ocala - Robert A. Wyld, 72, of Ocala, passed away July 23rd. He was a Navy Veteran, dog groomer and breeder, and was a Spiritualist by faith. In his early years, he sang country music under the stage name of Johnny Maggard. He is survived by his cousin, Patrick P. Breuer of Ocala, four children and several grandchildren. A graveside service will be held at Anthony Cemetery on Tuesday, July 31st, at 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to your local animal shelter. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 S.W. 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/29/2007 - 7/30/2007.

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350. DAVIS, TERRY GLENN "DAWG", (Obituary No. 350.) 47 Dunnellon - Terry Glenn "Dawg" Davis, 47, died Friday, July 27, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was employed as a Lead Commercial Electrician for Bailey Industries of Ocala, FL. He was a native of Lantana, FL and
moved to Dunnellon 11 years ago from West Palm Beach, Florida. He served in the Florida National Guard where he attained the rank of Staff Sergeant. He is survived by his wife, Cheryl Ann Davis of Dunnellon, FL; son, Cody, daughter, Shelley, son, Jessy all of West Palm Beach, FL; a brother, Roland Davis and wife Netra of Dunnellon, FL; and many nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held on Friday, August 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. at The Dunnellon Chapel of FERO FUNERAL HOME located at 7620 South U.S. Hwy 41 Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/31/2007 - 8/1/2007.

351. FICKE, MILTON CHESTER, (Obituary No. 351.) 94 Belleview - Milton C. Ficke of Belleview, Florida died at Munroe Regional Medical Center after an extended illness on Wednesday, July 25, 2007. He was born on December 23, 1912 in Jersey City, New Jersey and was the fourth of five children born to Harry and Emma Ficke. During a long career with the Hercules Powder Company in Parlin, New Jersey. Milton resided with his wife and children in Cliffwood Beach and Middletown, New Jersey. Milton’s life centered about his family. Upon his retirement, he moved to Belleview and Middletown, New Jersey. Milton’s life centered about his family. Upon his retirement, he moved to Belleview and Middletown, New Jersey. Upon his retirement, he moved to Belleview and Middletown, New Jersey. A service of remembrance will be Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at 10 a.m. in the Roberts Funeral Home Chapel with Father Joe Pinchock of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church officiating. Graveside services will be Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with military honors. The family will receive friends at the Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL Tuesday, 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/31/2007 - 8/2/2007.

352. KICTAREK, FLORIAN(Obituary No. 352.) , 89 Dunnellon - CWO Florian "Kit" Kictarek, U.S. Army Retired, 89, of Dunnellon died Saturday, July 28, 2007 at his residence. He was born September 20, 1917 in Salamanca, NY and lived in the Dunnellon area for 25 years coming from St. Petersburg, FL. Mr. Kictarek was Catholic and a life member of the following, American Legion Post # 58, Anglea Santos VFW Post # 4781, MOAA Kingdom of the Sun Chapter an affiliate of the military officers associations of America. Survivors include his sons, Danny Kictarek of Chapin, SC and Edward Kictarek of Inverness, FL, daughter, Betty Mann of Citrus Springs, FL, 3 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. A service of remembrance will be Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at 10 a.m. in the Roberts Funeral Home Chapel with Father Joe Pinchock of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church officiating. Graveside services will be Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with military honors. The family will receive friends at the Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL Tuesday, 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/31/2007 - 8/2/2007.

353. SEALES, MARVIN JAMES (Obituary No. 353.) Ocala - Marvin died unexpectedly Sunday morning while having coffee and Dunkin Donuts with friends. He was born in Ft. Worth, Texas. He moved to Syracuse, NY in 1951, where he worked for Carrier Air Conditioning for 42 years. After retiring he moved to Ocala in 1994. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Hallie, his daughters, Renee St. Denis, Sherrill Merrifield and Gamble Thompson. He is also survived by 5 grandchildren, Heather Locke, Beau Merrifield, Jessica Thompson, Michael Jackson, and Andrew Bagan, as well as 3 great grandchildren, Jacob Thompson, David Stuenzi, and Brianna Locke. He was preceded in death by his first grandson, Sean Storrings (Merrifield). His family was his world. He lived to take care of all his children and grandchildren. But most of all, he enjoyed beating them in a good game of Scrabble. He is very much loved and admired by his family and his many, many friends. He was known as the Big Kahuanna to his family, and to all his friends at Dunkin Donuts he was Grandpa. He will be missed, and dearly loved by everyone.
whose life he touched. Dad we love you. You will be greatly missed. Your girls. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/31/2007 - 8/1/2007.

354. VORCE, ANNA L., (Obituary No. 354.) 83 Dunnellon - Anna L. Vorce, 83, of Dunnellon, FL died Saturday, July 28, 2007 in Ocala, FL. She was a parishioner at St. John Baptist Catholic Church where she enjoyed bingo. Survivors include her daughter, Marie L. Warner of Dunnellon, FL, son, C. Fred Vorce of Utica, IL, 13 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren, and 4 great grandchildren. Mrs. Vorce was preceded in death by Al Vorce, Jr., and Joseph Vorce, granddaughter, Tami DeWillis and grandson, Brian Warner. A Memorial Funeral Mass will be celebrated Thursday, August 2, 2007 at 6 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon, with Father Joe Pinchock, celebrant. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Legacy House, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34474 or St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 7525 S. US Hwy Dunnellon, FL 34432. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/31/2007 - 8/1/2007.

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355. COTTRELL, RUBY LEE EDWARDS, WEST (Obituary No. 355.) 86 Ocala - Ruby Lee Edwards, West, Cottrell, 86, seamstress, will be held Thursday, August 2, 2007, 1 p.m. at the Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. L. S. Edwards, Pastor officiating. Mrs. Cottrell was born June 17, 1921 in Lake City, Florida to the late Oscar Edwards and Lily Rogers. Survivors include 1 son, Sylvester West of Warwick, NY; 4 daughters, Emma Backey and Lily Milton both of Ocala, FL., Margaret Sanders of Buffalo, NY and Patricia Cheney of Spring, TX; 1 sister, Mamie Smith of Opa Locka, FL; 9 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and 3 great-great grandchildren. Visitation will be held Thursday at the church from 12 noon until the hour of the service. Viewing after the eulogy. Interment will be in Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME "Your Friends Who Care". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/1/2007 - 8/2/2007.

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children, Bill Ficke of Atlanta, Georgia, Marilyn Ficke of Ocala, Florida and Nancy Poarch of Chesapeake, Virginia; and his grandchildren, Jennifer Ficke, Laura Ficke and Meredith Poarch. Interment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens in Ocala, Florida will follow a Family Memorial at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/31/2007 - 8/3/2007.

358. KICTAREK, FLORIAN (Obituary No. 358.), 89 Dunnellon - CWO Florian "Kit" Kictarek, U.S. Army Retired, 89, of Dunnellon died Saturday, July 28, 2007 at his residence. He was born September 20, 1917 in Salamanca, NY and lived in the Dunnellon area for 25 years coming from St. Petersburg, FL. Mr. Kictarek was Catholic and a life member of the following, American Legion Post # 58, Anglea Santos VFW Post # 4781, MOAA Kingdom of the Sun Chapter an affiliate of the military officers associations of America. Survivors include his sons, Danny Kictarek of Chapin, SC and Edward Kictarek of Inverness, FL, daughter, Betty Mann of Citrus Springs, FL, 3 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. A service of remembrance will be Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at 10 a.m. in the Roberts Funeral Home Chapel with Father Joe Pinchock of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church officiating. Graveside services will be Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with military honors. The family will receive friends at the Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL Tuesday, 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/31/2007 - 8/2/2007.

359. REYNOLDS, ATTY. WM. (Obituary No. 359.) JOSEPH, 76 Dunnellon - Atty. Wm. Joseph Reynolds, 76 years old, of Dunnellon, formerly of St. Petersburg, FL., died Sunday, July 29, 2007. Born in Homestead, Florida on February 1, 1931, son of the late John Paul and Mabel (Richter) Reynolds, he came here in 2000. Joe graduated from Homestead High School where he served as president of the student body and was a four year letterman of both basketball and baseball. He attended the University of Florida where he received his Bachelors of Science in Business Administration, graduating with honors in 1952. He there after graduated from the University of Florida College of Law in 1954 with a Juris Doctor degree. While at UF, he was vice president of the student body, president of the Florida Blue Key, Clerk and Chancellor of the Honor Court and was a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity and Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity. Finally, he had the privilege of contributing to the University of Florida Law Review. Joe served in the U.S. Army with the 86th Regiment 10th Division in Germany with J.A.G. He was a member of the Florida Bar for over 50 years. He was senior partner at the Law firm of Ellis, Reynolds, and Bradley from 1972 to 1999 before coming Of counsel at Fisher & Wilsey, in St. Petersburg and Brett & Reynolds in Ocala and Dunnellon where he practiced with his son. He was admitted to practice in all Florida Courts, the U.S. Supreme and the 5th and 11th Circuit Court of Appeals. He was President of the St. Petersburg Bar Association, President of the Exchange Club of St. Pete., President of Lakewood Country Club (now known as St. Petersburg Country Club), and the President and Chairman of the Board of Florida Division of the American Cancer Society. He enjoyed golf, hunting, fishing, flying (a pilot since 1962), scuba and bowling, along with many other interests. Although Mr. Reynolds enjoyed a distinguished legal career, he was first and foremost a loving husband, father, and grandfather. Survivors include his wife of 41 years, Linda Reynolds of Dunnellon; 3 daughters, Mary Alexandria Moreland of St. Pete, Dara Leigh Foy of Macon, GA., and Pamela Reynolds Buckley of Orlando; 2 sons, Atty. Robert Joseph Reynolds of Ocala and John Paul Reynolds of Orlando; 12 grandchildren, Ajda, Randy, Bo, Dara, Travis, Ashley, Madison, Ellen, Elizabeth, Blinnc, Joseph "Jub" and Kresley. Also survived by his step-mother, Johan B. Reynolds of Blacksburg, VA. The Funeral Service for
Atty. Wm. Joseph Reynolds will be held on Friday, August 3, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at The First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with full military honors. Visitation will be held on Thursday, August 2, 2007 from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennysylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34432. Memorial contributions in Joe's memory may be give to the Angela McAuley American Cancer Society, Florida Division, 3709 W. Jetton Ave., Tampa, FL 33629. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/1/2007 - 8/2/2007.

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361. SISTARE, DONALD R., (Obituary No. 361.) 77 Ocala - Donald R. Sistare, 77, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 31, 2007. He was born in Atlanta, Georgia on February 7, 1930. Mr. Sistare was a retired Chief Warrant Officer with the US Army Special Forces. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Eleonore Sistare of Ocala; sons, Paul Joseph Sistare of Weston, FL and Ronald Joseph Sistare of Wilmington, NC; daughters, Annamaria Meyer of Santa Monica, CA and Jeanette Marie Lum of Stafford, VA; 6 grandchildren. Mr. Sistare served in the Korean Conflict and four tours of duties in Vietnam. Over the last 6 years he has been the devoted caregiver for his wife and admired by all of his family, neighbors, and friends. Funeral service will be Thursday, August 2, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBER RIDGE, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to the service. Military Honors will be provided by Angela Santos VFW Post # 4781 of Ocala, FL. Inurnment will be in Arlington National Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Angela Santos Post # 4781 Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/1/2007 - 8/3/2007.

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363. WEISS, GEORGE W., (Obituary No. 363.) 80 Ocala - George W. Weiss, age 80, of Ocala passed away Monday, July 30, 2007. He was born September 14, 1926 in Windber, PA and retired to Ocala in 1999, after 30 years teaching with Pinellas County School Board. His hobbies included hunting, fishing, camping and enjoying holidays with his family. Mr. Weiss is survived by his wife, Mary Emily Weiss of Ocala; three sons, Geffrey W. Weiss of Webster, FL., Garry B. Weiss of Mesa, AZ., and Greg L Weiss of Madeira Beach, FL; daughter, Grace Emily LaChapelle of Ocala; nine grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Friday, August 3, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/1/2007 - 8/2/2007.

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364. BYRD, LORRAINE (Obituary No. 364.) HICKS, 89 Ocala - Lorraine Hicks Byrd died Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at Hospice of Marion County in Ocala after a long illness. She was 89. "Lori", as she was known among friends and her family, was a housewife. She leaves behind her husband of 22 years, John Byrd of Ocala; daughter and son-in-law Joan and Buddy Martin of Punta Gorda/Ocala; daughter and son-in-law Wanda and Jerry Roth of Palm Beach; six grandchildren and three great grandchildren; three step grandchildren and one step great grandchildren. A member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. Lori moved here from Miami in 1995, but was a frequent visitor starting in the 1960's. She was born in Jellico, Tenn., moved to Cincinnati and later came to South Florida. Rev. Ed Johnson will be conducting the graveside services Friday, August 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

365. CORLEY, EARL D., (Obituary No. 365.) 76 Ocala - Mr. Earl D. Corley, 76, passed away July 29, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Thomaston, GA and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Boca Raton, FL. He was an avid Atlanta Braves fan, outdoorsman, and poker player. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran. He is survived by a son Earl Scot Corley of East Lake Weir, FL., a brother James C. Corley of Thomaston, GA., and a grandson Bryan Michael Martin of Palm Beach County, FL. There will be a gathering for family and friends from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Friday, August 3, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. Interment at Florida National Cemetery will be private. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

366. COTTRELL, RUBY LEE EDWARDS, WEST (Obituary No. 366.), 86 Ocala - Ruby Lee Edwards, West, Cottrell, 86, seamstress, will be held Thursday, August 2, 2007, 1 p.m. at the Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. L. S. Edwards, Pastor officiating. Mrs. Cottrell was born June 17, 1921 in Lake City, Florida to the late Oscar Edwards and Lily Rogers. Survivors include 1 son, Sylvester West of Warwick, NY; 4 daughters, Emma Backey and Lily Milton both of Ocala, FL., Margaret Sanders of Buffalo, NY and Patricia Cheney of Spring, TX; 1 sister, Mamie Smith of Opa Locka, FL; 9 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and 3 great-great grandchildren. Visitaton will be held Thursday at the church from 12 noon until the hour of the service. Viewing after the eulogy. Interment will be in Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME "Your Friends Who Care". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/1/2007 - 8/2/2007.
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370. GILLUM, DOROTHY LEE, (Obituary No. 370.) 74 Ocala - Ms. Dorothy (MS. DOT) Lee Gillum, 74, passed away on July 29, 2007 at the Legacy House. She is a native of Ocala, Florida and a retired cook for the Marion County School Board. Ms. Gillum was a devoted mother and leaves to cherish her memories: Ten Children; Nathalene (Ozell) Maxwell, Belleview, FL., Deidre Coy, Kandyce (Herbert) Gillum, Florita McHellon, Cassandra (James Jr.) Barkley, Mae King Stephens (Walter), Dwight (Brenda) McDonald, Mozell (Pee Wee) McHellon, Derek (Keisha) Brown, (All of Ocala, FL), Marvin McHellon, Jacksonville, FL., 26 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren, Sisters: Margaret Taylor, Ocala, FL., Willie Mae Hestor, Riviera Beach, FL (Devoted Friends) Ms. Dorothy Thomas, Josephine Ambrose, Minnie Welch (all of Ocala) and Mr. Harry Brown. Wake services will be held on Thursday, August 2, 2007 at The Theological Seminary from p.m. until 7 p.m. Visitation will be held on Friday, August 3, 2007 at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Funeral services for Ms. Dot Gillum will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church. Ms. Gillum will lie in repose on Saturday at the church from 10 a.m. until time of service. Interment will be held in Shady Grove Memorial Gardens. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

371. GORDON-REAVES, GLORIA JEAN, (Obituary No. 371.) 58 Micanopy - Funeral services for Mrs. Reaves on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at 11 a.m., Mt. Pedro Missionary Baptist Church, Shiloh, FL. Rev. Christopher Stokes will conduct the words of comfort. A Wake service will be held at Mt. Pedro Missionary Baptist Church on Thursday, August 2, 2007 at 6 p.m. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday, August 3, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Reaves residence (10510 NW 215th Lane Road, Micanopy, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

372. KELSEY, REV. DR. GEORGE W. (Obituary No. 372.), 75 Ocala - George W. Kelsey, age 75, went to his final resting place on Saturday, July 28, 2007. George was a resident of Ocala for the past nine years, serving as an associate pastor with First Congregational Church, UCC. Prior to moving to Ocala, George was Sr. Pastor at Christ Congregation Church, UCC in Miami, FL for 17 years, where he was named Minister Emeritus in 2000. George led as Sr. Pastor at Plainville Congregational Church, UCC, Plainville Ct., where he was named Minister Emeritus after preaching his 50th anniversary of his ordination sermon (his final sermon) on June 24, 2007. Whether he was husband, father, Pop-Pop, brother, uncle, counselor, or friend, George was truly God's servant on earth. He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife of 52 years, Joan Ruth Kelsey, children Robert William Kelsey, his wife Barbara and children, Sara, Alicia and Steven, Sharon Elizabeth Foley, her husband Robert and children, William and Alyssa, and his daughter
Janet Kelsey Deitz, her husband Timothy and children Kelsey, Kayla and Michael. He is also survived by his brothers-in-law, Donald Carney, and Steven Carney, and many loving nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his brother, Robert Kelsey and sister, Anne Adriance. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, August 2, 2007 at 3 p.m. at First Congregational Church, UCC, 7171 SR 200, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Parkinson's Foundation or the Peace Park Labyrinth (marked as such and sent to First Congregational in Ocala). "I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith." II Timothy 4:7 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

373. KICTAREK, FLORIAN(Obituary No. 373.) , 89 Dunnellon - CWO Florian "Kit" Kictarek, U.S. Army Retired, 89, of Dunnellon died Saturday, July 28, 2007 at his residence. He was born September 20, 1917 in Salamanca, NY and lived in the Dunnellon area for 25 years coming from St. Petersburg, FL. Mr. Kictarek was Catholic and a life member of the following, American Legion Post # 58, Anglea Santos VFW Post # 4781, MOAA Kingdom of the Sun Chapter an affiliate of the military officers associations of America. Survivors include his sons, Danny Kictarek of Chapin, SC and Edward Kictarek of Inverness, FL, daughter, Betty Mann of Citrus Springs, FL, 3 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. A service of remembrance will be Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at 10 a.m. in the Roberts Funeral Home Chapel with Father Joe Pinchock of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church officiating. Graveside services will be Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with military honors. The family will receive friends at the Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL Tuesday, 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/31/2007 - 8/2/2007.

374. REYNOLDS, ATTY. WM. JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 374.) 76 Dunnellon - Atty. Wm. Joseph Reynolds, 76 years old, of Dunnellon, formerly of St. Petersburg, FL., died Sunday, July 29, 2007. Born in Homestead, Florida on February 1, 1931, son of the late John Paul and Mabel (Richter) Reynolds, he came here in 2000. Joe graduated from Homestead High School where he served as president of the student body and was a four year letterman of both basketball and baseball. He attended the University of Florida where he received his Bachelors of Science in Business Administration, graduating with honors in 1952. He then graduated from the University of Florida College of Law in 1954 with a Juris Doctor degree. While at UF, he was vice president of the student body, president of the Florida Blue Key, Clerk and Chancellor of the Honor Court and was a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity and Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity. Finally, he had the privilege of contributing to the University of Florida Law Review. Joe served in the U.S. Army with the 86th Regiment 10th Division in Germany with J.A.G. He was a member of the Florida Bar for over 50 years. He was senior partner at the Law firm of Ellis, Reynolds, and Bradley from 1972 to 1999 before coming Of counsel at Fisher & Wilsey, in St. Petersburg and Brett & Reynolds in Ocala and Dunnellon where he practiced with his son. He was admitted to practice in all Florida Courts, the U.S. Supreme and the 5th and 11th Circuit Court of Appeals. He was President of the St. Petersburg Bar Association, President of the Exchange Club of St. Pete., President of Lakewood Country Club Club (now known as St. Petersburg Country Club), and the President and Chairman of the Board of Florida Division of the American Cancer Society. He enjoyed golf, hunting, fishing, flying (a pilot since 1962), scuba and bowling, along with many other interests. Although Mr. Reynolds enjoyed a distinguished legal career, he was first and foremost a loving husband, father, and grandfather.. Survivors include his wife of 41 years, Linda Reynolds of Dunnellon: 3 daughters, Mary Alexandria Moreland of St. Pete,
Dara Leigh Foy of Macon, GA., and Pamela Reynolds Buckley of Orlando; 2 sons, Atty. Robert Joseph Reynolds of Ocala and John Paul Reynolds of Orlando; 12 grandchildren, Ajda, Randy, Bo, Dara, Travis, Ashley, Madison, Ellen, Elizabeth, Blinnnc, Joseph "Jub" and Kresley. Also survived by his step-mother, Johan B. Reynolds of Blacksburg, VA. The Funeral Service for Atty. Wm. Joseph Reynolds will be held on Friday, August 3, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at The First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with full military honors. Visitation will be held on Thursday, August 2, 2007 from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34432. Memorial contributions in Joe's memory may be given to the Angela McAuley American Cancer Society, Florida Division, 3709 W. Jetton Ave., Tampa, FL 33629. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/1/2007 - 8/2/2007.

375. Robinson, Woodrow (Obituary No. 375.) , 86 Ocala - Woodrow Robinson, 86, brick mason, funeral services will be held Saturday, August 4, 2007 at 1 p.m. from Cunningham's Chapel of Faith with Minister Willie Reynolds, of Greater Holy Temple Church of God in Christ officiating. Mr. Robinson was born May 13, 1921 in Marianna, FL to the late Eddie Franklin Patten and Esther Johnson. Survivors include wife, Olly Mae Robinson of Ocala, FL; 3 brothers, J.R. Patten and Nathinal Patten of Willachoe, FL and Ed Patten of Fitzgerald, GA; 4 sisters, Grace Driver of Brainbridge, GA., Mary Godiford of Cairo, GA., Revator Holland of Wilachoe, FL and Theonery Morris of Tampa, FL. Interment will be in Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, August 3, 2007 from 9 a.m.. to 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday in the chapel from 9 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

376. Shaver, Doris J., (Obituary No. 376.) 79 Middleburg - Mrs. Doris J. Shaver, 79, passed away July 31, 2007 at Kindred Hospital of North Florida. She was born in Wauchula, FL and moved to Ocala in 1993 from Miami, FL. She was a Baptist. She is survived by two sons, David F. (Judith) Shaver of Middleburg, FL and James E. (Donna) Shaver of Georgetown, FL., a sister, Agnes Giddens of Dowling Park, FL., 9 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by David E. Shaver her husband of 56 years and a daughter Brenda Riese. Graveside services will be at 1 p.m., Friday, August 3, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

377. Sistare, Donald R., (Obituary No. 377.) 77 Ocala - Donald R. Sistare, 77, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 31, 2007. He was born in Atlanta, Georgia on February 7, 1930. Mr. Sistare was a retired Chief Warrant Officer with the US Army Special Forces. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Eleonore Sistare of Ocala; sons, Paul Joseph Sistare of Weston, FL and Ronald Joseph Sistare of Wilmington, NC; daughters, Annamaria Meyer of Santa Monica, CA and Jeanette Marie Lum of Stafford, VA; 6 grandchildren. Mr. Sistare served in the Korean Conflict and four tours of duties in Vietnam. Over the last 6 years he has been the devoted caregiver for his wife and admired by all of his family, neighbors, and friends. Funeral service will be Thursday, August 2, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBER RIDGE, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to the service. Military Honors will be provided by Angela Santos VFW Post # 4781 of Ocala, FL. Inurnment will be in Arlington National Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Angela Santos Post # 4781 Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/1/2007 - 8/3/2007.
WASHINGTON, SHARON DIANE, (Obituary No. 378.) 49 Ocala - Mrs. Sharon Diane Washington, 49, crossed Jordan River on July 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center following a brief illness. She leaves to cherish fond and precious memories her husband, Alphonso Washington, Sr., daughters Elizabeth "Peaches" Jones and Sharon Oats, 16 grandchildren, sisters, Debra Island and Judy Clark. Funeral Services will be on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the New Covenant Baptist Church, Rev. Stanley Jacobs pastor, Rev. Willie Shaw eulogist. Visitation will be Friday, August 3, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry Baseline Chapel. Services Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

WEISS, GEORGE W., (Obituary No. 379.) 80 Ocala - George W. Weiss, age 80, of Ocala passed away Monday, July 30, 2007. He was born September 14, 1926 in Windber, PA and retired to Ocala in 1999, after 30 years teaching with Pinellas County School Board. His hobbies included hunting, fishing, camping and enjoying holidays with his family. Mr. Weiss is survived by his wife, Mary Emily Weiss of Ocala; three sons, Jeffrey W. Weiss of Webster, FL., Garry B. Weiss of Mesa, AZ., and Greg L Weiss of Madeira Beach, FL; daughter, Grace Emily LaChapelle of Ocala; nine grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Friday, August 3, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/1/2007 - 8/2/2007.

WRAY, WILLIAM K., (Obituary No. 380.) 86 Ocala - William K. Wray, 86 of Ocala, Florida died Tuesday, July 31, 2007 at Tuscany House, Summerfield, Florida. William Kenneth Wray was born in Old Forge, Pennsylvania, he came to this area from Miami and has lived here for 31 years. William worked as a CPA. He was a member of the Lake Weir Yacht Club, during wartime he served as a navigator, serving in WWII and Korea in the U.S. Air Force. He was of Methodist faith. He is survived by his sons, William K. Wray II (Diane) of Valrico, FL, Ronald Wray (Rhonda) of Naples, FL and Donald Wray (Jane) of Ocala, FL daughter, Linda Ponticello (Philip) of Ocklawaha, FL., eight grandchildren and 1 great grandson. Calling hours are from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at Beyers Funeral Home. Services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at Beyers Funeral Home. Burial will be in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens, Leesburg, FL with Rev. Paul Lane officiating. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME in Lady Lake is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

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381. BLICE, GEORGE FRANKLIN, (Obituary No. 381.) 77 Ocala - George Franklin Blice, 77, of Ocala, passed away July 30, 2007 at Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY. He was born on February 13, 1930 in Knox City, Indiana. He was a faithful servant of his Lord Jesus Christ and an ordained minister of the Indiana South District of The Wesleyan Church, where he served as District Secretary for 7 years. His ministry spanned over 50 years, and he pastored Indiana congregations in Anderson, Chesterfield, Delphi, Winchester, Lawrenceburg, Terre Haute, and Evansville. He was the Production Manager for Wesleyan Publishing House for 10 years. At the time of his death, he was retired and a member of the Living Water Wesleyan Church in Ocala, FL. He received a Bachelor of Theology degree from Frankfort Pilgrim College, Frankfort, IN. He was preceded in death by his first wife of 30 years, Ruby Evans Blice; his parents, Hazel and Chester Blice and one brother, Wilbur Blice. He is survived by his wife of
24 years, Mary Taylor Blice; his children, Vonda (Reverend Phil) Harrington, Brunswick, GA., Roger (Cheryl) Blice, Greensfield, IN., Kenneth (Christy) Taylor, Lewisville, NC., Sylvia (David) Megagan, Linville, VA., Amanda (Douglas) Riley, Staunton, VA and Paul Taylor, Whiteland, IN; 21 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren and 1 niece - Emley Daniel. Visitation will be Friday, August 3, 2007 at NEEDHAM - STOREY - WAMPNER FUNERAL SERVICE, Storey Chapel, 400 E. Main Street, Gas City IN from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be Saturday, August 4, 2007 at Chapel Pike Wesleyan Church, Marion, IN at 10 a.m. with Dr. O. W. Willis and Reverend Marvin Hughes officiating. Interment will be at Grant Memorial Park, Marion, IN. Pallbearers will be grandsons, Phil E. Harrington, David Harrington, Joshua Linnen, Nick Blice, Justin Taylor, Joshua Gallaway, Adam Taylor, and David Mehegan, Jr. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Global Partners (Wesleyan World Ministries) P.O. Box 50434 Indianapolis, IN 46250. Online condolences may be made at www.nswcares.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/3/2007 - 8/4/2007.

382. BYRD, LORRAINE HICKS, (Obituary No. 382.) 89 Ocala - Lorraine Hicks Byrd died Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at Hospice of Marion County in Ocala after a long illness. She was 89. "Lori", as she was known among friends and her family, was a housewife. She leaves behind her husband of 22 years, John Byrd of Ocala; daughter and son-in-law Joan and Buddy Martin of Punta Gorda/Ocala; daughter and son-in-law Wanda and Jerry Roth of Palm Beach; six grandchildren and three great grandchildren; three step grandchildren and one step great grandchildren. A member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. Lori moved here from Miami in 1995, but was a frequent visitor starting in the 1960's. She was born in Jellico, Tenn., moved to Cincinnati and later came to South Florida. Rev. Ed Johnson will be conducting the graveside services Friday, August 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

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386. ERB, EUGENE "AL", (Obituary No. 386.) 89Belleview- Eugene "Al" A. Erb, 89 of Belleview, died at TimberRidge Emergency Center July 31, 2007. He was born in Bronx, NY and moved to this area from New York in 1978. He was a retired salesman for Star Liquor and a Mason. Mr. Erb is survived by his wife, Marion "Nannette" Erb, Belleview; son, William Erb, St. Inigoes, MD; daughter, Judith Planty, Bradenton, FL; 6 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEV Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/3/2007 - 8/4/2007.

387. FICKE, MILTON CHESTER, (Obituary No. 387.) 94Belleview - Milton C. Ficke of Belleview, Florida died at Munroe Regional Medical Center after an extended illness on Wednesday, July 25, 2007. He was born on December 23, 1912 in Jersey City, New Jersey and was the fourth of five children born to Harry and Emma Ficke. During a long career with the Hercules Powder Company in Parlin, New Jersey. Milton resided with his wife and children in Cliffwood Beach and Middletown, New Jersey. Milton's life centered about his family. Upon his retirement, he moved to Belleview on our Country's Bi-centennial, July 4, 1976. He was preceded in death by his loving wife of 53 years, Grace Veronica Ficke. He is survived by his
children, Bill Ficke of Atlanta, Georgia, Marilyn Ficke of Ocala, Florida and Nancy Poarch of Chesapeake, Virginia; and his grandchildren, Jennifer Ficke, Laura Ficke and Meredith Poarch. Interment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens in Ocala, Florida will follow a Family Memorial at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 7/31/2007 - 8/3/2007.

388. GILLUM, DOROTHY LEE, (Obituary No. 388.) 74Ocala - Ms. Dorothy (MS. DOT) Lee Gillum, 74, passed away on July 29, 2007 at the Legacy House. She is a native of Ocala, Florida and a retired cook for the Marion County School Board. Ms. Gillum was a devoted mother and leaves to cherish her memories: Ten Children; Nathalene (Ozell) Maxwell, Bellevue, FL., Deidre Coy, Kandyce (Herbert) Gillum, Florita McHellon, Cassandra (James Jr.) Barkley, Mae King Stephens (Walter), Dwight (Brenda) McDonald, Mozell (Pee Wee) McHellon, Derek (Keisha) Brown, (All of Ocala, FL), Marvin McHellon, Jacksonville, FL., 26 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren, Sisters: Margaret Taylor, Ocala, FL., Willie Mae Hestor, Riveria Beach, FL (Devoted Friends) Ms. Dorothy Thomas, Josephine Ambrose, Minnie Welch (all of Ocala) and Mr. Harry Brown. Wake services will be held on Thursday, August 2, 2007 at The Theological Seminary from p.m. until 7 p.m. Visitation will be held on Friday, August 3, 2007 at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Funeral services for Ms. Dot Gillum will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church. Ms. Gillum will lie in repose on Saturday at the church from 10 a.m. until time of service. Interment will be held in Shady Grove Memorial Gardens. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

389. GORDON-REAVES, GLORIA JEAN, (Obituary No. 389.) 58Micanopy - Funeral services for Mrs. Reaves on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at 11 a.m., Mt. Pedro Missionary Baptist Church, Shiloh, FL. Rev. Christopher Stokes will conduct the words of comfort. A Wake service will be held at Mt. Pedro Missionary Baptist Church on Thursday, August 2, 2007 at 6 p.m. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday, August 3, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Reaves residence (10510 NW 215th Lane Road, Micanopy, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

390. KELSEY, REV. DR. GEORGE W. (Obituary No. 390.), 75Ocala - George W. Kelsey, age 75, went to his final resting place on Saturday, July 28, 2007. George was a resident of Ocala for the past nine years, serving as an associate pastor with First Congregational Church, UCC. Prior to moving to Ocala, George was Sr. Pastor at Christ Congregation Church, UCC in Miami, FL for 17 years, where he was named Minister Emeritus in 2000. George led as Sr. Pastor at Plainville Congregational Church, UCC, Plainville Ct., where he was named Minister Emeritus after preaching his 50th anniversary of his ordination sermon (his final sermon) on June 24, 2007. Whether he was husband, father, Pop-Pop, brother, uncle, counselor, or friend, George was truly God's servant on earth. He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife of 52 years, Joan Ruth Kelsey, children Robert William Kelsey, his wife Barbara and children, Sara, Alicia and Steven, Sharon Elizabeth Foley, her husband Robert and children, William and Alyssa, and his daughter Janet Kelsey Deitz, her husband Timothy and children Kelsey, Kayla and Michael. He is also survived by his brothers-in-law, Donald Carney, and Steven Carney, and many loving nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his brother, Robert Kelsey and sister, Anne Adriance. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, August 2, 2007 at 3 p.m. at First Congregational Church, UCC, 7171 SR 200, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Parkinson's Foundation or the Peace Park Labyrinth (marked as such and sent to First
Congregational in Ocala). "I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith." II Timothy 4:7 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

391. NICHOLS, WILBUR CHARLES, (Obituary No. 391.) 94Ft. McCoy- Mr. Wilbur Charles Nichols, 94 of Ft. McCoy, died on July, 2007. Born to Wilbur Henry Nichols and Nina Estella Talada on May 4, 1913 in Sayre, PA, he was a resident of Ft. McCoy for the past 22 years. He was a lifelong loom fixer by profession and was a U.S. Army veteran of WWII. He loved to fish, garden, knit and crochet. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two wives, Lucille Anna Murry and Nettie Dolittle; four brothers Donald, Earl, Arthur and twin brother Willard; Two sisters Nancy DeHaven and Lulu Cordner; two stepsons Larry C. Baken (Thomasville, NC) Carl L. Baken (Sadie M.) Jacksonville, FL. He is survived by his loving wife of 22 years, Edith D. Baken Nichols of Ft. McCoy; son Charles A. Nichols (Ethel) of Jacksonville; sister Bernice Goble of Waverly, NY; stepdaughters Mary E. Russell of Lake City, FL and Marie D. Lewis (James) of Columbus, GA; 23 grandchildren, many great grandchildren and great great grandchildren, A memorial service will be held in Ft. McCoy on August 4th. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/3/2007 - 8/4/2007.

392. PHILLIPS, DOROTHY V. TURNER, (Obituary No. 392.) 84 Ocala- Mrs. Dorothy V. "Turner" Phillips, 84 of Ocala FL. died Wednesday August 1, 2007 at O.R.M.C, Dorothy was born in Washington, D.C. and came to Ocala, FL 22 years ago from Leesburg, VA. She was a homemaker and a member of St. Mark's Methodist Church in Ocala, FL. She enjoyed sewing and quilting and was a life member of the Ladies Aux. VFW post # 1177 of Leesburg, VA. She is survived by her loving husband- Allen R. Phillips of Ocala, FL. Daughter - Karen L. Scully of Woodbridge, VA., Son- Carl W. Davis of Melbourne, FL. Daughter Petra Flinchum of Woodbridge, VA. 6 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. The family will be having a gathering at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel on Friday, August 3rd, 2007 from 6:00PM to 8:00PM all are welcome. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to St. Marks Methodist Church. 1839 NE 8th Road, Ocala, FL 34470 in memory of Dorothy. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/3/2007 - 8/4/2007.

393. ROBINSON, WOODROW(Obituary No. 393.) , 86 Ocala - Woodrow Robinson, 86, brick mason, funeral services will be held Saturday, August 4, 2007 at 1 p.m. from Cunningham's Chapel of Faith with Minister Willie Reynolds, of Greater Holy Temple Church of God in Christ officiating. Mr. Robinson was born May 13, 1921 in Marianna, FL to the late Eddie Franklin Patten and Esther Johnson. Survivors include wife, Olly Mae Robinson of Ocala, FL; 3 brothers, J.R. Patten and Nathinal Patten of Willhachoe, FL and Ed Patten of Fitzgerald, GA; 4 sisters, Grace Driver of Brainbridge, GA., Mary Godiford of Cairo, GA., Revator Holland of Wilachoe, FL and Theonery Morris of Tampa, FL. Interment will be in Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, August 3, 2007 from 9 a.m.. to 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday in the chapel from 9 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

394. SHAVER, DORIS J., (Obituary No. 394.) 79 Middleburg - Mrs. Doris J. Shaver, 79, passed away July 31, 2007 at Kindred Hospital of North Florida. She was born in Wauchula, FL and moved to Ocala in 1993 from Miami, FL. She was a Baptist. She is survived by two sons, David F. (Judith) Shaver of Middleburg, FL and James E. (Donna) Shaver of Georgetown, FL., a sister, Agnes Giddens of Dowling Park, FL., 9 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by David E. Shaver her husband of 56 years and a daughter Brenda Riese.
Graveside services will be at 1 p.m., Friday, August 3, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

395. SISTARE, DONALD R., (Obituary No. 395.) 77 Ocala - Donald R. Sistare, 77, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 31, 2007. He was born in Atlanta, Georgia on February 7, 1930. Mr. Sistare was a retired Chief Warrant Officer with the US Army Special Forces. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Eleonore Sistare of Ocala; sons, Paul Joseph Sistare of Weston, FL and Ronald Joseph Sistare of Wilmington, NC; daughters, Annamaria Meyer of Santa Monica, CA and Jeanette Marie Lum of Stafford, VA; 6 grandchildren. Mr. Sistare served in the Korean Conflict and four tours of duties in Vietnam. Over the last 6 years he has been the devoted caregiver for his wife and admired by all of his family, neighbors, and friends. Funeral service will be Thursday, August 2, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBER RIDGE, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to the service. Military Honors will be provided by Angela Santos VFW Post # 4781 of Ocala, FL. Inurnment will be in Arlington National Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Angela Santos Post # 4781 Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/1/2007 - 8/3/2007.

396. WASHINGTON, SHARON DIANE, (Obituary No. 396.) 49 Ocala - Mrs. Sharon Diane Washington, 49, crossed Jordan River on July 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center following a brief illness. She leaves to cherish fond and precious memories her husband, Alphonso Washington, Sr., daughters Elizabeth "Peaches" Jones and Sharon Oats, 16 grandchildren, sisters, Debra Island and Judy Clark. Funeral Services will be on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the New Covenant Baptist Church, Rev. Stanley Jacobs pastor, Rev. Willie Shaw eulogist. Visitation will be Friday, August 3, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry Baseline Chapel. Services Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

397. WRAY, WILLIAM K., (Obituary No. 397.) 86 Ocala - William K. Wray, 86 of Ocala, Florida died Tuesday, July 31, 2007 at Tuscany House, Summerfield, Florida. William Kenneth Wray was born in Old Forge, Pennsylvania, he came to this area from Miami and has lived here for 31 years. William worked as a CPA. He was a member of the Lake Weir Yacht Club, during wartime he served as a navigator, serving in WWII and Korea in the U.S. Air Force. He was of Methodist faith. He is survived by his sons, William K. Wray II (Diane) of Valrico, FL, Ronald Wray (Rhonda) of Naples, FL and Donald Wray (Jane) of Ocala, FL daughter, Linda Ponticello (Philip) of Ocklawaha, FL., eight grandchildren and 1 great grandson. Calling hours are from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at Beyers Funeral Home. Services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at Beyers Funeral Home. Burial will be in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens, Leesburg, FL with Rev. Paul Lane officiating. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME in Lady Lake is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/2/2007 - 8/3/2007.

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398. BLICE, GEORGE FRANKLIN, (Obituary No. 398.) 77 Ocala - George Franklin Blice, 77, of Ocala, passed away July 30, 2007 at Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY. He was born on February 13, 1930 in Knox City, Indiana. He was a faithful servant of his Lord Jesus Christ and an ordained minister of the Indiana South District of The Wesleyan Church, where he served as District Secretary for 7 years. His ministry spanned over 50 years, and he pastored Indiana congregations in Anderson, Chesterfield, Delphi, Winchester, Lawrenceburg, Terre
Haute, and Evansville. He was the Production Manager for Wesleyan Publishing House for 10 years. At the time of his death, he was retired and a member of the Living Water Wesleyan Church in Ocala, FL. He received a Bachelor of Theology degree from Frankfort Pilgrim College, Frankfort, IN. He was preceded in death by his first wife of 30 years, Ruby Evans Blice; his parents, Hazel and Chester Blice and one brother, Wilbur Blice. He is survived by his wife of 24 years, Mary Taylor Blice; his children, Vonda (Reverend Phil) Harrington, Brunswick, GA., Roger (Cheryl) Blice, Greensfield, IN., Kenneth (Christy) Taylor, Lewisville, NC., Sylvia (David) Megagan, Linville, VA., Amanda (Douglas) Riley, Staunton, VA and Paul Taylor, Whiteland, IN; 21 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren and 1 niece - Emley Daniel. Visitation will be Friday, August 3, 2007 at NEEDHAM - STOREY - WAMPNER FUNERAL SERVICE, Storey Chapel, 400 E. Main Street, Gas City IN from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be Saturday, August 4, 2007 at Chapel Pike Wesleyan Church, Marion, IN at 10 a.m. with Dr. O. W. Willis and Reverend Marvin Hughes officiating. Interment will be at Grant Memorial Park, Marion, IN. Pallbearers will be grandsons, Phil E. Harrington, David Harrington, Joshua Linnen, Nick Blice, Justin Taylor, Joshua Gallaway, Adam Taylor, and David Mehegan, Jr. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Global Partners (Wesleyan World Ministries) P.O. Box 50434 Indianapolis, IN 46250. Online condolences may be made at www.nswcares.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/3/2007 - 8/4/2007.

399. ERB, EUGENE "AL", (Obituary No. 399.) 89 Belleview- Eugene "Al" A. Erb, 89 of Belleview, died at TimberRidge Emergency Center July 31, 2007. He was born in Bronx, NY and moved to this area from New York in 1978. He was a retired salesman for Star Liquor and a Mason. Mr. Erb is survived by his wife, Marion "Nannette" Erb, Belleview; son, William Erb, St. Inigoes, MD; daughter, Judith Planty, Bradenton, FL; 6 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/3/2007 - 8/4/2007.

400. JOHNSON, JEFFERY MELVIN, (Obituary No. 400.) 42 Ocala- Mr. Jeffery Johnson 42, passed away on August 2, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was a Data Base Administrator for E-One in Ocala, FL. He moved to the area in 1978 from Ashland, KY. He was a Baptist and a member of the Lake Tropicana Volunteer Fire Dept. He is survived by his loving wife Rebecca of 16 years. A daughter Kelli Johnson, a brother Tony Johnson, sister Penny Jubin, his parents George and Regina Johnson all of Ocala, FL. 2 nieces and 3 nephews also many, many friends. Send donations to the Lake Tropicana Volunteer Fire Dept. or Marion County Hospice. A viewing will be Sunday August 5, 2007 from 5PM to 7PM; services will be Monday at 11AM all at ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/4/2007 - 8/5/2007.

401. NICHOLS, WILBUR CHARLES, (Obituary No. 401.) 94 Ft. McCoy- Mr. Wilbur Charles Nichols, 94 of Ft. McCoy, died on July, 2007. Born to Wilbur Henry Nichols and Nina Estella Talada on May 4, 1913 in Sayre, PA, he was a resident of Ft. McCoy for the past 22 years. He was a lifelong loom fixer by profession and was a U.S. Army veteran of WWII. He loved to fish, garden, knit and crochet. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two wives, Lucille Anna Murry and Nettie Dolittle; four brothers Donald, Earl, Arthur and twin brother Willard; Two sisters Nancy DeHaven and Lulu Cordner; two stepsons Larry C. Baken (Thomasville, NC) Carl L. Baken (Sadie M.) Jacksonville, FL. He is survived by his loving wife of 22 years, Edith D. Baken Nichols of Ft. McCoy; son Charles A. Nichols (Ethel) of Jacksonville; sister Bernice Goble of Waverly, NY; stepdaughters Mary E. Russell of Lake City, FL and Marie D. Lewis (James) of Columbus, GA; 23 grandchildren, many great grandchildren
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403. CHURCH, BETTY VANN, (Obituary No. 403.) 88 Tallahassee - Betty Vann Church Bane died Friday, August 3, 2007 of congestive heart failure at Tallahassee Memorial Hospital. She was born in Dunnellon, Florida on November 17, 1918. In 1939, she married Al Converse Church, and they had two daughters, Connie and Betty Jr. In 1947, the family moved to Tallahassee and she lived there since. She was a fourth generation Floridian. Betty was a wife, mother, and also a teacher. In preparation for teaching, she attended Florida State College for Women. She graduated in 1948 just after the college became Florida State University. She then went on to teach in the Leon County School System, first at Kate Sullivan Elementary School, and then at Elizabeth Cobb Middle School, where she taught math and science. She remained an educator for many years and was admired by her peers and students. For her contributions to the field of education, she received noteworthy recognition. Betty was also a sportswoman who loved to play golf. She enjoyed outdoor activities generally, FSU football and especially spending time at the beach. She is survived by a number of family members: her husband, Mark C. Bane, Jr. a retired Col. USAF and retired from Mark Bane Realty; her two daughters, Connie Church-Brady and Betty Church, Jr. and her two sons-in-law, Mark K. Brady and Dr. Newell Wright, all of Walton County Florida; her sister, Lois Vann Stutts of Dunnellon and her three nephews; her two step-daughters, Helen Bane Roth and husband Tom of Tallahassee and Betty Bane Drew of West Point, Virginia. She had nine step-grandchildren and 12 step-great grandchildren. She was predeceased by her first husband, Al Converse Church who was retired as a State Highway Engineer and later from the Limerock Institute and who died in 1985. Arrangements by CULLEY'S MEADOWWOOD FUNERAL HOME, Tallahassee, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/5/2007 - 8/6/2007.

404. JOHNSON, JEFFERY MELVIN, (Obituary No. 404.) 42 Ocala- Mr. Jeffery Johnson 42, passed away on August 2, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He was a Data Base Administrator for E-One in Ocala, FL. He moved to the area in 1978 from Ashland, KY. He was a Baptist and a member of the Lake Tropicana Volunteer Fire Dept. He is survived by his loving wife Rebecca of 16 years. A daughter Kelli Johnson, a brother Tony Johnson, sister Penny Jubin, his parents George and Regina Johnson all of Ocala, FL. 2 nieces and 3 nephews also many, many friends. Send donations to the Lake Tropicana Volunteer Fire Dept. or Marion County Hospice. A viewing will
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and in raised Ocala, FL, and a long time horseman, has crossed the final finish line. Bobby ran 
wire to wire with the same unique honesty, strength and character he has always shown. Our 
stable will feel forever empty without him. He will be extremely missed by his wife, Tisa, and 
their children, Sabrina Noble, Ocala, David Burch, US Navy, Fallon, Nevada, and his wife 
Brittany, Cassaundra McManus and her husband Michael, Orlando, FL. Bobby's father, Edwin 
Mayo Noble and mother Dottie Mae, and one of his brothers, Donald, passed away before him 
and we are sure they are there to greet him in heaven. As were Tisa's parents, Sherman and 
Marilyn Armstrong, and Don Giggle, Bob's best friend. Bobby is survived by his brother Jimmy 
Noble and his wife Betty, his sisters Edna Britt Ryals, Hautence Beeler, and Linda McLeod and 
her husband John, all of Ocala. Bobby has many nieces and nephews, and of course, Lorna, 
Sabrina's mother and our friend. As was Bobby's desire, he was cared for during his illness at 
home and passed away surrounded by friends and family. We would like to be sure and give 
special thanks to Charlotte Mullen, Sabrina's grandmother and long time friend, and Cassaundra 
who have been by our side nearly everyday, and to all those who were there to support us during 
this time. Your love and sincere endurance will be forever appreciated. We have no doubt that 
Bobby has joined his many family and friends that have gone on before him and are residing at 
God's great race course in heaven, surrounded by all the people and God's creatures that he so 
loved and cared for, in a place where no race is ever lost. For all of you that know and loved 
Bobby, it will come as no surprise that he has requested.... actually demanded... that there be no 
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and the special bonds we all share. In loving memory of my husband, Tisa (Mrs. Bobby Lee 

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406. ARNOLD, JOHN F., (Obituary No. 406.) 90 Ocala - Mr. John F. Arnold, 90, passed away 
August 4, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Philadelphia, PA and 
moved to Ocala in 1993 from Lake Worth, FL. He was a US Army Veteran of WWII, and was a 
sports fan. He is survived by Clara W. Arnold, his wife of 44 years of Ocala and a niece Marjorie 
Magee of Georgia. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of 

407. BERNHART, LINDA SUE, (Obituary No. 407.) 54 Anthony - Linda Sue Bernhart, 
homemaker, age 54 passed away Friday, August 3, 2007 at her residence. A native of Elgin, 
Illinois, Linda first moved to Marion County 27 years ago from Hollywood, FL. She enjoyed 
cross-stitching, collecting copper items and anything with elephants. She is survived by her ex-
husband, Walter Bernhard, son, Michael Berhart, adoptive son, RJ Bronson, sister, Eilene Tubs, 
brothers, Harry and Peter Reese, 8 grandchildren including Terri-Michelle, Destiny-Marie, and 
Bronck, 2 nieces and 4 nephews. Funeral service will be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, August 8, 
2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Rev. Ted Pressley 
officiating. Visitation will be from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday prior to the service. Published in 

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She was born in Dunnellon, Florida on November 17, 1918. In 1939, she married Al Converse Church, and they had two daughters, Connie and Betty Jr. In 1947, the family moved to Tallahassee and she lived there since. She was a fourth generation Floridian. Betty was a wife, mother, and also a teacher. In preparation for teaching, she attended Florida State College for Women. She graduated in 1948 just after the college became Florida State University. She then went on to teach in the Leon County School System, first at Kate Sullivan Elementary School, and then at Elizabeth Cobb Middle School, where she taught math and science. She remained an educator for many years and was admired by her peers and students. For her contributions to the field of education, she received noteworthy recognition. Betty was also a sportswoman who loved to play golf. She enjoyed outdoor activities generally, FSU football and especially spending time at the beach. She is survived by a number of family members: her husband, Mark C. Bane, Jr. a retired Col. USAF and retired from Mark Bane Realty; her two daughters, Connie Church-Brady and Betty Church, Jr. and her two sons-in-law, Mark K. Brady and Dr. Newell Wright, all of Walton County Florida; her sister, Lois Vann Stutts of Dunnellon and her three nephews; her two step-daughters, Helen Bane Roth and husband Tom of Tallahassee and Betty Bane Drew of West Point, Virginia. She had nine step-grandchildren and 12 step-great grandchildren. She was predeceased by her first husband, Al Converse Church who was retired as a State Highway Engineer and later from the Limerock Institute and who died in 1985. Arrangements by CULLEY'S MEADOWWOOD FUNERAL HOME, Tallahassee, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/5/2007 - 8/6/2007.

409. NOBLE, BOBBY LEE, (Obituary No. 409.) 64 Morriston - Bobby Lee Noble, 64, born and in raised Ocala, FL, and a long time horseman, has crossed the final finish line. Bobby ran wire to wire with the same unique honesty, strength and character he has always shown. Our stable will feel forever empty without him. He will be extremely missed by his wife, Tisa, and their children, Sabrina Noble, Ocala, David Burch, US Navy, Fallon, Nevada, and his wife Brittany, Cassaundra McManus and her husband Michael, Orlando, FL. Bobby's father, Edwin Mayo Noble and mother Dottie Mae, and one of his brothers, Donald, passed away before him and we are sure they are there to greet him in heaven. As were Tisa's parents, Sherman and Marilyn Armstrong, and Don Giggle, Bob's best friend. Bobby is survived by his brother Jimmy Noble and his wife Betty, his sisters Edna Britt Ryals, Hautence Beeler, and Linda McLeod and her husband John, all of Ocala. Bobby has many nieces and nephews, and of course, Lorna, Sabrina's mother and our friend. As was Bobby's desire, he was cared for during his illness at home and passed away surrounded by friends and family. We would like to be sure and give special thanks to Charlotte Mullen, Sabrina's grandmother and long time friend, and Cassaundra who have been by our side nearly everyday, and to all those who were there to support us during this time. Your love and sincere endurance will be forever appreciated. We have no doubt that Bobby has joined his many family and friends that have gone on before him and are residing at God's great race course in heaven, surrounded by all the people and God's creatures that he so loved and cared for, in a place where no race is ever lost. For all of you that know and loved Bobby, it will come as no surprise that he has requested.... actually demanded... that there be no funeral service, memorial, or gathering. He has requested instead that you smile, toast to his life and the special bonds we all share. In loving memory of my husband, Tisa (Mrs. Bobby Lee Noble). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/5/2007 - 8/6/2007.
410. **ALLETTO, ALFREDO G. "AL"**, (Obituary No. 410.) 77 Ocala - Alfredo G. "Al" Alletto, age 77, of Ocala, FL (Oak Run) passed away on Friday, August 4, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Brooklyn, NY on June 25, 1930. Al served in the US Navy for 10 years and was a veteran of the Korean Conflict. He worked for General Dynamics Electric Boat Division in Groton, CT for 30 years and retired as a Chief of Marine Design. Al was a 32 degree Mason and was a member and Past Master of the Somerset Lodge # 34 in Norwich, CT. He and his wife moved to Ocala from Preston, CT 9 years ago. Al was a member of the First Congregational United Church of Christ in Ocala, FL. Mr. Alletto was a member of Preston City congregational Church. He is survived by his wife of (52 years) Florence (Parkhurst) Alletto of Ocala; son Raymond J. Alletto and his wife Nancy of Dallas, TX; son Wayne R. Alletto and his wife Suzanne of Lisbon, CT; son Alfred W. Alletto of Norwich, CT; son Robert A. Alletto of Griswold, CT; brother Vincent Alletto of New Orleans, LA; brother Frank Arno of Encino, CA; sister Gloria Decandia of Ocala, FL; sister Ann Paparazzi of Inverness, FL; 7 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be Monday, August 13, 2007 at 3 p.m. at the First Congregational United Church of Christ, 7171 SW SR 200 with Rev. Rainelle Kimmell officiating. Memorial may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBER RIDGE, Ocala, FL (352) 873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/8/2007.

411. **ARNOLD, JOHN F.**, (Obituary No. 411.) 90 Ocala - Mr. John F. Arnold, 90, passed away August 4, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Philadelphia, PA and moved to Ocala in 1993 from Lake Worth, FL. He was a US Army Veteran of WWII, and was a sports fan. He is survived by Clara W. Arnold, his wife of 44 years of Ocala and a niece Marjorie Magee of Georgia. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/6/2007 - 8/7/2007.

412. **BALLIET, MILDRED MAE**, (Obituary No. 412.) 79 Belleview - Mildred Mae Balliet, 79, was escorted by the Lord to her heavenly home on Saturday, August 4, 2007 from Shands Hospital in Gainesville, FL. She was born in Freeland, PA and moved to Belleview in 1970. She was a homemaker and a prayer warrior. She served faithfully at the First Baptist Church of Belleview for over 35 years. She will be dearly remembered by Donald Balliet, her husband of 55 years.; daughters Arlene Rhinesmith of Hewitt, NJ and Donna Fulford of Ocala; son, Howard Balliet of Savannah, GA; sister, Irene Stoll of Hazelton, PA; brothers, Donald Coxe of Crestview, FL and Calvin Coxe of Minnesota. Her legacy includes seven grandchildren, literally dozens of foster grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren and a vast extended family. Her smile and wisdom were God's gift, which she generously shared. Visitation will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday, August 7, 2007 at First Baptist Church of Belleview followed by a service at 11 a.m. with Rev. Damon S. Walker and Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church of Belleview Benevolence Fund. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEV. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/8/2007.

413. **BEARCE, NORMA M.**, (Obituary No. 413.) 88 Belleview- Norma M. Bearce, 88, of Belleview, passed was August 5th, 2007. Born in Oil City, PA, she came to this area in 1976 from Erie, PA. She was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Belleview Ward and enjoyed her family and was an avid reader. She is survived by her children, Ron Bearce of Belleview, Carol Rosenthal of Waterford, PA, Delores Collins of Dunnellon, Sandra Russell of Ocala, Janice Smith of Summerfield, Charlotte Knobloch of Ocala, Charles S. Bearce of Orlando, FL and Ann Marie Beavers of Belleview, 27 grandchildren, 76 Great grandchildren
and 32 great great grand children. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles. J Bearce and 3 brothers. Visitation will be held at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, 622-4141 on Tuesday (August 7th) from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. The Funeral Service will be held at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Belleview Ward (12975 SE 55th Ave. Rd.) on Wednesday (August 8th) at 10 a.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/9/2007.

414. BERNHART, LINDA SUE, (Obituary No. 414.) 54 Anthony - Linda Sue Bernhart, homemaker, age 54 passed away Friday, August 3, 2007 at her residence. A native of Elgin, Illinois, Linda first moved to Marion County 27 years ago from Hollywood, FL. She enjoyed cross-stitching, collecting copper items and anything with elephants. She is survived by her ex-husband, Walter Bernhard, son, Michael Berhart, adoptive son, RJ Bronson, sister, Eilene Tubs, brothers, Harry and Peter Reese, 8 grandchildren including Terri-Michelle, Destiny-Marie, and Bronck, 2 nieces and 4 nephews. Funeral service will be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, August 8, 2007 at HIER S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Rev. Ted Pressley officiating. Visitation will be from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/6/2007 - 8/7/2007.

415. GROVE, GEORGIA "JOY", (Obituary No. 415.) 93 Peoria, IL - Mrs. Georgia "Joy" Grove, 93, passed away on Wednesday, August 1, 2007 in Peoria, IL. Mrs. Grove had spent the last 30 years in Ocala before moving to Peoria, IL recently. She was a homemaker. She is survived by her nephews, Kenneth Albert, Jr. of Peoria, IL and Douglas Albert of Rock Falls, IL; nieces, Sue Reese of Jacksonville, FL and Jeanine Bright of Orlando, FL; sister, Marguerite Gowan of Orlando, FL; and numerous other family members. She was preceded in death by her husband, Laurence Grove, 3 brothers and 2 sisters. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery on Wednesday, August 8, 2007. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/8/2007.

416. MANGERSON, ALICE R., (Obituary No. 416.) 80 Ocala- Mrs. Alice R. Mangerson, 80, a loving mom and devoted wife went home to be with the Lord August 5, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Central Falls, RI, and moved to Ocala in 1985 from Thornton, IL. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, and enjoyed sewing and baking. She is survived by daughters Carol ( Jack) White of Mokena, IL, Deborah ( Mark) Sells of Frankfort, IL, Christine ( Carl) W illiams of Ocala, a son Ronald (Linda) Mangerson of Tuscon, AZ, a sister Doris Montgomery of Cicero, NY, 14 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, and special friends Dave and Joyce Sanders. She was preceded in death by her husband, Harry Mangerson. The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8PM on Thursday, August 9th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. A funeral mass will be held at 8:30AM on Friday, August 10th at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Fr. Patrick J. O Doherty officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/8/2007.

417. MILLS, E. G. "EDDIE", (Obituary No. 417.) 69 Anthony - E. G. "Eddie" Mills, 69, of Anthony, died Monday, August 6, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. A native of Wytheville, Virginia. Mr. Mills moved to Marion County 45 years ago. He retired from Florida Power Corp where he worked as a lineman. He also worked for Hills Van Service, and owned and operated Mills Hay and Cattle Company. He loved the outdoors, and enjoyed being involved in his community by supporting Anthony Elementary School, and was very gracious to anyone in need. He is survived by his daughter Eve Mills of Asheville, NC; stepdaughter, Tammy Horne of
Ocala and stepson Michael Hudson of Oak Hill, FL; brothers, Millard Lee Mills of Brush, CO and Johnny Mills of Richmond, VA; 7 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his son Eddie Mills, Jr. and his parents John and Ruth Mills. Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, August 9, 2007 at Oak Griner Baptist Church, with Rev. Frank Grant and Rev. Brad Boyd officiating. Interment will follow in the Anthony Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/9/2007.

418. MOORE, EILEEN RITA, (Obituary No. 418.) 67 Ocala - Eileen Rita Moore, age 67 of Ocala, formerly of Inverness, died Sunday, August 5, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Moore was born in Bronx, New York on November 8, 1939 and moved to Inverness in 1977 from East Northport, New York. She was a retired Branch Manager for the Bank of America in Inverness. Survivors include her son Richard P. (Christine) Moore, Jr. of Tampa, FL, 3 daughters, Rosemarie (Paul) Anderson of South Setauket, Long Island, NY, Kelly Ann (Matthew) Hahr of Damascus, Maryland and Eileen Ann (Paul) Youmans of Ocala, FL; 2 sisters, Anne O'Connell of Port Jefferson, NY and Patricia Smith of Lake Grove, NY; and 8 grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard P. Moore (December 25, 1993). Friends may call at the CHAS E. DAVIS FUNERAL HOME OF INVERNESS, Wednesday, August 8, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. The Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Thursday, August 9, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. from the Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Cremation will follow. In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/8/2007.

419. SMITH, GENEVIEVE(Obituary No. 419.) , 60 Ocala - Genevieve Smith, 60, born on November 8, 1946 in Pikeville, KY passed away Sunday, August 5, 2007 at Tuscany House, Summerfield, FL. She was preceded in death by her parents, Ben (Junior) Keene and Polly A. Keene (Maynard). She is survived by her husband, Michael E. Smith of 28 years; stepfather Franklin T. Maynard; daughter, Rochelle Y. Maynard; sisters, Ellen Sue Charles, Anita L. Nunemaker, Melissa Keene, Belinda G. Maynard and Colleen Maynard Adams; brother, Ben Keene III; brother-in-laws, Thomas Charles, Ross (Skip) Nunemaker, Paul (Tim) Smith, Mack Smith and Jim Renfroe; nieces and nephews, Lil' Tom Charles, Brian Dale Charles, Christopher Nunemaker, Jason Nunemaker, Angela, Stephanie and Rebecca; all her family and friends in Florida and Kentucky. Genevieve was a teacher and counselor at West Port High School, Vanguard High and North Marion Middle. Teacher, Students, Past and Present education is most important. All of her love, kindness and curiousity be with you. Services will be held at Forest Lawn Funeral Home on Wednesday, at 4 p.m. conducted by Jim Thompson. In lieu of flowers make donations to Tuscany House of Summerfield. Visitation will be on Tuesday from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/9/2007.

420. WRUBEL, CHRISTINE M., (Obituary No. 420.) 82 Anthony - Christine M. Wrubel, 82, passed away Friday, August 3, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Albermarle, North Carolina came to Ocala in 2005 from Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. Mrs. Wrubel was a dispatcher with the Broward Transit Authority in Ft. Lauderdale. She is survived by Ernest Wrubel of Anthony, Florida, her husband of 64 years; daughter, Brenda McNeill of Anthony, FL.; grandchildren, Steve Martin of Pittsburgh, PA, Lindsey Rhebb of New York, NY Megan McNeill and Dillon McNeill both of Anthony, Florida and three great grandchildren; sister, Doris Mauldin of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS
Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, August 8, 2007

421. ALLETTO, ALFREDO G. "AL", (Obituary No. 421.) 77 Ocala - Alfredo G. "Al" Alletto, age 77, of Ocala, FL (Oak Run) passed away on Friday, August 4, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Brooklyn, NY on June 25, 1930. Al served in the US Navy for 10 years and was a veteran of the Korean Conflict. He worked for General Dynamics Electric Boat Division in Groton, CT for 30 years and retired as a Chief of Marine Design. Al was a 32 degree Mason and was a member and Past Master of the Somerset Lodge # 34 in Norwich, CT. He and his wife moved to Ocala from Preston, CT 9 years ago. Al was a member of the First Congregational United Church of Christ in Ocala, FL. Mr. Alletto was a member of Preston City congregational Church. He is survived by his wife of (52 years) Florence (Parkhurst) Alletto of Ocala; son Raymond J. Alletto and his wife Nancy of Dallas, TX; son Wayne R. Alletto and his wife Suzanne of Lisbon, CT; son Alfred W. Alletto of Norwich, CT; son Robert A. Alletto of Griswold, CT; brother Vincent Alletto of New Orleans, LA; brother Frank Arno of Encino, CA; sister Gloria Decandia of Ocala, FL; sister Ann Paparazzi of Inverness, FL; 7 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be Monday, August 13, 2007 at 3 p.m. at the First Congregational United Church of Christ, 7171 SW SR 200 with Rev. Rainelle Kimmell officiating. Memorial may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBER RIDGE, Ocala, FL (352) 873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/8/2007.

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425. DOWNING, SR., EVERETT JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 425.) 81 Ocala - Everett J. Downing, Sr., 81, of Ocala, FL, husband of Evelyn Cressy Downing for 34 years and Late Veronica Louise Kayatte Downing, died Sunday, August 5, 2007 after a short illness at Munroe Regional Hospital in Ocala. Everett was born in Providence, RI and lived in Providence and Cranston until 1997 when he moved to Ocala, FL. Everett worked for the US Postal Service for 42 years, retiring in 1986, then manager of Public Storage in Cranston for over ten years before moving to Florida. Everett was a member of 384th Bomb Group, 8th Air Force Assoc., member of B-17 crew, Dueslers Delinquents. He was a life member and former Board of Directors of Approved Baseball Umpires of RI., also former vice president, manager and umpire in chief Elmwood Little League of Providence, Member of Oak Run Veteran Assoc. of Ocala, FL former member of V.F.W. and American Legion. Survivors include his wife Evelyn Downing, one sister, Rosemary Mello; ten children, Everett J. Downing, Jr., Joseph Downing, James Downing, Michael Downing, William Downing, Kathleen Kunitake, Maureen Lapensee, Veronica Lachapella, Judith Downing, Maryanne DiOrio; seventeen grandchildren and five great grandchildren; nieces, Ellen Murphy, Kaitlyn Downing and nephew James Mello. Also a beloved cat named Sheba. Funeral arrangements pending to be held in Providence, Rhode Island. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

426. EVANS, CORA "GRANNY", (Obituary No. 426.) 83 Belleview - Cora "Granny" Evans, 83, of Belleview, passed away on Monday, August 6, 2007 at her residence. A native of Sydney, KY, she had made Belleview her home since 1962 coming from Belfry, KY. She was a homemaker and Baptist in faith. Preceded in death by husband, Bennie S. Evans and daughter, Sarah Evans Davis. Survivors include daughter, Veda H. Callaway; two sons, James D. and Roger L. Evans; two sisters, Sally Cochran and Helen Pinson all of Belleview, FL; eight grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, August 9, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL 34420. Visitation will be from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, August 8, 2007 at the Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

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nieces, Sue Reese of Jacksonville, FL and Jeanine Bright of Orlando, FL; sister, Marguerite Gowan of Orlando, FL; and numerous other family members. She was preceded in death by her husband, Laurence Grove, 3 brothers and 2 sisters. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery on Wednesday, August 8, 2007. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/8/2007.

428. LASPINA, ANNA GRACE, (Obituary No. 428.) 80 Ocala - Anna Grace LaSpina, 80, of Ocala, passed away August 6, 2007. Born in Brooklyn, NY she has been a resident of the area since 1986. She is survived by her husband of 27 years, Orazio R, LaSpina; daughter, Maria Rose Platt of Huntington, CA; sons, Joseph Caiazzo of Staten Island, NY and Richard LaSpina of Miami, FL; 2 granddaughters and 1 great grandson. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944 on Thursday, August 9, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held at the Funeral home on Friday, August 10, 2007 at 10 a.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

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430. MILLS, E. G. "EDDIE", (Obituary No. 430.) 69 Anthony - E. G. "Eddie" Mills, 69, of Anthony, died Monday, August 6, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. A native of Wytheville, Virginia. Mr. Mills moved to Marion County 45 years ago. He retired from Florida Power Corp. where he worked as a lineman. He also worked for Hills Van Service, and owned and operated Mills Hay and Cattle Company. He loved the outdoors, and enjoyed being involved in his community by supporting Anthony Elementary School, and was very gracious to anyone in need. He is survived by his daughter Eve Mills of Asheville, NC; stepdaughter, Tammy Horne of Ocala and stepson Michael Hudson of Oak Hill, FL; brothers, Millard Lee Mills of Brush, CO and Johnny Mills of Richmond, VA; 7 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his son Eddie Mills, Jr. and his parents John and Ruth Mills. Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, August 9, 2007 at Oak Griner Baptist Church, with Rev. Frank Grant and Rev. Brad Boyd officiating. Intermment will follow in the Anthony Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/9/2007.

431. MOORE, EILEEN RITA, (Obituary No. 431.) 67 Ocala - Eileen Rita Moore, age 67 of Ocala,, formerly of Inverness, died Sunday, August 5, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Moore was born in Bronx, New York on November 8, 1939 and moved to Inverness in 1977 from East Northport, New York. She was a retired Branch Manager for the Bank of America in Inverness.
Survivors include her son Richard P. (Christine) Moore, Jr. of Tampa, FL., 3 daughters, Rosemarie (Paul) Anderson of South Setauket, Long Island, NY., Kelly Ann (Matthew) Hahr of Damascus, Maryland and Eileen Ann (Paul) Youmans of Ocala, FL; 2 sisters, Anne O'Connell of Port Jefferson, NY and Patricia Smith of Lake Grove, NY; and 8 grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard P. Moore (December 25, 1993). Friends may call at the CHAS E. DAVIS FUNERAL HOME OF INVERNESS, Wednesday, August 8, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. The Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Thursday, August 9, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. from the Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Cremation will follow. In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/8/2007.

432. SAULLE, SANTINA(Obituary No. 432.) , 91 Ocala - Santina Saulle, 91, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, August 6, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Bronx, NY, she moved here in 1974 from Seaford, L.I., NY. Santina was a lifelong homemaker and a former parishioner of Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church, Ocala. She is survived by daughters, Colette Cayca and husband Joe, and Mary Webb and husband Gene Goodnight, both of Ocala; sister, Jennie Zitvogel of Seaford, L.I., NY; granddaughters, Danielle and Suzette and great grandchildren Meghyn, Trey and Alayna. Mrs. Saulle was preceded in death by her husband of 55 years, Vincenzo Saulle in 1994. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, August 9, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. from FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala with Father George Maniangattu officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Garden. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

433. SMALLWOOD, LILLIAN M., (Obituary No. 433.) 79 Ocala - Mrs. Lillian M. Smallwood, 79, of Ocala passed away on Monday, August 6, 2007 at ORMC. Mrs. Smallwood was born in Irvine, FL. As a homemaker, she devoted her life to her husband, children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. For over 11 years, she worked on the assembly line at Bard-Parker Medical Supply (Becton-Dickenson). She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala and also a member of Harvester Sunday School Class. She loved flowers, sewing, and home crafts. She is survived by her husband, Raymond P. Smallwood of Ocala. Mr. Smallwood and his "Precious Jewel" were married for 61 years. She is also survived by her daughters, Kathryn Anne May of Rockland, ID and Linda Gail Capshaw of Ocala. She was preceded in death by her son, Arthur Thomas Smallwood. Granddaughters, Tommi Leigh Smallwood, Tonia Durrance, Rachel Moore, Rebekah Fowler, Angela (Wendy) Vinluan, and Bethel Meagher. Grandsons, Roy Smallwood, Thomas Lea, III, Matthew Smallwood, Timothy Lea, Titus Lea, Tyler Lea and 14 great grandchildren. She will be dearly missed. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

434. SMITH, GENEVIEVE(Obituary No. 434.) , 60 Ocala - Genevieve Smith, 60, born on November 8, 1946 in Pikeville, KY passed away Sunday, August 5, 2007 at Tuscany House, Summerfield, FL. She was preceded in death by her parents, Ben (Junior) Keene and Polly A. Keene (Maynard). She is survived by her husband, Michael E.. Smith of 28 years; stepfather Franklin T. Maynard; daughter, Rochelle Y. Maynard; sisters, Ellen Sue Charles, Anita L. Nunemaker, Melissa Keene, Belinda G. Maynard and Colleen Maynard Adams; brother, Ben Keene III; brother-in-laws, Thomas Charles, Ross (Skip) Nunemaker, Paul (Tim) Smith, Mack Smith and Jim Renfroe; nieces and nephews, Lil' Tom Charles, Brian Dale Charles, Christopher Nunemaker, Jason Nunemaker, Angela, Stephanie and Rebecca; all her family and friends in Florida and Kentucky. Genevieve was a teacher and counselor at West Port High School,
Vanguard High and North Marion Middle. Teacher, Students, Past and Present education is most important. All of her love, kindness and curiosity be with you. Services will be held at Forest Lawn Funeral Home on Wednesday, at 4 p.m. conducted by Jim Thompson. In lieu of flowers make donations to Tuscany House of Summerfield. Visitation will be on Tuesday from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/9/2007.

435. STONER, PEGGY H., (Obituary No. 435.) 79 Ocala - Mrs. Stoner of Ocala passed away on Monday, August 6, 2007 at Palm Gardens of Ocala. A native of Harrisburg, PA she had made Ocala her home since 1995 moving from New Holland, PA. Mrs. Stoner was a homemaker and Methodist by faith. She enjoyed dance, arts, and crafts and playing bridge. Survivors include husband of 56 years, James E. Stoner; son, James E. Stoner II and daughter-in-law, Linda Stoner all of Ocala, FL; four grandchildren and six great grandchildren. A Graveside service will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, August 10, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Interfaith Emergency Services, 450 NW 2nd St. Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

436. TOMLIN, EVA JOY, (Obituary No. 436.) 81 Amarillo, TX - Mrs. Eva Joy Tomlin, 81, was born April 5, 1926 to Martin F. and Clara Mary Doyle, the youngest to twelve children. The family moved to Dalhart, Texas in 1928. Joy moved to Nashville, Tennessee in 1942 and resided there until 1955 when she moved to Amarillo. She was a long time Real Estate Broker and was awarded the Salesperson of the year for the city of Amarillo in 1984 and 1985. She was a member of St. Luke Presbyterian Church, Amarillo Senior Citizens Association and was an avid bridge player. She loved to travel and visited a number of foreign countries. She also traveled extensively throughout the United States. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother. She was preceded in death by her husband Arthur C. (Tuck) Tomlin in 1988, a granddaughter Sesilee Tomlin in 2000, a great grandson Austin Carter in 1999, and ten brothers and sisters. Survivors include a son Robert C. Tomlin and wife Jayne of Hickory, NC; a daughter Susan Bartlow and husband Paul of Houston, TX; a sister Marjorie Burton of Dallas, TX and a granddaughter Robyn Tomlin Carter and her husband Kevin of Ocala, Florida. She is also survived by two great grandchildren Andrew Hackley and Avery Carter, and a dear friend Reggie Logan of Amarillo. Graveside services will be at Llano Cemetery, Wednesday, August 8, 2007 at 10 a.m. with arrangements by SCHOOLER FUNERAL HOME, 4100 S. Georgia Dr. J. Pat Kennedy of St. Luke Presbyterian Church will be officiating. Interment will be a Llano Cemetery. Family visitation will be Tuesday, August 7, from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at Schooler Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, the family request memorial be made to ASU Scholarship Foundation in memory of Sesilee Tomlin, Appalachian University, Inc., P.O. Box 32014, Boone, North Carolina, 28608 or to a favorite charity. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/11/2007.

437. WRUBEL, CHRISTINE M., (Obituary No. 437.) 82 Anthony - Christine M. Wrubel, 82, passed away Friday, August 3, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Albemarle, North Carolina came to Ocala in 2005 from Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. Mrs. Wrubel was a dispatcher with the Broward Transit Authority in Ft. Lauderdale. She is survived by Ernest Wrubel of Anthony, Florida, her husband of 64 years; daughter, Brenda McNeill of Anthony, FL.; grandchildren, Steve Martin of Pittsburgh, PA, Lindsey Rhebb of New York, NY Megan McNeill and Dillon McNeill both of Anthony, Florida and three great grandchildren; sister, Doris Mauldin of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS
Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, August 9, 2007

438. BEARCE, NORMA M., (Obituary No. 438.) 88 Belleview- Norma M. Bearce, 88, of Belleview, passed was August 5th, 2007. Born in Oil City, PA, she came to this area in 1976 from Erie, PA. She was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Belleview Ward and enjoyed her family and was an avid reader. She is survived by her children, Ron Bearce of Belleview, Carol Rosenthal of Waterford, PA, Delores Collins of Dunnellon, Sandra Russell of Ocala, Janice Smith of Summerfield, Charlotta Knobloch of Ocala, Charles S. Bearce of Orlando, FL and Ann Marie Beavers of Belleview, 27 grandchildren, 76 Great grandchildren and 32 great great grand children. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles J Bearce and 3 brothers. Visitation will be held at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, 622-4141 on Tuesday (August 7th) from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. The Funeral Service will be held at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Belleview Ward (12975 SE 55th Ave. Rd.) on Wednesday (August 8th) at 10 a.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/9/2007.

439. BERNHART, LINDA SUE, (Obituary No. 439.) 54 Anthony - Linda Sue Bernhart, homemaker, age 54 passed away Friday, August 3, 2007 at her residence. A native of Elgin, Illinois, Linda first moved to Marion County 27 years ago from Hollywood, FL. She enjoyed cross-stitching, collecting copper items and anything with elephants. She is survived by her ex-husband, Walter Bernhart, son, Michael Bernhart, adoptive son, RJ Bronson, sister, Eilene Tubs, brothers, Harry and Peter Reese, 8 grandchildren including Terri Michelle, Destiny-Marie, and Bronck, 2 nieces and 4 nephews. Funeral service were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, August 8, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Rev. Ted Pressley officiating. Visitation will be from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/6/2007 - 8/10/2007.

440. CURBEAM, JR., HERBERT, 73 (Obituary No. 440.) Ocala - Mr. Curbeam went home to be with the Lord on August 2, 2007. He leaves to Cherish his memories four daughters, Dorothy Butler, Donna Siplin, Debra Wilkerson, and Monica Curbeam; two sons, Herbert Lee Curbeam, and Harold Curbeam; 18 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren; three sisters, Henrietta Gilmore, Rose Heyward, and Ruth Lee. Funeral service for Mr. Curbeam will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Isom Memorial CME Church with Rev. E. Micheal Darville, Pastor conducting the service. Visitation will be on Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry, Baseline Chapel. Arrangements entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/11/2007.

441. DOWNING, SR., EVERETT JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 441.) 81Ocala - Everett J. Downing, Sr., 81, of Ocala, FL, husband of Evelyn Cressy Downing for 34 years and Late Veronica Louise Kayatte Downing, died Sunday, August 5, 2007 after a short illness at Munroe Regional Hospital in Ocala. Everett was born in Providence, RI and lived in Providence and Cranston until 1997 when he moved to Ocala, FL. Everett worked for the US Postal Service for 42 years, retiring in 1986, then manager of Public Storage in Cranston for over ten years before moving to Florida. Everett was a member of 384th Bomb Group, 8th Air Force Assoc., member of B-17 crew, Dueslers Delinquents. He was a life member and former Board of Directors of Approved Baseball Umpires of RI., also former vice president, manager and umpire in chief.
Elmwood Little League of Providence, Member of Oak Run Veteran Assoc. of Ocala, FL former member of V.F.W. and American Legion. Survivors include his wife Evelyn Downing, one sister, Rosemary Mello; ten children, Everett J. Downing, Jr., Joseph Downing, James Downing, Michael Downing, William Downing, Kathleen Kunitake, Maureen Lapensee, Veronica Lachapella, Judith Downing, Maryanne DiOrio; seventeen grandchildren and five great grandchildren; nieces, Ellen Murphy, Kaitlyn Downing and nephew James Mello. Also a beloved cat named Sheba. Funeral arrangements pending to be held in Providence, Rhode Island. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

442. EVANS, CORA "GRANNY", (Obituary No. 442.) 83 Belleview - Cora "Granny" Evans, 83, of Belleview, passed away on Monday, August 6, 2007 at her residence. A native of Sydney, KY, she had made Belleview her home since 1962 coming from Belfry, KY. She was a homemaker and Baptist in faith. Preceded in death by husband, Bennie S. Evans and daughter, Sarah Evans Davis. Survivors include daughter, Veda H. Callaway; two sons, James D. and Roger L. Evans; two sisters, Sally Cochran and Helen Pinson all of Belleview, FL; eight grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, August 9, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL 34420. Visitation will be from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, August 8, 2007 at the Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

443. HANEGAN, JR., CLARENCE M., (Obituary No. 443.) 59 Ocala - Clarence M. Hanegan, Jr., 59, of Ocala, died Tuesday, August 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Marion County, he was retired from Dolly Madison as a route salesman. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and he served on the USS Saratoga while in the US Navy. Mr. Hanegan was very active in the community coaching at Blessed Trinity School as well as umpiring baseball. His passions included fishing, bowling, Disney trips, rooting for the Gators, Braves, and Jaguars and visiting his grandchildren. Survivors include his wife of 35 years, Bobbie; daughter, Catherine Kruger; son, David Hanegan; sisters Guin Nichols, Sylvia Hanegan, and Vicki Hanegan; brothers, Larry, Clifford, Tom, Pat, Ron, Phil and Jerry Hanegan; as well as his grandchildren, McKenna, Connor, Rachel, Peyton, and A. J. He is preceded in death by his parents, Clarence and Ossie Hanegan. A funeral mass for Mr. Hanegan will be held at 10 a.m., Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Friday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with prayer service at 6 p.m. Mr. Hanegan's family would especially like to thank DaVita staff and kidney transplant team at Shands. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/11/2007.

444. HOPKINS, HAROLD "KNUNK" IZELL, (Obituary No. 444.) 70 Ocala - Mr. Harold "Knunk" Izell Hopkins, 70, passed away on August 1, 2007 at the Surrey Place Health and Rehabilitation Center. Mr. Hopkins was born in Kendrick, FL to the late Monroe and Jane Hopkins. He was a member of Mt. Tabor AME Church. Mr. Hopkins was a truck driver for many years. He leaves to cherish his memories: one loving son and daughter-in-law, Mr. Jay and Cheryl Hopkins of Ocala, FL; daughter, Mary Coleman of Leesburg, FL; sister, Queen Jones of Ocala, FL; brothers, James (Grace) Hopkins of Columbus, GA., Clarence (Adell) Hopkins of Ocala, FL; a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephew, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Mr. Harold "Knunk" Hopkins will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Siloam Baptist Church with Rev. Reginald Thomas, Pastor. Interment will be held immediately in Siloam Cemetery. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME
from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. on Friday. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/10/2007.

445. **JEWELL, CAROLYN HARVEY, (Obituary No. 445.)** 49 Charlotte, NC - Carolyn Harvey Jewell, 49, passed away on July 30, 2007 in Yemassee, South Carolina as a result of a automobile accident. Carolyn was born in Ocala but was currently residing in Charlotte, North Carolina. She leave to cherish her memories her husband, Kevin Jewell; her sisters and brothers Teretha Newmones, Mattie Bell, Shelly Rahming, Ann Burley, Glorian Mickens, Kathy Harvey, Patsy Brown, Mary Gaines, Johnnie Daniels, Leroy Green, Jackie Wynn, Hubert Naylor, John Harvey, Jerome Harvey, Jeffrey Daniels, and James Daniels. Funeral Services for Mrs. Carolyn Harvey Jewell will be at 3 p.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at The United Holiness Church of Christ Deliverance Center, 1642 NW 3rd St., Pastor Apostle Grant Wilkerson, Jr., with Rev. Hubert Naylor officiating/eulogist. Burial will follow in Chestnut Cemetery. Professional services entrusted to SNOW’S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/10/2007.

446. **LASPINA, ANNA GRACE, (Obituary No. 446.)** 80 Ocala - Anna Grace LaSpina, 80, of Ocala, passed away August 6, 2007. Born in Brooklyn, NY she has been a resident of the area since 1986. She is survived by her husband of 27 years, Orazio R, LaSpina; daughter, Maria Rose Platt of Huntington, CA; sons, Joseph Caiazzo of Staten Island, NY and Richard LaSpina of Miami, FL; 2 granddaughters and 1 great grandson. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944 on Thursday, August 9, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held at the Funeral home on Friday, August 10, 2007 at 10 a.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

447. **LONG-JONES, EDDIE RUTH, (Obituary No. 447.)** 89 Brooklyn, NY - Funeral services will be on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at 1 p.m., Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, Reverend Dr. Lorenzo S. Edward will conduct the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. A wake service will be held at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday at 6 p.m. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Long (520 SW 24th Avenue, Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 12:15 p.m. to form the Funeral cortege. No viewing will follow the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mrs. Jones is a brother: Austin Long, Ocala, FL; three sisters, Lucille L. Shuler, Brooklyn, NY, Betty J. Long and Essie Brown of Ocala, FL; sister-in-laws, Henrietta B. Long, Brooklyn, NY, Dorothy Long, and Maggie M. Sancho of Ocala, FL; one brother-in-law, Oscar Brown, Ocala, FL and a host of devoted nieces and nephews, cousins and friends. "A Seller Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/10/2007.

448. **MANGERSON, ALICE R., (Obituary No. 448.)** 80 Ocala- Mrs. Alice R. Mangerson, 80, a loving mom and devoted wife went home to be with the Lord August 5, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Central Falls, RI, and moved to Ocala in 1985 from Thornton, IL. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, and enjoyed sewing and baking. She is survived by daughters Carol ( Jack) White of Mokena, IL, Deborah ( Mark) Sells of Frankfort, IL, Christine ( Carl) W illiams of Ocala, a son Ronald (Linda) Mangerson of Tuscon, AZ, a sister Doris Montminy of Cicero, NY, 14 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, and special friends Dave and Joyce Sanders. She was preceded in death by her husband, Harry Mangerson. The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8PM on Thursday, August 9th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. A funeral mass
will be held at 8:30AM on Friday, August 10th at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Fr. Patrick J. O Doherty officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/9/2007.

449. MCALLISTER, FLOYD (Obituary No. 449.) , 76 Ocala - Mr. McAllister went home to be with the Lord on July 29, 2007. Born in Kelly, North Carolina he moved to Ocala, Florida many years ago and worked as a sawman for a Lumber Company. He is survived by his wife Tina Davis McAllister; son Floyd McAllister; sisters Olita Rhodey, Sandra McAllister and Margret Williams. Final Rites entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/10/2007.

450. MILLS, E. G. "EDDIE", (Obituary No. 450.) 69 Anthony - E. G. "Eddie" Mills, 69, of Anthony, died Monday, August 6, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. A native of Wytheville, Virginia. Mr. Mills moved to Marion County 45 years ago. He retired from Florida Power Corp. where he worked as a lineman. He also worked for Hills Van Service, and owned and operated Mills Hay and Cattle Company. He loved the outdoors, and enjoyed being involved in his community by supporting Anthony Elementary School, and was very gracious to anyone in need. He is survived by his daughter Eve Mills of Asheville, NC; stepdaughter, Tammy Horne of Ocala and stepson Michael Hudson of Oak Hill, FL; brothers, Millard Lee Mills of Brush, CO and Johnny Mills of Richmond, VA; 7 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his son Eddie Mills, Jr. and his parents John and Ruth Mills. Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, August 9, 2007 at Oak Griner Baptist Church, with Rev. Frank Grant and Rev. Brad Boyd officiating. Interment will follow in the Anthony Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/7/2007 - 8/9/2007.

451. SAULLE, SANTINA (Obituary No. 451.) , 91 Ocala - Santina Saulle, 91, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, August 6, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Bronx, NY, she moved here in 1974 from Seaord, L.I., NY. Santina was a lifelong homemaker and a former parishioner of Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church, Ocala. She is survived by daughters, Colette Cayca and husband Joe, and Mary Webb and husband Gene Goodnight, both of Ocala; sister, Jennie Zitvogel of Seaord, L.I., NY; granddaughters, Danielle and Suzette and great grandchildren Meghyn, Trey and Alayna. Mrs. Saulle was preceded in death by her husband of 55 years, Vincenzo Saulle in 1994. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, August 9, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. from FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala with Father George Maniangattu officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Garden. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

452. SMALLWOOD, LILLIAN M., (Obituary No. 452.) 79 Ocala - Mrs. Lillian M. Smallwood, 79, of Ocala passed away on Monday, August 6, 2007 at ORMC. Mrs. Smallwood was born in Irvine, FL. As a homemaker, she devoted her life to her husband, children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. For over 11 years, she worked on the assembly line at Bard-Parker Medical Supply (Becton-Dickenson). She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala and also a member of Harvester Sunday School Class. She loved flowers, sewing, and home crafts. She is survived by her husband, Raymond P. Smallwood of Ocala. Mr. Smallwood and his "Precious Jewel" were married for 61 years. She is also survived by her daughters, Kathryn Anne May of Rockland, ID and Linda Gail Capshaw of Ocala. She was preceded in death by her son, Arthur Thomas Smallwood. Granddaughters, Tommi Leigh Smallwood, Tonia Durrance, Rachel Moore, Rebekah Fowler, Angela (Wendy) Vinluan, and Bethel Meagher. Grandsons, Roy Smallwood, Thomas Lea, III, Matthew Smallwood, Timothy Lea, Titus Lea,
Tyler Lea and 14 great grandchildren. She will be dearly missed. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/8/2007 - 8/9/2007.

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455. SWEET-MCNEIL, TRACEY LYN, (Obituary No. 455.) 45 Queens, NY - Mrs. Sweet-McNeil took wings and flew home to be at rest with the Lord on August 1, 2007. She was an Educator and believed that education is something children should thirst for. She left a legacy of love for her husband, Michael McNeil; her daughter, Taylor Emanuelle Sweet; her mother, Evelyn J. Sweet; her sister, Leslie A. Sweet; her grandmother, Sara L. Harrison; her super special lifetime devoted cousins, Siddell, Jimmie, Pam, Aristine, Darry, Wilbur, Aunt Lucy and so many more. Funeral Services for Mrs. Tracy Lyn Sweet-McNeil will be at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Mt. Canaan Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. Jerome Gamble conducting the service. Interment will follow in Mt. Canaan Cemetery. Visitation will be on Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Baseline Chapel. Professional Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/10/2007.

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458. BERNHART, LINDA SUE, (Obituary No. 458.) 54 Anthony - Linda Sue Bernhart, homemaker, age 54 passed away Friday, August 3, 2007 at her residence. A native of Elgin, Illinois, Linda first moved to Marion County 27 years ago from Hollywood, FL. She enjoyed cross-stitching, collecting copper items and anything with elephants. She is survived by her ex-husband, Walter Bernhart, son, Michael Bernhart, adoptive son, RJ Bronson, sister, Eilene Tubs, brothers, Harry and Peter Reese, 8 grandchildren including Terri-Michelle, Destiny-Marie, and Bronck, 2 nieces and 4 nephews. Funeral service were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, August 8, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Rev. Ted Pressley officiating. Visitation will be from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/6/2007 - 8/10/2007.

459. CURBEAM, JR., HERBERT, (Obituary No. 459.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Curbeam went home to be with the Lord on August 2, 2007. He leaves to Cherish his memories four daughters, Dorothy Butler, Donna Siplin, Debra Wilkerson, and Monica Curbeam; two sons, Herbert Lee
Curbeam, and Harold Curbeam; 18 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren; three sisters, Henrietta Gilmore, Rose Heyward, and Ruth Lee. Funeral service for Mr. Curbeam will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Isom Memorial CME Church with Rev. E. Micheal Darville, Pastor conducting the service. Visitation will be on Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry, Baseline Chapel. Arrangements entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/11/2007.

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462. HOPKINS, HAROLD "KNUNK" IZELL, (Obituary No. 462.) 70 Ocala - Mr. Harold "Knunk" Izell Hopkins, 70, passed away on August 1, 2007 at the Surrey Place Health and Rehabilitation Center. Mr. Hopkins was born in Kendrick, FL to the late Monroe and Jane Hopkins. He was a member of Mt. Tabor AME Church. Mr. Hopkins was a truck driver for many years. He leaves to cherish his memories: one loving son and daughter-in-law, Mr. Jay and Cheryl Hopkins of Ocala, FL; daughter, Mary Coleman of Leesburg, FL; sister, Queen Jones of Ocala, FL; brothers, James (Grace) Hopkins of Columbus, GA., Clarence (Adell) Hopkins of Ocala, FL; a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephew, cousins and sorrowing
friends. Funeral services for Mr. Harold "Knunk" Hopkins will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Siloam Baptist Church with Rev. Reginald Thomas, Pastor. Interment will be held immediately in Siloam Cemetery. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. on Friday. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/10/2007.

463. JEWELL, CAROLYN HARVEY, (Obituary No. 463.) 49 Charlotte, NC - Carolyn Harvey Jewell, 49, passed away on July 30, 2007 in Yemassee, South Carolina as a result of a automobile accident. Carolyn was born in Ocala but was currently residing in Charlotte, North Carolina. She leave to cherish her memories her husband, Kevin Jewell; her sisters and brothers Teretha Newmones, Mattie Bell, Shelly Rahming, Ann Burley, Glorian Mickens, Kathy Harvey, Patsy Brown, Mary Gaines, Johnnie Daniels, Leroy Green, Jackie Wynn, Hubert Naylor, John Harvey, Jerome Harvey, Jeffrey Daniels, and James Daniels. Funeral Services for Mrs. Carolyn Harvey Jewell will be at 3 p.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at The United Holiness Church of Christ Deliverance Center, 1642 NW 3rd St., Pastor Apostle Grant Wilkerson, Jr., with Rev. Hubert Naylor officiating/eulogist. Burial will follow in Chestnut Cemetery. Professional services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Funeral services for Mrs. Carolyn Harvey Jewell will be at 3 p.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at The United Holiness Church of Christ Deliverance Center, 1642 NW 3rd St., Pastor Apostle Grant Wilkerson, Jr., with Rev. Hubert Naylor officiating/eulogist. Burial will follow in Chestnut Cemetery. Professional services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/10/2007.

464. LONG-JONES, EDDIE RUTH, (Obituary No. 464.) 89 Brooklyn, NY - Funeral services will be on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at 1 p.m., Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, Reverend Dr. Lorenzo S. Edward will conduct the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. A wake service will be held at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday at 6 p.m. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Long (520 SW 24th Avenue, Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 12:15 p.m. to form the Funeral cortege. No viewing will follow the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mrs. Jones is a brother: Austin Long, Ocala, FL; three sisters, Lucille L. Shuler, Brooklyn, NY, Betty J. Long and Essie Brown of Ocala, FL; sister-in-laws, Henrietta B. Long, Brooklyn, NY, Dorothy Long, and Maggie M. Sancho of Ocala, FL; one brother-in-law, Oscar Brown, Ocala, FL and a host of devoted nieces and nephews, cousins and friends. "A Seller Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/10/2007.

465. MCALLISTER, FLOYD(Obituary No. 465.) , 76 Ocala - Mr. McAllister went home to be with the Lord on July 29, 2007. Born in Kelly, North Carolina he moved to Ocala, Florida many years ago and worked as a sawman for a Lumber Company. He is survived by his wife Tina Davis McAllister; son Floyd McAllister; sisters Olita Rhodey, Sandra McAllister and Margret Williams. Final Rites entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. "Providing A Memory that will never fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/9/2007 - 8/10/2007.

466. SWEET-MCNEIL, TRACEY LYN, (Obituary No. 466.) 45 Queens, NY - Mrs. Sweet-McNeil took wings and flew home to be at rest with the Lord on August 1, 2007. She was an Educator and believed that education is something children should thirst for. She left a legacy of love for her husband, Michael McNeil; her daughter, Taylor Emanuelle Sweet; her mother, Evelyn J. Sweet; her sister, Leslie A. Sweet; her grandmother, Sara L. Harrison; her super special lifetime devoted cousins, Siddell, Jimmie, Pam, Aristine, Darry, Wilbur, Aunt Lucy and so many more. Funeral Services for Mrs. Tracy Lyn Sweet-McNeil will be at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Mt. Canaan Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. Jerome Gamble conducting the service. Interment will follow in Mt. Canaan Cemetery. Visitation will be on Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow’s Baseline Chapel. Professional Services entrusted to
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BOULANGER, PAULINE B., (Obituary No. 469.) 65 Ocala- Ms. Pauline B. Boulanger, 65, of Ocala, died August 8, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Ms. Bboulanger was a former resident of Margate, FL and long time partner of Geraldine Lucas. She was the beloved daughter of Antonio Boulanger, and is survived by her sister Germaine McKinley of Arizona, Aunt Mary Boulanger and nieces Debbie Clifton, Carey Skelton, Tammy Burlwe and nephew David Peterson. Also loved by Jeffrey and Margaret Lucas, Joseph and Connie Lucas, nephews
Jay, Sean and Russell Lucas and his wife-to-be, Chrissy. niece, Heather and husband Damian, great niece Sydney Duffy, Aunt Eileen and Uncle George Strick, her daughters, Janet and Linda and Dan Panchura. Beloved friends Andrea, Pat, Maureen, and Arline and many other friends and loved ones. Her beauty was inward as well as outward. She was the rock in many people's lives but she touched everyone's life that met her. To know her was to love her You will always be in our hearts and in our minds. The void you have left will be ever lasting. My love will be for eternity and beyond. Until we meet in heaven, all my love. Services will be at 10 AM, Monday August 13, 2007, at St. Theresa Catholic Church, 11528 SE Hwy 301, Belleview with Fr. David Vivero officiating. Visitation will be Sunday from 2-5PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/11/2007 - 8/12/2007.

470. CHAUNCHY, EMMANUEL EUGENE, (Obituary No. 470.) 77 Belleview - Mr. Emmanuel Eugene Chauncy, "Chauncy", was born 77 years ago in Ashdown, AR to Alva and Ada (Parrett) Chauncy. He grew up in Hemet, CA. He enlisted in the Army and served during the Korean Conflict as a paratrooper for nearly four years. He then traveled all over the world working as a telephone contractor, finally settling in Belleview in 1983. He started ASAP Phone Company in 1985 installing residential and commercial phone systems throughout the Marion County area. He never met a stranger and everyone was his friend. He is survived by four children Kathy (Walt) Flathers of Kansas City, MO, Marion, Shawn, and Kayle Chauncy, all of CA; his devoted wife of twenty-one years Becca; three stepchildren, Jane (Greg) Mann, Charity Meagher, Chad (Courtney) Meagher; 10 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren as well as his brother Leroy (Jan) Chauncy of Las Vegas, NV, and a sister Lorraine Dunn of Monet, MO. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, George. Graveside services will be held on Monday, August 13, 2007 at 2 PM at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, and a memorial service will be held at 7PM at the Moose Lodge in Belleview. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS- BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/11/2007 - 8/13/2007.

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474. LOONEY, JEANETTE FIELDS, (Obituary No. 474.) 79 Ocala- Jeanette Fields Looney, 79, of Ocala FL. Passed away Thursday, August 9, 2007 at Summerville of Ocala. She was born March 26, 1928 in Harlan, Kentucky. Mrs. Looney was a retired educator from the Harlan, KY. city schools. She was predeceased by her husband of 43 years Bill J. Looney, Sr and is survived by: son Bill J. Looney of Ocala, Florida Brother, Clarence Fields of Harlan, Ky. 2 Sisters, Lou Ann Stringer of Harlan, Ky. Vera Arvin of Shelbyville, TN and Several Nieces and Nephews. Private family services will be held at a later date in Harlan KY. In Lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 in memory of Mrs. Looney. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/11/2007 - 8/12/2007.

475. MARTIN, EDWARD J., (Obituary No. 475.) 90 Ocala - Edward J. Martin, 90, of Ocala, died August 8th at his home. Born in Astoria, New York City, he came to Florida as a permanent resident in 1994 after the death of his beloved wife, Margaret Mary Martin. He was employed by the ITT Corp as Sales Manage of their export division. He was an Army Air Corps Veteran of WWII and served his country for almost five years, three of those years in the South Pacific as a Radar Crew Chief. He was also a member of Espiritu Santo Catholic Church, Safety Harbor and Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Ocala, and the Telephone Pioneers of America. He is survived by his son, Edward J. Martin and his wife, Linda; grandsons, Joseph and his wife Patricia, William and his wife Gail and Edward Jr.; great grandsons, Chadron and Devon; brother, Raymond; sister, Joan; many beloved nieces and nephew and his beloved companion Corrine Melrose of Clearwater, FL. Visitation will be at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Sunday, August 12, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral mass will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church (4047 NE 21st St., Silver Springs) on Monday, August 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. Interment with


477. PLACENTE, ALBERT A., (Obituary No. 477.) 90 Wildwood- Albert A. Placente, age 90, of Wildwood, passed away Friday, August 10, 2007. He has lived in Wildwood for 29 years, he moved here from Burlington, N.J., He is a veteran of the National Guard, a former Chief of the Burlington Township Fire Department, and Township Government of Burlington, N.J. he was a welder by trade. He is survived by his sons; David (Ginger) Placiente of Daphne, Al: Roland ( Mary) Dagsboro, DE; his daughter; Lois ( Rene) Braun of West Chester, PA; 2 Great grandsons Christoffer Braun and Tristan Braun of West Chester, PA., he is predeceased by his wife Lucy Placente. Visitation will be held Sunday, August 12, 2007 at BANKS/PAGE-THEUS FUNERAL CHAPEL OF WILDWOOD, FL from 1:00-2:00PM. Services will follow at 2:00PM at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel. in Lieu of flowers the family has requested donations be made to The Villagers for Hospice 601 Casa Bella The Villages, FL 32162. On line condolences available at www.bankspagetheusfuneralsandcremations.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/11/2007 - 8/12/2007.

478. SCHARTIGER, WALTER M., "DOC"., (Obituary No. 478.) 87 Walter M. "Doc" Schartiger, 87, of Salisbury, PA, died Sunday, August 5, 2007, at his home, Born November 21, 1919, in Sand Ridge, WV, he was the son of the late Lloyd and Hollie (Nicholson) Schartiger. He was preceeded in death by his wife of 56 years, Martha (Lowry) Schartiger, who died January 20, 1998; an infant daughter, Patricia; a brother Russell; sister, Vera Tucker; a granddaughter, Patti Harris and a granddaughter -in-law, Vauda Bittinger. He is survived by two sons, David ( Virginia) Schartiger, Clarksville, TN; Mart "Butch" Schartiger, Meyersdale; three daughters, Bernice (Ty) "Bunny" Cauthern. Silver Springs, FL; Karen (Roger)Yommer, Meyersdale; Linda (Paul) Bittinger, Salisbury; one sister, Bonnie Tucker, Spencer, WV; 16 grandchildren, 30 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren. Walter was a retired sawyer of 37 years and was a U.S. Army veteran of WW2. Friends will be received Monday 7-9p.m. and Tuesday 2-4 & 7-9p.m at the NEWMAN FUNERAL HOME, INC., 9168 Mason- Dixon Hwy, Salisbury, PA, where services will be conducted on Wednesday at 1:00a.m. with Pastor Don Engle officiating. Interment, St. Paul Wilhelm Cemetery. Military graveside rites will be accorded by the Salisbury VFW. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.newmanfuneralhomes.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/11/2007 - 8/12/2007.

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Born in Jasper, Alabama, he moved to Ocala in 1980 from Miami. During his life, he owned
Wayne Blackwell & Co. Inc. and was a pioneer in the asbestos abatement industry. He also
owned Wile-A-Way Farm, a thoroughbred horse farm in Ocala. A veteran of the United States
Air Force, he was also a member of the Kiwanis Club, Shriners, Masons, The Greater Miami Ski
Club, the Florida Thoroughbred Breeders' and Owners' Association, and was active in numerous
organizations and charities in Marion County. He is survived by his son Troy Blackwell, and
daughter-in-law Cristal of Kingsport, TN; son, Sam Blackwell, and daughter-in-law Jill of
Miami; and four grandchildren Clayton, Ansley, Lauren, and Lexi Blackwell. He was preceded
in death by his wife, Bobbie. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, August 14,
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481. BOULANGER, PAULINE B., (Obituary No. 481.) 65 Ocala- Ms. Pauline B. Boulanger,
65, of Ocala, died August 8, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Ms. Bboulanger was a
former resident of Margate, FL and long time partner of Geraldine Lucas. She was the beloved
daughter of Antonio Boulanger, and is survived by her sister Germaine McKinley of Arizona,
Aunt Mary Boulanger and nieces Debbie Clifton, Carey Skelton, Tammy Burlew and nephew
David Peterson. Also loved by Jeffrey and Margaret Lucas, Joseph and Connie Lucas, nephews
Jay, Sean and Russell Lucas and his wife-to-be, Chrissy. niece, Heather and husband Damian,
great niece Sydney Duffy, Aunt Eileen and Uncle George Strick, her daughters, Janet and Linda
and Dan Panchura. Beloved friends Andrea, Pat, Maureen, and Arline and many other friends
and loved ones. Her beauty was inward as well as outward. She was the rock in many people's
lives but she touched everyone's life that met her. To know her was to love her You will always
be in our hearts and in our minds. The void you have left will be ever lasting. My love will be for
eternity and beyond. Until we meet in heaven, all my love. Services will be at 10 AM, Monday
August 13, 2007, at St. Theresa Catholic Church, 11528 SE Hwy 301, Belleview with Fr. David
Visitation will be Sunday from 2-5PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/11/2007 - 8/12/2007.

482. CHAUNCY, EMMANUEL EUGENE, (Obituary No. 482.) 77 Belleview - Mr. Emmanuel Eugene Chauncy, "Chauncy", was born 77 years ago in Ashdown, AR to Alva and Ada (Parrett) Chauncy. He grew up in Hemet, CA. He enlisted in the Army and served during the Korean Conflict as a paratrooper for nearly four years. He then traveled all over the world working as a telephone contractor, finally settling in Belleview in 1983. He started ASAP Phone Company in 1985 installing residential and commercial phone systems throughout the Marion County area. He never met a stranger and everyone was his friend. He is survived by four children Kathy (Walt) Flathers of Kansas City, MO, Marion, Shawn, and Kayle Chauncy, all of CA; his devoted wife of twenty-one years Becca; three stepchildren, Jane (Greg) Mann, Charity Meagher, Chad (Courtney) Meagher; 10 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren as well as his brother Leroy (Jan) Chauncy of Las Vegas, NV, and a sister Lorraine Dunn of Monet, MO. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, George. Graveside services will be held on Monday, August 13, 2007 at 2 PM at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, and a memorial service will be held at 7PM at the Moose Lodge in Belleview. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/11/2007 - 8/13/2007.

483. CHMIELEWSKI, ONETA (Obituary No. 483.) , 74 Silver Springs - Oneta Chmielewski, 74, died August 8, 2007. Known by many, loved by all, she is resting with her husband Wally, who died in 1980. They founded the East Marion Fire Dept. and later she went on to open the Early Bird Restaurant. She leaves behind two sisters, Elisabeth and Imogene, two brothers, Eldon and Gerald, one grandchild, Ginger, great grandsons, Michael, Lee, and Tyler, and her daughter, Elisabeth, who will miss her always. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

484. GARRISON, JERRY LEE, (Obituary No. 484.) 59 Ocala - Jerry Lee Garrison, 59, of Ocala, passed away Wednesday, August 1, 2007. He was born August 29, 1947 in Alton Illinois. He served in the Air Force and retired from Union Pacific Railroad and umpired for the NCAA for over 20 years and was involved in many youth organizations throughout his life. Survivors include his wife Kay Garrison of Ocala; mother Serena Booker and step-father Fred of Illinois; daughters Kimberly Vaccaro and husband Tony of Mississippi, Kelly Handy and husband Stacy of Arkansas, Deann Dunn of Arkansas, Jaime Garrison of Arkansas, and Kimberly Allan and husband John of Ocala, and son Daniel Hutto of Ocala; 7 grandchildren; brothers Bobby Garrison of Missouri, and Willie Draper of Illinois; and sister Sandra Lawrence of Illinois. Memorial services will be held at 6:00 PM Monday, August 13, 2007 at Highlands Baptist Church, 3530 S.E. Fort King St, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Oak Griner Youth Baseball, 6422 N.E. Jacksonville Rd, Ocala, FL 34479. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

485. HAGINS, JR., FRED "JABO", (Obituary No. 485.) 65 Rochester, NY - Memorial Services for Fred "Jabo" Hagins, Jr. who passed away on July 21, 2007 in Rochester, NY will be held on Sunday, August 12, 2007 at 5 p.m. at Shiloh S.D.A. Church with Pastor Paul Goodridge conducting the service. Jabo was born July 18, 1942 in Ocala, FL to the late Fred Hagins, Sr. and Elzora Scott and step father Gloster Vereen, Sr. He graduated from Howard High School in 1961 and was a Army Veteran. He was also preceded in death by 1 brother, 1 sister and his parents.
Survivors include his wife, Josie Hagins, Rochester, NY; 3 sons, Reggie, Raul Hagins, Rochester, NY and Richard Hagins, Jacksonville, FL; 3 daughters, Rhonda Hagins, and Pamdora Drumgoode, Rochester, NY and Robin Smith, Fayeville, NC; 3 brothers, Thomas Scott, Ocala, FL Chesterfield Scott, Ocala, FL and Gloster Vereen, Jr., Ocala, FL; 7 sisters, Vernice Franklin, Rose Epps, Mary Howard, Dora Jackson, Alma Berrien, Cynthia Boone, all of Ocala and Latonya Johnson from Rochester NY. step mother, Sally Hagins, Ocala, FL; 7 great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, uncles, aunts, cousins, 5 sisters-in-law and 8 brothers-in-law. Information provided by "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/10/2007 - 8/12/2007.

486. HICKEY, EMILY NELL (Obituary No. 486.) Salt Springs - Emily Nell Hickey of Salt Springs, FL., passed away peacefully Saturday morning, August 4, 2007 at her son’s home in Ft. Pierce, FL. A long time resident of Ft. Pierce, herself. Mrs. Hickey had settled here after WWII, coming from Miami, FL. During WWII Mrs. Hickey served in the USO of Miami for our troops. Mrs. Hickey was also employed in the Retail Fashion trade and was also a TV Fashion Model of clothing. In her later years, Emily was in the Real Estate Title Research for Lawyers Title Ins. of Ft. Pierce. Since 1981 Emily has been retired at her late home in Salt Springs, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Treasure Coast Hospices, 1201 SE Indian St., Stuart, FL., 34997. Mrs. Hickey is preceded in death by her husband, James E. Hickey and two sons, Bill Hickey and Mike Hickey of Ft. Pierce. Survivors include her daughter, Nancy Hickey Chura of Salt Springs, FL and her son James H. Hickey and daughter-in-law, Linda Craft Hickey of Ft. Pierce. Emily was the most wonderful loving mom and friend, she will be sorely missed. Arrangements are under the direction of HAISLEY FUNERAL & CREMATION SERVICES. A guest book may be signed at www.haisleyfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

487. LOCKARD, ETHEL M., (Obituary No. 487.) 85 Ocala - Ethel M. Lockard, 85, of Ocala, passed away August 11th. Born in Washington D.C., she came to this area in 1994 from Laurel, Maryland. She was a homemaker and a member of Berean Baptist Church, Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, David L. Lockard; daughter, Louise Payne-Miekowski of Scranton, PA; grandchildren, Denise Redington, Jeffrey Lockard and Joseph Lockard; and three great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her sons, Clayton E. Lockard and David L. Lockard, Jr. and her four brothers and one sister. A Memorial Service will be held at Berean Baptist Church (4800 SW 20th St., Ocala) on Wednesday (August 15th) at 1 p.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6241 SW SR200, Ocala, 854-2266). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

488. LOONEY, JEANETTE FIELDS, (Obituary No. 488.) 79 Ocala- Jeanette Fields Looney, 79, of Ocala FL. Passed away Thursday, August 9, 2007 at Summerville of Ocala. She was born March 26, 1928 in Harlan, Kentucky. Mrs. Looney was a retired educator from the Harlan, KY. city schools. She was predeceased by her husband of 43 years Bill J. Looney, Sr and is survived by: son Bill J. Looney of Ocala, Florida Brother, Clarence Fields of Harlan, Ky. 2 Sisters, Lou Ann Stringer of Harlan, Ky. Vera Arvin of Shelbyville, TN and Several Nieces and Nephews. Private family services will be held at a later date in Harlan KY. In Lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 in memory of Mrs. Looney. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/11/2007 - 8/12/2007.

489. MARTIN, EDWARD J., (Obituary No. 489.) 90 Ocala - Edward J. Martin, 90, of Ocala, died August 8th at his home. Born in Astoria, New York City, he came to Florida as a permanent resident in 1994 after the death of his beloved wife, Margaret Mary Martin. He was employed by
the ITT Corp as Sales Manager of their export division. He was an Army Air Corps Veteran of WWII and served his country for almost five years, three of those years in the South Pacific as a Radar Crew Chief. He was also a member of Espiritu Santo Catholic Church, Safety Harbor and Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Ocala, and the Telephone Pioneers of America. He is survived by his son, Edward J. Martin and his wife, Linda; grandsons, Joseph and his wife Patricia, William and his wife Gail and Edward Jr.; great grandsons, Chadron and Devon; brother, Raymond; sister, Joan; many beloved nieces and nephew and his beloved companion Corrine Melrose of Clearwater, FL. Visitation will be at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Sunday, August 12, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral mass will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church (4047 NE 21st St., Silver Springs) on Monday, August 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. Interment with Military Honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/11/2007 - 8/12/2007.


491. PAOLINI, MARGARET A., (Obituary No. 491.) 83 Ocala - Margaret A. Paolini, 83, of Ocala, FL died August 8, 2007 at Hospice Legacy House. A native of Philadelphia, PA, she relocated to Marion County in 1987 from Pennsylvania. Margaret was a hairdresser, owned and operated her own hair salon as well as several other businesses with her husband. She was a parishioner at Queen of Peace Catholic Church where she was involved with their prayer group. She was a member of the Knights of Columbus Aux., enjoyed playing Mah Jong, bingo, and loved to travel, and cook. Margaret is survived by her sisters, Ana Mae DiPrimeo and Elizabeth Morris, both of Philadelphia, PA, granddaughter, Danaan Davidson and her husband David of Fairfield, Conn., grandson, Thomas K. Paolini of Washington, DC, and two great-granddaughters, Ava and Abagail. She was preceded in death by her husband Thomas W. Paolini, Sr. and her son, Thomas W. Paolini, Jr. A Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Monday, August 13th at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

492. PLACENTE, ALBERT A., (Obituary No. 492.) 90 Wildwood- Albert A. Placente, age 90, of Wildwood, passed away Friday, August 10, 2007. He has lived in Wildwood for 29 years, he moved here from Burlington, N.J., He is a veteran of the National Guard, a former Chief of the Burlington Township Fire Department, and Township Government of Burlington, N.J. he was a welder by trade. He is survived by his sons; David (Ginger) Placente of Daphne, Al: Roland ( Mary) Dagsboro, DE; his daughter; Lois ( Rene) Braun of West Chester, PA; 2 Great grandsons Christoffer Braun and Tristan Braun of West Chester, PA., he is predeceased by his wife Lucy Placente. Visitation will be held Sunday, August 12, 2007 at BANKS/PAGE-THEUS FUNERAL CHAPEL OF WILDWOOD, FL from 1:00-2:00PM. Services will follow at 2:00PM at Banks/Page- Theus Funeral Chapel. In Lieu of flowers the family has requested donations be
made to The Villagers for Hospice 601 Casa Bella The Villages, FL 32162. On line condolences available at www.bankspagetheusfuneralsandcremations.com. Published in the Ocala Star-

493. POLLOCK, JEANNE E., (Obituary No. 493.) 85 Summerfield - Jeanne E. Pollock, 85, died August 10, 2007 in The Villages, Florida. She was born June 14, 1922 in Indianapolis, Indiana. She moved here from Pinellas Park in 1993. She was of the Presbyterian faith. She enjoyed being an artist and jewelry designer. She loved traveling the U.S., Canada, and Europe. Survivors include her husband George Pollock, Summerfield, FL, son Bruce (Janet) Pickney, Michigan, son Douglas Temple Terr., Florida and two grandsons Scott and Craig Pickney, Michigan. Viewing will be Tuesday, August 14th from 5 till 7 p.m. Funeral Service will be Wednesday, August 15th at 11 a.m. in the chapel of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

494. ROLAND, HERMIE L., (Obituary No. 494.) 84 Ocala - Hermie L. Roland, 84, of Ocala, passed away on Friday, Aug. 10, 2007. A native of Tipper County, Mississippi, she came here 42 years ago from Osceola, Arkansas and was a retired transportation agent for Greyhound Bus Lines in Ocala. Hermie attended Unity Baptist Church in Anthony. She is survived by daughter Opal Lee Rowell of Olive Branch, MS; daughter Betty Putt of Ocala; son Charles "Sonny" Smith of Ocala; daughter Sarah Parker of Osceola, AR; son Jimmy Smith of Walnut, MS; daughter Elizabeth Dawson of Wilson, AR; daughter Patsy Avery of Cardova, TN; brother Charlie Taylor of Marion, AR; sister Marie Chism of Hoxie, AR; sister Jennie Loucks of West Memphis, AR; 17 grandchildren, 29 great grandchildren and seven great great grandchildren. Hermie is also survived by her first husband and the father of all her children, John Smith, of Blue Mountain, MS. In addition to her parents, Tom Taylor and Lillie Pearl Thomas Taylor, she was preceded in death by one brother and three sisters. Friends will be received on Monday, Aug. 13th from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, where chapel services will be held on Tues., Aug. 14th at 11:00 a.m. with Rev. Samuel Clements officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

495. SCHARTIGER, WALTER M., "DOC"., (Obituary No. 495.) 87 Walter M. "Doc" Schartiger, 87, of Salisbury, PA, died Sunday, August 5, 2007, at his home, Born November 21, 1919, in Sand Ridge, W.V., he was the son of the late Lloyd and Hollie (Nicholson) Schartiger. He was preceeded in death by his wife of 56 years, Martha (Lowry) Schartiger, who died January 20, 1998; an infant daughter, Patricia; a brother Russell; sister, Vera Tucker; a granddaughter, Patti Harris and a granddaughter -in-law, Vauda Bittinger. He is survived by two sons, David (Virginia) Schartiger, Clarksville, TN; Mart "Butch" Schartiger, Meyersdale; three daughters, Bernice (Ty) "Bunny" Cauthern. Silver Springs, FL; Karen (Roger)Yommer, Meyersdale; Linda (Paul) Bittinger, Salisbury; one sister, Bonnie Tucker, Spencer, WV; 16 grandchildren, 30 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren. Walter was a retired Sawyer of 37 years and was a U.S. Army veteran of WW2. Friends will be received Monday 7-9p.m. and Tuesday 2-4 & 7-9p.m at the NEWMAN FUNERAL HOME, INC., 9168 Mason- Dixon Hwy, Salisbury, PA, where services will be conducted on Wednesday at 1:00a.m. with Pastor Don Engle officiating. Interment, St. Paul Wilhelm Cemetery. Military graveside rites will be accorded by the Salisbury VFW. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.newmanfuneralhomes.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/11/2007 - 8/12/2007.
496. WEST, ROY EDWARD, (Obituary No. 496.) 66 Ft. McCoy - Roy Edward West, 66, of Ft. McCoy, died Friday, August 10, 2007 at his residence. He was a native of Citra and had been a resident of Ft. McCoy for the past 19 years, coming from Nashville, TN. He was a heavy equipment operator. He was a loving husband, father and grandfather. Surviving are his wife of 21 years, Amy Walls West of Ft. McCoy; children; Terry Lynch, Roy E. West, Jr., Scott West and Susan Gill all of Jacksonville and Kathy West and Christina West of Ft. McCoy; two step-children, Gregg Esquivel and Emma Esquivel of Nashville, TN; one sister, Gloria Heathcoat of Ft. McCoy; three brothers, Marshall West of High Springs, William West of Lake City and Charles Thompson, Jr. of Ocala; twenty one wonderful and very loved grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends Sunday (today) August 12, 2007 at MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM. Funeral services will follow at a later date under the direction of Boyd Funeral Home, 101 Elizabeth St., Ashland City, TN 37015. (615) 792-4677. MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA is in charge of local arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

497. WILSON, NORMA CORINE, (Obituary No. 497.) 91 Ocala - Norman Corine Wilson, 91, of Ocala, FL died Tuesday, August 7, 2007 at MRMC. Norma was born and lived in St. Louis, MO prior to moved to Ocala 7 years ago. Norma was very active and highly energetic senior. Her heart remained in St. Louis and she always dreamed of returning some day. Norma retired from Sears and fondly remembered performing in the Southtown Players, ushering at the beautiful Fox Theatre, working as a Hostess at Fudruckers, and volunteering many years as a Supervisor of poll workers. She enjoyed playing golf and a wide array of social activities and dearly missed her many, many friends in St. Louis. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law Marsha and William A. Carbaugh of Ocala; her son and daughter-in-law, Douglas and Linda A. Wilson of Ocala; 2 grandchildren and their spouses, Kelly and Tim White of Orlando; and Andrew and Barbara Carbaugh of Ocala. She also left 4 grandchildren, Caley and Delaney Carbaugh of Ocala and Jamie and Will White of Orlando in addition to a devoted and faithful nephew Tom Tolliver of Maine. There will be a memorial service to celebrate Norma's life at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Saturday, August 18, 2007 at 1 p.m. for immediate family and close friends. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion County or the Alzheimer's Association in her memory. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

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498. BLACKWELL, HAROLD (Obituary No. 498.) WAYNE, 70 Ocala - Harold Wayne Blackwell, 70, passed away on Thursday, August 9, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. Born in Jasper, Alabama, he moved to Ocala in 1980 from Miami. During his life, he owned Wayne Blackwell & Co. Inc. and was a pioneer in the asbestos abatement industry. He also owned Wile-A-Way Farm, a thoroughbred horse farm in Ocala. A veteran of the United States Air Force, he was also a member of the Kiwanis Club, Shriners, Masons, The Greater Miami Ski Club, the Florida Thoroughbred Breeders' and Owners' Association, and was active in numerous organizations and charities in Marion County. He is survived by his son Troy Blackwell, and daughter-in-law Cristal of Kingsport, TN; son, Sam Blackwell, and daughter-in-law Jill of Miami; and four grandchildren Clayton, Ansley, Lauren, and Lexi Blackwell. He was preceded in death by his wife, Bobbie. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., with Father Pat Sheedy
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501. ESCOFFERY, LENA I., (Obituary No. 501.) 78 Ocala - Mrs. Lena I. Escoffery, 78, passed away on August 8, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Manchester, Jamaica, May 29, 1929 and worked in the medical field as a nursing aide. She leaves to cherish her precious memories, husband, Cecil Escoffrey; daughters, Jeneatte Douglas and Sandra Winter; sons, Norman Winter, Cleveland Winter and Ivin Winter; 12 grandchildren and a host other relatives and friends. Funeral services for Mrs. Escoffery will be held on Wednesday, August 15, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church with Rev. Phil Wade presiding. Visitation will be on Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at 7 p.m. Professional services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY, "Providing a memory that will never fade. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/13/2007 - 8/14/2007.

502. GARRISON, JERRY LEE, (Obituary No. 502.) 59 Ocala - Jerry Lee Garrison, 59, of Ocala, passed away Wednesday, August 1, 2007. He was born August 29, 1947 in Alton Illinois. He served in the Air Force and retired from Union Pacific Railroad and umpired for the NCAA for over 20 years and was involved in many youth organizations throughout his life. Survivors include his wife Kay Garrison of Ocala; mother Serena Booker and step-father Fred of Illinois; daughters Kimberly Vaccaro and husband Tony of Mississippi, Kelly Handy and husband Stacy of Arkansas, Deann Dunn of Arkansas, Jaime Garrison of Arkansas, and Kimberly Allan and husband John of Ocala, and son Daniel Hutto of Ocala; 7 grandchildren; brothers Bobby Garrison of Missouri, and Willie Draper of Illinois; and sister Sandra Lawrence of Illinois.
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503. HICKEY, EMILY NELL (Obituary No. 503.) Salt Springs - Emily Nell Hickey of Salt Springs, FL., passed away peacefully Saturday morning, August 4, 2007 at her son's home in Ft. Pierce, FL. A long time resident of Ft. Pierce, herself. Mrs. Hickey had settled here after WWII, coming from Miami, FL. During WWII Mrs. Hickey served in the USO of Miami for our troops. Mrs. Hickey was also employed in the Retail Fashion trade and was also a TV Fashion Model of clothing. In her later years, Emily was in the Real Estate Title Research for Lawyers Title Ins. of Ft. Pierce. Since 1981 Emily has been retired at her late home in Salt Springs, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Treasure Coast Hospices, 1201 SE Indian St., Stuart, FL., 34997. Mrs. Hickey is preceded in death by her husband, James E. Hickey and two sons, Bill Hickey and Mike Hickey of Ft. Pierce. Survivors include her daughter, Nancy Hickey Chura of Salt Springs, FL and her son James H. Hickey and daughter-in-law, Linda Craft Hickey of Ft. Pierce. Emily was the most wonderful loving mom and friend, she will be sorely missed. Arrangements are under the direction of HAISLEY FUNERAL & CREMATION SERVICES. A guest book may be signed at www.haisleyfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

504. HODGES, THEO B., (Obituary No. 504.) 86 Ocala - Theo (Teeny) Blalock Hodges, 86, died suddenly on Saturday, August 4, 2007. She was a native and lifelong resident of Ocala. She was married to her late husband H.M. Hodges for 57 years. Mrs. Hodges graduated from Ocala High School and Florida State College for Woman, now FSU and received her master's degree from the University of Florida. She taught school for 29 years, most of the time at Highlands Elementary. She was also a lifelong member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Her survivors include her daughter, Sue Knutzen of Jacksonville, her son, Jack Hodges of Sarasota, her sister, Joan McLean of Kansas City, MO., her grandchildren, John Hodges, Joe and Jess Knutzen. She was also preceded in death by her sister, Betty Mayo of Tallahassee. A funeral mass will be held on Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Brother's Keeper. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/13/2007 - 8/14/2007.

505. LOCKARD, ETHEL M., (Obituary No. 505.) 85 Ocala - Ethel M. Lockard, 85, of Ocala, passed away August 11th. Born in Washington D.C., she came to this area in 1994 from Laurel, Maryland. She was a homemaker and a member of Berean Baptist Church, Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, David L. Lockard; daughter, Louise Payne-Miekowski of Scranton, PA; grandchildren, Denise Redington, Jeffrey Lockard and Joseph Lockard; and three great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her sons, Clayton E. Lockard and David L. Lockard, Jr. and her four brothers and one sister. A Memorial Service will be held at Berean Baptist Church (4800 SW 20th St., Ocala) on Wednesday (August 15th) at 1 p.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6241 SW SR200, Ocala, 854-2266). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

506. MORGAN, VICTOR E., (Obituary No. 506.) 84 Ocala - Victor E. Morgan, 84, of Ocala, FL, formerly of Bradford, RI, died August 7, 2007 at his home, after an extended illness. Born in New Bedford, MA, he was the son of the late Ernest and Adelina (St. Armand) Morgan. He was a true craftsman of woodworking, a master of building and remodeling, and an avid golfer and he
always enjoyed the challenge of a good card game. He is survived by his dedicated companion of over 35 years, Anne Sposato of Ocala, FL, his three daughters Patricia Burns, Donna Donahue, and Jaye Morgan all of Westerly, RI; his two sons, Kenneth Morgan of Ocala, FL and Wayne Morgan of Westerly, RI; three brothers Roland Morgan, Leo Morgan and Raymond Morgan; two sisters Gladys Mellow and Edna Chapman; fourteen grandchildren, twenty great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. He was predeceased by his son, Victor D. Morgan, Sr., two sisters Rita O'Neil and Blanche Sternagle; and a brother Henry Morgan. Funeral Service will be held Monday at 10:00 a.m. in St. Vincent de Paul Church, Bradford, RI. Interment will be in St. Michael Cemetery, Pawcatuck, CT. GAFFNEY-DOLAN FUNERAL HOME, 59 Spruce St., Westerly, RI is in charge of the arrangements. Family requests that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL, 34478 in his memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/13/2007 - 8/14/2007.

507. PAOLINI, MARGARET A., (Obituary No. 507.) 83 Ocala - Margaret A. Paolini, 83, of Ocala, FL died August 8, 2007 at Hospice Legacy House. A native of Philadelphia, PA, she relocated to Marion County in 1987 from Pennsylvania. Margaret was a hairdresser, owned and operated her own hair salon as well as several other businesses with her husband. She was a parishioner at Queen of Peace Catholic Church where she was involved with their prayer group. She was a member of the Knights of Columbus Aux., enjoyed playing Mah Jong, bingo, and loved to travel, and cook. Margaret is survived by her sisters, Ana Mae DiPrimeo and Elizabeth Morris, both of Philadelphia, PA, granddaughter, Danaan Davidson and her husband David of Fairfield, Conn., grandson, Thomas K. Paolini of Washington, DC, and two great-granddaughters, Ava and Abagail. She was preceded in death by her husband Thomas W. Paolini, Sr. and her son, Thomas W. Paolini, Jr. A Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Monday, August 13th at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

508. POLLOCK, JEANNE E., (Obituary No. 508.) 85 Summerfield - Jeanne E. Pollock, 85, died August 10, 2007 in The Villages, Florida. She was born June 14, 1922 in Indianapolis, Indiana. She moved here from Pinellas Park in 1993. She was of the Presbyterian faith. She enjoyed being an artist and jewelry designer. She loved traveling the U.S., Canada, and Europe. Survivors include her husband George Pollock, Summerfield, FL, son Bruce (Janet) Pickney, Michigan, son Douglas Temple Terr., Florida and two grandsons Scott and Craig Pickney, Michigan. Viewing will be Tuesday, August 14th from 5 till 7 p.m. Funeral Service will be Wednesday, August 15th at 11 a.m. in the chapel of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

509. ROBERTS, VERA D., (Obituary No. 509.) 90 Ocala - Vera D. Roberts, 90, of Ocala, passed away August 11, 2007 at Ocala Regional Hospital Born in Oxford, FL she has been a lifelong resident of Marion County. She was a homemaker and a Baptist by faith. She is survived by her daughter, Anna Lee McVey of Ocala; sister, Lora Mae Alexander of Ocala; brothers, Clyde Lee of Orlando and Rueben "Buddy" Lee of Ocala; 4 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, and 5 great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, George "Elmer" Roberts; son, William E. "Bud" Roberts; daughter, Dee Martineau; brother, Donald Lee and 1 grandchild. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141 on Monday, August 13, 2007 from 6 p.m.
to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held Graveside at Pine Level Cemetery, US 301 S Oxford, FL on Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at 10 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/13/2007 - 8/14/2007.

510. ROLAND, HERMIE L., (Obituary No. 510.) 84 Ocala - Hermie L. Roland, 84, of Ocala, passed away on Friday, Aug. 10, 2007. A native of Tipper County, Mississippi, she came here 42 years ago from Osceola, Arkansas and was a retired transportation agent for Greyhound Bus Lines in Ocala. Hermie attended Unity Baptist Church in Anthony. She is survived by daughter Opal Lee Rowell of Olive Branch, MS; daughter Betty Putt of Ocala; son Charles "Sonny" Smith of Ocala; daughter Sarah Parker of Osceola, AR; son Jimmy Smith of Walnut, MS; daughter Elizabeth Dawson of Wilson, AR; daughter Patsy Avery of Cardova, TN; brother Charlie Taylor of Marion, AR; sister Marie Chism of Hoxie, AR, sister Jennie Loucks of West Memphis, AR; 17 grandchildren, 29 great grandchildren and seven great great grandchildren. Hermie is also survived by her first husband and the father of all her children, John Smith, of Blue Mountain, MS. In addition to her parents, Tom Taylor and Lillie Pearl Thomas Taylor, she was preceded in death by one brother and three sisters. Friends will be received on Monday, Aug. 13th from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, where chapel services will be held on Tues., Aug. 14th at 11:00 a.m. with Rev. Samuel Clements officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

511. SUTTON, SR., GERALD R. "G.R." (Obituary No. 511.), 84 Ocala - Gerald R. "G.R." Sutton, Sr., of Ocala, passed away on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Sayre, OK., he came here in 1961 from Edmond, OK., and was both a general contractor and a horse farmer by profession in Oklahoma and Ocala. Mr. Sutton's building expertise is apparent in Marion County where he has overseen the construction of some 200 horse farms. "G.R.", as he was widely known, also bred, raised, broke, trained, and raced both thoroughbred racing and quarterhorse racing horses for many years and was the former owner of Sutton Place in Ocala. As well as a respected Ocala horseman, hew was also and accomplished calf roper in rodeo competitions over the years. He attended Grace Presbyterian Church, Ocala, and Ocala Seventh Day Adventist Church. Mr. Sutton is survived by his wife of 62 years, Amy Elizabeth Sutton of Ocala, son Robert "Bob" Sutton (Sharon) of Ocala, son Gerald R. "Jerry" Sutton, Jr. (Brenda) of Anthony, grandchildren Amy, Chad, Matthew, and Trisha and great grandson Kyle. Friends will be received on Wednesday, August 15, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, where chapel service will be held on Thursday, August 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Rev. Carl Brannon and Dave Swinyar officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to your local Disabled American Veteran Association or your local Veterans of Foreign Wars Post. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/13/2007 - 8/14/2007.

512. WEST, ROY EDWARD, (Obituary No. 512.) 66 Ft. McCoy - Roy Edward West, 66, of Ft. McCoy, died Friday, August 10, 2007 at his residence. He was a native of Citra and had been a resident of Ft. McCoy for the past 19 years, coming from Nashville, TN. He was a heavy equipment operator. He was a loving husband, father and grandfather. Surviving are his wife of 21 years, Amy Walls West of Ft. McCoy; children; Terry Lynch, Roy E. West, Jr., Scott West and Susan Gill all of Jacksonville and Kathy West and Christina West of Ft. McCoy; two step-children, Gregg Esquivel and Emma Esquivel of Nashville, TN; one sister, Gloria Heathcoat of Ft. McCoy; three brothers, Marshall West of High Springs, William West of Lake City and
Charles Thompson, Jr. of Ocala; twenty one wonderful and very loved grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends Sunday (today) August 12, 2007 at MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM. Funeral services will follow at a later date under the direction of Boyd Funeral Home, 101 Elizabeth St., Ashland City, TN 37015. (615) 792-4677. MASTERS FUNERAL HOME OF PALATKA is in charge of local arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

513. WILSON, NORMA CORINE, (Obituary No. 513.) 91 Ocala - Norman Corine Wilson, 91, of Ocala, FL died Tuesday, August 7, 2007 at MRMC. Norma was born and lived in St. Louis, MO prior to moved to Ocala 7 years ago. Norma was very active and highly energetic senior. Her heart remained in St. Louis and she always dreamed of returning some day. Norma retired from Sears and fondly remembered performing in the Southtown Players, ushering at the beautiful Fox Theatre, working as a Hostess at Fudruckers, and volunteering many years as a Supervisor of poll workers. She enjoyed playing golf and a wide array of social activities and dearly missed her many, many friends in St. Louis. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law Marsha and William A. Carbaugh of Ocala; her son and daughter-in-law, Douglas and Linda A. Wilson of Ocala; 2 grandchildren and their spouses, Kelly and Tim White of Orlando; and Andrew and Barbara Carbaugh of Ocala. She also left 4 grandchildren, Caley and Delaney Carbaugh of Ocala and Jamie and Will White of Orlando in addition to a devoted and faithful nephew Tom Tolliver of Maine. There will be a memorial service to celebrate Norma's life at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Saturday, August 18, 2007 at 1 p.m. for immediate family and close friends. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion County or the Alzheimer's Association in her memory. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/12/2007 - 8/13/2007.

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514. ESCOFFERY, LENA (Obituary No. 514.) I., 78 Ocala - Mrs. Lena I. Escoffery, 78, passed away on August 8, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Manchester, Jamaica, May 29, 1929 and worked in the medical field as a nursing aide. She leaves to cherish her precious memories, husband, Cecil Escoffrey; daughters, Jeneatte Douglas and Sandra Winter; sons, Norman Winter, Cleveland Winter and Ivin Winter; 12 grandchildren and a host other relatives and friends. Funeral services for Mrs. Escoffery will be held on Wednesday, August 15, 2007 at 3 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church with Rev. Phil Wade presiding. Visitation will be on Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at 7 p.m. Professional services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY, "Providing a memory that will never fade. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/13/2007 - 8/14/2007.

515. HODGES, THEO B., (Obituary No. 515.) 86 Ocala - Theo (Teeny) Blalock Hodges, 86, died suddenly on Saturday, August 4, 2007. She was a native and lifelong resident of Ocala. She was married to her late husband H.M. Hodges for 57 years. Mrs. Hodges graduated from Ocala High School and Florida State College for Woman, now FSU and received her master's degree from the University of Florida. She taught school for 29 years, most of the time at Highlands Elementary. She was also a lifelong member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Her survivors include her daughter, Sue Knutzen of Jacksonville, her son, Jack Hodges of Sarasota, her sister, Joan McLean of Kansas City, MO., her grandchildren, John Hodges, Joe and Jess Knutzen. She was also preceded in death by her sister, Betty Mayo of Tallahassee. A funeral mass will be held on Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Pat

516. LUKE, JOSEPHINE G., (Obituary No. 516.) 77 Orange Park - Josephine G. Luke, 77, of Orange Park passed away on August 10, 2007. A native of Willston, SC she had lived in Jacksonville most of her life, was a homemaker and a Baptist by faith. She is survived by her 2 daughters, Dianne Letioa and Janice Schwerzel; 1 son, Tommy Reeves; 2 sisters, Shirley Hayes and Jean Walker; 3 brothers, Bobby, Don, and William Hamilton; also surviving are 4 grandchildren, Steven Tapley, Thomas Tapley, Stephanie Reeves and Brian Reeves. She was predeceased by 1 grandson, Todd Hill. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on Monday, August 13, 2007 at GEORGE H. HEWELL AND SON FUNERAL HOME, 4747 Main Street, Jacksonville, FL, 32206 with Rev. Charles Payne officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Contributions may be made to Community Hospice of NE Florida, 4266 Sunbeam Rd., Jacksonville, FL, 32257 in Josephine's memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/14/2007 - 8/15/2007.

517. MORGAN, VICTOR E., (Obituary No. 517.) 84 Ocala - Victor E. Morgan, 84, of Ocala, FL, formerly of Bradford, RI, died August 7, 2007 at his home, after an extended illness. Born in New Bedford, MA, he was the son of the late Ernest and Adelina (St. Armand) Morgan. He was a true craftsman of woodworking, a master of building and remodeling, and an avid golfer and he always enjoyed the challenge of a good card game. He is survived by his dedicated companion of over 35 years, Anne Sposato of Ocala, FL, his three daughters Patricia Burns, Donna Donahue, and Jaye Morgan all of Westerly, RI; his two sons, Kenneth Morgan of Ocala, Fl and Wayne Morgan of Westerly, RI; three brothers Roland Morgan, Leo Morgan and Raymond Morgan; two sisters Gladys Mellow and Edna Chapman; fourteen grandchildren, twenty great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. He was predeceased by his son, Victor D. Morgan, Sr., two sisters Rita O'Neil and Blanche Sternagle; and a brother Henry Morgan. Funeral Service will be held Monday at 10:00 a.m. in St. Vincent de Paul Church, Bradford, RI. Interment will be in St. Michael Cemetery, Pawcatuck, CT. GAFFNEY-DOLAN FUNERAL HOME, 59 Spruce St., Westerly, RI is in charge of the arrangements. Family requests that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL, 34478 in his memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/13/2007 - 8/14/2007.

518. ROBERTS, VERA D., (Obituary No. 518.) 90 Ocala - Vera D. Roberts, 90, of Ocala, passed away August 11, 2007 at Ocala Regional Hospital Born in Oxford, FL she has been a lifelong resident of Marion County. She was a homemaker and a Baptist by faith. She is survived by her daughter, Anna Lee McVey of Ocala; sister, Lora Mae Alexander of Ocala; brothers, Clyde Lee of Orlando and Rubeen "Buddy" Lee of Ocala; 4 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, and 5 great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, George "Elmer" Roberts; son, William E. "Bud" Roberts; daughter, Dee Martineau; brother, Donald Lee and 1 grandchild. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141 on Monday, August 13, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held Graveside at Pine Level Cemetery, US 301 S Oxford, FL on Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at 10 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/13/2007 - 8/14/2007.

519. SANCHEZ, PEDRO "PAPI" JOSE, (Obituary No. 519.) 81 Ocala - Mr. Pedro "Papi" Jose Sanchez, retired, age 81, died August 10, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala, Florida. Mr. Sanchez was born in Bogota, Colombia and was a Veteran in Colombia. He moved to Florida in
the late 70's. He was a resident of Gainesville for about 14 years, he moved to Ocala 4 years ago. Mr. Pedro Sanchez was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Gainesville, Florida. Mr. Sanchez leaves to cherish his memories a loving wife Fanny Sanchez, four children, Carlos Sanchez, Cristina Hoyt, Patricia Scribner, Steila Carrillo, Fanny Reyes, Hernan Sanchez, and Ismael Sanchez, and eight grandchildren. "We Love You Papi". The Memorial Mass for family and friends will be held on Wednesday, August 15, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church (10900 SW 24th Ave. Gainesville, Florida 32607) at 5 p.m. Mr. Pedro "Papi" Jose Sanchez is under the care of CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida 352-493-1857. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, Florida 34474 or 341-854-5219. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/14/2007 - 8/16/2007.

520. SUTTON, SR., GERALD R. "G.R." (Obituary No. 520.). 84 Ocala - Gerald R. "G.R." Sutton, Sr., of Ocala, passed away on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Sayre, OK., he came here in 1961 from Edmond, OK., and was both a general contractor and a horse farmer by profession in Oklahoma and Ocala. Mr. Sutton's building expertise is apparent in Marion County where he has overseen the construction of some 200 horse farms. "G.R.", as he was widely known, also bred, raised, broke, trained, and raced both thoroughbred racing and quarterhorse racing horses for many years and was the former owner of Sutton Place in Ocala. As well as a respected Ocala horseman, he was also and accomplished calf roper in rodeo competitions over the years. He attended Grace Presbyterian Church, Ocala, and Ocala Seventh Day Adventist Church. Mr. Sutton is survived by his wife of 62 years, Amy Elizabeth Sutton of Ocala, son Robert "Bob" Sutton (Sharon) of Ocala, son Gerald R. "Jerry" Sutton, Jr. (Brenda) of Anthony, grandchildren Amy, Chad, Matthew, and Trisha and great grandson Kyle. Friends will be received on Wednesday, August 15, 2007 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, where chapel service will be held on Thursday, August 16, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Rev. Carl Brannon and Dave Swinyar officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to your local Disabled American Veteran Association or your local Veterans of Foreign Wars Post. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/13/2007 - 8/14/2007.

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521. CAMARATO, ROBERT ANTHONY, (Obituary No. 521.) 81 Cleveland, OH - Robert Anthony Camarato, long time resident of Chagrin Falls, OH and Lyndhurst, OH retired to Ocala, FL, died August 2, 2007 in New Hanover Regional Medical Center in Wilmington, NC. He was born on April 1, 1926 in Cleveland, OH, the son of the late Anthony (Antonio) and Viola Sanzo Camarato. He was preceded in death by his wife Antoinette J. Minadeo Camarato in 1987. Mr. Camarato was a veteran of the US Navy having served during WWII. He worked for over forty years as a manager and regional supervisor in the grocery industry. As a member of the Catholic Church he was active in the Knights of Columbus. He also was an avid gardener and golfer as well as being active in the 4H Club organization. Surviving are four children, Violet Terry, Robert A. Camarato, Jr., Mary Austin, and Nita Zeller. A graveside ceremony will be held on August 18, 2007 at 10:30 AM at Knollwood Cemetery on 1678 SOM Center Road, Mayfield Heights, Ohio. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 930-B Wellness Drive, Greenville, NC 27834 or to the American Heart Association Memorial Processing Center, PO Box 5216 Glen Allen, VA 23058-5216. Arrangements by ANDREWS
522. DANZIG, IRVING, 83 (Obituary No. 522.) Ocala - Mr. Irving Danzig, 83, passed away August 13, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. Born in Springfield, MA, Irv and his wife Ruth (nee Paull) moved to Ocala in 2005 from Southbury, CT. He is also survived by two daughters Amy Danzig and Beth Boettigheimer and 2 grandchildren. He liked playing golf, shuffleboard, tennis, taught the elderly drivers AARP safety program, was an athletic coach and track official for many years. Most recently, he taught and coached at the Balcony for Children in Ocala. An avid card player, Irv was the consummate joker to the end. He was a member of the Italian, Jewish, New York and New England clubs in Oak Run. He was a U.S. Army veteran. Memorial services at 1:30 p.m. at The Legacy Hospice House on Wednesday, August 15, 2007. In lieu of flowers donations should be made to Legacy Hospice House or The Balcony. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

523. DOERR, DANNY(Obituary No. 523.) , 53 Summerfield - Danny Doerr passed away at his home on August 5, 2007. He was 53. Danny was a lifelong resident of Central Florida and a graduate of Leesburg High School. He worked many years for the Marion County School Board in the transportation department. Danny had countless friends at the Belleview Moose Lodge and enjoyed watching NASCAR or his beloved Gators take the football field with his fellow lodge members. His passion was cooking for his family and friends and in his lifetime smoked countless pounds of pork, ribs and chicken. He has left his imprint on Marion County and will be missed dearly. He is survived by his sons Bill (Tucker, GA) and Chris (Plantation, FL); daughter Elizabeth Ashleigh (Plantation, FL); and granddaughters Kirsten (Tucker, GA) and Margaux (Tucker, GA); siblings, George, Melba, Don, Bill, Gene, (all of St. Louis), Jim (Illinois), Carl (St. Augustine), Leo (Mt. Myers), Phil (Winston-Salem, NC), Neil (Tallahassee) and JoAnne (Eustis). Preceded in death by his parents George and Melba Doerr of Leesburg and brother John. The family will receive friends and family on August 16, 2007 at Belleview First Baptist Church, 6107 SE Agnew Road beginning at 2 p.m. followed by a memorial service at the church at 3:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family request that donations be made to the charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

524. HAMILTON, LYNN DUAINÉ, (Obituary No. 524.) 75 Mr. Lynn Duaine Hamilton, 75 of Dunnellon, FL died Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Hospice House in Ocala, FL following an extended illness. Mr. Hamilton was born in Penn Yan, New York on March 16, 1932 and moved to Lawtey in 1950. He was a resident of Starke most of his life. He moved to Dunnellon in 1999. He was the owner and operator of Mike's Marine World in Belleview, FL. Mr. Hamilton is survived by his soul mate, Jeanette Hamilton of Starke, a son, Kevin Hamilton of Dunnellon, a daughter, Lynnette Wainwright of Orlando, a brother, Norman Hamilton of Gainesville and 5 grandchildren; Melissa Thompson, Travis Hamilton, Lyndsey Wainwright, Jacob Wainwright and Jared Wainwright. Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, August 16, 2007 at the chapel of Archie Tanner Funeral Home with Rev. Rex Carringer officiating with interment in Crosby Lake Cemetery. ARCHIE TANNER FUNERAL HOME of Starke in charge of arrangements, (904)964-9233. Visitation will be one hour prior to service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

525. HOSEA, SR., FRANK M., (Obituary No. 525.) 100 Ocala - Frank M. Hosea, Sr., 100, passed away August 13, 2007 at his daughter's home. He was born in Boston, MA and moved to Ocala in 1975 from Waterville, ME. He was a farmer, loved gardening, playing the organ, and
reading his Bible daily. He was a member of the Assemblies of God and founded the Full Gospel Businessmen's Fellowship in Waterville, ME. He is survived by his wife Norma Hosea of Ocala; sons, Mark (Madolyn) Hosea of Ocala, and Frank (Ann) Hosea, Jr. of Waterville, ME; daughter, Sandra (William) Charity of Ocala; daughter-in-law, Harriet Hosea of Waterville, ME; stepsons, William Hunt Jr. of Phoenix, AZ., Steven (Marge) Forest of Ocala and Tony Forest of TN; a stepdaughter, Elaine (Kurt) Woeffel of Waterville, ME; 28 grandchildren, 59 great grandchildren and 41 great great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife Anna and a son Lowell.

The family will receive friends from 1 to 2 p.m. on Friday, August 17, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. A funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. with Dr. Thomas Markham officiating. Entombment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

526. HURLEY, JAMES M. "JIM", (Obituary No. 526.) 69 Candler - James M. "Jim" Hurley, 69, of Candler, died Friday, August 10, 2007 at the VA Hospital in Gainesville. A native of Ruskin, he moved to this area 24 years ago from Louisiana. He owned and operated Jim Hurley Guitar Shop for 12 years. He was a professional lifetime musician and songwriter. A luthier, he was skilled in the art of stringed instrument repair. He served 9 years in the United States Air Force where one of his jobs was in top-secret documents. Survivors include his wife, Marilyn, son Matt, daughters Patricia Mayo of Charlotte, NC, and Robin White of Mechanicsville, MD, sister Lillie Houghtaling of Ruskin, brother Lewis Hurley, 9 grandchildren and 1 great granddaughter. He was preceded in death by his son James Hurley, Jr. Services will be held Wednesday, August 15, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Belleview at noon with Jerry Mathews officiating. Jim's customers and friends are encouraged to bring their instruments and participate in an impromptu jam session during the 2-hour viewing prior to the service. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

527. HYDE, MARIE(Obituary No. 527.) , 89 Ocala - Marie Hyde, 89, passed away August 12, 2007. She was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1982 from New Lebanon, NY. She is survived by a son, Robert and his wife Judith Quick of Bellevue, WA; a daughter, Trudi Quick of Ocala; 2 grandchildren and 1 great grandson. She was preceded in death by her husband George Hyde. A private memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Stroke Club of Marion County, c/o Natalie Douglas, 1401 SE 30th Ave., Ocala, FL, 34471. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

528. LUKE, JOSEPHINE G., (Obituary No. 528.) 77 Orange Park - Josephine G. Luke, 77, of Orange Park passed away on August 10, 2007. A native of Willston, SC she had lived in Jacksonville most of her life, was a homemaker and a Baptist by faith. She is survived by her 2 daughters, Dianne Letioa and Janice Schwerzel; 1 son, Tommy Reeves; 2 sisters, Shirley Hayes and Jean Walker; 3 brothers, Bobby, Don, and William Hamilton; also surviving are 4 grandchildren, Steven Tapley, Thomas Tapley, Stephanie Reeves and Brian Reeves. She was predeceased by 1 grandson, Todd Hill. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. on Monday, August 13, 2007 at GEORGE H. HEWELL AND SON FUNERAL HOME, 4747 Main Street, Jacksonville, FL, 32206 with Rev. Charles Payne officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Contributions may be made to Community Hospice of NE Florida, 4266 Sunbeam Rd., Jacksonville, FL, 32257 in Josephine's memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/14/2007 - 8/15/2007.
529. NEISER, SR., RICHARD ALBERT, (Obituary No. 529.) 73 Ocala - Richard Albert Neiser, Sr., 73, died peacefully at his residence in Ocala, Florida on August 9, 2007 of ALS (Lou Gehrig’s disease). He is survived by his son Richard Albert, Jr. of Albuquerque, New Mexico and his daughter Pamela of Ocala, Florida, his sister Helen, brother-in-law Wayne and mother Bertie of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and five grandchildren, Erica, Jonathan, Geneva, David and Emily. He was preceded in death by Sally, his beloved wife of 45 years. Dick was born and raised in Pittsburg, Pennsylvania and spent his working career there. He served with pride and distinction as a fighter pilot in the US Air Force and Air National Guard in the 1950’s. Dick was a 4th generation professional painter and paperhanger during his career. As a craftsman, he enjoyed working with his hands. For over 20 years he owned a small, successful painting contractor business that specialized in high quality work for corporate executive offices. Upon his retirement in 1999, he and his wife moved to Ocala, Florida where they enjoyed the sunny climate and friendly neighbors. Dick had many interests and activities. He was a 3rd degree black belt in Ishinryu Karate, studying and teaching for over 30 years. He enjoyed tennis immensely and became a student of Tai Chi later in life. Dick was very community-minded and believed in giving his time to help out. He was a baseball and softball coach for many years, and served on a variety of community organization boards. He will be remembered by his family, friends, and acquaintances for his quick wit, fairness, loyalty, and thoughtfulness for others. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County at www.hospiceofmarion.com or 352-854-5219 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

530. PELTON, CATHERINE A., (Obituary No. 530.) 87 Ocala - Mrs. Catherine A. Pelton, 87, of Ocala, died Monday, August 13, 2007 at the Estelle's Hospice House. Born in Essexville, Michigan. Catherine came to Ocala in 1974 from Pontiac, Michigan. She was a homemaker and enjoyed playing bingo, line dancing and traveling. She is survived by her husband, Jack Pelton of Ocala, FL; daughter, Sharon Miner of St. Petersburg, FL; brother, Ken Muma of Pontiac, Michigan; 5 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion Co. in memory of Catherine. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

531. PLANK, ANNA ELIZABETH, (Obituary No. 531.) 99 Dunnellon - Anna Elizabeth Plank, 99, of Dunnellon, homemaker, died Monday, August 13, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. She was born in Delphi, Indiana and came here from Tulsa, OK in 1977. She has lived here for 30 years. She is a member of Dunnellon Presbyterian Church, an avid golfer and was a member of Rainbows End Golf and Country club. She enjoyed doing things for others. She is survived by her son Peter L. Sprecher, Jr. and wife Phyllis of Madison, Wisconsin and 3 grandchildren Jeff Sprecher, Atlanta, GA., Jill Sprecher and Karen Sprecher both of Los Angeles, CA. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, August 17, 2007 at the chapel of Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon with Rev. Jeffrey Welch of Dunnellon Presbyterian Church conducting the services. She will be cremated. Arrangements under the direction of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON STILL INDEPENDENTLY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

532. REDIKER, JANET B., (Obituary No. 532.) 90 Ocala - Janet B. Rediker, 90, of Ocala, FL died August 13, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. A native of Crandall, Georgia, she relocated to Marion County in 1979 from Greene, New York. Janet was a Floral Design and Tailoring Instructor. She was a member at Incarnation Lutheran Church where she was active in several ladies organizations. She was a member of Beta Sigma Phi enjoyed traveling, gardening,
cooking, sewing and golf. Janet is survived by her daughter, Joann Lalla and husband Richard of Ocala; sister, Carolyn Tyler and husband of Greensboro, SC; five grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, and five great great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, August 18, 2007 at Incarnation Lutheran Church at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or to Incarnation Lutheran Church building fund. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

533. ROBERTS, ROSE A., (Obituary No. 533.) 89 Clearwater - Rose A. Roberts, age 89, of Clearwater, passed away on August 11, 2007 at Manor care of Dunedin. She was born in Fairview Park, Indiana, and moved to Florida in 1975 from Terre Haute, Indiana. Rose was a nurse and x-ray lab technician for Dr. Showalter in Terre Haute, Indiana for 24 years. She enjoyed reading and loved to cook. Rose was predeceased by her husband, Harlon, G. Roberts of 49 years who passed away in 1986. Rose is survived by her three daughters, Marie (Joe) Kahl of Clearwater, FL., Janet Curnutt of Palm Harbor, FL., and Deborah Pattillo-Fullmer (Mark) of Ocala, FL; 5 grandchildren, Brian, Michael, Robert, Tamara, Shannon and 8 great grandchildren. A graveside service will take place at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Ocala on Thursday, August 16, 2007 at 2 p.m. Arrangements MOSS FEASTER FUNERAL HOME, Dunedin Chapel, 1320 Main St. Dunedin, FL 34698. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

534. SANCHEZ, PEDRO "PAPI" JOSE, (Obituary No. 534.) 81 Ocala - Mr. Pedro "Papi" Jose Sanchez, retired, age 81, died August 10, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala, Florida. Mr. Sanchez was born in Bogota, Colombia and was a Veteran in Colombia. He moved to Florida in the late 70's. He was a resident of Gainesville for about 14 years, he moved to Ocala 4 years ago. Mr. Pedro Sanchez was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Gainesville, Florida. Mr. Sanchez leaves to cherish his memories a loving wife Fanny Sanchez, four children, Carlos Sanchez, Cristina Hoyt, Patricia Scribner, Steila Carrillo, Fanny Reyes, Hernan Sanchez, and Ismael Sanchez, and eight grandchildren. "We Love You Papi". The Memorial Mass for family and friends will be held on Wednesday, August 15, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church (10900 SW 24th Ave. Gainesville, Florida 32607) at 5 p.m. Mr. Pedro "Papi" Jose Sanchez is under the care of CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida 352-493-1857. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, Florida 34474 or 341-854-5219. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

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535. CAMARATO, ROBERT (Obituary No. 535.) ANTHONY, 81 Cleveland, OH - Robert Anthony Camarato, long time resident of Chagrin Falls, OH and Lyndhurst, OH retired to Ocala, FL, died August 2, 2007 in New Hanover Regional Medical Center in Wilmington, NC. He was born on April 1, 1926 in Cleveland, OH, the son of the late Anthony (Antonio) and Viola Sanzo Camarato. He was preceded in death by his wife Antoinette J. Minadeo Camarato in 1987. Mr. Camarato was a veteran of the US Navy having served during WWII. He worked for over forty years as a manager and regional supervisor in the grocery industry. As a member of the Catholic Church he was active in the Knights of Columbus. He also was an avid gardener and golfer as well as being active in the 4H Club organization. Surviving are four children, Violet Terry, Robert A. Camarato, Jr., Mary Austin, and Nita Zeller. A graveside ceremony will be held on August 18, 2007 at 10:30 AM at Knollwood Cemetery on 1678 SOM Center Road, Mayfield
Heights, Ohio. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 930-B Wellness Drive, Greenville, NC 27834 or to the American Heart Association Memorial Processing Center, PO Box 5216 Glen Allen, VA 23058-5216. Arrangements by ANDREWS MORTUARY, Wilmington, NC. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

536. DANZIG, IRVING (Obituary No. 536.), 83 Ocala - Mr. Irving Danzig, 83, passed away August 13, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. Born in Springfield, MA, Irv and his wife Ruth (nee Paull) moved to Ocala in 2005 from Southbury, CT. He is also survived by two daughters Amy Danzig and Beth Boettiger and 2 grandchildren. He liked playing golf, shuffleboard, tennis, taught the elderly drivers AARP safety program, was an athletic coach and track official for many years. Most recently, he taught and coached at the Balcony for Children in Ocala. An avid card player, Irv was the consummate jokester to the end. He was a member of the Italian, Jewish, New York and New England clubs in Oak Run. He was a U.S. Army veteran. Memorial services at 1:30 p.m. at The Legacy Hospice House on Wednesday, August 15, 2007. In lieu of flowers donations should be made to Legacy Hospice House or The Balcony. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

537. DOERR, DANNY (Obituary No. 537.), 53 Summerfield - Danny Doerr passed away at his home on August 5, 2007. He was 53. Danny was a lifelong resident of Central Florida and a graduate of Leesburg High School. He worked many years for the Marion County School Board in the transportation department. Danny had countless friends at the Belleview Moose Lodge and enjoyed watching NASCAR or his beloved Gators take the football field with his fellow lodge members. His passion was cooking for his family and friends and in his lifetime smoked countless pounds of pork, ribs and chicken. He has left his imprint on Marion County and will be missed dearly. He is survived by his sons Bill (Tucker, GA) and Chris (Plantation, FL); daughter Elizabeth Ashleigh (Plantation, FL); and granddaughters Kirsten (Florence, KY) and Margaux (Tucker, GA); siblings, George, Melba, Don, Bill, Gene, (all of St. Louis), Jim (Illinois), Carl (St. Augustine), Leo (Ft. Myers), Phil (Winston-Salem, NC), Neil (Tallahassee) and JoAnne (Eustis). Preceded in death by his parents George and Melba Doerr of Leesburg and brother John. The family will receive friends and family on August 16, 2007 at Belleview First Baptist Church, 6107 SE Agnew Road beginning at 2 p.m. followed by a memorial service at the church at 3:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family request that donations be made to the charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

538. EPPS, LOVIE MAE, (Obituary No. 538.) 80 Ocala - Funeral Services for Lovie Mae Epps, 80, homemaker, will be held Saturday, August 18, 2007, 3 p.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. G. W. Lee, Pastor, Rev. Dr. Dennis Hagins officiating. Mrs. Epps was a member of Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church where she served as a church mother and also member of the choir. Mrs. Epps was born October 5, 1925 in Ocala, FL to the late Preston Paulk and Leola Herd. Survivors include 3 sons, Herman Epps and Leroy Epps, Ocala, FL and Freddie Lee Epps, Chicago, IL; 3 daughters, Estella Acres, Tampa, FL, Diane E. Spears, Ft. Myers, FL and Patricia Epps, Ocala, FL; 1 sister, Vera Lewis, Bronx, NY; 20 grandchildren, 54 great grandchildren and 7 great great grandchildren. Interment will be at Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, August 17, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Cunningham Chapel of faith. Wake will be at New Bethel from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Family will
receive friends from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Viewing will also be at the church from 2 p.m. until service hour. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/16/2007 - 8/17/2007.

539. HAMILTON, LYNN DUANE, (Obituary No. 539.) 75 Mr. Lynn Duaine Hamilton, 75 of Dunnellon, FL died Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Hospice House in Ocala, FL following an extended illness. Mr. Hamilton was born in Penn Yan, New York on March 16, 1932 and moved to Lawtey in 1950. He was a resident of Starke most of his life. He moved to Dunnellon in 1999. He was the owner and operator of Mike's Marine World in Belleview, FL. Mr. Hamilton is survived by his soul mate, Jeanette Hamilton of Starke, a son, Kevin Hamilton of Dunnellon, a daughter, Lynnette Wainwright of Orlando, a brother, Norman Hamilton of Gainesville and 5 grandchildren; Melissa Thompson, Travis Hamilton, Lyndsey Wainwright, Jacob Wainwright and Jared Wainwright. Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, August 16, 2007 at the chapel of Archie Tanner Funeral Home with Rev. Rex Carringer officiating with interment in Crosby Lake Cemetery. ARCHIE TANNER FUNERAL HOME of Starke in charge of arrangements, (904)964-9233. Visitation will be one hour prior to service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

540. HOFFMAN, ROBERT W., (Obituary No. 540.) 78 Ocala - Robert Wayne Hoffman, age 78, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, August 14, 2007. He was born in Rockford, IL on March 31, 1929. Robert was a Lutheran and member of Our Redeemer Lutheran Church of Ocala. He played trumpet for the Center Stage Band and the Kingdom of the Sun Band. He moved to Ocala from Atlanta, GA in 1990. After graduating from High School he attended and graduated from the University of Illinois in 1951. He then served in the US Army until 1953. Then he taught at Pecatonica High School in Illinois until 1955. He worked for the US State Department in Germany for one year. He was employed at the Illinois National Bank from 1956 until 1964. He was a High School Science teacher for the Rockford Public School system until 1982. He taught at Brandon Hall, a private school in Atlanta from 1983 to 1985 and also at Dahlonega High School in Dahlonega, GA from 1986 - 1989. In the Ocala area, he worked at Central Florida Community College as an Adjunct Instructor from 1993 - 1994. He is survived by a son Mark Hoffman of Gettysburg, PA; son Kent Hoffman of Chester, NY; daughter Beth Sweet of Melbourne, FL; step son Darin Lee Mark of Jacksonville, FL; step son Douglas B. Mark of Rockford, IL; step son William David Mark of Rockford, IL; step daughter Melissa Atkins of Rockton, IL and several grandchildren. He is pre deceased by his wife Carolyn Hoffman who passed away in 2006. He is also pre deceased by two sisters Dorothy Hart and Margaret Doerr and one brother Harold Hoffman. A memorial service for Mr. Hoffman will take place on Saturday, August 18, 2007 11 a.m. at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBER RIDGE, Ocala, FL. (352)873-4114 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/16/2007 - 8/17/2007.

541. HOSEA, SR., FRANK M., (Obituary No. 541.) 100 Ocala - Frank M. Hosea, Sr., 100, passed away August 13, 2007 at his daughter's home. He was born in Boston, MA and moved to Ocala in 1975 from Waterville, ME. He was a farmer, loved gardening, playing the organ, and reading his Bible daily. He was a member of the Assemblies of God and founded the Full Gospel Businessmen's Fellowship in Waterville, ME. He is survived by his wife Norma Hosea of Ocala; sons, Mark (Madolyn) Hosea of Ocala, and Frank (Ann) Hosea, Jr. of Waterville, ME; daughter, Sandra (William) Charity of Ocala; daughter-in-law, Harriet Hosea of Waterville, ME; stepsons, William Hunt Jr. of Phoenix, AZ., Steven (Marge) Forest of Ocala and Tony Forest of TN; a stepdaughter, Elaine (Kurt) Woeffel of Ocala; 28 grandchildren, 59 great grandchildren and 41 great great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife Anna and a son Lowell. The
family will receive friends from 1 to 2 p.m. on Friday, August 17, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. A funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. with Dr. Thomas Markham officiating. Entombment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

542. HURLEY, JAMES M. "JIM", (Obituary No. 542.) 69 Candler - James M. "Jim" Hurley, 69, of Candler, died Friday, August 10, 2007 at the VA Hospital in Gainesville. A native of Ruskin, he moved to this area 24 years ago from Louisiana. He owned and operated Jim Hurley Guitar Shop for 12 years. He was a professional lifetime musician and songwriter. A luthier, he was skilled in the art of stringed instrument repair. He served 9 years in the United States Air Force where one of his jobs was in top-secret documents. Survivors include his wife, Marilyn, son Matt, daughters Patricia Mayo of Charlotte, NC, and Robin White of Mechanicsville, MD, sister Lillie Houghtaling of Ruskin, brother Lewis Hurley, 9 grandchildren and 1 great granddaughter. He was preceded in death by his son James Hurley, Jr. Services will be held Wednesday, August 15, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Belleview at noon with Jerry Mathews officiating. Jim's customers and friends are encouraged to bring their instruments and participate in an impromptu jam session during the 2-hour viewing prior to the service. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

543. HYDE, MARIE(Obituary No. 543.) , 89 Ocala - Marie Hyde, 89, passed away August 12, 2007. She was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1982 from New Lebanon, NY. She is survived by a son, Robert and his wife Judith Quick of Bellevue, WA; a daughter, Trudi Quick of Ocala; 2 grandchildren and 1 great grandson. She was preceded in death by her husband George Hyde. A private memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Stroke Club of Marion County, c/o Natalie Douglas, 1401 SE 30th Ave., Ocala, FL., 34471. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

544. LAWTON, JR., EADEN "E. J.", (Obituary No. 544.) 76 Sparr - Eaden J. Lawton, Jr., "E.J.", 76, as many knew him, passed away Friday, August 10, 2007. He was born, raised and lived the majority of his life in Sparr. Morning his loss include his wife of 29 years, Mae Lawton, Sparr, FL; 1 son, Gregory Lawton, Sr., Sparr, FL; 6 daughters, Carolyn Graham, Reddick, FL, Gwendolyn Scott, Philadelphia, PH, Sekeena Jackson, Bronx, NY, Cassandra Boston, Micanopy, FL; Andrea Brooks, Anthony, FL and Sirleestree Dewese, Ocala, FL; foster mother, Alza Kennedy, Sparr, FL; stepsons, Robert Kent, Ft. Lauderdale, FL and Kenneth Kent, Ocala, FL; 15 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, 3 brothers, 8 sisters; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral services for Mr. Lawton will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, August 19, 2007 at the Holy Band of Inspiration with Bishop Lillie Hanks officiating. The eulogy will be preformed by Bishop John Hanks. A wake will be held for Mr. Lawton at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, August 17, 2007 at Greater St. Joseph AME Church, Sparr, Florida. Visitation will be on Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. No viewing after the Eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/16/2007 - 8/18/2007.

545. NEISER, SR., RICHARD ALBERT, (Obituary No. 545.) 73 Ocala - Richard Albert Neiser, Sr., 73, died peacefully at his residence in Ocala, Florida on August 9, 2007 of ALS (Lou Gehrig's disease). He is survived by his son Richard Albert, Jr. of Albuquerque, New Mexico and his daughter Pamela of Ocala, Florida, his sister Helen, brother-in-law Wayne and mother Bertie of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and five grandchildren, Erica, Jonathan, Geneva, David and
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**549. REED, LEON "BIG DADDY", (Obituary No. 549.)** 80 Ocala - Mr. Leon "Big Daddy" Reed, 80, passed away on August 8, 2007 at his residence. He was a native of Ocala, FL. Mr. Reed is a retired Trackmans for the Railroad. He leaves to cherish his memories: daughters, Cindy Cook, Ocala, FL., Peggy Montgomery, Apopka, FL; son Ronnie Emanuel, Ocala, FL; 7 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren; sisters, Lois Reed, Dolly Reed, Georgia Cook (all of Ocala, FL) Lillie Barber, Miami, FL; brother, Nordice Reed, Ocala, FL; devoted friend, Rueben Evans, Ocala, FL. Funeral services for Mr. Leon "Big Daddy" Reed will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday on August 18, 2007 at Progressive Union Baptist Church, Rev. Alvin Newmons, Pastor. Dr. Clarence Woods/Eulogist. Interment will follow immediately in Progressive Union Cemetery. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Funeral cortege will form (10 a.m. ) on Saturday at the home of Ms. Dolly Reed, 8101 N.W. Old Gainesville Rd., Gainesville, FL., 34482. "A Summers Funeral Service make a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/16/2007 - 8/17/2007.

**550. ROBERTS, ROSE A., (Obituary No. 550.)** 89 Clearwater - Rose A. Roberts, age 89, of Clearwater, passed away on August 11, 2007 at Manor care of Dunedin. She was born in Fairview Park, Indiana, and moved to Florida in 1975 from Terre Haute, Indiana. Rose was a nurse and x-ray lab technician for Dr. Showalter in Terre Haute, Indiana for 24 years. She enjoyed reading and loved to cook. Rose was predeceased by her husband, Harlon, G. Roberts of 49 years who passed away in 1986. Rose is survived by her three daughters, Marie (Joe) Kahl of Clearwater, FL., Janet Curnutt of Palm Harbor, FL., and Deborah Pattillo-Fullmer (Mark) of Ocala, FL; 5 grandchildren, Brian, Michael, Robert, Tamara, Shannon and 8 great grandchildren. A graveside service will take place at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Ocala on Thursday, August 16, 2007 at 2 p.m. Arrangements MOSS FEASTER FUNERAL HOME, Dunedin Chapel, 1320 Main St. Dunedin, FL 34698. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/15/2007 - 8/16/2007.

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**552. EPPS, LOVIE MAE, (Obituary No. 552.)** 80 Ocala - Funeral Services for Lovie Mae Epps, 80, homemaker, will be held Saturday, August 18, 2007, 3 p.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church with Rev. Dr. G. W. Lee, Pastor, Rev. Dr. Dennis Hagins officiating.
Mrs. Epps was a member of Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church where she served as a church mother and also member of the choir. Mrs. Epps was born October 5, 1925 in Ocala, FL to the late Preston Paulk and Leola Herd. Survivors include 3 sons, Herman Epps and Leroy Epps, Ocala, FL and Freddie Lee Epps, Chicago, IL; 3 daughters, Estella Acres, Tampa, FL, Diane E. Spears, Ft. Myers, FL and Patricia Epps, Ocala, FL; 1 sister, Vera Lewis, Bronx, NY; 20 grandchildren, 54 great grandchildren and 7 great great grandchildren. Interment will be at Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday, August 17, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Cunningham Chapel of faith. Wake will be at New Bethel from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Family will receive friends from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Viewing will also be at the church from 2 p.m. until service hour. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/16/2007 - 8/17/2007.

553. HOFFMAN, ROBERT W., (Obituary No. 553.) 78 Ocala - Robert Wayne Hoffman, age 78, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, August 14, 2007. He was born in Rockford, IL on March 31, 1929. Robert was a Lutheran and member of Our Redeemer Lutheran Church of Ocala. He played trumpet for the Center Stage Band and the Kingdom of the Sun Band. He moved to Ocala from Atlanta, GA in 1990. After graduating from High School he attended and graduated from the University of Illinois in 1951. He then served in the US Army until 1953. Then he taught at Pecatonica High School in Illinois until 1955. He worked for the US State Department in Germany for one year. He was employed at the Illinois National Bank from 1956 until 1964. He was a High School Science teacher for the Rockford Public School system until 1982. He taught at Brandon Hall, a private school in Atlanta from 1983 to 1985 and also at Dahlonega High School in Dahlonega, GA from 1986 - 1989. In the Ocala area, he worked at Central Florida Community College as an Adjunct Instructor from 1993 - 1994. He is survived by a son Mark Hoffman of Gettysburg, PA; son Kent Hoffman of Chester, NY; daughter Beth Sweet of Melbourne, FL; step son Darin Lee Mark of Jacksonville, FL; step son Douglas B. Mark of Rockford, IL; step son William David Mark of Rockford, IL; step daughter Melissa Atkins of Rockton, IL and several grandchildren. He is pre deceased by his wife Carolyn Hoffman who passed away in 2006. He is also pre deceased by two sisters Dorothy Hart and Margaret Doerr and one brother Harold Hoffman. A memorial service for Mr. Hoffman will take place on Saturday, August 18, 2007 11 a.m. at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBER RIDGE, Ocala, FL. (352)873-4114 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/16/2007 - 8/17/2007.

554. LAWTON, JR., EADEN "E. J.", (Obituary No. 554.) 76 Sparr - Eaden J. Lawton, Jr., "E.J.", 76, as many knew him, passed away Friday, August 10, 2007. He was born, raised and lived the majority of his life in Sparr. Morning his loss include his wife of 29 years, Mae Lawton, Sparr, FL; 1 son, Gregory Lawton, Sr., Sparr, FL; 6 daughters, Carolyn Graham, Reddick, FL, Gwendolyn Scott, Philadelphia, PH, Sekeena Jackson, Bronx, NY, Cassandra Boston, Micanopy, FL; Andrea Brooks, Anthony, FL and Sirlestree Dewese, Ocala, FL; foster mother, Alza Kennedy, Sparr, FL; stepsons, Robert Kent, Ft. Lauderdale, FL and Kenneth Kent, Ocala, FL; 15 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, 3 brothers, 8 sisters; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral services for Mr. Lawton will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, August 19, 2007 at the Holy Band of Inspiration with Bishop Lillie Hanks officiating. The eulogy will be preformed by Bishop John Hanks. A wake will be held for Mr. Lawton at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, August 17, 2007 at Greater St. Joseph AME Church, Sparr, Florida. Visitation will be on Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. No viewing after

555. REED, LEON "BIG DADDY", (Obituary No. 555.) 80 Ocala - Mr. Leon "Big Daddy" Reed, 80, passed away on August 8, 2007 at his residence. He was a native of Ocala, FL. Mr. Reed is a retired Trackmans for the Railroad. He leaves to cherish his memories: daughters, Cindy Cook, Ocala, FL., Peggy Montgomery, Apopka, FL; son Ronnie Emanuel, Ocala, FL; 7 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren; sisters, Lois Reed, Dolly Reed, Georgia Cook (all of Ocala, FL) Lillie Barber, Miami, FL; brother, Nordice Reed, Ocala, FL; devoted friend, Rueben Evans, Ocala, FL. Funeral services for Mr. Leon "Big Daddy" Reed will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday on August 18, 2007 at Progressive Union Baptist Church, Rev. Alvin Newmons, Pastor. Dr. Clarence Woods/Eulogist. Interment will follow immediately in Progressive Union Cemetery. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Funeral corteg will form (10 a.m.) on Saturday at the home of Ms. Dolly Reed, 8101 N.W. Old Gainesville Rd., Gainesville, FL., 34482. "A Summers Funeral Service make a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/16/2007 - 8/17/2007.

556. SAWAYA, HERBERT S., (Obituary No. 556.) 93 Ocala - Mr. Herbert S. Sawaya, 93, of Ocala died Tuesday, August 16, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native and lifetime resident of Ocala, he was a second generation Ocalan. Mr. Sawaya graduated from Ocala High School in 1932, served in the U.S. Army during WWII and was a lifelong member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He was preceded in death by his wife Zanie, and son Herbert, Jr. Survivors include daughters, Sarah and Mary of Ocala; son, Judge Thomas Sawaya and his wife Jeanne Sawaya and his wife Jeanne of Winter Park, nieces, Frances Sawaya and Mary Martha Hilley, nephew John Sawaya, grandchildren, Tom Jr., Andrew, Danielle, Suzanne, and John, Jr. and Caretaker Michele Lackey. Mr. Sawaya's lifelong work was in the auto industry as a new car dealer. He began at age 9 in a mechanic's position at Marion Motor Co., eventually owning his own new car dealership - Sawaya Automotive Service - for over 50 years in Ocala. This became the first new car dealership to sell Chrysler, Plymouth, DeSoto, American Motors, and Studebaker, and was the oldest licensed self-owned car dealership in the State of Florida. A Funeral Mass for Mr. Sawaya will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, August 18, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, with Father Pat Sheedy and Father Francis X.J. Smith officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, with prayers at 6:30 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/17/2007 - 8/18/2007.

557. UNEBERG, GARY(Obituary No. 557.), 57 Summerfield - Mr. Gary Uneberg, 57, passed away on August 13, 2007 at Tuscany House. He was born in Long Island, New York, and worked in the shoe repair/cobbler trade, owning his own business for many years in the New York and South Florida area. He is preceded in death by his father Arne and leaves to cherish his memories; mother, Lillian Uneberg, Florida; sons, Steven Uneberg, Colorado and Scott Uneberg, North Carolina; daughter, Rachel Uneberg, Florida; brothers, Gene, Illinois, Doug, New York, Eric, Florida and Ronnie Florida; sisters, Connie Phillips, Florida and Linda Roderiques, Florida; and a host of other relatives and friends. The family will have a private gathering to celebrate the life of Gary on Sunday, August 19, 2007; friends are welcome from 1 p.m. until ?. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/17/2007 - 8/18/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, August 18, 2007
CADE, MARY LOUISE, (Obituary No. 558.) 93 Orange Springs- Mary Louise Cade, 93, of Orange Springs, FL, passed away August 16th at home. She came to this area 5 years ago from Miami, was a homemaker and attended the Orange Springs Community Church. She is survived by her sons, Gordon L. Cade Jr. (Theresa) of Dunnellon, Charles S. Cade (Sally) of Orange Springs, Carl R. Cade of Dunnellon and Harry L. Cade (Nancy) of Anthony; daughters, Barbara Ann Grainger of Miami, FL and Dorothy L. Glaus of St. Louis, MO; brothers, James Knowles of Martin, TN and Richard Knowles of Dunn, SC; sister, Elizabeth Embury of Mr. Juliet, TN: 21 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Gordon L. Cade Sr.. Visitation will be held at the Orange Springs Community Church (Hwy 315 Orange Springs, FL 32182) on Monday (Aug. 20th) from 11AM to 12 Noon. Funeral Service will follow at the Church at 12 Noon. In lieu of flowers the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to Orange Springs Community Church. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, 622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/18/2007 - 8/19/2007.

DEAN, BARBARA ANN, (Obituary No. 559.) 69 Ocala- Barbara Ann Dean, 69, passed away August 16, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Lake Charles, LA and moved to Ocala from Slanesville, W. VA. She enjoyed doing crafts and artificial flower arranging. She is survived by James L. Dean, her husband of 37 years, son Darrel (Cindy) Rhame of Boone, NC, daughters Bambi (Ray) Rash of TN, Deidre Macal of Front Royal, VA and 9 grandchildren. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of Arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/18/2007 - 8/19/2007.

DOLLAR, ALMA MAE, (Obituary No. 560.) 70 Dunnellon- Mrs. Alma Mae Dollar, 70. Passed away Wednesday, August 15, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Mrs. Dollar was born in Bayonne, NJ and came here from Rochelle Park, NJ in 1974, and has lived here for 33 years. Mrs. Dollar was a member of St. Ann's Episcopal Church, Crystal River; she also loved her Thursday Night 3-13 Card Club, Wed 1:00pm Lunch & Cards at Rainbow Springs Country Club and Monday 1:00PM Mahjongg. Survivors include son: Robert Dollar Jr., New Smyrna Beach, FL: Daughter: Sheryl Lynn Huggins and husband Ralph E. Dunnellon; Sister: Virginia Herrmann, Hawley, PA; Dear Friends: Lois Gibson and Vicki Wakeland: 4 Grandchildren: Robert Dollar, III, Kyle Huggins, Sierra Dollar and Jarred Dollar. Funeral Services will be held on Monday, August 20, 2007 at 10:00AM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON with Father Gilbert Larsen Officiating. Burial will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Visitation will be held on Sunday, August 19 from 5PM to 7PM at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon, FL 34432. Still Family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/18/2007 - 8/19/2007.

HAYES, JOSEPHINE P. (Obituary No. 561.) Gainesville - Josephine P. Hayes, 84, of Gainesville, Florida passed away August 16, 2007. Born and raised in Mingo, West Virginia. She was a devoted Christian and loving wife of 62 years, a mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. Mrs. Hayes was employed in World War II at the Liberty Ship Yard in Baltimore, Maryland. She was also an Accountant at Sears and Roebuck in Hollywood, Florida. She was the President of WMU and a Youth leader. She served as the Chairman of the Hospitality Committee and was a Sunday school teacher at Miramar Advent Christian Church in Miramar, Florida. She was a faithful member of the First Baptist Church of Belleview in Belleview, Florida and attended Parker Road Baptist Church in Gainesville, Florida. She loved arts and crafts as well as interior decorating. Survivors include, Husband, Donald R. Hayes, Sr. (Don); Daughter, Nancy
Sue Ellison; Son, Donald R. Hayes, Jr. (Rick); Adopted daughter, Anita Elaine Huntley; Daughter-in-Law, Deborah Jean Hayes; Granddaughters, Kriscella Sue LaForce, Donielle Lee Keen and Heather Ashley Hayes; Great-Grandson, Brandon Alan LaForce; Grandsons-in-Law, Allan Keen and Mark LaForce; Loving Cousin, Rosalie Sites; and wonderful friends. Funeral Services will be held Monday August 20, 2007 at 10:00 AM at Parker Road Baptist Church. 3200 SW 122nd St., with interment following at Evergreen Cemetery. Family will be receiving friends Sunday August 19, 2007 from 3 to 5 PM at WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA FUNERAL HOME 823 NW 143rd St. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/18/2007 - 8/19/2007.

562. LAWTON, JR., EADEN "E. J.", (Obituary No. 562.) 76 Sparr - Eaden J. Lawton, Jr., "E.J.", 76, as many knew him, passed away Friday, August 10, 2007. He was born, raised and lived the majority of his life in Sparr. Morning his loss include his wife of 29 years, Mae Lawton, Sparr, FL; 1 son, Gregory Lawton, Sr., Sparr, FL; 6 daughters, Carolyn Graham, Reddick, FL, Gwendolyn Scott, Philadelphia, PH, Sekeena Jackson, Bronx, NY, Cassandra Boston, Micanopy, FL; Andrea Brooks, Anthony, FL and Sirlestree Dewese, Ocala, FL; foster mother, Alza Kennedy, Sparr, FL; stepsons, Robert Kent, Ft. Lauderdale, FL and Kenneth Kent, Ocala, FL; 15 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, 3 brothers, 8 sisters; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral services for Mr. Lawton will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, August 19, 2007 at the Holy Band of Inspiration with Bishop Lillie Hanks officiating. The eulogy will be performed by Bishop John Hanks. A wake will be held for Mr. Lawton at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, August 17, 2007 at Greater St. Joseph AME Church, Sparr, Florida. Visitation will be on Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. No viewing after the Eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/16/2007 - 8/18/2007.

563. SAWAYA, HERBERT S., (Obituary No. 563.) 93 Ocala - Mr. Herbert S. Sawaya, 93, of Ocala died Tuesday, August 16, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native and lifetime resident of Ocala, he was a second generation Ocalan. Mr. Sawaya graduated from Ocala High School in 1932, served in the U.S. Army during WWII and was a lifelong member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He was preceded in death by his wife Zanie, and son Herbert, Jr. Survivors include daughters, Sarah and Mary of Ocala; son, Judge Thomas Sawaya and his wife Jeanne of Winter Park, nieces, Frances Sawaya and Mary Martha Hilley, nephew John Sawaya, grandchildren, Tom Jr., Andrew, Danielle, Suzanne, and John, Jr. and Caretaker Michele Lackey. Mr. Sawaya's lifelong work was in the auto industry as a new car dealer. He began at age 9 in a mechanic's position at Marion Motor Co., eventually owning his own new car dealership - Sawaya Automotive Service - for over 50 years in Ocala. This became the first new car dealership to sell Chrysler, Plymouth, DeSoto, American Motors, and Studebaker, and was the oldest licensed self-owned car dealership in the State of Florida. A Funeral Mass for Mr. Sawaya will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, August 18, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, with Father Pat Sheedy and Father Francis X.J. Smith officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, with prayers at 6:30 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/17/2007 - 8/18/2007.

564. STEWART, AGNES A., (Obituary No. 564.) 91 Ocala- Agnes A. Stewart, age 91, of Ocala (OTOW) passed away on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Hoboken, NJ on October 10, 1915. Mrs. Stewart moved to the Ocala area from Cape
Coral in 2002. She was a Homemaker and a Presbyterian. Her hobbies included vacation cruises, golfing and dancing. She is survived by her daughter Jean and husband Alf Lootz of Ocala (OTOW). A memorial service will be held Saturday, August 25, 2007, 3:00 pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timber Ridge, Ocala, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion Co., PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/18/2007 - 8/19/2007.

565. UNEBERG, GARY (Obituary No. 565.) , 57 Summerfield - Mr. Gary Uneberg, 57, passed away on August 13, 2007 at Tuscany House. He was born in Long Island, New York, and worked in the shoe repair/cobbler trade, owning his own business for many years in the New York and South Florida area. He is preceded in death by his father Arne and leaves to cherish his memories; mother, Lillian Uneberg, Florida; sons, Steven Uneberg, Colorado and Scott Uneberg, North Carolina; daughter, Rachel Uneberg, Florida; brothers, Gene, Illinois, Doug, New York, Eric, Florida and Ronnie Florida; sisters, Connie Phillips, Florida and Linda Roderiques, Florida; and a host of other relatives and friends. The family will have a private gathering to celebrate the life of Gary on Sunday, August 19, 2007; friends are welcome from 1 p.m. until ?. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/17/2007 - 8/18/2007.

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566. BROWN, MAUDLINE L., 75 (Obituary No. 566.) Ocala Mrs. Maudline L. Brown, 75 of Ocala. Died Wednesday, August 15, 2007 at MRMC. Maudline was born in Jamaica, and came to Ocala 22 years ago from NY. Maudline's passion was helping people and volunteering. She is survived by her husband Lester of 20 years, 5 Children, Mother, 8 Siblings, 12 Grandchildren, and 5 Great Grandchildren. The funeral service will be held Thursday, August 23, 2007 at 11:00AM at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. 55 Palm Rd. Silver Springs Shores. Friends may call on the family at the church from 10:00-11:00AM prior to the service. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Red Cross in memory of Maudline. Arrangements by ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

567. BULLARD, MARY GEORGE, (Obituary No. 567.) 78 Silver Springs - Mary George Bullard, 78, died on Friday, August 17, 2007. She was born in Orlando and moved to the Marion County area from Miami in 1982. She was a member of Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church and a retired teacher and counselor for the Florida public school system. She is survived by her cousin, Carlton E. "Gene" Colley of Winter Park. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, August 21, 2007 at 1 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Jimmy Snell and Rev. Raymond L. Estes officiating. Interment will be in Miami. The family will receive friends from 12 noon to 1 PM on Tuesday. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to the Florida Baptist Senior Ministries. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

568. CADE, MARY LOUISE, (Obituary No. 568.) 93 Orange Springs- Mary Louise Cade, 93, of Orange Springs, FL, passed away August 16th at home. She came to this area 5 years ago from Miami, was a homemaker and attended the Orange Springs Community Church. She is survived by her sons, Gordon L. Cade Jr. (Theresa) of Dunnellon, Charles S. Cade (Sally) of Orange Springs, Carl R. Cade of Dunnellon and Harry L. Cade (Nancy) of Anthony; daughters, Barbara Ann Grainger of Miami, FL and Dorothy L. Glaus of St. Louis, MO; brothers, James Knowles of Martin, TN and Richard Knowles of Dunn, SC; sister, Elizabeth Embury of Mr.
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571. HAYES, JOSEPHINE P. (Obituary No. 571.) Gainesville - Josephine P. Hayes, 84, of Gainesville, Florida passed away August 16, 2007. Born and raised in Mingo, West Virginia. She was a devoted Christian and loving wife of 62 years, a mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. Mrs. Hayes was employed in World War II at the Liberty Ship Yard in Baltimore, Maryland. She was also an Accountant at Sears and Roebuck in Hollywood, Florida. She was the President of WMU and a Youth leader. She served as the Chairman of the Hospitality Committee and was a Sunday school teacher at Miramar Advent Christian Church in Miramar, Florida. She was a faithful member of the First Baptist Church of Belleview in Belleview, Florida and attended Parker Road Baptist Church in Gainesville, Florida. She loved arts and crafts as well as interior decorating. Survivors include, Husband, Donald R. Hayes, Sr. (Don); Daughter, Nancy Sue Ellison; Son, Donald R. Hayes, Jr. (Rick); Adopted daughter, Anita Elaine Huntley; Daughter-in-Law, Deborah Jean Hayes; Granddaughters, Kriscella Sue LaForce, Donielle Lee Keen and Heather Ashley Hayes; Great-Grandson, Brandon Alan LaForce; Grandsons-in-Law, Allan Keen and Mark LaForce; Loving Cousin, Rosalie Sites; and wonderful friends. Funeral Services will be held Monday August 20, 2007 at 10:00 AM at Parker Road Baptist Church. 3200 SW 122nd St., with interment following at Evergreen Cemetery. Family will be receiving friends Sunday August 19, 2007 from 3 to 5 PM at WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA
FUNERAL HOME 823 NW 143rd St. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/18/2007 - 8/19/2007.

572. KRAEMER, JAMES G. (Obituary No. 572.) , 76 Ocala - James G. Kraemer, 76, passed away on 8/18/2007. Born in Milwaukee, WI, he lived in Ocala the last 47 years. He worked 17 years at Morrison's Cafeteria, Kenco and Wiechens Realty until his retirement in 1995. He is the beloved husband of Doris Kraemer, father of Greg (Martha) Kraemer and Roxanne (Chet) Blackmon, two special nieces Wendy Davis and Christie Mathison, grandfather of Chip, Jamie, Jody Blackman, Gregory Kraemer and Danielle Hughes, also four great grandchildren, brother of William Kraemer of Niagria, WI, and George Kraemer of Richland, WA. He was preceded in death by son Jimmy Kraemer and granddaughter Shannon Kraemer. Visitation will be held Monday 6-8 p.m. at the FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. The funeral service will be on Tuesday at 10 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

573. PARKER, PATRICIA LYONS, (Obituary No. 573.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Parker, 80 of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, August 15, 2007 at her residence. A native of Eccles, West Virginia, she made Ocala her home through 1984-1996 before moving to Hollywood, FL and then returning to Ocala in 2002. She was a member of Oakcrest Baptist Church and had worked in the past as a nurse. She enjoyed reading and needlepoint. She was preceded in death by husband, John Parker and two children Cheryl Lynn McDorman and Richard E. Daniel. Survivors include: two grandchildren, and Richard McDorman. Memorial Services will be held Tuesday, August 21, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at Oakcrest Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

574. PARTRIDGE, WARD HENRY, (Obituary No. 574.) 83 Johnston, IA - Ward H. Partridge, 83, passed away on August 16, 2007 at the Mercy Hospice in Johnston, Iowa. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, August 18, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at the Ankeny First United Methodist Church in Ankeny, Iowa. Ward was born on October 31, 1923 on a farm south of Maxwell, Iowa. He was the son of Mary Iona (Westcott) and Richard Henry Partridge. He attended Maxwell Community School and was involved in athletics. He was a Navy veteran of WWII and served on the U.S.S. Curtiss. He was a member of the American Legion Post #249 of Maxwell, Iowa. In August, 1947 he was married to Geneva Raber of DeSoto, Iowa and they raised five children. He remarried Elsie Hunt in April of 1981 and they then moved to Yuma, Arizona and later to Summerfield, Florida. Elsie died from a car accident in 1991. Ward then married Imogene Henry in May of 1995 and she preceded him in death in March of 2006. During Ward's retirement, he enjoyed horseback riding, dancing, playing cribbage, wordworking and leather crafts. Ward was also an active member with Imogene at the Bellevue Methodist Church of Bellevue, Florida. He is survived by his five children: Bruce, Carol, Gregory, Deborah (Larry), and David (Suzy) and seven grandchildren: Justin, Jerod, Jeremy, Alicea, Randy, Ryan, Nick and Travis. Stepchildren: Elsie-Gale (Lee), Judy (Bill), Sharane, Pamela, and Daniel, deceased (Marie); Imogene-Becky, deceased (John); Gayla (Clark), Robert, deceased (Janice), David R., Rock (Sheila); his sister, Thelma Nichols (Wayne) and many step-grandchildren and great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. THE ANKENY FUNERAL HOME is handling arrangements. A memorial fund will be established in Ward's memory in c/o David Partridge, 827 SE 8th Street, Ankeny, Iowa 50021. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.
575. STEWART, AGNES A. (Obituary No. 575.) 91 Ocala - Agnes A. Stewart, age 91, of Ocala (OTOW) passed away on Saturday, August 11, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Hoboken, NJ on October 10, 1915. Mrs. Stewart moved to the Ocala area from Cape Coral in 2002. She was a Homemaker and a Presbyterian. Her hobbies included vacation cruises, golfing and dancing. She is survived by her daughter Jean and husband Alf Lootz of Ocala (OTOW). A memorial service will be held Saturday, August 25, 2007, 3:00 pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timber Ridge, Ocala, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion Co., PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/18/2007 - 8/19/2007.

576. TANNEHILL, AGNES H., (Obituary No. 576.) 82 Ocala - Mrs. Agnes H. Tannehill, 82, passed away on August 15, 2007 in Ocala. She was born in Petersburg, VA on May 10, 1925. She was a retired homemaker. She was a member of the Community Congregational Church of Marion Oaks in Ocala. She moved to Ocala in 1984 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. She is survived by her son, Joseph of Warren, NJ. She is preceded in death by her loving husband, Elwood Tannehill of 50 years. The family asks for donations to be sent to the Community Congregational Church in her name. A memorial service will be held Tuesday, August 21, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SE 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

577. TARBOX, JUANITA V., (Obituary No. 577.) 103 Ocala - Juanita V. Tarbox, 103, of Ocala, died Thursday, August 16, 2007 in Gainesville. Born in Passadena, CA., she came to the Ocala area over 50 years ago. She is preceded in death by husbands John Tarbox and George Tarbox. Survivors include step-children Janet Kiersted of Houston, TX, Jon Tarbox of Troy, NY, Richard Tarbox of Gainesville, 12 step-grandchildren, and 3 step-great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 21, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with the Rev. Michael Pendergraft officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

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578. BROWN, MAUDLINE L., (Obituary No. 578.) 75 Ocala - Mrs. Maudline L. Brown, 75 of Ocala. Died Wednesday, August 15, 2007 at MRMC. Maudline was born in Jamaica, and came to Ocala 22 years ago from NY. Maudline's passion was helping people and volunteering. She is survived by her husband Lester of 20 years, 5 Children, Mother, 8 Siblings, 12 Grandchildren, and 5 Great Grandchildren. The funeral service will be held Thursday, August 23, 2007 at 11:00AM at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. 55 Palm Rd. Silver Springs Shores. Friends may call on the family at the church from 10:00-11:00AM prior to the service. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Red Cross in memory of Maudline. Arrangements by ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

579. BULLARD, MARY GEORGE, (Obituary No. 579.) 78 Silver Springs - Mary George Bullard, 78, died on Friday, August 17, 2007. She was born in Orlando and moved to the Marion County area from Miami in 1982. She was a member of Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church and a retired teacher and counselor for the Florida public school system. She is survived by her cousin, Carlton E. "Gene" Colley of Winter Park. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, August 21, 2007 at 1 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Jimmy Snell and Rev. Raymond L. Estes officiating. Interment will be in Miami. The family will receive friends from 12 noon to 1 PM on Tuesday. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial
contributions to the Florida Baptist Senior Ministries. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

580. HILL, GWENDOLYN B., (Obituary No. 580.) 84 Ocala - Gwendolyn B. "Gwen" Hill, 84, passed away August 18, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in Timmonsville, SC and moved to Ocala in 2000 from Atlanta, GA. She was a member of Our Saviour Lutheran Church and was an avid reader. She is survived by Norman E. Hill her husband of 29 years; sisters Hallie (Matthew) Perry of Columbia, SC., Celestine Hamlin of Washington, DC., Juanita Lee of Columbia, SC., and Myraline (Clinton) Hill of Ocala; brother-in-law, Richard Hill of Silver Spring, MD; 2 granddaughters, Sonya and Jamie; 1 great grandson, Blake; and several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services will be at 10 a.m., Friday, August 24, 2007 at Our Saviour Lutheran Church, 260 Marion Oaks Lane with Pastor Wayne Kofink officiating. The family will receive friends from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Friday at the church. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/20/2007 - 8/21/2007.

581. KRAEMER, JAMES G. (Obituary No. 581.) 76 Ocala - James G. Kraemer, 76, passed away on 8/18/2007. Born in Milwaukee, WI, he lived in Ocala the last 47 years. He worked 17 years at Morrison's Cafeteria, Kenco and Wiechens Realty until his retirement in 1995. He is the beloved husband of Doris Kraemer, father of Greg (Martha) Kraemer and Roxanne (Chet) Blackmon, two special nieces Wendy Davis and Christie Mathison, grandfather of Chip, Jamie, Jody Blackman, Gregory Kraemer and Danielle Hughes, also four great grandchildren, brother of William Kraemer of Niagaria, WI, and George Kraemer of Richland, WA. He was preceded in death by son Jimmy Kraemer and granddaughter Shannon Kraemer. Visitation will be held Monday 6-8 p.m. at the FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. The funeral service will be on Tuesday at 10 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

582. PARKER, PATRICIA LYONS, (Obituary No. 582.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Parker, 80 of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, August 15, 2007 at her residence. A native of Eccles, West Virginia, she made Ocala her home through 1984-1996 before moving to Hollywood, FL and then returning to Ocala in 2002. She was a member of Oakcrest Baptist Church and had worked in the past as a nurse. She enjoyed reading and needlepoint. She was preceded in death by husband, John Parker and two children Cheryl Lynn McDorman and Richard E. Daniel. Survivors include: two grandchildren, and Richard McDorman. Memorial Services will be held Tuesday, August 21, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at Oakcrest Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

583. PARTRIDGE, WARD HENRY, (Obituary No. 583.) 83 Johnston, IA - Ward H. Partridge, 83, passed away on August 16, 2007 at the Mercy Hospice in Johnston, Iowa. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, August 18, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at the Ankeny First United Methodist Church in Ankeny, Iowa. Ward was born on October 31, 1923 on a farm south of Maxwell, Iowa. He was the son of Mary Iona (Westcott) and Richard Henry Partridge. He attended Maxwell Community School and was involved in athletics. He was a Navy veteran of WWII and served on the U.S.S. Curtiss. He was a member of the American Legion Post #249 of Maxwell, Iowa. In August, 1947 he was married to Geneva Raber of DeSoto, Iowa and they raised five children. He remarried Elsie Hunt in April of 1981 and they then moved to Yuma, Arizona and later to Summerfield, Florida. Elsie died from a car accident in 1991. Ward then married Imogene Henry in May of 1995 and she preceded him in death in March of 2006. During
Ward's retirement, he enjoyed horseback riding, dancing, playing cribbage, wordworking and leather crafts. Ward was also an active member with Imogene at the Bellevue Methodist Church of Bellevue, Florida. He is survived by his five children: Bruce, Carol, Gregory, Deborah (Larry), and David (Suzy) and seven grandchildren: Justin, Jerod, Jeremy, Alica, Randy, Ryan, Nick and Travis. Stepchildren: Elsie-Gale (Lee), Judy (Bill), Sharane, Pamela, and Daniel, deceased (Marie); Imogene-Becky, deceased (John); Gayla (Clark), Robert, deceased (Janice), David R., Rock (Sheila); his sister, Thelma Nichols (Wayne) and many step-grandchildren and great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. THE ANKENY FUNERAL HOME is handling arrangements. A memorial fund will be established in Ward's memory in c/o David Partridge, 827 SE 8th Street, Ankeny, Iowa 50021. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/19/2007 - 8/20/2007.

584. ROBERSON, STEPHEN JACOB, (Obituary No. 584.) 18 Ft. McCoy- Stephen Jacob Roberson 18, of Ft. McCoy, died Friday, August 17, 2007 in Dixie County due to injuries sustained in an automobile accident. He was born in St. Augustine and had been a resident of Ft. McCoy for the past six years, coming from Interlachen. He was a 2007 graduate of North Marion High School where he played football and was in the R.O.T.C. He had attended Forest Baptist Church in Hog Valley and had formerly attended the St. John Catholic Church in Interlachen. He enjoyed fishing, hunting and country music. He loved his family and his mom and dad loved him very much. He was a good kid and was a "good ole boy". He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather Clarence Woods, Jr.; his paternal grandfather, David Ellis; and an aunt, Madeline Mary Woods Matthews. He is survived by his parents, William and Miriam Roberson of Ft. McCoy; his maternal grandmother, Frances Anne Woods of St. Augustine; his paternal grandmother, Nora Virginia Roberson of Tulsa, OK; three brothers, Lucas Jordan Simmons of Manchester, NH., David Lee Roberson and Samuel Adam Roberson both of Gainesville; a special friend, Chris Judd of Eureka; many aunts, uncles, cousins, and a host of friends. Calling hours will begin 9 a.m., Wednesday, August 22, 2007 at the Masters Funeral Home in Palatka. Funeral services will follow at 10 a.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers memorial gifts may be sent to the funeral home in Stephen's memory. MASTER FUNERAL HOME is located at 3015 Crill Ave. Palatka, FL 32117 is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/20/2007 - 8/21/2007.

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586. TARBOX, JUANITA V., (Obituary No. 586.) 103 Ocala - Juanita V. Tarbox, 103, of Ocala, died Thursday, August 16, 2007 in Gainesville. Born in Passadena, CA., she came to the Ocala area over 50 years ago. She is preceded in death by husbands John Tarbox and George Tarbox. Survivors include step-children Janet Kiersted of Houston, TX, Jon Tarbox of Troy, NY, Richard Tarbox of Gainesville, 12 step-grandchildren, and 3 step great-great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 21, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL
Mr. Orin Edward "Soad" Teuton, age 93, passed away at his home in Gainesville on Saturday, August 18, 2007. Born November 6, 1913 to Eddie Foy and Elsie Etta McDonald, he was one of nine children. He was a graduate of Fort McCoy High School and the Technical School of Tampa, FL. He worked as a crane operator at McClosky Ship Yard during World War II and retired after 35 years from the Dairy Products Lab at the University of Florida where he was a refrigeration mechanic. He was a member of Windsor Baptist Church of Windsor, FL, Micanopy Masonic Lodge, and the Order of the Eastern Star. Orin loved to hunt, fish, travel, and spend time with his family. He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Willigene Cassels Teuton, son Murray C. (Bettie) Teuton, daughters Elaine (Ron) Brock and Linda Kay (George) Hemingway; ten grandchildren and fourteen great grandchildren and his brother R. Lester (Marie) Teuton of Palatka, FL. The family will receive friends Monday, August 20, 2007, from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m., at Milam Funeral Home, where services will be held Tuesday, August 21, 2007, at 10 a.m. Officiating will be the Reverends Murray C. Teuton, George M. Hemingway, Jr., Mike Redmond, and Richard Cicio. Interment will be at Evergreen Cemetery in Gainesville, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions should be made to "The Building Fund" of Windsor Baptist Church, 918 SE County Road 234, Gainesville, FL 32641. Arrangements are under the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 S. Main Street, Gainesville, FL 32601 (352) 376-5361. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/20/2007 - 8/21/2007.

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588. BROWN, EDWARD W., (Obituary No. 588.) 80 Silver Springs, FL - Edward W. Brown, 80, passed away suddenly from a fall on Thursday, August 16, 2007. He was born on July 16, 1927 in Detroit, MI. He proudly served his country in WWII in the US Navy as a Sea Bee. He was in the steel erection business with his father for many years in the Cleveland, OH area before moving to Pompano Beach, Florida in 1965 with his family, where he was in the pre-stressed concrete business. He was an avid boater and fisherman. He served as a church usher, deacon and elder for many years at the First United Presbyterian Church of Pompano Beach, FL. Upon retirement, he and his wife moved to Silver Springs, FL where he was an active member at the Moracco Temple, Ocala Shrine Club as the Chief Engineer of the Fire Brigade Unit, driving the restored fire engine in numerous parades. He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Helen Gibson Brown; his son, E. Thomas Brown; his daughter, Mary Jane Montante; 4 grandchildren, Christine Brown, Jennifer Brown, Philip J. Montante III and Christopher E. Montante. He was predeceased by his brother, Howard L. Brown, sister, Barbara J. Householder, father, Edward A. Brown and mother, Mary A. Brown. A memorial service will be held at Fort King Presbyterian Church, Ocala, FL on Wednesday, August 22, 2007 at 10 a.m. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Shriners Hospitals for Children, Tampa, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/21/2007 - 8/22/2007.

589. CENTRACCO, TONI DANIELLE, (Obituary No. 589.) 20 Ocala - God called home his Angel, Toni Danielle Centracco, on Friday, August 17, 2007. Toni was a native of Ocala, was born May 12, 1987. She was studying to be a preschool teacher, and was an avid animal lover. Survivors include her parents, Joseph and Lisa Ann Centracco of Ocala; grandparents, Wayne and Karen Gaines of Blairsville, GA; many aunts, uncles, cousins and friends, and special friend Marshall Pardee. Toni is preceded in death by her grandmother, Linda Terrell and grandparents,
Laurence and Mary Centracco. Memorial Service will be 5 p.m., Wednesday, August 22, 2007 at First Church of The Nazarene, 3732 NE 7th Street, Ocala. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Marion County Animal Center, 5701 SE 66th Street, Ocala, 34480. "You will be loved and remembered by all". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/21/2007 - 8/23/2007.

590. FARRINGTON, GORDON (Obituary No. 590.) , 80 Ocala - Gordon Farrington, 80, Ocala Florida passed away August 20, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala. Mr. Farrington was a retired commercial artist that moved to Ocala form Gastonia, NC in 1998. He was a member of the VFW post 4209 in Ocala and the Shriners. Survived by his wife of 54 years, Cleo; daughter, Kim A. Farrington, Dania Beach, Florida; son, Scott W. (Lori) Ocala, Florida; one granddaughter, Hayley Farrington. Interment at a later date at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. In lieu of flowers please send contributions to Hospice in Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/21/2007 - 8/22/2007.

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592. QUINONES, ANGELICA (Obituary No. 592.), 74 Dunnellon - Angelica Quinones, age 74, who passed away on August 18, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida. Mrs. Quinones was born in FaJardo, Puerto Rico, She is survived by husband, Salome Quinones, Dunnellon, Florida; daughter, Gilda A. (Israel) Santiago, Lake Station, Indiana; sons, Brady (Yolanda) Quinones, Citrus Springs, Florida; Arnoldo Quinones, Dunnellon, Florida; 6 grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren; and 2 brothers, Ismael Calderon, Puerto Rico and Hilarion Calderon, Orlando, Florida. Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, August 22, 2007 at 11 a.m. at The Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida with Reverend Israel Santiago, conducting the services. Interment will follow at The Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Visitation will be at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 NW 10th St., Ocala from 5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/21/2007 - 8/22/2007.

593. RECANZONE, EUGENE A. "BUTCH", (Obituary No. 593.) 60 Dunnellon - Eugene A. "Butch" Recanzone, 60, of Dunnellon, Florida, died on Saturday, August 18, 2007 in Ocala. He was born September 18, 1946 in Lewes, Delaware, son to the late Clifford W. and Virginia (Davis) Recanzone. He moved here in 1989 from Sunrise, Florida. Occupations: Electronics Technician with R.M.S. Communications of Ocala. He was US Navy veteran, having served during the Vietnam War. He is survived by wife of 40 years, Carmen L. Recanzone, Citrus Springs; daughter, Linda L. Cunningham and husband James, Ph.D., Columbia, South Carolina; brothers, Clifford (Linda) Recanzone, Daytona and Robert (Carol) Recanzone, Hernando; sisters, Virginia Recanzone, California and Cathy (Steve) Konya, Citrus Springs; aunts, Ida Burke, Marion Oaks and Mindy Recanzone, Ocala; 2 grandchildren, Jacy A. and Cassidy A.
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Methodist Church. She is survived by her husband of 69 years, William L. Waller; daughter, Jane W. Sands; and son, Curtis Waller; sister, Frances Tompkins MacKenzie; 4 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, August 22, 2007, at Woodlawn Cemetery, 1315 NE 3rd St. Ocala with Dr. John F. Few officiating. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., is handling arrangements. Memorial contributions may be made to the First United Methodist Church of Ocala or Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/21/2007 - 8/22/2007.

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Mrs. Quinones was born in Fajardo, Puerto Rico. She is survived by husband, Salome Quinones, Dunnellon, Florida; daughter, Gilda A. (Israel) Santiago, Lake Station, Indiana; sons, Brady (Yolanda) Quinones, Citrus Springs, Florida; Arnaldo Quinones, Dunnellon, Florida; 6 grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren; and 2 brothers, Ismael Calderon, Puerto Rico and Hilarion Calderon, Orlando, Florida. Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, August 22, 2007 at 11 a.m. at The Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida with Reverend Israel Santiago, conducting the services. Interment will follow at The Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Visitation will be at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 NW 10th St., Ocala from 5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/21/2007 - 8/22/2007.

601. RECANZONE, EUGENE A. "BUTCH", (Obituary No. 601.) 60 Dunnellon - Eugene A. "Butch" Recanzone, 60, of Dunnellon, died on Saturday, August 18, 2007 in Ocala. He was born September 18, 1946 in Lewes, Delaware, son to the late Clifford W. and Virginia (Davis) Recanzone. He moved here in 1989 from Sunrise, Florida. Occupations: Electronics Technician with R.M.S. Communications of Ocala. He was US Navy veteran, having served during the Vietnam War. He is survived by wife of 40 years, Carmen L. Recanzone, Citrus Springs; daughter, Linda L. Cunningham and husband James, Ph.D., Columbia, South Carolina; brothers, Clifford (Linda) Recanzone, Daytona and Robert (Carol) Recanzone, Hernando; sisters, Virginia Recanzone, California and Cathy (Steve) Konya, Citrus Springs; aunts, Ida Burke, Marion Oaks and Mindy Recanzone, Ocala; 2 grandchildren, Jacy A. and Cassidy A. Cunningham; and many nieces, nephews and cousins. Cremation arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/21/2007 - 8/23/2007.

602. WALLER, DORA MAE TOMPKINS, (Obituary No. 602.) 93 Ocala - Dora Mae Tompkins Waller, 93, died Sunday morning, August 19, 2007. Mrs. Waller was an Ocala native who graduated from Ocala High School, Class of 1932, and attended Florida State College for Women. She was employed by Ocala Chamber of Commerce and later by the Commercial Bank & Trust Co., (now SunTrust Bank). She was one of the oldest members of First United Methodist Church. She is survived by her husband of 69 years, William L. Waller; daughter, Jane W. Sands; and son, Curtis Waller; sister, Frances Tompkins MacKenzie; 4 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, August 22, 2007, at Woodlawn Cemetery, 1315 NE 3rd St. Ocala with Dr. John F. Few officiating. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., is handling arrangements. Memorial contributions may be made to the First United Methodist Church of Ocala or Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/21/2007 - 8/22/2007.

603. WEAVER, FRANCES KENT SERPA, (Obituary No. 603.) 93 Ocala - Mrs. Frances Kent Serpa Weaver, 93, of Ocala, FL, passed away August 18, 2007. Born in Princeton, WV, she was a retired office manager for DeVoe Paints and recently relocated to Ocala from Miami Springs, FL with her husband, Bookie Weaver. She is also survived by her nieces, Maureen Sweeting of Duluth, GA and Pauletta Raymond of Mableton, GA; a step granddaughter, Melissa Leo of Sevierville, TN; 4 grand nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Edward Frank and Sarah Callie Kent, brother, Paul Kent and sister Blanche Kent. Interment will be in Southern Memorial Gardens Cemetery in North Miami Beach, FL. Arrangements by ROBERT FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 352-622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/22/2007 - 8/23/2007.
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604. CANTERBERRY, LEORA (Obituary No. 604.), 86 Ocala - Leora Canterberry, 86, of Ocala, died Tuesday, August 21, 2007 at her residence. A native of West Virginia, she moved to this area from Texas in 1985. She was an active member of the American Legion Auxiliary, and a member of the First Baptist Church of Belleview. She is survived by her daughter, Rita Long; sisters Betty Hall, and Eva Maynard both of Ocala, and Margaret McClellan of West Virginia; brothers E. Frank Hall of Crescent Springs, KY and Dallas R. Hall of New Madrid, MO; 2 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her husband Rupert Canterbury, 1 sister and 2 brothers. Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, August 24, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Visitation will be Thursday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.

605. CENTRACCO, TONI DANIELLE, (Obituary No. 605.) 20 Ocala - God called home his Angel, Toni Danielle Centracco, on Friday, August 17, 2007. Toni was a native of Ocala, was born May 12, 1987. She was studying to be a preschool teacher, and was an avid animal lover. Survivors include her parents, Joseph and Lisa Ann Centracco of Ocala; grandparents, Wayne and Karen Gaines of Blairsville, GA; many aunts, uncles, cousins and friends, and special friend Marshall Pardee. Toni is preceded in death by her grandmother, Linda Terrell and grandparents, Laurence and Mary Centracco. Memorial Service will be 5 p.m., Wednesday, August 22, 2007 at First Church of The Nazarene, 3732 NE 7th Street, Ocala. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Marion County Animal Center, 5701 SE 66th Street, Ocala, 34480. "You will be loved and remembered by all". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/21/2007 - 8/23/2007.

606. HOPE, LINNIE JANET, (Obituary No. 606.) 82 Ocala - Linnie Janet Hope, 82, passed away on August 11, 2007 at home. A retired Teacher's Assistant, Mrs. Hope was a member of Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. She served as Church Mother and missionary in her church. She leaves to cherish her memories: 2 sons, Jimmie Hope, Immokalee, FL and Herman Hope, Springfield, MO; 4 daughters, Jeanette Hope James, Olivia Hope, both of Miami, FL, Janice Hope Alexander and Felecia Hope, both of Ocala; 20 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives. A wake will be held on Thursday, August 23, 2007 at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL, from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Viewing on Friday at Pinkney-Smith Funeral Home, 727 NW 2nd Street, Gainesville, FL, 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Funeral Service on Saturday, August 25, 2007, at 11 a.m. at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL with Dr. Fred MaeWeather, officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Pisgah Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Mrs. Hope will lie in repose at Shady Grove one hour prior to service on Saturday. No viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will assemble at the home of Felecia Hope, 2228 NW 24 Rd., Ocala, FL 10:15 a.m. Saturday. Service entrusted to PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 727 NW 2nd St., Gainesville, FL 352-376-8686. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/25/2007.

607. MALWAH, VIOLETTE(Obituary No. 607.), 82 Summerfield - Mrs. Violette Malwah age 82, passed away on August 18, 2007 at Tuscany House of Summerfield. Born in Trinidad, West Indies, she loved the fashion world and worked as a dress designer. She leaves to cherish her fond memories: sons, Erwin Malwah, Anthony Malwah, Lyle Malwah, and Brian Malwah; brothers, Harold Placide, Lloyd Placide, and John Placide. Funeral services for Mrs. Violette Malwah will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday at First Missionary Full Gospel Church, 9475 SE 35th Ct., Ocala, FL 34480, 352-347-9407 with Rev. Dr. BW LeCorn presiding. Burial will
follow in the Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be on Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.
at Snow's Funeral Ministry, Baseline Chapel. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL
MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner

608. MAYS-HOPE, JULIA CLARA, (Obituary No. 608.) 87 Ocala - Julia Clara Mays-Hope,
age 87, of Ocala, died August 10, 2007. Funeral Services will be on Saturday, August 25, 2007
at 11 a.m., Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, Santos, FL. Elder D.J. Berry, presiding,
Reverend Dr. Warren Hope, eulogist. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on
Friday from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. A Wake Service will follow viewing until 7:30 p.m. The family
will be receiving friends during this time. Family and Friends are asked to meet at the Hope's
Residence (8859 S.E. 38th Terrace, Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral
cortege. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mrs. Hope: four daughters, Dr. Joyce Hope,
Newton, MA., Zelma Hope, Ocala, FL., Annie Ruth Hope-Cantrell, Stone Mountain, GA and
Barbara Hope, Glendale, NY; two sons, Alga Hope, Jr., Newton, MA, and Reverend Dr. Warren
Hope, Thomasville, GA; sisters, Mamie L. Lee, Ocala, FL., Louvenia Mays-Bostick, Belleview,
FL., Ernestine Lindsay, and Easter Maycock, Miami, FL; brothers, James Mays, Ocala, FL.,
Elroy Mays, CA and William "Buddy" Mays, Ocala, FL; 22 grandchildren and 22 great
grandchildren. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-

609. MCCOY, ROBERTA WILLIAMS, (Obituary No. 609.) 71 Ocala - Roberta Williams
McCoy, 71 of 2227 N.W. 1st Avenue Ocala, Florida expired on Tuesday August 21, 2007 in
Sylvia's House of Hospice Marion County. An area resident since 1948. She was born August
12, 1936 in Bronson, Florida. The daughter of Lawrence and Laura Williams. Mrs. McCoy is
Survived by husband Joshua McCoy, Ocala, Florida; daughters, Sheila Washington Jackson
(Anthony), Sheranita McCoy Hempbill (Mohammed) Both of Ohio, Bridgette McCoy Langston
(Moses) of Ocklawaha, Florida; sons, Ricky McCoy and Donovan McCoy Both of Ocala,
Florida; brothers, Lawrence Williams Jr. (Annie Laura), Robert Williams (Cora), Robin
Williams (Hattie) and David Williams all of Ocala, Florida; sisters, Elizabeth Robinson, Katie
Cannon, Florence Williams Ray all of Ocala, Florida; brother-in-laws, Willie Cleve McCOY
(Tammy) of Rockledge, Florida Micheal McCoy of Melbourne, Florida; sisters-in-laws, Ruby
Williams and Daunita Williams of Ocala, Florida Fannie Gray (James) of Merritt Island, Florida
Laureca McCoy of Long Branch, N.J.; 16 grandchildren 5 great grandchildren and a host of
nephews, nieces, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral Services For Mrs. Roberta Williams
McCoy will Be Held On Saturday, August 25,2007 at 11 a.m. at the Theological Seminary 1104
Northwest 4th Street Ocala, Florida 34475 with a Local Minister Conducting The Service.
Interment will follow in Lincoln Memorial Gardens, Ocala, Florida Visitation Friday 11 a.m. to 6
p.m. Saturday at the Seminary 10 a.m. until time service. No Viewing after the Eulogy.
Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, "A Summers Funeral Service makes a

610. RECANZONE, EUGENE A. "BUTCH", (Obituary No. 610.) 60 Dunnellon - Eugene A.
"Butch" Recanzone, 60, of Dunnellon, Florida, died on Saturday, August 18, 2007 in Ocala. He
was born September 18, 1946 in Lewes, Delaware, son to the late Clifford W. and Virginia
(Davis) Recanzone. He moved here in 1989 from Sunrise, Florida. Occupations: Electronics
Technician with R.M.S. Communications of Ocala. He was US Navy veteran, having served
during the Vietnam War. He is survived by wife of 40 years, Carmen L. Recanzone, Citrus
Springs; daughter, Linda L. Cunningham and husband James, Ph.D., Columbia, South Carolina;
brothers, Clifford (Linda) Recanzone, Daytona and Robert (Carol) Recanzone, Hernando; sisters, Virginia Recanzone, California and Cathy (Steve) Konya, Citrus Springs; aunts, Ida Burke, Marion Oaks and Mindy Recanzone, Ocala; 2 grandchildren, Jacy A. and Cassidy A. Cunningham; and many nieces, nephews and cousins. Cremation arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/21/2007 - 8/23/2007.

611. ROBERTS, SAMUEL L., (Obituary No. 611.) 75 Ocala - Funeral Service for Samuel L. Roberts, 75, warehouse supervisor, will be held Saturday, August 25, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith with Rev. Willie Reynold, of the Holy Temple Church of God in Christ, conducting the service. Mr. Roberts was born June 19, 1932 in Ocala, FL to the late Henry Roberts, Sr. and Wilhemina Maxey. He was a US Army Veteran. Survivors include 2 sons, Michael Goodson, Ocala, FL and Michael Roberts, Tampa, FL; 5 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Interment will be at Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be on Friday, August 24, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday in the chapel from 10 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.

612. SMITH, MELISSA (Obituary No. 612.) , 38 Dunnellon - Melissa Smith, age 38, passed away on August 16, 2007 at her residence. Born in New Port, Rhode Island she moved to Dunnellon where she met and married her devoted husband, Robert Donnie Smith. She was a faithful member of United Missionary Baptist Church. She leaves to cherish her precious memories: husband, Donnie Smith; mother, Rosalma Caldamone-Rice; daughters, Alyssa Velazquez Caldamone, Robin Williams Smith, Dominique Smith, Courtney Smith Craft and Sejal Smith; sons, Raymond Velazquez-Caldamone, Dadron Smith, Ronnie Donnie Smith II, and Patrick Smith; sisters, Janice Robilard, Vickie Vandenburg and Robin Velazquez; brother, Robert Geoff, Jr. Funeral services for Melissa Smith will be held on Saturday, 11 a.m. at Union Missionary Baptist Church with Pastor Eric Cummings presiding. Visitation will be on Friday from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Union Baptist Church, Chatmire. Arrangements entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.

613. THOMAS, LEOLA ELIZABETH "TULU", (Obituary No. 613.) 49 Ocala - Ms. Leola Elizabeth "Tulu" Thomas, age 49, passed away on August 18, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born and raised in Ocala and was a member of Glorious Hope Primitive Baptist Church. She leaves to cherish her memories: daughter, Ruth Thomas; son, Christopher Thomas; 6 grandchildren; sister, Christina Thomas; and brother, Robert Lee Jones. Funeral Services for Ms. Leola Elizabeth "Tulu" Thomas will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, August 25, 2007 at New St. John Baptist Church, Rev. T.L. Brooks, Pastor, Rev. Major Lewis, Presiding. Visitation will be on Friday, August 24, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.

614. WEAVER, FRANCES KENT SERPA, (Obituary No. 614.) 93 Ocala - Mrs. Frances Kent Serpa Weaver, 93, of Ocala, FL, passed away August 18, 2007. Born in Princeton, WV, she was a retired office manager for DeVoe Paints and recently relocated to Ocala from Miami Springs, FL with her husband, Bookie Weaver. She is also survived by her nieces, Maureen Sweeting of Duluth, GA and Pauletta Raymond of Mableton, GA; a step granddaughter, Melissa Leo of Sevierville, TN; 4 grand nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents,

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615. BARRETT, ALDIS (Obituary No. 615.) , 91 Ocala- Ms. Aldis Barrett, 91. Passed away on August 20, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was a retired school teacher that moved to Ocala from Smyrna, GA in Sept. of 2004. She was a Baptist. Survivors include her sister Martha E. Martin, Ocala. 2 Daughters Martie (Frank) Ansorge from Sparr and Rachel Barrett from Cartersville, GA. One son Bob Barrett, Dallas GA. Three Grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Saturday August 25, 2007 at 10:00AM Chambrel at Pinecastle, 1801 SE 24th Rd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/24/2007 - 8/25/2007.

616. CANTERBERRY, LEORA (Obituary No. 616.) , 86 Ocala - Leora Canterberry, 86, of Ocala, died Tuesday, August 21, 2007 at her residence. A native of West Virginia, she moved to this area from Texas In 1985. She was an active member of the American Legion Auxiliary, and a member of the First Baptist Church of Belleview. She is survived by her daughter, Rita Long of Jacksonville; sisters Betty Hall, and Eva Maynard both of Ocala, and Margaret McClellan of West Virginia; brothers E. Frank Hall of Crescent Springs, KY and Dallas R. Hall of New Madrid, MO; 2 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. She Is preceded in death by her husband Rupert Canterbury, I sister and 2 brothers. Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, August 24, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Visitation will be Thursday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.

617. HOPE, LINNIE JANET, (Obituary No. 617.) 82 Ocala - Linnie Janet Hope, 82, passed away on August 11, 2007 at home. A retired Teacher's Assistant, Mrs. Hope was a member of Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. She served as Church Mother and missionary in her church. She leaves to cherish her memories: 2 sons, Jimmie Hope, Immokalee, FL and Herman Hope, Springfield, MO; 4 daughters, Jeanette Hope James, Olivia Hope, both of Miami, FL, Janice Hope Alexander and Felecia Hope, both of Ocala; 20 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives. A wake will be held on Thursday, August 23, 2007 at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL, from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Viewing on Friday at Pinkney-Smith Funeral Home, 727 NW 2nd Street, Gainesville, FL, 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Funeral Service on Saturday, August 25, 2007, at 11 a.m. at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL with Dr. Fred MaeWeather, officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Pisgah Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Mrs. Hope will lie in repose at Shady Grove one hour prior to service on Saturday. No viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will assemble at the home of Felecia Hope, 2228 NW 24 Rd., Ocala, FL 10:15 a.m. Saturday. Service entrusted to PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 727 NW 2nd St., Gainesville, FL 352-376-8686. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/25/2007.

618. MALWAH, VIOLETTE (Obituary No. 618.) , 82 Summerfield - Mrs. Violette Malwah age 82, passed away on August 18, 2007 at Tuscany House of Summerfield. Born in Trinidad, West Indies, she loved the fashion world and worked as a dress designer. She leaves to cherish her fond memories: sons, Erwin Malwah, Anthony Malwah, Lyle Malwah, and Brian Malwah; brothers, Harold Placide, Lloyd Placide, and John Placide. Funeral services for Mrs. Violette
Malwah will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday at First Missionary Full Gospel Church, 9475 SE 35th Ct., Ocala, FL 34480, 352-347-9407 with Rev. Dr. BW LeCorn presiding. Burial will follow in the Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be on Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry, Baseline Chapel. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.

619. MAYS-HOPE, JULIA CLARA, 87 (Obituary No. 619.) Ocala - Julia Clara Mays-Hope, age 87, of Ocala, died August 10, 2007. Funeral Services will be on Saturday, August 25, 2007 at 11 a.m., Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, Santos, FL. Elder D.J. Berry, presiding, Reverend Dr. Warren Hope, eulogist. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. A Wake Service will follow viewing until 7:30 p.m. The family will be receiving friends during this time. Family and Friends are asked to meet at the Hope's Residence (8859 S.E. 38th Terrace, Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortège. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mrs. Hope: four daughters, Dr. Joyce Hope, Newton, MA., Zelma Hope, Ocala, FL., Annie Ruth Hope-Cantrell, Stone Mountain, GA and Barbara Hope, Glendale, NY; two sons, Alga Hope, Jr., Newton, MA, and Reverend Dr. Warren Hope, Thomasville, GA; sisters, Mamie L. Lee, Ocala, FL., Louvenia Mays-Bostick, Belleview, FL., Ernestine Lindsay, and Easter Maycock, Miami, FL; brothers, James Mays, Ocala, FL., Elroy Mays, CA and William "Buddy" Mays, Ocala, FL; 22 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.

620. MCCOY, ROBERTA WILLIAMS, (Obituary No. 620.) 71 Ocala - Roberta Williams McCoy, 71 of 2227 N.W. 1st Avenue Ocala, Florida expired on Tuesday August 21, 2007 in Sylvia's House of Hospice Marion County. An area resident since 1948. She was born August 12, 1936 in Bronson, Florida. The daughter of Lawrence and Laura Williams. Mrs. McCoy is Survived by husband Joshua McCoy, Ocala, Florida; daughters, Sheila Washington Jackson (Anthony), Sheranita McCoy Hempbill (Mobammed) Both of Ohio, Bridgette McCoy Langston (Moses) of Ocklawaha, Florida; sons, Ricky McCoy and Donovan McCoy Both of Ocala, Florida; brothers, Lawrence Williams Jr. (Annie Laura), Robert Williams (Cora), Robin Williams (Hattie) and David Williams all of Ocala, Florida; sisters, Elizabeth Robinson, Katie Cannon, Florence Williams Ray all of Ocala, Florida; brother-in-laws, Willie Cleve McCOY (Tammy) of Rockledge, Florida Micheal McCoy of Melbourne, Florida; sisters-in-laws, Ruby Williams and Daunita Williams of Ocala, Florida Fannie Gray (James) of Merritt Island, Florida Laureca McCoy of Long Branch, N.J.; 16 grandchildren 5 great grandchildren and a host of nephews, nieces, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral Services For Mrs. Roberta Williams McCoy will Be Held On Saturday, August 25,2007 at 11 a.m. at the Theological Seminary 1104 Northwest 4th Street Ocala, Florida 34475 with a Local Minister Conducting The Service. Interment will follow in Lincoln Memorial Gardens, Ocala, Florida Visitation Friday 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday at the Seminary 10 a.m. until time service. No Viewing after the Eulogy. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.

621. MCKAY, DOUGLAS, "DOUG", (Obituary No. 621.) 50 St. Petersburg- Douglas "Doug" McKay, 50. Died August 20, 2007 at St. Anthony's Hospital. Born in Oskaloosa, Iowa, he moved to St. Petersburg in 1987 from Ocala, FL. He was a graduate of the University of Florida. He was the National Sales Manager for Frontline Communications. Survivors include his wife of 25 years, Diane, his dogs, Rudy, Duncan and Lucy. Parents, Leroy and Janet McKay,
Summerfield, FL., two sisters, Kathy Godwin, Lake City, FL and Lea Ann O'Steen, Summerfield, FL, brother, Sam McKay, Summerfield, FL, two nieces and three nephews, He was loved by many and will be greatly missed. In lieu of flowers, the family prefers memorial donations to the Gulfcoast Oncology Foundation, 1201 5th Ave., Suite 505, St. Petersburg, FL 33705 or www.gulfoastoncology.com. Also please feel free to visit www.frontlinecomm.com for additional sharing of memories of Doug. ANDERSON MCQUEEN FUNERAL AND CREMATION CENTERS- NE St. Petersburg Chapel 727-822-2059 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/24/2007 - 8/25/2007.

622. REILLY, BONNIE COLE, (Obituary No. 622.) 62 Ocala- Bonnie Cole Reilly, 62, died Tuesday at St. Luke Hospital in Jacksonville after a long illness. Bonnie was born in Jonesboro, Arkansas and was an elementary school teacher. She and her loving husband Robert Reilly, have resided in Ocala for Twelve years. Bonnie was devoted to her husband, her family and friends, and to her dogs. She took great pleasure in her garden, and playing bridge and golf. She was a member of the Country Club of Ocala and Golden Ocala. She is survived by her husband, Robert; her sister and family, Mary Lou and Bobby Wood of Jonesboro, Arkansas; her brother and family, Dr. Gary Cole of Mt. Pleasant, Texas; her brother and sisters-in-law, George and Elizabeth Reilly and Maureen Flannery; and many nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held at 3PM this Saturday, August 25th, at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Boulevard in Ocala. Flowers may be sent to that address and donations in lieu of flowers may be sent to a favorite charity in Bonnie's memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/24/2007 - 8/26/2007.

623. ROBERTS, SAMUEL L., (Obituary No. 623.) 75 Ocala - Funeral Service for Samuel L. Roberts, 75, warehouse supervisor, will be held Saturday, August 25, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith with Rev. Willie Reynold, of the Holy Temple Church of God in Christ, conducting the service. Mr. Roberts was born June 19, 1932 in Ocala, FL to the late Henry Roberts, Sr. and Wilhemina Maxey. He was a US Army Veteran. Survivors include 2 sons, Michael Goodson, Ocala, FL and Michael Roberts, Tampa, FL; 5 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Interment will be at Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be on Friday, August 24, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday in the chapel from 10 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.

624. SMITH, MELISSA (Obituary No. 624.), 38 Dunnellon - Melissa Smith, age 38, passed away on August 16, 2007 at her residence. Born in New Port, Rhode Island she moved to Dunnellon where she met and married her devoted husband, Robert Donnie Smith. She was a faithful member of United Missionary Baptist Church. She leaves to cherish her precious memories: husband, Donnie Smith; mother, Rosalma Caldamone-Rice; daughters, Alyssa Velazquez Caldamone, Robin Williams Smith, Dominique Smith, Courtney Smith Craft and Sejal Smith; sons, Raymond Velazquez-Caldamone, Dadron Smith, Ronnie Donnie Smith II, and Patrick Smith; sisters, Janice Robilard, Vickie Vandenburg and Robin Velazquez; brother, Robert Geoff, Jr. Funeral services for Melissa Smith will be held on Saturday, 11 a.m. at Union Missionary Baptist Church with Pastor Eric Cummings presiding. Visitation will be on Friday from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Union Baptist Church, Chatmire. Arrangements entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.
625. STARKS, LINDA J., (Obituary No. 625.) 71 Ocklawaha- Linda J. Starks, 71, of Ocklawaha, died Tuesday, August 21, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House. A native of Dante, VA she moved to this area from Conyers, GA in 1981. She was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church, and served in the United States Marine Corps from 1954-57. She is survived by her husband of 49 years Joseph N.E. Starks, Sons Mark Starks, Robert Starks, all of Ocklawaha, Tim (Lisa) Starks of Ft. Meyers, Scott (Jodi) Starks of Fon-du-lac, WI, daughter Terri (Jeff) Otte of Ocala, and 7 grandchildren. A Memorial Mass will be held at noon on Saturday, August 25, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church, in Belleview with Fr. David Vivero officiating. Family request that in lieu of flowers memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/24/2007 - 8/25/2007.

626. THOMAS, LEOLA ELIZABETH "TULU", (Obituary No. 626.) 49 Ocala - Ms. Leola Elizabeth "Tulu" Thomas, age 49, passed away on August 18, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born and raised in Ocala and was a member of Glorious Hope Primitive Baptist Church. She leaves to cherish her memories: daughter, Ruth Thomas; son, Christopher Thomas; 6 grandchildren; sister, Christina Thomas; and brother, Robert Lee Jones. Funeral Services for Ms. Leola Elizabeth "Tulu" Thomas will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, August 25, 2007 at New St. John Baptist Church, Rev. T.L. Brooks, Pastor, Rev. Major Lewis, Presiding. Visitation will be on Friday, August 24, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at SNOW’S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/24/2007.


627. BARRETT, ALDIS(Obituary No. 627.) , 91 Ocala- Ms. Aldis Barrett, 91. Passed away on August 20, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was a retired school teacher that moved to Ocala from Smyrna, GA in Sept. of 2004. She was a Baptist. Survivors include her sister Martha E. Martin, Ocala. 2 Daughters Martie (Frank) Ansorge from Sparr and Rachel Barrett from Cartersville, GA. One son Bob Barrett, Dallas GA. Three Grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Saturday August 25, 2007 at 10:00AM Chambrel at Pinecastle, 1801 SE 24th Rd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/24/2007 - 8/25/2007.

628. HOPE, LINNIE JANET, (Obituary No. 628.) 82 Ocala - Linnie Janet Hope, 82, passed away on August 11, 2007 at home. A retired Teacher's Assistant, Mrs. Hope was a member of Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. She served as Church Mother and missionary in her church. She leaves to cherish her memories: 2 sons, Jimmie Hope, Immokalee, FL and Herman Hope, Springfield, MO; 4 daughters, Jeanette Hope James, Olivia Hope, both of Miami, FL, Janice Hope Alexander and Felecia Hope, both of Ocala; 20 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives. A wake will be held on Thursday, August 23, 2007 at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL, from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Viewing on Friday at Pinkney-Smith Funeral Home, 727 NW 2nd Street, Gainesville, FL, 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Funeral Service on Saturday, August 25, 2007, at 11 a.m. at Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL with Dr. Fred MaeWeather, officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Pigsah Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Mrs. Hope will lie in repose at Shady Grove one hour prior to service on Saturday. No viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will assemble at the home of Felecia Hope, 2228 NW 24 Rd., Ocala, FL 10:15 a.m. Saturday. Service entrusted to PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 727 NW 2nd St., Gainesville, FL 352-376-8686. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/23/2007 - 8/25/2007.
629. MCKAY, DOUGLAS, "DOUG", (Obituary No. 629.) 50 St. Petersburg- Douglas "Doug" McKay, 50. Died August 20, 2007 at St. Anthony's Hospital. Born in Oskaloosa, Iowa, he moved to St. Petersburg in 1987 from Ocala, FL. He was a graduate of the University of Florida. He was the National Sales Manager for Frontline Communications. Survivors include his wife of 25 years, Diane, his dogs, Rudy, Duncan and Lucy. Parents, Leroy and Janet Mckay, Summerfield, FL., two sisters, Kathy Godwin, Lake City, FL and Lea Ann O'Steen, Summerfield, FL., brother, Sam McKay, Summerfield, FL, two nieces and three nephews, He was loved by many and will be greatly missed. In lieu of flowers, the family prefers memorial donations to the Gulfcoast Oncology Foundation, 1201 5th Ave., Suite 505, St. Petersburg, FL 33705 or www.gulfcoastoncology.com. Also please feel free to visit www.frontlinecomm.com for additional sharing of memories of Doug. ANDERSON MCQUEEN FUNERAL AND CREMATION CENTERS- NE St. Petersburg Chapel 727-822-2059 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/24/2007 - 8/25/2007.

630. REILLY, BONNIE COLE, (Obituary No. 630.) 62 Ocala- Bonnie Cole Reilly, 62, died Tuesday at St. Luke Hospital in Jacksonville after a long illness. Bonnie was born in Jonesboro, Arkansas and was an elementary school teacher. She and her loving husband Robert Reilly, have resided in Ocala for Twelve years. Bonnie was devoted to her husband, her family and friends, and to her dogs. She took great pleasure in her garden, and playing bridge and golf. She was a member of the Country Club of Ocala and Golden Ocala. She is survived by her husband, Robert; her sister and family, Mary Lou and Bobby Wood of Jonesboro, Arkansas; her brother and family, Dr. Gary Cole of Mt. Pleasant, Texas; her brother and sisters-in-law, George and Elizabeth Reilly and Maureen Flannery; and many nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held at 3PM this Saturday, August 25th, at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Boulevard in Ocala. Flowers may be sent to that address and donations in lieu of flowers may be sent to a favorite charity in Bonnie's memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/24/2007 - 8/26/2007.

631. STARKS, LINDA J., (Obituary No. 631.) 71 Ocklawaha- Linda J. Starks, 71, of Ocklawaha, died Tuesday, August 21, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House. A native of Dante, VA she moved to this area from Conyers, GA in 1981. She was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church, and served in the United States Marine Corps from 1954-57. She is survived by her husband of 49 years Joseph N.E. Starks, Sons Mark Starks, Robert Starks, all of Ocklawaha, Tim (Lisa) Starks of Ft. Meyers, Scott (Jodi) Starks of Fon-du-lac, WI, daughter Terri (Jeff) Otte of Ocala, and 7 grandchildren. A Memorial Mass will be held at noon on Saturday, August 25, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church, in Belleview with Fr. David Vivero officiating. Family request that in lieu of flowers memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/24/2007 - 8/25/2007.

632. WASHBURN, WESLEY FRANK, (Obituary No. 632.) 80 Ocala- Wesley (Wes) Frank Washburn, 80, died peacefully on August 20, 2007 with family members by his side. He is survived by Juanita E. Washburn, his wife of 59 years; his two daughters, Allyson (Mellott) Washburn of San Francisco and Karen Levinger of Nampa, Idaho; and grandchildren Benjamin Mellott and wife Christy Mellott, Alyssa Mellott and Ray Lie, Ryan Levinger, Kyle Levinger, and Katie Levinger. Wes was born on March 7, 1927 in Philadelphia, New York and was one of twelve children of Leon and Anna Washburn. He served in the Naval Air during World War II. Wes and Nita moved to Ocala in 1992 after he retired from a lifetime career with the C & P Telephone Company of Maryland. They have been active members of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. Wes Washburn lived by a simple, but powerful, philosophy; If each of us
takes care of our family and neighbors, the world will take care of itself. He loved children, humor, good food, and was devoted to his family. In lieu of flowers, Wes' family request that donations be made to The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society at 888-HELP-LLS. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/25/2007 - 8/26/2007.

633. WEBER, JOHN "JACK" (Obituary No. 633.) , 84 Ocala- Jack Weber, 84 of Ocala, Fl. passed away on August 22, 2007. He was born in Roscoe, PA on May 26, 1923 to the late Joseph and Margaret (Clifford) Weber. Mr. Weber was a retired Lab Supervisor with 32 years of service with A.T.I.C. Coal Services: a Navy Veteran of W.W II. Mr. Weber was a member of the American Legion Post of Pennsylvania. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Mercedes Weber of Ocala, daughter Joyce A. and husband Bert L. Rogers of Brandon, FL. Mr. Weber was predeceased by his son Jeffrey A. Weber (1998). Private Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, Fl. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. Memorials may be made to American Cancer Society and American Lung Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/25/2007 - 8/26/2007.

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634. DEINES, CHRISTOPHER ASHLY, (Obituary No. 634.) 34 Ocala - Our beloved Chris flew with the angels to be free from sickness and disease on August 24, 2007, and is now in the arms of his Lord. It was a long hard battle and Chris took each day as it came and made the best of it being thankful for one more day with his family and friends. He touched others lives in a way that only he had the ability to do. He was wrapped around his Mother's little finger, and his sisters were eating out of the palm of his hands; he was the apple of his Grandpa's eye and held the key to his Granny's heart, and many beloved family members. Chris is survived by his Mother, Carolyn Deines, sister, Alicia Deines, sister Angela Deines and (Henry Ledford). His pride and joy were his niece Kelcee Williams and his nephew Corey Gilliam, Grandparents Lloyd and Adele Henderson, and many aunts and uncles and cousins. Family will receive friends Monday, August 27, 2007, from 6-8 pm, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, and a celebration of Chris's Life will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, August 28, 2007, at HIERS, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/28/2007.

635. HAFER, DOROTHY L., (Obituary No. 635.) 83 Ocala - Dorothy L. Hafer, 83, passed away August 17, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born in Pittsburgh, PA and moved to Ocala in 1970 from there. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and enjoyed sewing and making ceramics. She is survived by Charles R. Hafer, her husband of 54 years; sons, Charles A. (Valentina) Hafer, William J. (Sandra D) Hafer all of Ocala; 3 grandchildren, Michael, Jennifer, Darin and three great grandchildren, Brandon, Alyse, and Thomas. A Mass of Resurrection will be held on Monday, August 27, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Inurnment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/27/2007.

636. KAMINSKI, LAURA LEE, (Obituary No. 636.) 76 Ocala- Laura Lee Kaminski, age 76, of Ocala, Fl passed away on August 22, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Bridgeport, CT on September 16, 1930. Ms. Kaminski resided in Ocala for the past 15 years. She was a graduate of Roger Ludlowe High School in Fairfield, CT and Bullard - Havens Vocational Technical School in Bridgeport, CT. She attended and graduated from the University of Bridgeport
receiving a Bachelors degree, Master's degree and a six year certificate. Ms. Kaminski was employed by the State of Connecticut, Education Dept. for 32 years. She was an instructor for Fashion Design, History, Economics, Math, Driver Education and Audio-Visual. She was the first female Director of a Regional Vocational Technical High School. Ms. Kaminski was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Her hobbies included music, clock collecting, driving cars and driving trucks. She is survived by her sister Jean Kaminski of Ocala; Aunt Mary Domeracki of Bridgeport, CT; Niece Barbara and Frank Szabo of Southbury, CT; Niece Susan and Jim Horvath of West Redding, CT; Niece Beverly Bielski of Altamonte Springs, Fl; Nephew Richard and sue Kaminski of Oxford, CT; Nephew James Bielski of North Carolina; Great Niece Sarah Kaminski of Naugatuck, CT; Great Niece Stephanie Szabo of Southbury, CT; Great Niece Jacquelyn Szabo of Wayland, MA; Great Nephew Aaron Kaminski of Providence, RI; Great Nephew Jonathan Bielski of Orlando, FL; Great Nephew Nicholas Bielski of Greer, SC; Great Nephews Scott Horvath and Andrew Horvath of West Redding, CT; Great Grand Nephews Robert James Bielski and Alexander Vance Bielski; Cousin Freida Redmond of Brandenton, FL; Cousin Daniel Domeracki of Trumbull, CT; Cousin Pat and Carl Babski of Ocala, FL and John Domeracki of Shelton, CT. She will also be missed by Eddie, her Chihuahua. Visitation for Ms. Kaminski will be Tuesday, August 28 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - TimberRidge, Ocala, FL from 1:00-4:00PM and 6:00-9:00PM. A mass of Christian Burial will take place on Wednesday, August 29, 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Interment will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/28/2007.

637. MARTIN, LARRY B. (Obituary No. 637.) Tarpon Springs - Larry B. Martin of Tarpon Springs, FL died Wednesday, August 22, 2007. He is survived by his wife, Sandra L. Martin, son, Tom Martin and daughter-in-law Tamara Martin, daughter, Cindy Kay Tolbert and three grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2007 at 2:00 p.m., at TRINITY MEMORIAL GARDENS FUNERAL HOME, New Port Richey, FL, 727-376-7824. The family requests memorial donations to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/28/2007.

638. REDD, ROSEMARY MUSICK, (Obituary No. 638.) 84 Ocala - Rosemary Musick Redd, age 84, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, August 24, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. She was born in Williamson, West Virginia on December 14, 1922. Mrs. Redd retired as a Procedures Analyst for the U.S. Government. Her hobbies included sewing and reading. She is survived by niece Rosemary Elias of Bloomington, IL; niece Janie Warzywak of Dumfries, VA; nephew John Musick of Vacaville, CA; and step sons Roger Redd and Phillip Redd both of Vero Beach, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband Thomas L. Redd (2006), brothers John and Walter Musick, and parents Sidney and Esther Musick. A private interment will take place beside her husband at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion Co, c/o Legacy House, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERRIDGE, Ocala, FL. (352)873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/27/2007.

639. REILLY, BONNIE COLE, (Obituary No. 639.) 62 Ocala- Bonnie Cole Reilly, 62, died Tuesday at St. Luke Hospital in Jacksonville after a long illness. Bonnie was born in Jonesboro, Arkansas and was an elementary school teacher. She and her loving husband Robert Reilly, have resided in Ocala for Twelve years. Bonnie was devoted to her husband, her family and friends, and to her dogs. She took great pleasure in her garden, and playing bridge and golf. She was a member of the Country Club of Ocala and Golden Ocala. She is survived by her husband,
Robert; her sister and family, Mary Lou and Bobby Wood of Jonesboro, Arkansas; her brother and family, Dr. Gary Cole of Mt. Pleasant, Texas; her brother and sisters-in-law, George and Elizabeth Reilly and Maureen Flannery; and many nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held at 3PM this Saturday, August 25th, at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Boulevard in Ocala. Flowers may be sent to that address and donations in lieu of flowers may be sent to a favorite charity in Bonnie's memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/24/2007 - 8/26/2007.

640. ROSWOLD, ROBERT ELWOOD, (Obituary No. 640.) 84 Ocala- Mr. Robert Elwood Roswold, 84, of Ocala, passed away August 22, 2007 at Hospice's Legacy House. Born in Parkville, MN, Mr. Roswold came to Ocala about 7 years ago from Tampa, where he resided for 38 years. He was a retired US Army Chief Warrant Officer and a Veteran of WWII and Korea. He later worked as a civil Service Administrative Officer at MacDill AFB. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, was preceded in death by his wife, Charlotte and is survived locally by his nephew, Wayne (Patricia) Connors of Ocala, FL. He is also survived by numerous other nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church (5 SE 17th St. Ocala, FL 34471) on Tuesday, August 28th, from 9:30 to 10:30 AM followed by the Funeral Mass at 10:30 AM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 352-622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/27/2007.

641. SAUNDERS, STEVE (Obituary No. 641.) 81 Dunnellon - Steve Saunders, 81, passed away Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical center in Ocala. He will be lovingly remembered by his wife Rose Saunders, daughter Sharon, son Mark and his wife Karen, grandchildren Michael, Darice and Katherine and mother-in-law Natalie Flamand. In keeping with Steve's wishes, cremation has taken place and no funeral services will be held. Your memory will be always in our hearts. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/27/2007.

642. WASHBURN, WESLEY FRANK, (Obituary No. 642.) 80 Ocala- Wesley (Wes) Frank Washburn, 80, died peacefully on August 20, 2007 with family members by his side. He is survived by Juanita E. Washburn, his wife of 59 years; his two daughters, Allyson (Mellott) Washburn of San Francisco and Karen Levinger of Nampa, Idaho; and grandchildren Benjamin Mellott and wife Christy Mellott, Alyssa Mellott and Ray Lie, Ryan Levinger, Kyle Levinger, and Katie Levinger. Wes was born on March 7, 1927 in Philadelphia, New York and was one of twelve children of Leon and Anna Washburn. He served in the Naval Air during World War II. Wes and Nita moved to Ocala in 1992 after he retired from a lifetime career with the C & P Telephone Company of Maryland. They have been active members of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. Wes Washburn lived by a simple, but powerful, philosophy; If each of us takes care of our family and neighbors, the world will take care of itself. He loved children, humor, good food, and was devoted to his family. In lieu of flowers, Wes' family request that donations be made to The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society at 888-HELP-LLS. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/25/2007 - 8/26/2007.

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644. BANK, ALBERT "RAY" RAYMOND, (Obituary No. 644.) 77 Ocala - Albert "Ray" Raymond Bank, 77, of Ocala, Florida, died August 22, 2007. He was born April 12, 1930 in Pontiac, MI and relocated to Marion County in 1980 after retiring from General Motors. He was a parishioner at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, he served in the US Navy, enjoyed playing golf, traveling, and conversing with online friends. His sense of humor was enjoyed by all who met him. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Bess, daughter, Judy Gabler and son, Michael Bank. He is survived by son, Roger Craig (Sally) of Troy, MI, daughter, Cindy Morris, White Lake, MI, son, Tom Bank, Ocala, FL, companion, and dear friend, Jackie Laing, ID, grandchildren, Randy Carver (Karen), St. Petersburg, FL, Jewell Rall (Mark), White Lake, MI, Melissa Andrews, Ocala, FL, Mariah Bank, Ocala, FL, great-grandchildren, Justin Rall, White Lake, MI, Nikki Carver, St. Petersburg, FL, brother, Walt Bank (Arlene), Las Vegas, NV and nieces Joan MacIntosh, Las Vegas, NV, Mary Paydar, Austin, CA, Carole Haig, Phoenix, AZ, and nephew John Bank, Annapolis, MD, sister, Helen Hayward (Dennis) Waterford, MI, and many beloved relatives and friends. Visitation will be held on Monday, August 27th between the hours of 6-8 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. A Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Tuesday, August 28th at 10:00 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/27/2007 - 8/28/2007.

645. DEINES, CHRISTOPHER ASHLY, (Obituary No. 645.) 34 Ocala - Our beloved Chris flew with the angels to be free from sickness and disease on August 24, 2007, and is now in the arms of his Lord. It was a long hard battle and Chris took each day as it came and made the best of it being thankful for one more day with his family and friends. He touched others lives in a way that only he had the ability to do. He was wrapped around his Mother's little finger, and his sisters were eating out of the palm of his hands; he was the apple of his Grandpa's eye and held the key to his Granny's heart, and many beloved family members. Chris is survived by his Mother, Carolyn Deines, sister, Alicia Deines, sister Angela Deines and (Henry Ledford). His pride and joy were his niece Kelcee Williams and his nephew Corey Gilliam, Grandparents Lloyd and Adele Henderson, and many aunts and uncles and cousins. Family will receive friends Monday, August 27, 2007, from 6-8 pm, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, and a celebration of Chris's Life will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, August 28, 2007, at HIERS, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/28/2007.

646. HAFER, DOROTHY L., (Obituary No. 646.) 83 Ocala - Dorothy L. Hafer, 83, passed away August 17, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born in Pittsburgh, PA and moved to Ocala in 1970 from there. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and enjoyed sewing and making ceramics. She is survived by Charles R. Hafer, her husband of 54 years; sons, Charles A. (Valentina) Hafer, William J. (Sandra D) Hafer all of Ocala; 3 grandchildren,
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647. KAMINSKI, LAURA LEE, (Obituary No. 647.) 76 Ocala- Laura Lee Kaminski, age 76, of Ocala, Fl passed away on August 22, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Bridgeport, CT on September 16, 1930. Ms. Kaminski resided in Ocala for the past 15 years. She was a graduate of Roger Ludlowe High School in Fairfield, CT and Bullard - Havens Vocational Technical School in Bridgeport, CT. She attended and graduated from the University of Bridgeport receiving a Bachelors degree, Master's degree and a six year certificate. Ms. Kaminski was employed by the State of Connecticut, Education Dept. for 32 years. She was an instructor for Fashion Design, History, Economics, Math, Driver Education and Audio-Visual. She was the first female Director of a Regional Vocational Technical High School. Ms. Kaminski was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Her hobbies included music, clock collecting, driving cars and driving trucks. She is survived by her sister Jean Kaminski of Ocala; Aunt Mary Domeracki of Bridgeport, CT; Niece Barbara and Frank Szabo of Southbury, CT; Niece Susan and Jim Horvath of West Redding, CT; Niece Beverly Bielski of Altamonte Springs, Fl; Nephew Richard and sue Kaminski of Oxford, CT; Nephew James Bielski of North Carolina; Great Niece Sarah Kaminski of Naugatuck, CT; Great Niece Stephanie Szabo of Southbury, CT; Great Niece Jacquelyn Szabo of Wayland, MA; Great Nephew Aaron Kaminski of Providence, RI; Great Nephew Jonathan Bielski of Orlando, FL; Great Nephew Nicholas Bielski of Greer, SC; Great Nephews Scott Horvath and Andrew Horvath of West Redding, CT; Great Grand Nephews Robert James Bielski and Alexander Vance Bielski; Cousin Freida Redmond of Brandenton, FL; Cousin Daniel Domeracki of Trumbull, CT; Cousin Pat and Carl Babski of Ocala, FL and John Domeracki of Shelton, CT. She will also be missed by Eddie, her Chihuahua. Visitation for Ms. Kaminski will be Tuesday, August 28 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services- TimberRidge, Ocala, FL from 1:00-4:00PM and 6:00-9:00PM with prayers at 1:00PM. A mass of Christian Burial will take place on Wednesday, August 29, 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Interment will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/29/2007.

648. MARTIN, LARRY B. (Obituary No. 648.) Tarpon Springs - Larry B. Martin of Tarpon Springs, FL died Wednesday, August 22, 2007. He is survived by his wife, Sandra L. Martin, son, Tom Martin and daughter-in-law Tamara Martin, daughter, Cindy Kay Tolbert and three grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2007 at 2:00 p.m., at TRINITY MEMORIAL GARDENS FUNERAL HOME, New Port Richey, FL, 727-376-7824. The family requests memorial donations to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/29/2007.

649. REDD, ROSEMARY MUSICK, (Obituary No. 649.) 84 Ocala - Rosemary Musick Redd, age 84, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, August 24, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. She was born in Williamson, West Virginia on December 14, 1922. Mrs. Redd retired as a Procedures Analyst for the U.S. Government. Her hobbies included sewing and reading. She is survived by niece Rosemary Elias of Bloomington, IL; niece Janie Warzywak of Dumfries, VA; nephew John Musick of Vacaville, CA; and step sons Roger Redd and Phillip Redd both of Vero Beach, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband Thomas L. Redd (2006), brothers John and Walter Musick, and parents Sidney and Esther Musick. A private interment will take place...
beside her husband at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion Co, c/o Legacy House, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Timberridge, Ocala, FL. (352)873-4114. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/27/2007.

650. Roswold, Robert Elwood, (Obituary No. 650.) 84 Ocala- Mr. Robert Elwood Roswold, 84, of Ocala, passed away August 22, 2007 at Hospice's Legacy House. Born in Parkville, MN, Mr. Roswold came to Ocala about 7 years ago from Tampa, where he resided for 38 years. He was a retired US Army Chief Warrant Officer and a Veteran of WWII and Korea. He later worked as a Civil Service Administrative Officer at MacDill AFB. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, was preceded in death by his wife, Charlotte and is survived locally by his nephew, Wayne (Patricia) Connors of Ocala, FL. He is also survived by numerous other nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church (5 SE 17th St. Ocala, FL 34471) on Tuesday, August 28th, from 9:30 to 10:30 AM followed by the Funeral Mass at 10:30 AM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 352-622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/27/2007.

651. Saunders, Steve (Obituary No. 651.) , 81 Dunnellon - Steve Saunders, 81, passed away Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical center in Ocala. He will be lovingly remembered by his wife Rose Saunders, daughter Sharon, son Mark and his wife Karen, grandchildren Michael, Darice and Katherine and mother-in-law Natalie Flamand. In keeping with Steve's wishes, cremation has taken place and no funeral services will be held. Your memory will be always in our hearts. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/27/2007.

652. Witherwax, Donald (Obituary No. 652.) , 75 Silver Springs - Donald Witherwax, 75, of Silver Springs, Florida, died August 25, 2007 at his home. A native of Poughkeepsie, New York, he relocated to Marion County in 1974 from Saranac Lake, NY. Mr. Witherwax was a Grocery Store Owner/Operator. He served in the US Marine Corps during Korea, was a Third Degree Master Mason and a member of the Order of Eastern Star; he enjoyed working and boating. Donald is survived by his son, Don T. (Carmen) Witherwax of Ocklawaha, FL, two daughters, Terri L. (Matt) Langley of Belleview, FL and Dawn M. Witherwax of Leesburg, FL, by a sister, Beverly (Marty) Carpenter of Defuniak Springs, FL, six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Charlotte M. Witherwax. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/27/2007 - 8/28/2007.

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653. Bank, Albert "Ray" Raymond, (Obituary No. 653.) 77 Ocala - Albert "Ray" Raymond Bank, 77, of Ocala, Florida, died August 22, 2007. He was born April 12, 1930 in Pontiac, MI and relocated to Marion County in 1980 after retiring from General Motors. He was a parishioner at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, he served in the US Navy, enjoyed playing golf, traveling, and conversing with online friends. His sense of humor was enjoyed by all who met him. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Bess, daughter, Judy Gabler and son, Michael Bank. He is survived by his son, Roger Craig (Sally) of Troy, MI, daughter, Cindy Morris, White Lake, MI, son, Tom Bank, Ocala, FL, companion, and dear friend, Jackie Laing, ID, grandchildren, Randy Carver (Karen), St. Petersburg, FL, Jewell Rall (Mark), White Lake,
MI, Melissa Andrews, Ocala, FL, Mariah Bank, Ocala, FL, great-grandchildren, Justin Rall, White Lake, MI, Nikki Carver, St. Petersburg, FL, brother, Walt Bank (Arlene), Las Vegas, NV and nieces Joan MacIntosh, Las Vegas, NV, Mary Paydar, Austin, CA, Carole Haig, Phoenix, AZ, and nephew John Bank, Annapolis, MD, sister, Helen Hayward (Dennis) Waterford, MI, and many beloved relatives and friends. Visitation will be held on Monday, August 27th between the hours of 6-8 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. A Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Tuesday, August 28th at 10:00 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/27/2007 - 8/28/2007.

654. CRITCHETT, CHARLES A., (Obituary No. 654.) 68 Ocala - Charles A. Critchett, 68, of Ocala died August 17, 2007 at Leesburg Regional Medical Center. He was born in Newton, N.J. on January 7, 1939. He was the son of Charles and Bessie Critchett, both deceased. He was a well known and prominent Horseshoer for 55 yrs in Ocala, Fl. Delmar, CA, and Saratoga Springs, NY. He was well known for his famous and innovative techniques for prosthetic hoof restoration, a pioneer in his field, well ahead of his time. Survivors include his Fiance' Darlene Conrad of NY, Nikki Iarossi ex wife and friend for 40 years, 6 sisters, Diane, Nancy, Bessie, Kathy, Barbara, Emmy, and brother Bobby, 5 children, Susan, Vincent N. Vardin (Pamela) NY, Charlies Jr. (Cheryl) FL, Vicki Morris (Roger) and Brock (Kimberly) 7 Grandchildren, Nicolina Vardine, Angelina Vardine, Giovanna Vardine, Brooke Critchett, Brock Critchett Jr., Lilly Critchett, Roger Dale Morris, Jr. Family will hold a private memorial at home. BEYER FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY, Leesburg, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/28/2007 - 8/29/2007.

655. DEINES, CHRISTOPHER ASHY, (Obituary No. 655.) 34 Ocala - Our beloved Chris flew with the angels to be free from sickness and disease on August 24, 2007, and is now in the arms of his Lord. It was a long hard battle and Chris took each day as it came and made the best of it being thankful for one more day with his family and friends. He touched others lives in a way that only he had the ability to do. He was wrapped around his Mother's little finger, and his sisters were eating out of the palm of his hands; he was the apple of his Grandpa's eye and held the key to his Granny's heart, and many beloved family members. Chris is survived by his Mother, Carolyn Deines, sister, Alicia Deines, sister Angela Deines and (Henry Ledford). His pride and joy were his niece Kelcee Williams and his nephew Corey Gilliam, Grandparents Lloyd and Adele Henderson, and many aunts and uncles and cousins. Family will receive friends Monday, August 27, 2007, from 6-8 pm, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, and a celebration of Chris's Life will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, August 28, 2007, at HIERS, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/28/2007.

656. KAMINSKI, LAURA LEE, (Obituary No. 656.) 76 Ocala - Laura Lee Kaminski, age 76, of Ocala, Fl passed away on August 22, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Bridgeport, CT on September 16, 1930. Ms. Kaminski resided in Ocala for the past 15 years. She was a graduate of Roger Ludlowe High School in Fairfield, CT and Bullard - Havens Vocational Technical School in Bridgeport, CT. She attended and graduated from the University of Bridgeport receiving a Bachelors degree, Master's degree and a six year certificate. Ms. Kaminski was employed by the State of Connecticut, Education Dept. for 32 years. She was an instructor for Fashion Design, History, Economics, Math, Driver Education and Audio-Visual. She was the first female Director of a Regional Vocational Technical High School. Ms. Kaminski was a
member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Her hobbies included music, clock collecting, driving cars and driving trucks. She is survived by her sister Jean Kaminski of Ocala; Aunt Mary Domeracki of Bridgeport, CT; Niece Barbara and Frank Szabo of Southbury, CT; Niece Susan and Jim Horvath of West Redding, CT; Niece Beverly Bielski of Altamonte Springs, Fl; Nephew Richard and sue Kaminski of Oxford, CT; Nephew James Bielski of North Carolina; Great Niece Sarah Kaminski of Naugatuck, CT; Great Niece Stephanie Szabo of Southbury, CT; Great Niece Jacquelyn Szabo of Wayland, MA; Great Nephew Aaron Kaminski of Providence, RI; Great Nephew Jonathan Bielski of Orlando, FL; Great Nephew Nicholas Bielski of Greer, SC; Great Nephews Scott Horvath and Andrew Horvath of West Redding, CT; Great Grand Nephews Robert James Bielski and Alexander Vance Bielski; Cousin Freida Redmond of Brandenton, FL; Cousin Daniel Domeracki of Trumbull, CT; Cousin Pat and Carl Babski of Ocala, FL and John Domeracki of Shelton, CT. She will also be missed by Eddie, her Chihuahua. Visitation for Ms. Kaminski will be Tuesday, August 28 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services- TimberRidge, Ocala, FL from 1:00-4:00PM and 6:00-9:00PM with prayers at 1:00PM. A mass of Christian Burial will take place on Wednesday, August 29, 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Interment will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL.


657. MARTIN, LARRY B. (Obituary No. 657.) Tarpon Springs - Larry B. Martin of Tarpon Springs, FL died Wednesday, August 22, 2007. He is survived by his wife, Sandra L. Martin, son, Tom Martin and daughter-in-law Tamara Martin, daughter, Cindy Kay Tolbert and three grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2007 at 2:00 p.m., at TRINITY MEMORIAL GARDENS FUNERAL HOME, New Port Richey, FL, 727-376-7824. The family requests memorial donations to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/29/2007.

658. WAUGH, LENORE MARIE, (Obituary No. 658.) 94 Ocala- Lenore (Lennie) M. Waugh, age 94 died on August 27, 2007 at Ocala, Florida. She was a retired secretary and Native of Maine, having moved to Ocala in 1963. She was the charter vice president of the National Secretary's Organization, Ocala Chapter, the pianist for the Little People of Ocala, member of the Silver Springs Lions Club Auxiliary and former member of Pilots Club International. She leaves no surviving family, her husband, Thomas B. Waugh, having predeceased her in 1973. There will be no viewing with a private service under the direction of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/27/2007 - 8/28/2007.

659. WITHERWAX, DONALD(Obituary No. 659.), 75 Silver Springs - Donald Withewax, 75, of Silver Springs, Florida, died August 25, 2007 at his home. A native of Poughkeepsie, New York, he relocated to Marion County in 1974 from Saranac Lake, NY. Mr. Witherwax was a Grocery Store Owner/Operator. He served in the US Marine Corps during Korea, was a Third Degree Master Mason and a member of the Order of Eastern Star; he enjoyed workworking and boating. Donald is survived by his son, Don T. (Carmen) Witherwax of Ocklawaha, FL, two daughters, Terri L. (Matt) Langley of Belleview, FL and Dawn M. Witherwax of Leesburg, FL, by a sister, Beverly (Marty) Carpenter of DeFuniak Springs, FL, six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Charlotte M. Witherwax. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/27/2007 - 8/28/2007.

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660. ARCHER, SR., MELVIN C., (Obituary No. 660.) 81 Ocala - Melvin C. Archer, Sr., 81 years old, of Ocala, Florida died Monday, August 27, 2007 in Ocala. He was born April 24, 1926 in Moran, Texas, son of the late Franklin E. Archer and the late Maybelle Cox. He was a Navy veteran serving during WWII. He worked as Carpenter. Surviving are son, Melvin C. Archer, Jr. of Ocala; daughter, Elsie Mae D’Angelo of Amarillo, TX; step daughter, Raelynn Falsie of Albuquerque, NM; 2 grandchildren, Heather Dawn Archer and Jerry Fawn. He was preceded in death by his wife, Marilou G. Archer (September 26, 2002); 2 brothers, Hosea and Audrey Archer and 1 sister, Lurline Brown. INVERNESS CHAPEL, HOOPER FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

661. CRITCHETT, CHARLES A., (Obituary No. 661.) 68 Ocala- Charles A. Critchett, 68, of Ocala died August 17, 2007 at Leesburg Regional Medical Center. He was born in Newton, N.J. on January 7, 1939. He was the son of Charles and Bessie Critchett, -both deceased. He was a well known and prominent Horseshoer for 55 yrs in Ocala, Fl. Delmar, CA, and Saratoga Springs, NY. He was well known for his famous and innovative techniques for prosthetic hoof restoration, a pioneer in his field, well ahead of his time. Survivors include his Fiance’ Darlene Conrad of NY, Nikki Iarossi ex wife and friend for 40 years, 6 sisters, Diane, Nancy, Bessie, Kathy, Barbara, Emmy, and brother Bobby, 5 children, Susan, Vincent N. Vardine (Pamela) NY, Charlies Jr. (Cheryl) FL, Vicki Morris (Roger) and Brock (Kimberly) 7 Grandchildren, Nicolina Vardine, Angelina Vardine, Giovanna Vardine, Brooke Critchett, Brock Critchett Jr., Lilly Critchett, Roger Dale Morris, Jr. Family will hold a private memorial at home. BEYER FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY, Leesburg, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/28/2007 - 8/29/2007.

662. GRAFFAM, GEORGE S., (Obituary No. 662.) 72 Ocala- George S. Graffam, age 72, died on Tuesday, August 21, 2007. He was born in Lyndhurst, NJ. He was a retired school principal, having coached Little League and has been actively involved with the Boy Scouts of America. Moving here in 1984, he was a former Dean of Students and an Associate Director of Webster College in Ocala. He was a member and past president of the Fort King Middle School and Forest High School Band Booster Assn. He was a U.S. Army veteran, having served in the Korean War. He is survived by his wife, Mary Zita Graffam, daughters Kayla Graffam of Brooklyn, NY, Marianne Wombacher and husband, Andrew of Tacoma, WA, son Steven Graffam of Ocala, grandson, Ben Wombacher of Tacoma, WA, brothers, Harry Graffam of Morgan Hills, CA and Thomas Graffam of Lyndhurst, NJ and by nieces and nephews. Visitation will be from 5:00- 8:00PM Friday, August 31, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be at 11:00AM Saturday, September 1, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Marion County Humane Society, 701 NW 14th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, OCALA, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

663. HENSLEY, THELMA JEAN, (Obituary No. 663.) 80 Ocala - Thelma Jean Hensley, 80, of Ocala, passed away August 26, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, she came to this area 20 years ago and has resided at Surrey Place of Ocala for several year. She was a Methodist by faith and was a loving sister to Everett R. Hensley of Columbus, OH., Patty Lyons of Mechanicsville, VA., and Joy Kenny of Ocala, FL; aunt to several nieces and nephews and was preceded in death by her daughter, Vickie Sardi. Arrangements ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.
664. HUNTER, MERLE E. (WILLIAMSON), (Obituary No. 664.) 87 Alachua - Merle E. (Williamson) Hunter, age 87 of Alachua, FL died Tuesday morning August 28, 2007 at her home in Alachua after a long illness. She was born in Jacksonville September 12, 1919. She moved to Alachua County in 2004 from Salt Springs, FL. She was a bookkeeper and enjoyed fishing in her younger years. Her hobbies were reading, playing bridge and Surfing the Internet. She was preceded in death by her late husband Jess B. Hunter and her son Curtis Wayne Williamson. She is survived by her daughter, Donna Lee McKinney of Alachua, 3 grandchildren, Donna Kay Gocek (Don), Mark McKinney (Neila), Laurie Ann Wright (Bobby) and 8 Great Grandchildren, Stephanie Hope, Lisa Hall-Wright, Ashley Gocek, Bobby Wright III, Shelby McKinney, Andrew Gocek, Garrett McKinney and Jarrett Wright and her faithful friend (dog) Maggie, all of Alachua. The family will receive friends Wednesday, August 29, 2007 from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm at Williams-Thomas Funeral Home Westarea 823 NW 143RD Street. Graveside services will be held Thursday, August 30, 2007, 11 a.m. at Forest Meadows Cemetery 39th Avenue, Gainesville. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606. Arrangements are under the care of Williams-Thomas Funeral Home Westarea, 823 N.W. 143rd Street. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA (352) 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

665. KAMINSKI, LAURA LEE, (Obituary No. 665.) 76 Ocala- Laura Lee Kaminski, age 76, of Ocala, Fl passed away on August 22, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Bridgeport, CT on September 16, 1930. Ms. Kaminski resided in Ocala for the past 15 years. She was a graduate of Roger Ludlowe High School in Fairfield, CT and Bullard - Havens Vocational Technical School in Bridgeport, CT. She attended and graduated from the University of Bridgeport receiving a Bachelors degree, Master's degree and a six year certificate. Ms. Kaminski was employed by the State of Connecticut, Education Dept. for 32 years. She was an instructor for Fashion Design, History, Economics, Math, Driver Education and Audio-Visual. She was the first female Director of a Regional Vocational Technical High School. Ms. Kaminski was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Her hobbies included music, clock collecting, driving cars and driving trucks. She is survived by her sister Jean Kaminski of Ocala; Aunt Mary Domeracki of Trumbull, CT; Cousin Daniel Domeracki of Trumbull, CT; Cousin Patricia and Carl Babski of Ocala, FL and John Domeracki of Shelton, CT. She will also be missed by Eddie, her Chihuahua. Visitation for Ms. Kaminski will be Tuesday, August 28 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services- TimberRidge, Ocala, FL from 1:00-4:00PM and 6:00-9:00PM with prayers at 1:00PM. A mass of Christian Burial will take place on Wednesday, August 29, 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Interment will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/29/2007.

666. MARTIN, LARRY B. (Obituary No. 666.) Tarpon Springs - Larry B. Martin of Tarpon Springs, FL died Wednesday, August 22, 2007. He is survived by his wife, Sandra L. Martin,
son, Tom Martin and daughter-in-law Tamara Martin, daughter, Cindy Kay Tolbert and three grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2007 at 2:00 p.m., at TRINITY MEMORIAL GARDENS FUNERAL HOME, New Port Richey, FL, 727-376-7824. The family requests memorial donations to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/26/2007 - 8/29/2007.

667. PARSONS, BEVERLY (Obituary No. 667.) 73 Ocala - Beverly Parsons, age 73, passed away on August 27, 2007. She was the beloved wife of Thomas Parsons, loving mother of Debra (Ken) Bowden, Patti (Carroll) Boker, Thomas (Jennifer) Parson, Jr., Lorraine (Joseph) Moore, and Kenneth (Sonja) Blodgett. She is the grandmother of 4 and great grandmother of 2. Friends will be received on Thursday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Funeral service is Friday at 1 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

668. REESE, MARGARET BLOUNT, (Obituary No. 668.) 89 Ocala - Margaret Blount Reese, 89, passed away on Tuesday, Aug. 28, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in Black, AL and moved to Ocala in 1998 from Melbourne. She was a retired elementary school teacher and a Methodist. Her survivors include her son, Henry A. Reese, Jr. and wife Carol of Ocala, her sisters, Tommie Sue Griffin and Eleanor Fewell both of Jacksonville, her grandsons James Adams Reese and wife Angela, and Henry Adams Reese, III and wife Sherry, and her great grandchildren, Teagan and Maxine Reese and many nieces a nephews. Funeral services will be held on Friday, August 31, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Thursday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

669. SOMMER, ROBERT GEORGE "BOB", (Obituary No. 669.) 79 Anthony - Robert G. "Bob" Sommer passed away on August 25, 2007, after suffering a massive stroke. Bob was a long time resident of Ocala (Anthony), Florida. Bob graduated from high school in Miami Beach, Florida and then went on to the University of Florida in Gainesville. Bob still went to almost every UF football home game. Following graduation from UF law school in 1950, he practiced law in Miami until called to active duty with the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War. He subsequently worked with the Bureau of Land Management in Alaska as a land examiner of homestead and homesite lands, oil and gas leases, and mining leases. He also conducted a study and review of all public lands in the then Territory of Alaska in preparation for forthcoming statehood. Bob returned to the continental lower 48 in 1955 and practiced law as senior partner in the firm of Sommer, Frank and Weston. Following Castro's seizure of American assets in Cuba in the 1960s, Bob represented clients affected thereby and, through attachment of Cuban airline aircraft, effected recovery of funds and assets. Concurrent with his law practice, Bob was an airline pilot from 1956 until retirement in 1988. As a captain with Delta Air Lines he accumulated over 21,000 hours flying the Douglas DC-3, DC-4, DC-6, DC-7, DC-9, DC-10, Convair 340, and Boeing 727. Bob maintained military affiliation in the Air Force Reserve until transferring to the Army Reserve in 1964. He flew both fixed wing and rotary wing aircraft during his time in the Army. Bob instructed at the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College and also served as aviation staff officer in the Office of the Chief Army Reserve. Later, as a Colonel, was chief of the Operations and Training Division, Office of the Chief Army Reserve in the Pentagon. He retired from that position in March 1982. Bob resided at Crescent-S Thoroughbred Horse Farms in Anthony. Bob maintained a flight instructor rating and continued to instruct local pilots, mainly in instrument flight. Bob was married to the late Mary Cheetham Sommer, a retired Delta flight attendant, who preceded him in death, just two short months
before him. Bob was a beloved husband, father, and grandfather and will be missed greatly by his surviving family, which include Daniel M. Sommer of Ocala, Douglas J. Sommer of Gainesville, Eric H. Sommer of Orlando, and Jody Horton Sommer of Ft. Pierce, and Bob's six grandchildren, Ashley, Kurt, Scott, Rachel, Jackson and Davis. Funeral services for Mr. Sommer will be held 11 AM Friday, August 31, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Dr. Donald W. Jones officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery with full military honors. Visitation will be one hour prior to service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

670. WAUGH, LENORE MARIE, (Obituary No. 670.) 94 Ocala- Lenore (Lennie) M. Waugh, age 94 died on August 27, 2007 at Ocala, Florida. She was a retired secretary and Native of Maine, having moved to Ocala in 1963. She was the charter vice president of the National Secretary's Organization, Ocala Chapter, the pianist for the Little People of Ocala, member of the Silver Springs Lions Club Auxiliary and former member of Pilots Club International. She leaves no surviving family, her husband, Thomas B. Waugh, having predeceased her in 1973. There will be no viewing with a private service under the direction of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/28/2007 - 8/29/2007.

671. WEAVER, ALVIN SHERIDAN, (Obituary No. 671.) 84 Sanford - Alvin Sheridan Weaver, age 84, of Sanford, FL died Sunday August 26, 2007. Alvin was born on July 7, 1923 in Amyville, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. He was the first child of Sheridan and Alice Sterner Weaver. Alvin had three sisters, Sarah Penney, Mattie Roudabush, Dorothy William and a brother James Weaver. Al's brother James died in July, 1979 leaving a wife and five children. Al attended public schools and graduated from Elizabeth High School in 1941. He then went to Electric Welding School and worked as a welder in the steel foundry at Glassport, Pa. for about two years. Alvin was drafted into the U.S. Armed Forces in March, 1943, and served almost three years during WW2; 28 months of it in a line company of the Seventh Infantry Division in the Pacific- They were involved in the battle of the Aleutian Islands, Marshall Islands, Philippine Islands and Okinawa. Al was wounded on October 27, 1944 in the battle of the Philippines. After hospitalization in New Guinea and recovery he was returned to duty with his Seventh Division in January, 1945 for the battle for Okinawa in April, 1945. After three months with the Army of Occupation In Korea. Al was discharged on November 27, 1945. After returning home, Al attended engineering school under the GI bill at the University of Pittsburgh. Upon completion he was employed by Rust Engineering for two years then by consulting engineers, Richardson, Gordon and Assoc. for 15 years. Al served as a Deacon in his Lutheran Church and met and married Evelyn Krauth also a Lutheran on June 22, 1957 in Christ Lutheran Church, West Newton Pa. They were very proud parents of two children Kurt and Gayl. In January, 1969. Al and his family made a big decision to give up his good job with the consulting engineers, move to Ft. Lauderdale and enter the real estate business. They owned and operated Allegheny Realty for 25 years while raising their family in Ft. Lauderdale. By this time they had joined Christ Methodist Church and were quite active Methodists for the many years they lived there. Al was a Boy Scout and served as Scoutmaster of Troop #188 and in other leadership rolls as his son Kurt was an active Boy Scout. Al, although a Army veteran was a member of the Ft. Lauderdale Navy League and received a certificate of merit from them. In November, 1993, well past the age of 70 Al decided to retire, liquidate Allegheny Realty and moved to Spruce Creek South in Summerfield. Al and his wife Evelyn transferred their membership from Christ Methodist Church to Community United Methodist Church in Fruitland Park. Al became involved in
church work again and served as chairperson of the Planned Giving Committee for six years. He was very interested in the endowment and future of the church. Retirement didn't agree with Al, so he took a training course with the Marion County Sheriff's department and served as a volunteer bailiff at the court house for two and a half years. Al also served as a zone leader for Spruce Creek Citizens Response Team for many years. Alvin S. Weaver was made a Mason in February, 1951 and served as waster of Blythe Lodge # 593 at West Newton Pa. in 1958. He was a Master Mason, 32 Degree Mason and a Shriner for over 50 years. He had a strong belief in GOD, Family, Country, Church, Masonry and Sports in that order. Al was a member at the Leesburg Camp of the Gideons International and served as their Bible Chairman for three years. Al was also a life member of the Veterans Of Foreign Wars and belong to Post 8083 in Belleview. Al was very active throughout his life, a very happy grandfather and the Pap Pap of Jennifer and Jeffrey Hinerman. Funeral Services for Alvin Sheridan Weaver will be held Thursday, August 30, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at Community United Methodist Church, Fruitland Park, FL with Rev. Michael Fordham officiating. Family and friends may call at the church from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the church prior to the service. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at 2 p.m. with full military honors conducted by the Belleview VFW Post # 8083 Honor Guard.

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672. ANDERSON, MARGARET (PEGGIE), (Obituary No. 672.) 93 Ocala - Born in Burntisland, Scotland, in November 1913, Margaret (Peggie) Anderson was the twelfth of thirteen children. Henry and Jessie Wilson moved the family to Ontario, Canada when Peggie was a youngster. In 1957, Harry, her husband, and Peggie moved their family to Winter Park, FL, where they resided for approximately twenty years. An eight year stay in Gainesville was concluded with a move to Ocala in 1985. Peggie was most recently a resident of Chambrel, and remained active in the community, including regular visits to her son's medical office to make sure he was doing a good job. She is survived by her daughter, Jessie Boudreau of Apopka and her son Dr. Norman Anderson and his wife Margaret, of Ocala. She has seven grandchildren, fifteen great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild. A Gathering will be held on Friday, September 7, 2007 from 5-7pm at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL and Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 2pm at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kindred Spirits Sanctuary, PO Box 832091, Ocala, Florida 34483; or Interfaith Emergency Services, PO Box 992, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/31/2007.

673. ARCHER, SR., MELVIN C., (Obituary No. 673.) 81 Ocala - Melvin C. Archer, Sr., 81 years old, of Ocala, Florida died Monday, August 27, 2007 in Ocala. He was born April 24, 1926 in Moran, Texas, son of the late Franklin E. Archer and the late Maybelle Cox. He was a Navy veteran serving during WWII. He worked as Carpenter. Surviving are son, Melvin C. Archer, Jr. of Ocala; daughter, Elsie Mae D'Angelo of Amarillo, TX; step daughter, Raelynn Falsie of Albuquerque, NM; 2 grandchildren, Heather Dawn Archer and Jerry Fawn. He was preceded in death by his wife, Marilou G. Archer (September 26, 2002); 2 brothers, Hosea and Audrey Archer and 1 sister, Lurline Brown. INVERNESS CHAPEL, HOOPER FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

674. FINZER, SARA "SALLY", (Obituary No. 674.) 92 Ocoee- Ms. Sara "Sally" Finzer, 92, passed away in Ocoee, FL on August 28, 2007. She was born in Patterson, NJ on June 6, 1915. She was a Homemaker. She worked with the City of Ocala for 15 years in the Recreation Dept.
of Senior Citizens and over 20 years with Munroe Regional Medical Center as an Auxiliary. She is a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She moved to the area in 1973 from Hollywood, FL. She is predeceased by her 2 husbands James Bourhill of 35 years and Joseph Finzer of 20 years. She is survived by her daughter Bonnie Grzesiak and her husband Peter of Winter Garden Fl.; a son Bruce Bourhill and his wife Patty of Dorset, Vt., a step daughter Norma Cummings and a step-son Joseph Finzer, Jr. both of Rochester, NY., 7 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. A gathering will be at ROBERTS BRUCE EAST CHAPEL, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. in Ocala on Thursday August 30, 2007 from 6-8PM with a 7PM Rosary. A Funeral Mass will be at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Friday at 11AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

675. FUNK, DAWN (FORTNEY), (Obituary No. 675.) 65 Silver Springs - Dawn Funk (Fortney), 65, died Tuesday, August 28 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born January 5, 1942 in Ashland, Ohio and retired to Ocala in 2002. She was the beloved wife of Jim Funk and loving mother to David Dean Blake (Elaine) of Ashland, OH, Nora Kathleen Blake of Mt. Vernon, OH, George Kelly Blake of Winthrop Harbor, IL, step-mother to Dawn Funk of Columbus, OH and Mindy Abend (Chad) of Plain City, OH, grandmother to 15 and great-grandmother to one. She will be greatly missed by all of her family and friends. She retired in 2002 from the Ohio Department of Corrections, London, Ohio. Dawn was very active for 14 years with several Gold Wing Road Riders Associations in Ohio and Florida. Through her association with these groups, she participated in several charity events. She rode her motorcycle over 100,000 miles in 40 of the 48 contiguous states. She devoted her retirement years to the Marion Therapeutic Riding Association (MTRA) where she was the barn manager and passionately cared for the horses, volunteers, and riders. Memorial Service will be held at MTRA on Friday, August 31, at 9 a.m. In lieu of flowers, please send memorial contributions to MTRA, P.O. Box 830488, Ocala, FL 34483-0488. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 9/1/2007.

676. GONZALEZ, PACITA M, (Obituary No. 676.) 95 Ocala- Pacita M, Gonzalez a longtime resident of Chambrel at Pinecastle, Ocala passed away on Saturday, August 25, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. Born in Clarksburg, West Virginia she spent most of her life in Moundsville, WV before making Ocala her home since 1993 moving from Clearwater, FL. She was a homemaker and Catholic in faith. She was preceded in death by husband, Jose M. Gonzalez. Survivors include son, Robert Gonzales and his wife Eva, two grandchildren, Jon Gonzales of Ocala and Janet Gonzales of Atlanta, GA. Several nieces, nephews and cousins. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478 or Munroe Regional Medical Center 1500 SW 1st Ave, Ocala, Fl 34474. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

677. GRAFFAM, GEORGE S., (Obituary No. 677.) 72 Ocala- George S. Graffam, age 72, died on Tuesday, August 21, 2007. He was born in Lyndhurst, NJ. He was a retired school principal, having coached Little League and has been actively involved with the Boy Scouts of America. Moving here in 1984, he was a former Dean of Students and an Associate Director of Webster College in Ocala. He was a member and past president of the Fort King Middle School and Forest High School Band Booster Assn. He was a U.S. Army veteran, having served in the Korean War. He is survived by his wife, Mary Zita Graffam, daughters Kayla Graffam of Brooklyn, NY, Marianne Wombacher and husband, Andrew of Tacoma, WA, son Steven Graffam of Ocala, grandson, Ben Wombacher of Tacoma, WA, brothers, Harry Graffam of
Morgan Hills, CA and Thomas Graffam of Lyndhurst, NJ and by nieces and nephews. Visitation will be from 5:00-8:00PM Friday, August 31, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be at 11:00AM Saturday, September 1, 2007 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Marion County Humane Society, 701 NW 14th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, OCALA, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

**678. HENSLEY, THELMA JEAN, (Obituary No. 678.)** 80 Ocala - Thelma Jean Hensley, 80, of Ocala, passed away August 26, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, she came to this area 20 years ago and has resided at Surrey Place of Ocala for several year. She was a Methodist by faith and was a loving sister to Everett R. Hensley of Columbus, OH., Patty Lyons of Mechanicsville, VA., and Joy Kenny of Ocala, FL; aunt to several nieces and nephews and was preceded in death by her daughter, Vickie Sardi. Arrangements ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

**679. HOFFER, PAUL E., (Obituary No. 679.)** 73 Ocala - Paul E. Hoffer, 73, formerly of Manheim, Pa., passed away on Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at his home in Ocala. Born in Manheim, Pa. He was married to his loving wife, Ruth E. (Shriver) Hoffer for 43 years. Mr. Hoffer worked for a family business and was a salesman for Texas Refinery Corporation for 38 years. He later retired to Ocala, Florida in 1992. He was an active member of Ocala First Church of the Nazarene. Mr. Hoffer served on numerous foreign mission trips. Surviving in addition to his wife are two children, Gary L. Hoffer of Marietta, Pa. and JulieAnn H. Mullins of Wise, Va. and two grandchildren. There will be a celebration of Paul's life at the Ocala First Church of the Nazarene on Sat. Sept. 1, 2007 at 2:00 PM, with Pastor Barry Dunlap conducting the service. In lieu of flowers, those who desire may send contributions in Paul's memory to Habitat for Humanity of Marion Co., P.O. Box 5578, Ocala Fl. 34478. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE EAST CHAPEL, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

**680. HUNTER, MERLE E. (WILLIAMSON), (Obituary No. 680.)** 87 Alachua - Merle E. (Williamson) Hunter, age 87 of Alachua, FL died Tuesday morning August 28, 2007 at her home in Alachua after a long illness. She was born in Jacksonville September 12, 1919. She moved to Alachua County in 2004 from Salt Springs, FL. She was a bookkeeper and enjoyed fishing in her younger years. Her hobbies were reading, playing bridge and Surfing the Internet. She was preceded in death by her late husband Jess B. Hunter and her son Curtis Wayne Williamson. She is survived by her daughter, Donna Lee McKinney of Alachua, 3 grandchildren, Donna Kay Gocek (Don), Mark McKinney (Neila), Laurie Ann Wright (Bobby) and 8 Great Grandchildren, Stephanie Hope, Lisa Hall-Wright, Ashley Gocek, Bobby Wright III, Shelby McKinney, Andrew Gocek, Garrett McKinney and Jarrett Wright and her faithful friend (dog) Maggie, all of Alachua. The family will receive friends Wednesday, August 29, 2007 from 5:30 pin to 7:30 pin at Williams-Thomas Funeral Home Westarea 823 NW 143RD Street. Graveside services will be held Thursday, August 30, 2007, 11 a.m. at Forest Meadows Cemetery 39th Avenue, Gainesville. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Haven Hospice of North Central Florida, 4200 NW 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32606. Arrangements are under the care of Williams-Thomas Funeral Home Westarea, 823 N.W. 143rd Street. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA (352) 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.
681. PARSONS, BEVERLY (Obituary No. 681.), 73 Ocala - Beverly Parsons, age 73, passed away on August 27, 2007. She was the beloved wife of Thomas Parsons, loving mother of Debra (Ken) Bowden, Patti (Carroll) Buker, Thomas (Jennifer) Parson, Jr., Lorraine (Joseph) Moore, and Kenneth (Sonja) Blodgett. She is the grandmother of 4 and great grandmother of 2. Friends will be received on Thursday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Funeral service is Friday at 1 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

682. REESE, MARGARET BLOUNT, (Obituary No. 682.) 89 Ocala - Margaret Blount Reese, 89, passed away on Tuesday, Aug. 28, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in Black, AL and moved to Ocala in 1998 from Melbourne. She was a retired elementary school teacher and a Methodist. Her survivors include her son, Henry A. Reese, Jr. and wife Carol of Ocala, her sisters, Tommie Sue Griffin and Eleanor Fewell both of Jacksonville, her grandsons James Adams Reese and wife Angela, and Henry Adams Reese, III and wife Sherry, and her great grandchildren, Teagan and Maxine Reese and many nieces a nephews. Funeral services will be held on Friday, August 31, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Thursday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

683. SAUTER, HERBERT JAMES, (Obituary No. 683.) 81 Ocala- Herbert James Sauter, 81 of Ocala, Fl. died Tuesday August 28, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House of Ocala. Born in New Britain, Conn., he came to Ocala in 1991 from his hometown. Herbert was a funeral director for over 40 years. He was a World War II Navy Veteran. He is a life member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. He was a former Fire-Board and Park Board commissioner in New Britain and a life time member of the Elks B.P.O.E. # 957 in New Britain. His Devoted wife June A. Sauter of 53 years, daughter Cynthia Sauter and a brother Ronald B. Sauter precede Herbert in death. He is survived by his son Herbert James Sauter of Suffield, Conn., daughter Kathleen Sweeney of Plymouth, MN, daughter Deborah Turner of Ocala, Fl., 5 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. There will be a funeral mass for Herbert, Friday August 31, 2007 at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with the burial to follow at The National Cemetery. Friends may come by the funeral home prior to church from 7:30AM to 8:00AM to visit with the family. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion Co. 3231 SW 34th Ave. Ocala, Fl. 34474 in memory of Herbert. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

684. SOMMER, ROBERT GEORGE "BOB", (Obituary No. 684.) 79 Anthony - Robert G. "Bob" Sommer passed away on August 25, 2007, after suffering a massive stroke. Bob was a long time resident of Ocala (Anthony), Florida. Bob graduated from high school in Miami Beach, Florida and then went on to the University of Florida in Gainesville. Bob still went to almost every UF football home game. Following graduation from UF law school in 1950, he practiced law in Miami until called to active duty with the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War. He subsequently worked with the Bureau of Land Management in Alaska as a land examiner of homestead and homesite lands, oil and gas leases, and mining leases. He also conducted a study and review of all public lands in the then Territory of Alaska in preparation for forthcoming statehood. Bob returned to the continental lower 48 in 1955 and practiced law as senior partner in the firm of Sommer, Frank and Weston. Following Castro's seizure of American assets in Cuba in the 1960s, Bob represented clients affected thereby and, through attachment of Cuban airline aircraft, effected recovery of funds and assets. Concurrent with his law practice,
Bob was an airline pilot from 1956 until retirement in 1988. As a captain with Delta Air Lines he accumulated over 21,000 hours flying the Douglas DC-3, DC-4, DC-6, DC-7, DC-9, DC-10, Convair 340, and Boeing 727. Bob maintained military affiliation in the Air Force Reserve until transferring to the Army Reserve in 1964. He flew both fixed wing and rotary wing aircraft during his time in the Army. Bob instructed at the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College and also served as aviation staff officer in the Office of the Chief Army Reserve. Later, as a Colonel, was chief of the Operations and Training Division, Office of the Chief Army Reserve in the Pentagon. He retired from that position in March 1982. Bob resided at Crescent-S Thoroughbred Horse Farms in Anthony. Bob maintained a flight instructor rating and continued to instruct local pilots, mainly in instrument flight. Bob was married to the late Mary Cheetham Sommer, a retired Delta flight attendant, who preceded him in death, just two short months before him. Bob was a beloved husband, father, and grandfather and will be missed greatly by his surviving family, which include Daniel M. Sommer of Ocala, Douglas J. Sommer of Gainesville, Eric H. Sommer of Orlando, and Jody Horton Sommer of Ft. Pierce, and Bob's six grandchildren, Ashley, Kurt, Scott, Rachel, Jackson and Davis. Funeral services for Mr. Sommer will be held 11 AM Friday, August 31, 2007, at HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Dr. Donald W. Jones officiating. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery with full military honors. Visitation will be one hour prior to service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

685. THOMPSON, IRENE H., (Obituary No. 685.) 94 Ocala- Irene Thompson, 94 of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday August 10, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital in Ocala, FL. Mrs. Thompson was born in Philadelphia, PA. She moved here from Englewood, FL. She is survived by her husband Joseph Thompson of Ocala; a daughter Irene Kearns and husband Paul of Burke, VA.; a son Joseph McShea and wife Mary Jane of West Berlin, NJ.; a brother Joseph Little of Country Lakes, NJ; 8 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. Mrs. Thompson was preceded in death by her first husband Bernard McShea, a daughter Mary McShea, and a son Charles McShea. A Memorial Mass will be held Saturday, September 1, 2007 at 8:30AM at St. Jude Catholic Community Church in Marion Oaks. Memorials may be made to St. Jude Catholic Community Church Building Fund, 443 Marion Oaks Dr. Ocala, FL 34473. HIERs-BAXLEY, TimberRidge Chapel Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 9/1/2007.

686. WEaver, ALVIN L., (Obituary No. 686.) 81 Ocala- Alvin L. Weaver, 81, died August 27, 2007. A native of Carlisle, PA, he moved to Ocala in 1986 from Chattanooga, TN as Marketing Manager for Emergency One. He was a graduate of Penn State University and served in the US Air Force during WWII. He was a member of Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church in Ocala and is survived by his wife Mary of 20 years, of Ocala; daughters Meg Weaver and Betsy Reek of Madison, WI and two grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, August 31, 2007 at 4:00PM at Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church, 7045 SW 83rd Place, Ocala, Fl. with Reverend Sean L. Forde officiating. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements by HIERs-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

687. WEaver, ALVIN SHERIDAN, (Obituary No. 687.) 84 Sanford - Alvin Sheridan Weaver, age 84, of Sanford, FL died Sunday August 26, 2007. Alvin was born on July 7, 1923 in Amyville, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. He was the first child of Sheridan and Alice Sterner Weaver. Alvin had three sisters, Sarah Penney, Mattie Roudabush, Dorothy William and a brother James Weaver. Al's brother James died in July, 1979 leaving a wife and five children.
Al attended public schools and graduated from Elizabeth High School in 1941. He then went to Electric Welding School and worked as a welder in the steel foundry at Glassport, Pa. for about two years. Alvin was drafted into the U.S. Armed Forces in March, 1943, and served almost three years during WW2; 28 months of it in a line company of the Seventh Infantry Division in the Pacific- They were involved in the battle of the Aleutian Islands, Marshall Islands, Philippine Islands and Okinawa. Al was wounded on October 27, 1944 in the battle of the Philippines. After hospitalization in New Guinea and recovery he was returned to duty with his Seventh Division in January, 1945 for the battle for Okinawa in April, 1945. After three months with the Army of Occupation In Korea. Al was discharged on November 27, 1945. After returning home, Al attended engineering school under the GI bill at the University of Pittsburgh. Upon completion he was employed by Rust Engineering for two years then by consulting engineers, Richardson, Gordon and Assoc. for 15 years. Al served as a Deacon in his Lutheran Church and met and married Evelyn Krauth also a Lutheran on June 22, 1957 in Christ Lutheran Church, West Newton Pa. They were very proud parents of two children Kurt and Gayl. In January, 1969. Al and his family made a big decision to give up his good job with the consulting engineers, move to Ft. Lauderdale and enter the real estate business. They owned and operated Allegheny Realty for 25 years while raising their family in Ft. Lauderdale. By this time they had joined Christ Methodist Church and were quite active Methodists for the many years they lived there. Al was a Boy Scout and served as Scoutmaster of Troop #188 and in other leadership rolls as his son Kurt was an active Boy Scout. Al, although a Army veteran was a member of the Ft. Lauderdale Navy League and received a certificate of merit from them. In November, 1993, well past the age of 70 Al decided to retire, liquidate Allegheny Realty and moved to Spruce Creek South in Summerville. Al and his wife Evelyn transferred their membership from Christ Methodist Church to Community United Methodist Church in Fruitland Park. Al became involved in church work again and served as chairperson of the Planned Giving Committee for six years. He was very interested in the endowment and future of the church. Retirement didn't agree with Al, so he took a training course with the Marion County Sheriff's department and served as a volunteer bailiff at the court house for two and a half years. Al also served as a zone leader for Spruce Creek Citizens Response Team for many years. Alvin S. Weaver was made a Mason in February, 1951 and served as waster of Blythe Lodge # 593 at West Newton Pa. in 1958. He was a Master Mason, 32 Degree Mason and a Shriner for over 50 years. He had a strong belief in GOD, Family, Country, Church, Masonry and Sports in that order. Al was a member at the Leesburg Camp of the Gideons International and served as their Bible Chairman for three years. Al was also a life member of the Veterans Of Foreign Wars and belong to Post 8083 in Belleview. Al was very active throughout his life, a very happy grandfather and the Pap Pap of Jennifer and Jeffrey Hinerman. Funeral Services for Alvin Sheridan Weaver will be held Thursday, August 30, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at Community United Methodist Church, Fruitland Park, FL with Rev. Michael Fordham officiating. Family and friends may call at the church from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the church prior to the service. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at 2 p.m. with full military honors conducted by the Belleview VFW Post # 8083 Honor Guard. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/29/2007 - 8/30/2007.

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688. ABBATE, LILLIAN MARIE, (Obituary No. 688.) 78 Ocala - Lillian Marie Abbate, age 78, beloved wife of the late Raymond Abbate and beloved mother of the late John Abbate, passed away on Tuesday, August 28, 2007 in Ocala. Mrs. Abbate was born in Brooklyn, NY on
February 3, 1929. She lived in Bellmore, LI most of her lifetime and moved to Florida in 1993. Her hobbies included golfing, bowling and playing cards. She is survived by a sister Marquerite Dineen of Merrick, LI, NY; sister Joan Martin of Bellmore, LI, NY; many loving nieces, nephews, grand nieces, grand nephews and many great friends. She was preceded in death by sisters Rosalie Dervin and Eileen Clark. Visitation will be Sunday, September 2, 3:00 - 7:00 pm at HIER-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERIDGE, Ocala, FL. Funeral mass will be Monday, September 3, 8:30 am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Interment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

689. ANDERSON, MARGARET (PEGGIE), (Obituary No. 689.) 93 Ocala - Born in Burntisland, Scotland, in November 1913, Margaret (Peggie) Anderson was the twelfth of thirteen children. Henry and Jessie Wilson moved the family to Ontario, Canada when Peggie was a youngster. In 1957, Harry, her husband, and Peggie moved their family to Winter Park, FL, where they resided for approximately twenty years. An eight year stay in Gainesville was concluded with a move to Ocala in 1985. Peggie was most recently a resident of Chambrel, and remained active in the community, including regular visits to her son's medical office to make sure he was doing a good job. She is survived by her daughter, Jessie Boudreau of Apopka and her son Dr. Norman Anderson and his wife Margaret, of Ocala. She has seven grandchildren, fifteen great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild. A Gathering will be held on Friday, September 7, 2007 from 5-7pm at HIER FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL and Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 2pm at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kindred Spirits Sanctuary, PO Box 832091, Ocala, Florida 34483; or Interfaith Emergency Services, PO Box 992, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

690. CARDILLO, HELEN HUBBARD, (Obituary No. 690.) 81 Ocala - Helen Hubbard Cardillo, age 81, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, August 28, 2007 in Ocala. Mrs. Cardillo was born in North Adams, MA on January 21, 1926. Mrs. Cardillo was a Catholic. She was a Master Gardener. She also loved reading, singing and exercising. She moved to Florida from Clarksburg, MA in 1983. She is survived by her husband of 60 years Peter P. Cardillo of Ocala; daughter Paula Carman-Hoff of Roswell, GA; son Peter A. Cardillo of Marlton, NJ; daughter Patricia Erdeski of Stamford, VT; brother Harold Hubbard of Lake Placid, FL; sister Ruth Wright of North Adams, MA; sister Dorothy Dickinson of North Adams, MA and 7 grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be Monday, September 10, 2007 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Inurnment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/2/2007.

691. DAILEY, EUGENE "RED", (Obituary No. 691.) 75 Summerfield- Mr. Eugene "Red" Dailey, of Summerfield, passed away August 28, 2007, at the home of his daughter in Beaufort, SC, at the age of 75. He was born March 27, 1932, in Baltimore, MD. He joined the Navy in 1951 where he met and later married Carolyn Elizabeth Hamilton. They spent 40 of their 44 years together in Hialeah, FL where he worked as an airline mechanic for Delta Airlines for 35 years. He has spent the last 10 years in Summerfield. He loved sports, traveled extensively and had a passion for fire trucks. Preceded in death by his wife Carolyn, he is survived by a son, Mike Dailey and Pattie of Oviedo, FL and a daughter, Sherry Geddes and husband Skip, of Beaufort, SC. He had 4 beloved grandchildren, Lauren and Kristina Geddes of Beaufort, and Caren and Ryan Dailey of Oviedo. He was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church in
Belleview. Funeral Services will be held at 1:30pm on Friday, August 31, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church with Fr. David Vivero officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the church. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

692. FINZER, SARA "SALLY", (Obituary No. 692.) 92 Ocoee- Ms. Sara "Sally" Finzer, 92, passed away in Ocoee, FL on August 28, 2007. She was born in Patterson, NJ on June 6, 1915. She was a Homemaker. She worked with the City of Ocala for 15 years in the Recreation Dept. of Senior Citizens and over 20 years with Munroe Regional Medical Center as an Auxiliary. She is a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She moved to the area in 1973 from Hollywood, FL. She is predeceased by her 2 husbands James Bourhill of 35 years and Joseph Finzer of 20 years. She is survived by her daughter Bonnie Grzesiak and her husband Peter of Winter Garden Fl.; a son Bruce Bourhill and his wife Patty of Dorset, Vt., a step daughter Norma Cummings and a step-son Joseph Finzer, Jr. both of Rochester, NY., 7 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. A gathering will be at ROBERTS BRUCE EAST CHAPEL, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. in Ocala on Thursday August 30, 2007 from 6-8PM with a 7PM Rosary. A Funeral Mass will be at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Friday at 11AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

693. FUNK, DAWN (FORTNEY), (Obituary No. 693.) 65 Silver Springs - Dawn Funk (Fortney), 65, died Tuesday, August 28 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born January 5, 1942 in Ashland, Ohio and retired to Ocala in 2002. She was the beloved wife of Jim Funk and loving mother to David Dean Blake (Elaine) of Ashland, OH, Nora Kathleen Blake of Mt. Vernon, OH, George Kelly Blake of Winthrop Harbor, IL, step-mother to Dawn Funk of Columbus, OH and Mindy Abend (Chad) of Plain City, OH, grandmother to 15 and great-grandmother to one. She will be greatly missed by all of her family and friends. She retired in 2002 from the Ohio Department of Corrections, London, Ohio. Dawn was very active for 14 years with several Gold Wing Road Riders Associations in Ohio and Florida. Through her association with these groups, she participated in several charity events. She rode her motorcycle over 100,000 miles in 40 of the 48 contiguous states. She devoted her retirement years to the Marion Therapeutic Riding Association (MTRA) where she was the barn manager and passionately cared for the horses, volunteers, and riders. Memorial Service will be held at MTRA on Friday, August 31, at 9 a.m. In lieu of flowers, please send memorial contributions to MTRA, P.O. Box 830488, Ocala, FL 34483-0488. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 9/1/2007.

694. GONZALEZ, PACITA M, (Obituary No. 694.) 95 Ocala- Pacita M, Gonzalez a longtime resident of Chambrel at Pinecastle, Ocala passed away on Saturday, August 25, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. Born in Clarksburg, West Virginia she spent most of her life in Moundsville, WV before making Ocala her home since 1993 moving from Clearwater, FL. She was a homemaker and Catholic in faith. She was preceded in death by husband, Jose M. Gonzalez. Survivors include son, Robert Gonzales and his wife Eva, two grandchildren, Jon Gonzales of Ocala and Janet Gonzales of Atlanta, GA. Several nieces, nephews and cousins. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478 or Munroe Regional Medical Center 1500 SW 1st Ave, Ocala, FL 34474. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

695. HOFFER, PAUL E., (Obituary No. 695.) 73 Ocala - Paul E. Hoffer, 73, formerly of Manheim, Pa., passed away on Tuesday, August 14, 2007 at his home in Ocala. Born in
Manheim, Pa. He was married to his loving wife, Ruth E. (Shriver) Hoffer for 43 years. Mr. Hoffer worked for a family business and was a salesman for Texas Refinery Corporation for 38 years. He later retired to Ocala, Florida in 1992. He was an active member of Ocala First Church of the Nazarene. Mr. Hoffer served on numerous foreign mission trips. Surviving in addition to his wife are two children, Gary L. Hoffer of Marietta, Pa. and Julie Ann H. Mullins of Wise, Va. and two grandchildren. There will be a celebration of Paul's life at the Ocala First Church of the Nazarene on Sat. Sept. 1, 2007 at 2:00 PM, with Pastor Barry Dunlap conducting the service. In lieu of flowers, those who desire may send contributions in Paul's memory to Habitat for Humanity of Marion Co., P.O. Box 5578, Ocala Fl. 34478. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE EAST CHAPEL, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

696. JONES, THELMA C., (Obituary No. 696.) 72 Dunnellon- Thelma C. Jones, 72, died August 27, 2007, after an extended illness. She was a lifetime resident of Dunnellon and received her education in the school system of Marion County. She was a housekeeper and also a member of Mt. Olive A.M.E Church. Survivors include husband Rubin Jones- Dunnellon, 7 sons Rubin Jones Jr., David Jones, Donald Jones, Ronald Jones of Dunnellon. Glen Jones, FlowerBranch, GA, Christopher Jones, Robert Randolph of Inverness. 1 daughter Norfretta Young, Manassas, VA, 1 sister Millie Campbell, Dunnellon. 20 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren. Eulogistic services will be held Sunday September 1, 2007 at 3:00p.m. At First Bethel Baptist Church, Dunnellon with Rev. Thomas Connelly officiating, Rev. Nathaniel Rawls Pastor. Mrs. Jones will repose in the Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel of Faith on Saturday September 1, 2007 from 9a.m. to 5p.m. At First Bethel Baptist Church from 2p.m. until time of services. Interment Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Professional Arrangements Entrusted to CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. "YOUR FRIENDS WHO CARE." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

697. MCINTOSH, JAMES C., (Obituary No. 697.) 81 Silver Springs- James C. McIntosh, 81, of Silver Springs, Florida, died August 25, 2007 at Hospice Tuscany House. He was a native of Glasgow, Scotland, a retired teacher and a veteran of the British Army where he served as a paratrooper. He received his bachelor's degree in education from Jordan Hill Teachers Training College in Glasgow and went on to obtain his Master's Degree in Physical Education from Western Kentucky University. He represented Scotland at the Empire games in 1954, was the Scottish lightweight weightlifting champion, 1947-1955. A lifelong teacher and coach, he was a health and fitness advocate who taught by example. James is survived by his wife of 15 years, Virginia E. McIntosh of Silver Springs, FL., two sons, Ross McIntosh of San Bernardino, CA, and Gregor (LaTina) McIntosh of Owensboro, KY, as well as three grandchildren, Shawn, Laurana, and Audrey. His first wife, Rae McIntosh, preceded him in death. A memorial service will be held on Friday, August 31, 2007 at 10:00AM at OakBrook Life Enrichment Center, Ocala. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

698. SAUTER, HERBERT JAMES, (Obituary No. 698.) 81 Ocala- Herbert James Sauter, 81 of Ocala, Fl. died Tuesday August 28, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House of Ocala. Born in New Britain, Conn., he came to Ocala in 1991 from his hometown. Herbert was a funeral director for over 40 years. He was a World War II Navy Veteran. He is a life member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. He was a former Fire-Board and Park Board commissioner in New Britain and a life time member of the Elks B.P.O.E. # 957 in New Britain. His Devoted wife June A. Sauter of 53 years, daughter Cynthia Sauter and a brother Ronald B. Sauter precede
Herbert in death. He is survived by his son Herbert James Sauter of Suffield, Conn., daughter Kathleen Sweeney of Plymouth, MN, daughter Deborah Turner of Ocala, Fl., 5 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. There will be a funeral mass for Herbert, Friday August 31, 2007 at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with the burial to follow at The National Cemetery. Friends may come by the funeral home prior to church from 7:30AM to 8:00AM to visit with the family. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion Co. 3231 SW 34th Ave. Ocala, Fl. 34474 in memory of Herbert. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

699. SPRIGGS, MARIE(Obituary No. 699.), 82 Ocala- Marie Spriggs, age 82, of Ocala, FL passed away on August 26, 2007 at Munroe Regional Hospital. She is survived by her husband, Howard E. Spriggs, Sr. They were married on August 12, 1943 in Mukilteo, WA. Also surviving are her three children, Mrs. Alice (Al) Wiltsmeyer, Mrs. Julie (Steve) Welton of Findlay, OH and Howard E. Spriggs, Jr. (Sharon) of Richfield, MN. She has five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Also surviving is her sister Marguerite Hathaway of Everett, WA. She was a member of the Ocala Christian Life Assembly of God. Visitation will be held on August 31, 2007 at THE COLDREN-CRATES FUNERAL HOME in Findlay, OH. The funeral will be held on Saturday, September 1, 2007 at the Upper Room Church of God, 520 W. Bigelow Ave., Findlay, OH with the Rev. Jay Welton officiating. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or a charity of your choice. Online condolences may be sent to www.coldrencrates.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

700. THOMPSON, IRENE H., (Obituary No. 700.) 94 Ocala- Irene Thompson, 94 of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday August 10, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital in Ocala, FL. Mrs. Thompson was born in Philadelphia, PA. She moved here from Englewood, FL. She is survived by her husband Joseph Thompson of Ocala; a daughter Irene Kearns and husband Paul of Burke, VA.; a son Joseph McShea and wife Mary Jane of West Berlin, NJ.; a brother Joseph Little of Country Lakes, NJ; 8 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. Mrs. Thompson was preceded in death by her first husband Bernard McShea, a daughter Mary McShea, and a son Charles McShea. A Memorial Mass will be held Saturday, September 1, 2007 at 8:30AM at St. Jude Catholic Community Church in Marion Oaks. Memorials may be made to St. Jude Catholic Community Church Building Fund, 443 Marion Oaks Dr. Ocala, FL 34473. HIERS-BAXLEY, TimberRidge Chapel Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 9/1/2007.

701. TRAMMELL, ROBERT D., (Obituary No. 701.) 77 Summerfield - Robert D. Trammell, 77, died peacefully at home on July 19, 2007. He was a member of Shiloh Church of Belleview, retired Chief Boatswain's Mate from the Coast Guard, Korean and Vietnam War Veteran, and a member of the Legion and DAV. "Rob" was an avid fisherman, hunter, and NASCAR fan. He loved growing plane, feeding the world, and traveling. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Ruth, 3 children Kathy (Craig) Chaffee, Rob (Georgia) Trammell, and Teri (John) Hoolihan, 9 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, and 2 great-great grandchildren, 2 sisters, Lelama Thacker and Francine Jeffers, and 4 brothers, Tom, Frank Joe and Floyd. A Celebration of his life will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday September 2, 2007, at Shiloh Church of Belleview, with a luncheon from Noon -2 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Shiloh Church of Belleview Food Pantry. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

702. WEAVER, ALVIN L., (Obituary No. 702.) 81 Ocala- Alvin L. Weaver, 81, died August 27, 2007. A native of Carlisle, PA, he moved to Ocala in 1986 from Chattanooga, TN as
Marketing Manager for Emergency One. He was a graduate of Penn State University and served in the US Air Force during WWII. He was a member of Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church in Ocala and is survived by his wife Mary of 20 years, of Ocala; daughters Meg Weaver and Betsy Reek of Madison, WI and two grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, August 31, 2007 at 4:00PM at Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church, 7045 SW 83rd Place, Ocala, Fl. with Reverend Sean L. Forde officiating. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements by HIERs-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 8/31/2007.

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703. ABBATE, LILLIAN MARIE, (Obituary No. 703.) 78 Ocala - Lillian Marie Abbate, age 78, beloved wife of the late Raymond Abbate and beloved mother of the late John Abbate, passed away on Tuesday, August 28, 2007 in Ocala. Mrs. Abbate was born in Brooklyn, NY on February 3, 1929. She lived in Bellmore, LI most of her lifetime and moved to Florida in 1993. Her hobbies included golfing, bowling and playing cards. She is survived by a sister Marquerite Dineen of Merrick, LI, NY; sister Joan Martin of Bellmore, LI, NY; many loving nieces, nephews, grand nieces, grand nephews and many great friends. She was preceded in death by sisters Rosalie Dervin and Eileen Clark. Visitation will be Sunday, September 2, 3:00 - 7:00 pm at HIERs-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERIDGE, Ocala, FL. Funeral mass will be Monday, September 3, 8:30 am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Interment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

704. CARDILLO, HELEN HUBBARD, (Obituary No. 704.) 81 Ocala- Helen Hubbard Cardillo, age 81, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, August 28, 2007 in Ocala. Mrs. Cardillo was born in North Adams, MA on January 21, 1926. Mrs. Cardillo was a Catholic. She was a Master Gardener. She also loved reading, singing and exercising. She moved to Florida from Clarksburg, MA in 1983. She is survived by her husband of 60 years Peter P. Cardillo of Ocala; daughter Paula Carman-Hoff of Roswell, GA; son Peter A. Cardillo of Marlton, NJ; daughter Patricia Erdeski of Stanford, VT; brother Harold Hubbard of Lake Placid, FL; sister Ruth Wright of North Adams, MA; sister Dorothy Dickinson of North Adams, MA and 7 grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be Monday, September 10, 2007 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Inurnment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/2/2007.

705. DAILLY, EUGENE "RED", (Obituary No. 705.) 75 Summerfield- Mr. Eugene "Red" Dailey, of Summerfield, passed away August 28, 2007, at the home of his daughter in Beaufort, SC, at the age of 75. He was born March 27, 1932, in Baltimore, MD. He joined the Navy in 1951 where he met and later married Carolyn Elizabeth Hamilton. They spent 40 of their 44 years together in Hialeah, FL where he worked as an airline mechanic for Delta Airlines for 35 years. He has spent the last 10 years in Summerfield. He loved sports, traveled extensively and had a passion for fire trucks. Preceded in death by his wife Carolyn, he is survived by a son, Mike Dailey and Pattie of Oviedo, FL and a daughter, Sherry Geddes and husband Skip, of Beaufort, SC. He had 4 beloved grandchildren, Lauren and Kristina Geddes of Beaufort, and Caren and Ryan Dailey of Oviedo. He was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church in Bellevue. Funeral Services will be held at 1:30pm on Friday, August 31, 2007 at St. Theresa
Catholic Church with Fr. David Vivero officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the church. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

706. FLISZAR, ROSS BELA, (Obituary No. 706.) 45 Sparr - Mr. Ross Bela Fliszar, 45 of Sparr, Florida, died Friday, August 24, 2007 at The Tuscany House. He was born June 22, 1962 in Fort Lauderdale, FL. Mr. Fliszar was a Phlebotomist. He is survived by his Mother Bonnie Smith & Step-father Russell Smith of Sparr, FL, Brother Roy Lee Smith of Lowell. Memorial Service will be held Sunday, September 2nd. Anthony United Methodist Church at 3:00PM. In lieu of flowers donations may be sent to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/1/2007 - 9/2/2007.

707. FUNK, DAWN (FORTNEY), (Obituary No. 707.) 65 Silver Springs - Dawn Funk (Fortney), 65, died Tuesday, August 28 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born January 5, 1942 in Ashland, Ohio and retired to Ocala in 2002. She was the beloved wife of Jim Funk and loving mother to David Dean Blake (Elaine) of Ashland, OH, Nora Kathleen Blake of Mt. Vernon, OH, George Kelly Blake of Winthrop Harbor, IL, step-mother to Dawn Funk of Columbus, OH and Mindy Abend (Chad) of Plain City, OH, grandmother to 15 and great-grandmother to one. She will be greatly missed by all of her family and friends. She retired in 2002 from the Ohio Department of Corrections, London, Ohio. Dawn was very active for 14 years with several Gold Wing Road Riders Associations in Ohio and Florida. Through her association with these groups, she participated in several charity events. She rode her motorcycle over 100,000 miles in 40 of the 48 contiguous states. She devoted her retirement years to the Marion Therapeutic Riding Association (MTRA) where she was the barn manager and passionately cared for the horses, volunteers, and riders. Memorial Service will be held at MTRA on Friday, August 31, at 9 a.m. In lieu of flowers, please send memorial contributions to MTRA, P.O. Box 830488, Ocala, FL 34483-0488. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 9/1/2007.

708. GRISsom, SR., JULIAN CLYDE, (Obituary No. 708.) 86 Ocala - Julian C. Grissom, 86, died Thursday, August 30, 2007, at his home. He was born March 7, 1921 in Raleigh, NC. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn Barton Grissom, sister, Grace Angermeyer of Wilmington, NC, brother, Bill Grissom of Marion, VA, brother Lynwood Grissom of Wilmington, NC, stepsons, Dan Andrews (Sandi) and Dick Andrews (Garnet) of Ocala, FL and numerous grandchildren, nieces, and nephew. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Mary, son, Clyde and daughter, Bonnie. As a young man during WWII he worked in the Wilmington shipyards building liberty cargo ships as a machinist. After the war he entered the family auto repair business. Later he decided to leave his home in Wilmington to go into business for himself. In accordance with his nature, in 1954 he packed his belongings and his family,, moved to Florida and was determined to make Ocala his new home, never looking back. From his earliest days all who knew him witnessed his tireless work ethic. After moving to Ocala he worked as, among other things, an auctioneer, real estate broker, and investor. All his life this self-educated man had a curiosity that drove him always to be learning new things, whether he was operating his business or working in his workshop. He enjoyed fixing cars, small engines, and any other kind of machinery that needed fixing. Besides his family, learning something new, helping others, and completing a job successfully were among his greatest pleasures. No job was ever put off if it could be done right away. Two of his favorite mottoes were, "Why wait?" and "Always look to the future." When he took time away from his work he loved to invite family and friends to his home for birthday parties, Sunday school gatherings and the annual Grissom Easter egg hunt. He
dearly loved his family and friends and often remarked when sitting around the dinner table that "every day is Thanksgiving." He ran with patience the race that was set before him and ran to obtain the prize. His family and friends will miss him. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County and the CFCC Foundation, P.O. Box 1388, Ocala, FL 34478. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, September 2, 2007 at the First United Methodist Church, Ocala, FL., the Reverend Dr. John Few officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES OF DUNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/1/2007 - 9/3/2007.

709. JONES, THELMA C., (Obituary No. 709.) 72 Dunnellon - Thelma C. Jones, 72, died August 27, 2007, after an extended illness. She was a lifetime resident of Dunnellon and received her education in the school system of Marion County. She was a housekeeper and also a member of Mt. Olive A.M.E Church. Survivors include husband Rubin Jones- Dunnellon, 7 sons Rubin Jones Jr., David Jones, Donald Jones, Ronald Jones of Dunnellon. Glen Jones, FlowerBranch, GA, Christopher Jones, Robert Randolph of Inverness. 1 daughter Norfretta Young, Manassas, VA, 1 sister Millie Campbell, Dunnellon. 20 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren. Eulogistic services will be held Sunday September 1, 2007 at 3:00p.m. At First Bethel Baptist Church, Dunnellon with Rev. Thomas Connelly officiating. Rev. Nathaniel Rawls Pastor. Mrs. Jones will repose in the Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel of Faith on Saturday September 1, 2007 from 9a.m. to 5p.m. At First Bethel Baptist Church from 2p.m. until time of services. Interment Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Professional Arrangements Entrusted to CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. "YOUR FRIENDS WHO CARE." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

710. LAVACCA, AGNES D., (Obituary No. 710.) 65 Ocala - Agnes D. Lavacca, 65, passed away peacefully August 29, 2007 at home with her family by her side. She was a Registered Nurse employed with Mobil Chemical Corp for 15 years. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She leaves behind her beloved husband of 43 years Ralph of Ocala, FL; daughters, Kathy Hunter of Las Vegas, NV and Suzanne Lavacca of Rochester, NY; and son, Tom Lavacca of Hamlin, NY; brother, Francis Sullivan of Newton, NJ and sister, Connie Casey of Wappingers Falls, NY; and 3 grandchildren. Visitation will be on Sunday, September 2, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBER RIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Funeral Mass will be held on Monday, September 3, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala, FL. Inurnment will follow at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL. Memorials may be made in her name to National Foundation for Cancer Research, 4600 East West Hwy, Suite 525 Bethesda, MD 20814 or Hospice of Marion County, Inc., P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/1/2007 - 9/2/2007.

711. LAWNICZAK, CAROLYN SUE, (Obituary No. 711.) 68 Carolyn Sue Lawniczak, 68, passed away unexpectedly on August 28, 2007. Born in 1939 to Charles and Neva Couk in Plainwell, Michigan, Carolyn was above all else a devoted and loving daughter, friend, sister, cousin, niece, wife, mother, mother-in-law, aunt, great aunt, and grandmother. Married in 1964 to Jon J. Lawniczak, she bore and raised three sons, Brandon, Jon Jr., and Jeremy with patience and care. She doted on her grandchildren, Josephine and Duncan. She also leaves behind a brother, Charlie, and many other relatives she loved. A high school cheerleader and honor student, Carolyn attended Western Michigan University and worked in various capacities throughout her life: in an ice cream parlor, a paper mill, as a legal office manager for her husband, Jon, and more recently, in both Michigan and Florida, as a gift shop salesclerk where
she was also the best customer. In the 1970s, she was elected Treasurer for Atlas Township, Michigan, serving two terms. She volunteered much of her time to charity, tutoring children to read, working in the church Bingo, and in recent years delivering day-old bread with her husband to an Ocala soup kitchen. Finally, the horses. First it was a Paint she rode bareback as a young girl, then a Pinto, and eventually many, many quarter horses with many, many saddles. With her husband's unrelenting support, she fed, watered, groomed, nurtured, exercised, rode, and loved them all. Over the years, she won many ribbons and trophies for which she was proud, but it was always her passion for the animals -- to be around them and to care for them -- that kept her at it. As a young girl, she announced she would "still be riding when she was forty." She was still riding when she was 68. A memorial service will be held at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME located at 910 E. Silver Springs Boulevard in Ocala on Monday, September 3, at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, please feel free to make a memorial contribution to Stolen Horse International, http://www.netposse.com// This organization was near and dear to Carolyn's heart, as it provided tremendous assistance in the safe return of two horses stolen from her barn. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/1/2007 - 9/2/2007.

712. MCINTOSH, JAMES C., (Obituary No. 712.) 81 Silver Springs- James C. McIntosh, 81, of Silver Springs, Florida, died August 25, 2007 at Hospice Tuscany House. He was a native of Glasgow, Scotland, a retired teacher and a veteran of the British Army where he served as a paratrooper. He received his bachelor's degree in education from Jordan Hill Teachers Training College in Glasgow and went on to obtain his Master's Degree in Physical Education from Western Kentucky University. He represented Scotland at the Empire games in 1954, was the Scottish lightweight weightlifting champion, 1947-1955. A lifelong teacher and coach, he was a health and fitness advocate who taught by example. James is survived by his wife of 15 years, Virginia E. McIntosh of Silver Springs, FL., two sons, Ross McIntosh of San Bernardino, CA, and Gregor (LaTina) McIntosh of Owensboro, KY, as well as three grandchildren, Shawn, Laurana, and Audrey. His first wife, Rae McIntosh, preceded him in death. A memorial service will be held on Friday, August 31, 2007 at 10:00AM at OakBrook Life Enrichment Center, Ocala. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

713. SPRIGGS, MARIE(Obituary No. 713.), 82 Ocala- Marie Spriggs, age 82, of Ocala, FL. passed away on August 26, 2007 at Munroe Regional Hospital. She is survived by her husband, Howard E. Spriggs, Sr. They were married on August 12, 1943 in Mukilteo, WA. Also surviving are her three children, Mrs. Alice (Al) Wilmsmeyer, Mrs. Julie (Steve) Welton of Findlay, OH and Howard E. Spriggs, Jr. (Sharon) of Richfield, MN. She has five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Also surviving is her sister Marguerite Hathaway of Everett, WA. She was a member of the Ocala Christian Life Assembly of God. Visitation will be held on August 31, 2007 at THE COLDREN-CRATES FUNERAL HOME in Findlay, OH. The funeral will be held on Saturday, September 1, 2007 at the Upper Room Church of God, 520 W. Bigelow Ave., Findlay, OH with the Rev. Jay Welton officiating. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or a charity of your choice. Online condolences may be sent to www.coldrencrates.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

714. THOMPSON, IRENE H., (Obituary No. 714.) 94 Ocala- Irene Thompson, 94 of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday August 10, 2007 at West Marion Community Hospital in Ocala, FL. Mrs. Thompson was born in Philadelphia, PA. She moved here from Englewood, FL. She is survived by her husband Joseph Thompson of Ocala; a daughter Irene Kearns and husband Paul of Burke, VA.; a son Joseph McShea and wife Mary Jane of West Berlin, NJ.; a brother Joseph
Little of Country Lakes, NJ; 8 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. Mrs. Thompson was preceded in death by her first husband Bernard McShea, a daughter Mary McShea, and a son Charles McShea. A Memorial Mass will be held Saturday, September 1, 2007 at 8:30AM at St. Jude Catholic Community Church Marion Oaks. Memorials may be made to St. Jude Catholic Community Church Building Fund, 443 Marion Oaks Dr. Ocala, FL 34473. HIERS-BAXLEY, TimberRidge Chapel Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 9/1/2007.

715. TRAMMELL, ROBERT D., (Obituary No. 715.) 77 Summerfield - Robert D. Trammell, 77, died peacefully at home on July 19, 2007. He was a member of Shiloh Church of Belleview, retired Chief Boatswain's Mate from the Coast Guard, Korean and Vietnam War Veteran, and a member of the Legion and DAV. "Rob" was an avid fisherman, hunter, and NASCAR fan. He loved growing plane, feeding the world, and traveling. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Ruth, 3 children Kathy (Craig) Chaffee, Rob (Georgia) Trammell, and Teri (John) Hoolihan, 9 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, and 2 great-great grandchildren, 2 sisters, Lelama Thacker and Francine Jeffers, and 4 brothers, Tom, Frank Joe and Floyd. A Celebration of his life will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday September 2, 2007, at Shiloh Church of Belleview, with a luncheon from Noon-2 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Shiloh Church of Belleview Food Pantry. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/1/2007.

716. CARDILLO, HELEN HUBBARD, (Obituary No. 716.) 81 Ocala- Helen Hubbard Cardillo, age 81, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, August 28, 2007 in Ocala. Mrs. Cardillo was born in North Adams, MA on January 21, 1926. Mrs. Cardillo was a Catholic. She was a Master Gardener. She also loved reading, singing and exercising. She moved to Florida from Clarksburg, MA in 1983. She is survived by her husband of 60 years Peter P. Cardillo of Ocala; daughter Paula Carman-Hoff of Roswell, GA; son Peter A. Cardillo of Marlton, NJ; daughter Patricia Erdeski of Stanford, VT; brother Harold Hubbard of Lake Placid, FL; sister Ruth Wright of North Adams, MA; sister Dorothy Dickinson of North Adams, MA and 7 grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be Monday, September 10, 2007 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Inurnment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/31/2007 - 9/2/2007.

717. CARLISLE, WALTER M., (Obituary No. 717.) 84 Ocala- Mr. Walter M. Carlisle 84, passed away on August 26, 2007 in Ocala, Fl. He was born in Claremont, NH. He was a retired insurance Adjuster. He served in the Air Force during WWII in the Pacific for 3 years as a Radar Chief he is a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. He is survived by his wife Dorothy of 61 years. Two sons Andrew of Ocala and Jeffery of Canton, GA. A daughter Pamela Adams of Arden, NC. Seven Grandchildren and two Great-grandchildren. He moved to the area in 1992 from Blue Ridge, GA. A memorial Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on September 4, 2007 at 8:30AM. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala will be handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

718. FLISZAR, ROSS BELA, (Obituary No. 718.) 45 Spar- Mr. Ross Bela Fliszar, 45 of Spar, Florida, died Friday, August 24, 2007 at The Tuscany House. He was born June 22, 1962 in Fort Lauderdale, Fl. Mr. Fliszar was a Phlebotomist. He is survived by his Mother Bonnie Smith & Step-father Russell Smith of Spar, Fl., Brother Roy Lee Smith of Lowell. Memorial
Service will be held Sunday, September 2nd. Anthony United Methodist Church at 3:00PM. In lieu of flowers donations may be sent to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/1/2007 - 9/2/2007.

719. FORD, JEANNE JACQUES, (Obituary No. 719.) 79 Palm Beach - Jeanne Jacques Ford, longtime resident of Palm Beach, formerly of Ocala, died unexpectedly Wednesday, August 29, 2007 at the age of 79. She came to Ocala in 1977 from Brighton, Michigan, where she and her late husband, Donald, raised Arabian Horses at their Lancer Arabians Farm. She was born on October 25, 1927 in Detroit, Michigan, the daughter of Leo and Dorothy Jacques. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, and a son, Robert John Ford. Jeanne was valedictorian of her class at Grosse Pointe High School, Grosse Pointe, MI, and earned her B.S. in Journalism with honors from the Northwestern University Medill School of Journalism. Following graduation, she worked for WWJ radio and TV in Detroit. Jeanne is survived by her children Jacques (Dana) Ford, Rex J Ford and Laura Pettrash (David), and her grandchildren Rob Ford, Jennifer Ford-Knopf (Andrew), Blake Ford, Emily Coffel (Josh), Donald Pettrash, and Henry Pettrash, and two great grandchildren. She and her husband Donald were owners of Lancer Arabians, Inc., in Reddick, one of the largest and most successful breeders of Egyptian Arabian Horses in the U.S., where she served as Advertising and Art Director. Two private auctions each exceeded standards of success for the industry. Her greatest joy was in helping others, and she was a leader in charity, artistic and philanthropic causes during her entire life. In Ocala, Jeanne was a supporter of FAFO as well as a number of local organizations. Funeral Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, September 4, 2007 at the Episcopal Church of Bethesda by the Sea in Palm Beach, Florida, with the Reverend Ralph R. Warren officiating. Graveside Services will be held at White Chapel Memorial Cemetery in Troy, Michigan, on Thursday, September 6, 2007 at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute, 7101 Fairway Drive, Palm Beach Gardens, Florida 33418. The family will receive friends immediately after the service. Arrangements have been entrusted to QUATTLEBAUM FUNERAL HOME, West Palm Beach. Call 561-832-5171 for further information. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

720. GRISsom, SR., JULIAN CLYDE, (Obituary No. 720.) 86 Ocala - Julian C. Grissom, 86, died Thursday, August 30, 2007, at his home. He was born March 7, 1921 in Raleigh, NC. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn Barton Grissom, sister, Grace Angermeyer of Wilmington, NC, brother, Bill Grissom of Marion, VA, brother Lynwood Grissom of Wilmington, NC, stepsons, Dan Andrews (Sandi) and Dick Andrews (Garnet) of Ocala, FL and numerous grandchildren, nieces, and nephew. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Mary, son, Clyde and daughter, Bonnie. As a young man during WWII he worked in the Wilmington shipyards building liberty cargo ships as a machinist. After the war he entered the family auto repair business. Later he decided to leave his home in Wilmington to go into business for himself. In accordance with his nature, in 1954 he packed his belongings and his family,, moved to Florida and was determined to make Ocala his new home, never looking back. From his earliest days all who knew him witnessed his tireless work ethic. After moving to Ocala he worked as, among other things, an auctioneer, real estate broker, and investor. All his life this self-educated man had a curiosity that drove him always to be learning new things, whether he was operating his business or working in his workshop. He enjoyed fixing cars, small engines, and any other kind of machinery that needed fixing. Besides his family, learning something new, helping others, and completing a job successfully were among his greatest pleasures. No job was ever put off if it could be done right away. Two of his favorite mottoes were, "Why wait?" and "Always look to
the future." When he took time away from his work he loved to invite family and friends to his home for birthday parties, Sunday school gatherings and the annual Grissom Easter egg hunt. He dearly loved his family and friends and often remarked when sitting around the dinner table that "every day is Thanksgiving." He ran with patience the race that was set before him and ran to obtain the prize. His family and friends will miss him. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County and the CFCC Foundation, P.O. Box 1388, Ocala, FL 34478. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, September 2, 2007 at the First United Methodist Church, Ocala, FL., the Reverend Dr. John Few officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/1/2007 - 9/3/2007.

721. GUZMAN, DIXON(Obituary No. 721.) , 77 Ocala- Dixon Guzman at the age of 77, died on August 28, 2007. Dixon is the beloved husband of Gloria and father of Dixon Jr., Iris and Nilza. Grandfather of 9, great grandfather of 9, Dixon is the brother of Raphael, Filerberto and Flora and he also has many nieces and nephews. Services are private. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave. Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

722. LAMY, JUDITH RAE LEDWELL, (Obituary No. 722.) 60 Beverly Hills - Judith Rae Ledwell Lamy, 60 Beverly Hills, FL. died August 30, 2007 at Citrus Memorial Hospital under Hospice care. She was born Aug 6, 1947 in St. Petersburg, FL. She was preceded in death by her mother, Margaret Mary Browning Ledwell, St. Petersburg, formally of St. Mary Kentucky. Father, William Newell Ledwell, St. Petersburg, formally of North Carolina. Judy moved to Beverly Hills from St. Petersburg in 1982 and was co-owner and operator with her husband, Dudley Lamy of Lamy's Radiator and Auto Air in Beverly Hills for the past 25 years. She was a member of the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton's Catholic Church of Citrus Springs, FL. She was a part in he first graduating class of "1965" from Notre Dame high school of St Petersburg, FL. and attended Notre Dame College of Baltimore, Maryland. Judy was previously employed and retired from GTE telephone Company of St. Petersburg, FL., she was also employed at Lamy's Radiator Service of St. Petersburg, FL. 1972 thru 1982 and at that time the only Radiator bench repairwoman in the six southeastern United States. She was an avid bass fisherwoman and was widely known to out fish her husband, Dudley all the time. They co-produced the only Citrus County fishing map of Lake Rousseau, Rainbow River, Lake Panasoffkee and the entire length of the Withlacoochee River from Dunnellon to Nobleton Judy was also accomplished photojournalist. She loved her gardening and spending as much time in the Florida sun as possible. She loved all animals and was also known for her Boxer dogs. Judy was an extremely talented artist and accomplished wood carver. She could sing you a complete song, jingle or hymn from memory. Site loved the smell of fresh cut grass and something as simple as a hot shower! She was an avid football fan. Judy will be remembered as a thoughtful and generous spirit who always gave of herself to others. She will be lovingly missed by all those lives she has touched. Survivors include her husband Dudley of 34 years, brothers, Robert Newell Ledwell of St. Petersburg, Florida and Richard Ledwell of Erie, Pennsylvania, her devoted mother-in-law Theresa Doris Lamy, sister-in-law JoAnn Daniels and husband Lloyd of Crawfordville, sisters-in-law Debra Diligio and husband Lorenzo Of Spring Hill, Blanche Jarvis of Dunedin, brothers-in-law David Lamy and wife Norma and Joseph Lamy of St. Petersburg. Memorial Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, Citrus Springs will be announced at a later date. Funeral Mass will be at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, September 4, 2007 at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church in Crawfordville, FL. Burial will be at St. Elizabeth Cemetery. Family will receive
friends from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Monday, September 3, 2007 at HARVEY-YOUNG FUNERAL HOME. Memorial contributions can be made to Judy Lamy Memorial Fund c/o Wakulla Bank, P.O. Box 610, Crawfordville, FL 32326. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

723. LAVACCA, AGNES D., (Obituary No. 723.) 65 Ocala - Agnes D. Lavacca, 65, passed away peacefully August 29, 2007 at home with her family by her side. She was a Registered Nurse employed with Mobil Chemical Corp for 15 years. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She leaves behind her beloved husband of 43 years Ralph of Ocala, FL; daughters, Kathy Hunter of Las Vegas, NV and Suzanne Lavacca of Rochester, NY; and son, Tom Lavacca of Hamlin, NY; brother, Francis Sullivan of Newton, NJ and sister, Connie Casey of Wappingers Falls, NY; and 3 grandchildren. Visitation will be on Sunday, September 2, 2007 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBER RIDGE, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Funeral Mass will be held on Monday, September 3, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala, FL. Inurnment will follow at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL. Memorials may be made in her name to National Foundation for Cancer Research, 4600 East West Hwy, Suite 525 Bethesda, MD 20814 or Hospice of Marion County, Inc., P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/1/2007 - 9/2/2007.

724. LAWNICZAK, CAROLYN SUE, (Obituary No. 724.) 68 Carolyn Sue Lawniczak, 68, passed away unexpectedly on August 28, 2007. Born in 1939 to Charles and Neva Couk in Plainwell, Michigan, Carolyn was above all else a devoted and loving daughter, friend, sister, cousin, niece, wife, mother, mother-in-law, aunt, great aunt, and grandmother. Married in 1964 to Jon J. Lawniczak, she bore and raised three sons, Brandon, Jon Jr., and Jeremy with patience and care. She doted on her grandchildren, Josephine and Duncan. She also leaves behind a brother, Charlie, and many other relatives she loved. A high school cheerleader and honor student, Carolyn attended Western Michigan University and worked in various capacities throughout her life: in an ice cream parlor, a paper mill, as a legal office manager for her husband, Jon, and more recently, in both Michigan and Florida, as a gift shop salesclerk where she was also the best customer. In the 1970s, she was elected Treasurer for Atlas Township, Michigan, serving two terms. She volunteered much of her time to charity, tutoring children to read, working in the church Bingo, and in recent years delivering day-old bread with her husband to an Ocala soup kitchen. Finally, the horses. First it was a Paint she rode bareback as a young girl, then a Pinto, and eventually many, many quarter horses with many, many saddles. With her husband's unrelenting, support, she fed, watered, groomed, nurtured, exercised, rode, and loved them all. Over the years, she won many ribbons and trophies for which she was proud, but it was always her passion for the animals -- to be around them and to care for them -- that kept her at it. As a young girl, she announced she would "still be riding when she was forty." She was still riding when she was 68. A memorial service will be held at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME located at 910 E. Silver Springs Boulevard in Ocala on Monday, September 3, at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, please feel free to make a memorial contribution to Stolen Horse International, http://www.netposse.com/> www.netposse.com http://www.netposse.com/> This organization was near and dear to Carolyn's heart, as it provided tremendous assistance in the safe return of two horses stolen from her barn. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/1/2007 - 9/2/2007.

725. MILLER, SR., JOSEPH FRANCIS, (Obituary No. 725.) 89 Damascus, MD - Joseph Francis Miller, Sr., 89 Years 2 year resident of Damascus, MD., formerly of Dunnellon, died Wednesday, August 29, 2007 in Charlotte Hall, Maryland. He was born January 11, 1918 in
North Hempstead, New York. He moved here in 1973 from Rockville, MD. Occupations: Corpsman in the U.S. Army during WWII and Korea. He was a member of the V.F.W. and the American Legion while in Maryland. Member of the Dunnellon Moose Lodge #2308. Member of the Rainbow Springs Golf and Country Club and was a golf enthusiast He is survived by: 4 sons: Joseph F. Miller, Jr., (Cindy), Murthly, N. Carolina; Robert J. Miller, Colonial Heights, VA. Glenn D. Miller (deceased wife Carol), Williamson, N. Carolina and John H. Miller, Damascus, MD; one daughter Anna M. Harrison (Curtis), Myrtle Beach, S. Carolina; sister Marion Pretsch; brother and sister-in-Law Carl and Betty Stevens, Dunnellon 2 stepsons: Timothy Upleger (Diane) and Ellery Upleger, (Cindy), both of MI. He was preceded in death by his wife Katherine Louise Miller and Brother John Henry Miller. Also survived by 11 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren, 4 step grandchildren and 1 step great grandchild Viewing will be at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon on Wednesday, September 5, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Services will be at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon on Thursday, September 6, 2007 at 10 a.m. with Pastor Rex Carringer of Riverland Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

726. OEFFNER, LAWRENCE A. "LARRY", (Obituary No. 726.) 86 Ocala - Lawrence A. "Larry" Oeffner, 86; United States Air Force World War II Veteran, of Ocala, FL passed away at the Monroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, FL, on August 31, 2007. The family will receive friends at the residence, 6793 Easy Street, Ocala, FL 34472 on Tuesday Evening, September 4, 2007 from 6 p.m. till 8 p.m. A full life story and Obituary will follow in a couple of days. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE 1-800-467-7850 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

727. POUWELS, EDWARD L., (Obituary No. 727.) 89 De Pere, WI - Edward L. Pouwels, age 89, of De Pere, WI and Salt Springs, Florida, passed away on August 29, 2007 at the loving home of his son, Jim. He was born on February 25, 1918, the son of Frank and Jennie Pouwels. While he was born in Appleton, Ed lived most of his life in De Pere. Proudly serving his nation in World War II for several years, Ed served as an officer for two terms with the 32nd Field Artillery Division in New Guinea, and Australia, during which he had the opportunity to serve as a personal guard for General MacArthur. He spent his career in banking, retiring as President of the State Bank of De Pere (now Associated Bank). In 1987 he was recognized for 50 years in banking. He was actively involved in many organizations, often serving in leadership roles, including the Kiwanis and Golden Key Clubs, De Pere Chamber of Commerce, St. Mary's Church of De Pere, banking organizations and many other organizations to improve the community. These efforts were recognized when he received the St. Norbert College Alma Mater Award in 1976 and De Pere's Outstanding Citizen in 1981. Ed is survived by his wife Elvira "Vi," his children, Marie and Jim Elifritz of New Smyrna Beach, Florida, John and Lynn Pouwels of Franklin, Maine, Carole and Ron VandeWalle of Fish Creek, Joe and Mellie Pouwels of Naperville, Illinois, Jim and Joyce Pouwels of De Pere and Janet and Jay Loewi of Madison, along with 12 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren and Vi's children and grandchildren. He was preceded in death by Ingrid (Thunberg) Pouwels, his wife of 49 years, his parents, and his grandson, Joshua Pouwels. Friends may call at the Cotter Funeral Home, 860 N. Webster Ave., (920) 336-8702 on Monday from 5:30 to 8 p.m. Wake service 7:30 p.m. Visitation will continue on Tuesday from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic Community, Pope John XXIII Circle, off Sportsman Drive in the Town of Ledgeview. Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated 11
a.m. Tuesday at the church with Fr. David Duffeck officiating. Burial in the Mt. Olivet Cemetery. Ed's family would like to express their deep appreciation to the caregivers from Unity Hospice and Home Instead, especially Sharon, Julie, Audrey, Diane, Sigrid and Nikki for their loving care. In lieu of flowers, memorials can be sent to Unity Hospice, 2366 Oak Ridge Circle, De Pere, WI 54115 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

728. WEBB, IVA R., (Obituary No. 728.) 99 Hudson - Ms Iva R. Webb 99, passed away on August 28, 2007 in Hudson, Florida. She was born in Hoskins, Oregon but was raised in Florida. She was a Homemaker. She was a lifelong member of the United Methodist Church. She moved back to Florida in 1996 from New Jersey. She was predeceased by her husband Thomas R. Webb of 57 years and a son William T. Webb. She is survived by a daughter Mary Jane Wilson of Spring Hill, FL., and a son Douglas R. Webb of Walnut Creek, CA. Also 7 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren. A gathering will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. with a graveside service to follow at the Anthony Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

729. WILLIAMS, JIMMY DEAN, (Obituary No. 729.) 74 Reddick - Mr. Williams, 74, of Reddick, FL passed away at his residence on Tuesday, August 28, 2007. Born in Decatur, Illinois he had made Reddick his home since 1996. Retired with 20 years of service from The US Air Force and for 16 years he was a math and electronics teacher for the Dade County School Board. He was an avid golfer and a member of the VFW and Korean War Veterans group. He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Lore I. Williams. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m., Wednesday, September 5, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

730. WILSON, ARMENDIA "MENDIA" CUPSTID, (Obituary No. 730.) 82 Ocala - Armendia "Mendia" Cupstid Wilson, 82, passed away in the comforts of her own home surrounded by her loving family and friends at 10:20p.m., Saturday, August 25, 2007. She was the daughter of Benjamin Eleas and Pallie Stine Cupstid, who preceded her in death. She was preceded in death by three brothers, Melvin Asia Cupstid, Denver Lavel Cupstid and Purvis Cupstid. She was also preceded in death by two sisters, Tera Lambert, and Frances Elouise Hyde. She is survived by one sister Nell C. Lambert of Jayess, MS. She is survived by two brothers, Maxie Cupstid of Monticello, MS, and Emmit Cupstid and his wife Frances of Picayune, MS. She is survived by her only child, a daughter, Sharron A. Pullos and son-in-law, Allan of Ocala, Fl. One granddaughter, Shannon D. Munro, and her husband Keith of Ocala, FL. two grandsons Daniel J. Pulls and his wife Jeanne of Ocala, FL. and Joseph A. Pulls and his wife Devyn of Ocala, FL. Six great grandchildren, Dalton J. Pulls, Brandon E. Munro, Jocob A. Munro, Gabrielle C. Munro, Hunter Q. Munro, Gabriel R. Pulis of Ocala, FL. Also one unborn Pulis baby due in February that Mendia Wilson hoped would be born on her birthday, February 7. She is survived by 29 nieces and nephews and loved them all. Mendia loved her garden and her flowers. She loved crafts and she loved to cook. Most of all she loved people with all her heart. She will be missed. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

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731. ANDERSON, MARGARET (PEGGIE), (Obituary No. 731.) 93 Ocala - Born in Burntisland, Scotland, in November 1913, Margaret (Peggie) Anderson was the twelfth of thirteen children. Henry and Jessie Wilson moved the family to Ontario, Canada when Peggie was a youngster. In 1957, Harry, her husband, and Peggie moved their family to Winter Park, FL, where they resided for approximately twenty years. An eight year stay in Gainesville was concluded with a move to Ocala in 1985. Peggie was most recently a resident of Chambrel, and remained active in the community, including regular visits to her son's medical office to make sure he was doing a good job. She is survived by her daughter, Jessie Boudreau of Apopka and her son Dr. Norman Anderson and his wife Margaret, of Ocala. She has seven grandchildren, fifteen great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild. A Gathering will be held on Friday, September 7, 2007 from 5-7pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL and Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 2pm at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kindred Spirits Sanctuary, PO Box 832091, Ocala, Florida 34483; or Interfaith Emergency Services, PO Box 992, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 9/7/2007.

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Fairway Drive, Palm Beach Gardens, Florida 33418. The family will receive friends immediately after the service. Arrangements have been entrusted to QUATTLEBAUM FUNERAL HOME, West Palm Beach. Call 561-832-5171 for further information. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

734. GRISSOM, SR., JULIAN CLYDE, (Obituary No. 734.) 86 Ocala - Julian C. Grissom, 86, died Thursday, August 30, 2007, at his home. He was born March 7, 1921 in Raleigh, NC. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn Barton Grissom, sister, Grace Angermeyer of Wilmington, NC, brother, Bill Grissom of Marion, VA, brother Lynwood Grissom of Wilmington, NC, stepsons, Dan Andrews (Sandi) and Dick Andrews (Garnet) of Ocala, FL and numerous grandchildren, nieces, and nephew. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Mary, son, Clyde and daughter, Bonnie. As a young man during WWII he worked in the Wilmington shipyards building liberty cargo ships as a machinist. After the war he entered the family auto repair business. Later he decided to leave his home in Wilmington to go into business for himself. In accordance with his nature, in 1954 he packed his belongings and his family, moved to Florida and was determined to make Ocala his new home, never looking back. From his earliest days all who knew him witnessed his tireless work ethic. After moving to Ocala he worked as, among other things, an auctioneer, real estate broker, and investor. All his life this self-educated man had a curiosity that drove him always to be learning new things, whether he was operating his business or working in his workshop. He enjoyed fixing cars, small engines, and any other kind of machinery that needed fixing. Besides his family, learning something new, helping others, and completing a job successfully were among his greatest pleasures. No job was ever put off if it could be done right away. Two of his favorite mottoes were, "Why wait?" and "Always look to the future." When he took time away from his work he loved to invite family and friends to his home for birthday parties, Sunday school gatherings and the annual Grissom Easter egg hunt. He dearly loved his family and friends and often remarked when sitting around the dinner table that "every day is Thanksgiving." He ran with patience the race that was set before him and ran to obtain the prize. His family and friends will miss him. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County and the CFCC Foundation, P.O. Box 1388, Ocala, FL 34478. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, September 2, 2007 at the First United Methodist Church, Ocala, FL., the Reverend Dr. John Few officiating. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES OF DUNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/1/2007 - 9/3/2007.

735. GUZMAN, DIXON(Obituary No. 735.), 77 Ocala- Dixon Guzman at the age of 77, died on August 28, 2007. Dixon is the beloved husband of Gloria and father of Dixon Jr., Iris and Nilza. Grandfather of 9, great grandfather of 9, Dixon is the brother of Raphael, Filerberto and Flora and he also has many nieces and nephews. Services are private. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave. Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

736. LAMY, JUDITH RAE LEDWELL, (Obituary No. 736.) 60 Beverly Hills - Judith Rae Ledwell Lamy, 60 Beverly Hills, FL. died August 30, 2007 at Citrus Memorial Hospital under Hospice care. She was born Aug 6, 1947 in St. Petersburg, FL. She was preceded in death by her mother, Margaret Mary Browning Ledwell, St. Petersburg, formally of St. Mary Kentucky. Father, William Newell Ledwell, St. Petersburg, formally of North Carolina. Judy moved to Beverly Hills from St. Petersburg in 1982 and was co-owner and operator with her husband, Dudley Lamy of Lamy's Radiator and Auto Air in Beverly Hills for the past 25 years. She was a member of the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton's Catholic Church of Citrus Springs, FL. She was a part
in the first graduating class of "1965" from Notre Dame high school of St Petersburg, FL. and attended Notre Dame College of Baltimore, Maryland. Judy was previously employed and retired from GTE telephone Company of St. Petersburg, FL., she was also employed at Lamy's Radiator Service of St. Petersburg, FL 1972 thru 1982 and at that time the only Radiator bench repairwoman in the six southeastern United States. She was an avid bass fisherwoman and was widely known to out fish her husband, Dudley all the time. They co-produced the only Citrus County fishing map of Lake Rousseau, Rainbow River, Lake Panasoffkee and the entire length of the Withlacoochee River from Dunnellon to Nobleton Judy was also accomplished photojournalist. She loved her gardening and spending as much time in the Florida sun as possible. She loved all animals and was also known for her Boxer dogs. Judy was an extremely talented artist and accomplished wood carver. She could sing you a complete song, jingle or hymn from memory. Site loved the smell of fresh cut grass and something as simple as a hot shower! She was an avid football fan. Judy will be remembered as a thoughtful and generous spirit who always gave of herself to others. She will be lovingly missed by all those lives she has touched. Survivors include her husband Dudley of 34 years, brothers, Robert Newell Ledwell of St. Petersburg, Florida and Richard Ledwell of Erie, Pennsylvania, her devoted mother-in-law Theresa Doris Lamy, sister-in-law JoAnn Daniels and husband Lloyd of Crawfordville, sisters-in-law Debra Diligio and husband Lorenzo Of Spring Hill, Blanche Jarvis of Dunedin, brothers-in-law David Lamy and wife Norma and Joseph Lamy of St. Petersburg. Memorial Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, Citrus Springs will be announced at a later date. Funeral Mass will be at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, September 4, 2007 at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church in Crawfordville, FL. Burial will be at St. Elizabeth Cemetery. Family will receive friends from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Monday, September 3, 2007 at HARVEY-YOUNG FUNERAL HOME. Memorial contributions can be made to Judy Lamy Memorial Fund c/o Wakulla Bank, P.O. Box 610, Crawfordville, FL 32326. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

737. MILLER, SR., JOSEPH FRANCIS, (Obituary No. 737.) 89 Damascus, MD - Joseph Francis Miller, Sr., 89 Years 2 year resident of Damascus, MD., formerly of Dunnellon, died Wednesday, August 29, 2007 in Charlotte Hall, Maryland. He was born January 11, 1918 in North Hempstead, New York. He moved here in 1973 from Rockville, MD. Occupations: Corpsman in the U.S. Army during WWII and Korea. He was a member of the V.F.W. and the American Legion while in Maryland. Member of the Dunnellon Moose Lodge #2308. Member of the Rainbow Springs Golf and Country Club and was a golf enthusiast He is survived by: 4 sons: Joseph F. Miller, Jr., (Cindy), Murthy, N. Carolina: Robert J. Miller, Colonial Heights, VA. Glenn D. Miller (deceased wife Carol), Williamston, N. Carolina and John H. Miller, Damascus, MD; one daughter Anna M. Harrison (Curtis), Myrtle Beach, S. Carolina; sister Marion Pretsch; brother and sister-in-law Carl and Betty Stevens, Dunnellon 2 stepsons: Timothy Upleger (Diane) and Ellery Upleger, (Cindy), both of MI. He was preceded in death by his wife Katherine Louise Miller and Brother John Henry Miller. Also survived by 11 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren, 4 step grandchildren and I step great grandchild Viewing will be at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon on Wednesday, September 5, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Services will be at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon on Thursday, September 6,2007 at 10 a.m. with Pastor Rex Carringer of Riverland Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, STILL FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.
738. OEFFNER, LAWRENCE A. "LARRY", (Obituary No. 738.) 86 Ocala - Lawrence A. "Larry" Oeffner, 86; United States Air Force World War II Veteran, of Ocala, FL passed away at the Monroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, FL, on August 31, 2007. The family will receive friends at the residence, 6793 Easy Street, Ocala, FL 34472 on Tuesday Evening, September 4, 2007 from 6 p.m. till 8 p.m. A full life story and Obituary will follow in a couple of days. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE 1-800-467-7850 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

739. POUWELS, EDWARD L., (Obituary No. 739.) 89 De Pere, WI - Edward L. Pouwels, age 89, of De Pere, WI and Salt Springs, Florida, passed away on August 29, 2007 at the loving home of his son, Jim. He was born on February 25, 1918, the son of Frank and Jennie Pouwels. While he was born in Appleton, Ed lived most of his life in De Pere. Proudly serving his nation in World War II for several years, Ed served as an officer for two terms with the 32nd Field Artillery Division in New Guinea, and Australia, during which he had the opportunity to serve as a personal guard for General MacArthur. He spent his career in banking, retiring as President of the State Bank of De Pere (now Associated Bank). In 1987 he was recognized for 50 years in banking. He was actively involved in many organizations, often serving in leadership roles, including the Kiwanis and Golden Key Clubs, De Pere Chamber of Commerce, St. Mary's Church of De Pere, banking organizations and many other organizations to improve the community. These efforts were recognized when he received the St. Norbert College Alma Mater Award in 1976 and De Pere's Outstanding Citizen in 1981. Ed is survived by his wife Elvira "Vi," his children, Marie and Jim Elifritz of New Smyrna Beach, Florida, John and Lynn Pouwels of Franklin, Maine, Carole and Ron VandeWalle of Fish Creek, Joe and Mellie Pouwels of Naperville, Illinois, Jim and Joyce Pouwels of De Pere and Janet and Jay Loewi of Madison, along with 12 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren and Vi's children and grandchildren. He was preceded in death by Ingrid (Thunberg) Pouwels, his wife of 49 years, his parents, and his grandson, Joshua Pouwels. Friends may call at the Cotter Funeral Home, 860 N. Webster Ave., (920) 336-8702 on Monday from 5:30 to 8 p.m. Wake service 7:30 p.m. Visitation will continue on Tuesday from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic Community, Pope John XXIII Circle, off Sportsman Drive in the Town of Ledgeview. Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated 11 a.m. Tuesday at the church with Fr. David Duffeck officiating. Burial in the Mt. Olivet Cemetery. Ed's family would like to express their deep appreciation to the caregivers from Unity Hospice and Home Instead, especially Sharon, Julie, Audrey, Diane, Sigrid and Nikki for their loving care. In lieu of flowers, memorials can be sent to Unity Hospice, 2366 Oak Ridge Circle, De Pere, WI 54115 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

740. WEBB, IVA R., (Obituary No. 740.) 99 Hudson - Ms Ira R. Webb 99, passed away on August 28, 2007 in Hudson, Florida. She was born in Hoskins, Oregon but was raised in Florida. She was a Homemaker. She was a lifelong member of the United Methodist Church. She moved back to Florida in 1996 from New Jersey. She was predeceased by her husband Thomas R. Webb of 57 years and a son William T. Webb. She is survived by a daughter Mary Jane Wilson of Spring Hill, FL., and a son Douglas R. Webb of Walnut Creek, CA. Also 7 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren. A gathering will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. with a graveside service to follow at the Anthony Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/7/2007.

741. WILLIAMS, JIMMY DEAN, (Obituary No. 741.) 74 Reddick - Mr. Williams, 74, of Reddick, FL passed away at his residence on Tuesday, August 28, 2007. Born in Decatur, Illinois
he had made Reddick his home since 1996. Retired with 20 years of service from The US Air Force and for 16 years he was a math and electronics teacher for the Dade County School Board. He was an avid golfer and a member of the VFW and Korean War Veterans group. He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Lore I. Williams. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m., Wednesday, September 5, 2007 at Hiers FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/3/2007.

742. WILSON, ARMENDIA "MENDIA" CUPSTID, (Obituary No. 742.) 82 Ocala - Armendia "Mendia" Cupstid Wilson, 82, passed away in the comforts of her own home surrounded by her loving family and friends at 10:20 p.m., Saturday, August 25, 2007. She was the daughter of Benjamin Eleas and Pallie Stine Cupstid, who preceded her in death. She was preceded in death by three brothers, Melvin Asia Cupstid, Denver Lavel Cupstid and Purvis Cupstid. She was also preceded in death by two sisters, Tera Lambert, and Frances Elouise Hyde. She is survived by one sister Nell C. Lambert of Jayess, MS. She is survived by two brothers, Maxie Cupstid of Monticello, MS, and Emmit Cupstid and his wife Frances of Picayune, MS. She is survived by her only child, a daughter, Sharron A. Pulis and son-in-law, Allan of Ocala, Fl. One granddaughter, Shannon D. Munro, and her husband Keith of Ocala, FL, two grandsons Daniel J. Pulis and his wife Jeanne of Ocala, FL and Joseph A. Pulls and his wife Devyn of Ocala, FL. Six great grandchildren, Dalton J. Pulis, Brandon E. Munro, Jacob A. Munro, Gabrielle C. Munro, Hunter Q. Munro, Gabriel R. Pulis of Ocala, FL. Also one unborn Pulis baby due in February that Mendia Wilson hoped would be born on her birthday, February 7. She is survived by 29 nieces and nephews and loved them all. Mendia loved her garden and her flowers. She loved crafts and she loved to cook. Most of all she loved people with all her heart. She will be missed. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements by Hiers FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/5/2007.

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743. ANDERSON, MARGARET (Peggie) (Obituary No. 743.) , 93 Ocala - Born in Burntisland, Scotland, in November 1913, Margaret (Peggie) Anderson was the twelfth of thirteen children. Henry and Jessie Wilson moved the family to Ontario, Canada when Peggie was a youngster. In 1957, Harry, her husband, and Peggie moved their family to Winter Park, FL, where they resided for approximately twenty years. An eight year stay in Gainesville was concluded with a move to Ocala in 1985. Peggie was most recently a resident of Chambrel, and remained active in the community, including regular visits to her son's medical office to make sure he was doing a good job. She is survived by her daughter, Jessie Boudreau of Apopka and her son Dr. Norman Anderson and his wife Margaret, of Ocala. She has seven grandchildren, fifteen great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild. A Gathering will be held on Friday, September 7, 2007 from 5-7pm at Hiers FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL and Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 2pm at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kindred Spirits Sanctuary, PO Box 832091, Ocala, Florida 34483; or Interfaith Emergency Services, PO Box 992, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 9/7/2007.

744. BLACKWELL, ROSETTA M., (Obituary No. 744.) 81 Belleview - Rosetta M. Blackwell, 81, of Belleview, died September 2, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala. She was born in Waverly, TN and moved here from Ypsilanti, MI in 1994. Mrs. Blackwell worked 18 1/2
years as an assembler in the small parts division of Ford Motor Co. She was a member of Bellevue Church of Christ where she had helped cook for luncheons and helped with the homebound ministry. She is survived by her husband, Merlin W. Blackwell, Jr., Bellevue; sons, Larry Curtis, White Bluff, TN, and Donald B. Mitchell, Ypsilanti, MI; daughter, Vicky Wyese, Hillsdale, MI; stepson, Merlin H. Blackwell, III, Ypsilanti, MI; stepdaughters, Sandra Moore, Mary Esther, FL and Janice Van Wagoner, Atlanta, GA; sister, Julia Sugg, McEwin, TN; brothers, G. W. Miller, Paducah, KY, Johnny Miller, Camden, TN, Gene Miller, McEwin, TN, Thomas Miller, Belleville, MI; 18 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be at 1 PM, Wednesday, Sept. 5, 2007 at HIERs-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Bellevue with Minister Dan Mann officiating. Burial will be at Highland Cemetery, Ypsilanti, MI. Visitation will be from 5 p.m. - 7 p.m., Tuesday at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Bellevue Church of Christ or to Life Care Center of Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/4/2007 - 9/5/2007.

745. JORDAN, PHYLLIS ANN, (Obituary No. 745.) 80 Ocala - Phyllis Ann Jordan, 80, died on Saturday, September 1, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Taylorville, IL and moved to Ocala from Paris, IL in 1962. She retired after 20 years as secretary at Howard Middle School. She enjoyed gardening and crafts and loved her grandchildren and great grandchildren. Survivors include her daughter, Karla Long and husband William, her son, Kevin Jordan and wife Carol, her grandsons, Jarod and Jason Rhodes and Christopher and Kevin Jordan, Jr. and six great grandchildren. Graveside funeral services will be held on Thursday, September 6, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Woodlawn Cemetery with Rev. C. Patton Williams officiating. Arrangements by HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Those who wish to may make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/4/2007 - 9/5/2007.

746. LOGRECO, BRIAN L., (Obituary No. 746.) 49 Summerfield - Brian L. LoGreco, 49, Summerfield, passed away on Saturday, September 1, 2007. He was a native of Utica, Michigan. Brian was a pressman and was formerly employed by the Ocala Star Banner. He is survived by his wife of two years, Jackie LoGreco of Summerfield, son Brian L. LoGreco, Jr. of Homestead, FL; twin daughters, Kathie and Shannon LoGreco of Ocala; mother, Katherine LoGreco of Summerfield; brother, Lonnie LoGreco of Phoenix, AZ; sister Patricia Williams of Lady Lake and one grandchild. Mr. LoGreco was preceded in death by his father, Raymond LoGreco, Sr. in 1996 and a brother, Raymond LoGreco, Jr. in 2004. Friends will be received on Thursday, September 6, 2007 from 2 p.m. until time of service at 2:30 p.m. from FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME Chapel, Ocala.

747. RASNER, JOHN BURKE, (Obituary No. 747.) 57 Columbia, SC - John Burke Rasner, 57, died Thursday, August 30, 2007 in Columbia, SC. His passion for fishing only surpassed by his love for his family and friends. He is survived by his daughters, Heidi Bartholomew (Jason) and Gretchen Apple (Craig); grandchildren, Rasner Dyer, Foster Apple, and Skylar Elizabeth Bartholomew; sisters, Judith Glass, Carolyn Freeman (Sonny) and Jackie Higdon (Mike); and brothers, Ricky Rasner and Depp Rasner (Judy). A celebration of his life will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday at FERN CREEK FUNERAL HOME, 5406 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291 with cremation to follow. Visitation will be from noon until the time of the service on Tuesday. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/4/2007 - 9/5/2007.

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752. HUNTER, ELIZABETH B., (Obituary No. 752.) 91 Ocala - Elizabeth B. Hunter, 91, of Ocala, passed away Sept. 2nd. Born in Philadelphia, PA, she came to this area in 1949 from Feasterville, PA. She was a homemaker and an active member of Berean Baptist Church, Ocala. She was a loving and devoted wife of 68 years to Charles Hunter; loving mother to Jean Crawford of Morriston, FL; and loving grandmother to Ivy DeVita of Ocala, Shawn Stephens of Old Town, FL and great grandmother to Nick DeVita Jr., Deana DeVita and Cody Stephens. Visitation will be held at Berean Baptist Church (4800 SW 20th St. Ocala) on Thursday (Sept. 6th) from 10:30 to 11:30 AM followed by the Funeral Service. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Gideons International. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/5/2007 - 9/6/2007.

753. JARRATT, CAROL E., (Obituary No. 753.) 74 Ocala - Carol E. Jarratt, 74, passed away on Saturday, Sept. 1, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. She was born in New York, NY and moved to Ocala from Flagler Beach in 2000. She is survived by her loving husband, Justin J. Jarratt of Ocala, her son, Scott Jarratt of California City, CA, her sister. Helen Humphries of Daytona Beach and her brother, Armond Nirdlinger of Santa Rosa, CA. A private burial was held on Tuesday, September 4, 2007. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to the charity of choice. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/5/2007 - 9/6/2007.

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755. LOGRECO, BRIAN L., (Obituary No. 755.) 49 Summerfield - Brian L. LoGreco, 49, Summerfield, passed away on Saturday, September 1, 2007. He was a native of Utica, Michigan.
Brian was a pressman and was formerly employed by the Ocala Star Banner. He is survived by his wife of two years, Jackie LoGreco of Summerfield, son Brian L. LoGreco, Jr. of Homestead, FL; twin daughters, Kathie and Shannon LoGreco of Ocala; mother, Katherine LoGreco of Summerfield; brother, Lonnie LoGreco of Phoenix, AZ; sister Patricia Williams of Lady Lake and one grandchild. Mr. LoGreco was preceded in death by his father, Raymond LoGreco, Sr. in 1996 and a brother, Raymond LoGreco, Jr. in 2004. Friends will be received on Thursday, September 6, 2007 from 2 p.m. until time of service at 2:30 p.m. from FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/4/2007 - 9/6/2007.

756. MCNEAL, USNR (RET.) CAPT. HERBERT P., (Obituary No. 756.) 97 Winter Park, FL - CAPT Herbert P. McNeal, USNR (Ret.) Preceded in death by parents, A.T. and Lucy M. McNeal; brothers, A.T. Jr.and James and sister, Annie Lucy Vause, Mr. McNeal was born in Sugar Hill, Hall County, Georgia in 1910. The family moved to Florida in 1921, and he spent his youth and young manhood at Ocala. He was graduated from the University of Florida in 1937 with a Bachelor of Arts in Journalism, with honors. He afterward worked as a reporter for the Ocala Morning Banner before becoming a deputy clerk of Circuit Court. In 1943, he returned to the Banner as editor and when the paper was consolidated with the Evening Star, became the first city editor of the Ocala Star-Banner. He was married to Louise Pless Morrow in 1937, and adopted her daughter Joan. He began active duty in the U.S. Naval Reserve in 1943 as a Lieut. (J.G.) and served, mostly the Atlantic. After the war he served as Industrial Relations Officer for the Naval activities at Key West until released to inactive duty in 1947. He remained in the Naval Reserve and retired as a Captain in 1970. He was Civilian Personnel Office at the U.S. Naval Base, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba from June 1947 until January 1965, when he returned to Naval Base, Key West in a similar position and worked until retirement in 1971. He and his wife moved to Winter Park in March 1971, and she died in October. He was married in 1972 to Nell Pless, of Natchez, Mississippi, who had three daughters and a son. In addition to newspaper experience, Capt. McNeal wrote articles for many magazines, including Outdoor Life, Field and Stream, Outdoors, Hunting and Fishing, Naval Institute Proceedings, American Philatelist, Florida Living, and others. He was a collector of Florida postal history, and won gold awards for his exhibits at two shows. He also became a part-time postal history dealer, and was an honorary life member of the Florida Stamp Dealers Association. He was a past president of the Florida Postal History Society. He was a life member of the U.S. Naval Institute, a life member of the American Philatelic Society, member of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, University of Florida Alumni Association, life member of the Military Officers Association of America, member of the American Legion, and Central Florida Stamp Club. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Winter Park, and served two terms as a deacon. He is survived by his wife, Nell; daughters, Joan Naylor of Las Vegas, NV., Kathi Batchelor of Minneola, TX., Jean Pless of Ward, Co., Margaret Davidson of Casselberry, FL and son, David Pless of Studio City, CA.; sisters, Bettie Brown, Sarah Caldwell, Shirley Morgan and Jacqueline Tortora all of Ocala, FL. and Elinor Dose of Gainesville, FL.; brothers, Raymond McNeal and Norton McNeal of Ocala, FL.; 10 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and 1 great-great grandchild. Funeral services will be held Thursday, September 6, 2007 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Winter Park, 1021 N. New York Avenue, Winter Park, FL. Interment will follow, with military honors, at Palm Cemetery, Winter Park, FL. Reception at the church following the military graveside service. Visitation 1 hour prior at the Church. Services entrusted to CAREY HAND COX-PARKER FUNERAL HOME, 1350 W. Fairbanks Avenue, Winter Park, Fl 32789 407-647-1942. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/5/2007 - 9/6/2007.
757. RASNER, JOHN BURKE, (Obituary No. 757.) 57 Columbia, SC - John Burke Rasner, 57, died Thursday, August 30, 2007 in Columbia, SC. His passion for fishing only surpassed by his love for his family and friends. He is survived by his daughters, Heidi Bartholomew (Jason) and Gretchen Apple (Craig); grandchildren, Rasner Dyer, Foster Apple, and Skylar Elizabeth Bartholomew; sisters, Judith Glass, Carolyn Freeman (Sonny) and Jackie Higdon (Mike); and brothers, Ricky Rasner and Depp Rasner (Judy). A celebration of his life will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday at FERN CREEK FUNERAL HOME, 5406 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291 with cremation to follow. Visitation will be from noon until the time of the service on Tuesday. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/4/2007 - 9/5/2007.

758. WEBB, IVA R., (Obituary No. 758.) 99 Hudson - Ms Ira R. Webb 99, passed away on August 28, 2007 in Hudson, Florida. She was born in Hoskins, Oregon but was raised in Florida. She was a Homemaker. She was a lifelong member of the United Methodist Church. She moved back to Florida in 1996 from New Jersey. She was predeceased by her husband Thomas R. Webb of 57 years and a son William T. Webb. She is survived by a daughter Mary Jane Wilson of Spring Hill, FL, and a son Douglas R. Webb of Walnut Creek, CA. Also 7 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren. A gathering will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. with a graveside service to follow at the Anthony Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/7/2007.

759. WILSON, ARMENDIA "MENDIA" CUPSTID, (Obituary No. 759.) 82 Ocala - Armendia "Mendia" Cupstid Wilson, 82, passed away in the comforts of her own home surrounded by her loving family and friends at 10:20 p.m., Saturday, August 25, 2007. She was the daughter of Benjamin Eleas and Pallie Stine Cupstid, who preceded her in death. She was preceded in death by three brothers, Melvin Asia Cupstid, Denver Lavel Cupstid and Purvis Cupstid. She was also preceded in death by two sisters, Tera Lambert, and Frances Elouise Hyde. She is survived by one sister Nell C. Lambert of Jayess, MS. She is survived by two brothers, Maxie Cupstid of Monticello, MS, and Emmit Cupstid and his wife Frances of Picayune, MS. She is survived by her only child, a daughter, Sharron A. Pulis and son-in-law, Allan of Ocala, Fl. One granddaughter, Shannon D. Munro, and her husband Keith of Ocala, FL. two grandsons Daniel J. Pulis and his wife Jeanne of Ocala, FL. and Joseph A. Pulls and his wife Devyn of Ocala, FL. Six great grandchildren, Dalton J. Pulis, Brandon E. Munro, Jacob A. Munro, Gabrielle C. Munro, Hunter Q. Munro, Gabriel R. Pulis of Ocala, FL. Also one unborn Pulis baby due in February that Mendia Wilson hoped would be born on her birthday, February 7. She is survived by 29 nieces and nephews and loved them all. Mendia loved her garden and her flowers. She loved crafts and she loved to cook. Most of all she loved people with all her heart. She will be missed. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements by HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/5/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, September 6, 2007

760. ANDERSON, MARGARET (PEGGIE) (Obituary No. 760.) , 93 Ocala - Born in Burntisland, Scotland, in November 1913, Margaret (Peggie) Anderson was the twelfth of thirteen children. Henry and Jessie Wilson moved the family to Ontario, Canada when Peggie was a youngster. In 1957, Harry, her husband, and Peggie moved their family to Winter Park, FL, where they resided for approximately twenty years. An eight year stay in Gainesville was
concluded with a move to Ocala in 1985. Peggie was most recently a resident of Chambrel, and remained active in the community, including regular visits to her son's medical office to make sure he was doing a good job. She is survived by her daughter, Jessie Boudreau of Apopka and her son Dr. Norman Anderson and his wife Margaret, of Ocala. She has seven grandchildren, fifteen great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild. A Gathering will be held on Friday, September 7, 2007 from 5-7pm at HIERS FUMERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL and Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 2pm at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kindred Spirits Sanctuary, PO Box 832091, Ocala, Florida 34483; or Interfaith Emergency Services, PO Box 992, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 9/7/2007.

761. BREWSTER, LIZZIE BELLE, (Obituary No. 761.) 80 Reddick - Funeral Services will be on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 2 p.m., Reddick Church of God, Reddick, FL Elder James Russell will conduct the words of comfort. A wake service will be held at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday at 7 p.m. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. until time of the wake. Family and Friends are asked to meet at the Brewster's residence (2925 NW 157th Place, Reddick, FL) on Saturday at 1:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing will follow the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories to Mrs. Brewster are daughters, Vernease P. Bell, Orlando, FL and Millicent Brewster, Ocala; sons, Whitfield, Brewster, Tampa, FL., Winston T. Brewster, Reddick, FL and Herbert Brewster, JR., Savanna, Georgia; sisters, Rethia Legall, Ocala, FL., Amelia Perry, Hollywood, FL., Beulah Harvey, Reddick, FL., Roger Dean Griffin, St. Cloud, FL; brothers, Cornelius Baker, Ocala, FL., Josephus Baker and Emanuel Baker both of Reddick, FL; 19 grandchildren and 47 great grandchildren. Arrangements by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

762. FOTHERGILL, REX A., (Obituary No. 762.) 71 Ft. McCoy - Rex A. Fothergill, 71, of Ft. McCoy, passed away September 1, 2007 at Hospice's Tuscany House. Born in Goodland, TX, he came to this area 15 years ago from Ft. Myers, FL. He was a US Air Force Veteran of Korea, a master plumber/pipe fitter for 47 years, Baptist by faith and a member of American Legion Post #0027 Ocala. He is survived by dear friend and companion, Wanda Uhler; daughter, Kim Harrison of Ft. Wayne, IN, Kristina Hoke of Angola, IN and Karen Cshuta of Colorado Springs, Co; sister, Nieva Spencer (Paul) of Portland, OR; brothers, Jack and Dale Fothergill both of Ft. Wayne, IN; 7 grandchildren and 1 great granddaughter. A Memorial Service and Inurnment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens will occur at a later date. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

763. HICKMAN, HAROLD DAVID, (Obituary No. 763.) 91 Ocala - Harold David Hickman, age 91, died on September 2, 2007. He was the son of Ida Mae Paul and James Hickman of Mt. Ephraim, NJ. He was a decorated WWII veteran, the recipient of the Bronze Star who served in European Theatre, Third Division. He was a career Army officer. He settled in Mt. Holly, NJ after retirement at Ft. Dix. He established a second career at RCA in Cherry Hill, NJ and a third as a real estate broker. Harold and his wife Helen settled in Ocala in 1979. Until recently a passionate golfer and active member of Pine Oaks Golf Club and the Kingdom of the Sun Chapter of Military Officers Association, of America. Harold leaves behind his wife Helen (Yakubehik); daughter, Diane Benson of Colnasset Mass; grandsons, Derek and Adam Benson and beloved family member Jack and Susan Hayes; sisters, Hazel (Hickman) Ray, Eleanor
(Hickman) Kelly and many nieces and nephews. Visiting hours are Friday from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. Interment will be at Arlington National Cemetery at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

764. HUNTER, ELIZABETH B., (Obituary No. 764.) 91 Ocala - Elizabeth B. Hunter, 91, of Ocala, passed away Sept. 2nd. Born in Philadelphia, PA, she came to this area in 1949 from Feasterville, PA. She was a homemaker and an active member of Berean Baptist Church, Ocala. She was a loving and devoted wife of 68 years to Charles Hunter; loving mother to Jean Crawford of Morriston, FL; and loving grandmother to Ivy DeVita of Ocala, Shawn Stephens of Old Town, FL and great grandmother to Nick DeVita Jr., Deana DeVita and Cody Stephens. Visitation will be held at Berean Baptist Church (4800 SW 20th St. Ocala) on Thursday (Sept. 6th) from 10:30 to 11:30 AM followed by the Funeral Service. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Gideons International. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, OCALA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/5/2007 - 9/6/2007.

765. JARRATT, CAROL E., (Obituary No. 765.) 74 Ocala - Carol E. Jarratt, 74, passed away on Saturday, Sept. 1, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. She was born in New York, NY and moved to Ocala from Flagler Beach in 2000. She is survived by her loving husband, Justin J. Jarratt of Ocala, her son, Scott Jarratt of California City, CA, her sister, Helen Humphries of Daytona Beach and her brother, Armond Nirdlinger of Santa Rosa, CA. A private burial was held on Tuesday, September 4, 2007, In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to the charity of choice. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/5/2007 - 9/6/2007.

766. LOGRECO, BRIAN L., (Obituary No. 766.) 49 Summerfield - Brian L. LoGreco, 49, Summerfield, passed away on Saturday, September 1, 2007. He was a native of Utica, Michigan. Brian was a pressman and was formerly employed by the Ocala Star Banner. He is survived by his wife of two years, Jackie LoGreco of Summerfield, son Brian L. LoGreco, Jr. of Homestead, FL; twin daughters, Kathie and Shannon LoGreco of Ocala; mother, Katherine LoGreco of Summerfield; brother, Lonnie LoGreco of Phoenix, AZ; sister Patricia Williams of Lady Lake and one grandchild. Mr. LoGreco was preceded in death by his father, Raymond LoGreco, Sr. in 1996 and a brother, Raymond LoGreco, Jr. in 2004. Friends will be received on Thursday, September 6, 2007 from 2 p.m. until time of service at 2:30 p.m. from FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/4/2007 - 9/6/2007.

767. MARTIN, SR., HOWARD B., (Obituary No. 767.) 85 Ocala - Mr. Howard B. Martin, Sr., 85, passed away in Ocala on September 3, 2007. He was born in Wilmington, NC. He was retired from Pfizer Pharmaceutical and Cummer Inc. of Ocala. He moved to the area in 1955 from Wilmington, NC. He served in the Army during WWII. He is predeceased by his loving wife of 64 years Ann. He is survived by his daughter Frances Martin of Jupiter, FL and a son Howard Martin, Jr. of Ocala, FL. A Graveside Service will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St., Ocala on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 12:30 p.m. Arrangements ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala (352) 622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/4/2007 - 9/6/2007.

768. MCNEAL, USNR (RET.) CAPT. HERBERT P. (Obituary No. 768.) 97 Winter Park, FL - CAPT Herbert P. McNeal, USNR (Ret.) Preceded in death by parents, A.T. and Lucy M. McNeal; brothers, A.T. Jr.and James and sister, Annie Lucy Vause, Mr. McNeal was born in Sugar Hill, Hall County, Georgia in 1910. The family moved to Florida in 1921, and he spent his
youth and young manhood at Ocala. He was graduated from the University of Florida in 1937 with a Bachelor of Arts in Journalism, with honors. He afterward worked as a reporter for the Ocala Morning Banner before becoming a deputy clerk of Circuit Court. In 1943, he returned to the Banner as editor and when the paper was consolidated with the Evening Star, became the first city editor of the Ocala Star-Banner. He was married to Louise Pless Morrow in 1937, and adopted her daughter Joan. He began active duty in the U.S. Naval Reserve in 1943 as a Lieut. (J.G.) and served, mostly the Atlantic. After the war he served as Industrial Relations Officer for the Naval activities at Key West until released to inactive duty in 1947. He remained in the Naval Reserve and retired as a Captain in 1970. He was Civilian Personnel Office at the U.S. Naval Base, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba from June 1947 until January 1965, when he returned to Naval Base, Key West in a similar position and worked until retirement in 1971. He and his wife moved to Winter Park in March 1971, and she died in October. He was married in 1972 to Nell Pless, of Natchez, Mississippi, who had three daughters and a son. In addition to newspaper experience, Capt. McNeal wrote articles for many magazines, including Outdoor Life, Field and Stream, Outdoors, Hunting and Fishing, Naval Institute Proceedings, American Philatelist, Florida Living, and others. He was a collector of Florida postal history, and won gold awards for his exhibits at two shows. He also became a part-time postal history dealer, and was an honorary life member of the Florida Stamp Dealers Association. He was a past president of the Florida Postal History Society. He was a life member of the U.S. Naval Institute, a life member of the American Philatelic Society, member of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, University of Florida Alumni Association, life member of the Military Officers Association of America, member of the American Legion, and Central Florida Stamp Club. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Winter Park, and served two terms as a deacon. He is survived by his wife, Nell; daughters, Joan Naylor of Las Vegas, NV., Kathi Batchelor of Minneola, TX., Jean Pless of Ward, Co., Margaret Davidson of Casselberry, FL and son, David Pless of Studio City, CA.; sisters, Bettie Brown, Sarah Caldwell, Shirley Morgan and Jacqueline Tortora all of Ocala, FL. and Elinor Dose of Gainesville, FL.; brothers, Raymond McNeal and Norton McNeal of Ocala, FL.; 10 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and 1 great-great grandchild. Funeral services will be held Thursday, September 6, 2007 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Winter Park, 1021 N. New York Avenue, Winter Park, FL. Interment will follow, with military honors, at Palm Cemetery, Winter Park, FL. Reception at the church following the military graveside service. Visitation 1 hour prior at the Church. Services entrusted to CAREY HAND COX-PARKER FUNERAL HOME, 1350 W. Fairbanks Avenue, Winter Park, FL 32789 407-647-1942. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/5/2007 - 9/6/2007.

769. MONTGOMERY, NORRIS LENORA (THELMA), (Obituary No. 769.) 69 Ocala - Ms. Norris (Thelma) Lenora Montgomery, age 69, passed away on September 1, 2007 at Kindred Hospital of Ocala, FL. She was a retired Supervisor at Ocala Juvenile Detention Center. Ms. Montgomery leaves to cherish two loving children, daughter, Norris (Lawrence) Agnew, Coleman, FL and son, Ran Sterling Montgomery, Ocala, FL; 6 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren; brother, Lee Andrew (Milton) Johnson, Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, September 8, 2008 at The Theological Seminary. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

770. NORTON, LILLIAN E., (Obituary No. 770.) 89 Ocala- Lillian E. Norton, 89, Ocala, FL., died September 3, 2007 at her home. A native of Far Rockaway, L.I., New York, she relocated to Marion County in 2000 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL where she resided for 27 years, before that she
called Miami, FL her home since the 1930’s. Mrs. Norton was a seamstress, as well as a Red Cross swimming instructor. She enjoyed cooking, traveling, raising her horses, and prized show dogs. Lillian is survived by her husband of 68 years, Robert E. Norton, sons, Larry R. (Barbara) Norton, Glenn R. (Carolyn) Norton, and Brett L. Norton, all of Ocala, FL, by her daughter, Judy D. Bruning of Keystone Heights, FL, and by 9 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 1:30 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East with Pastor Danny Smartt officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to services. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to; Lake Area Bible Church for the Life Christian University Scholarship Fund at 7085 CR 214 Melrose, FL 32666. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of Arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

771. O'NEILL, DORIS S., (Obituary No. 771.) 73 Ocala - Doris S. O'Neill, 73, of Ocala, passed away September 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Braintree, MA, she came to this area in 1992 from S. Weymouth, MA. She was a homemaker, an avid reader and enjoyed painting and crafting. She is survived by her daughter, Terrylee Davenport of Ocala; son, James O'Neill, Jr. of Watertown, MA; sister, Judi Augustine of New Smyrna Beach, FL; 4 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, James G. O'Neill and son, Kevin K. O'Neill. Private memorial services will be held at a later date. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

772. OEFFNER, LAWRENCE A. "LARRY", (Obituary No. 772.) 86 Ocala - Lawrence A. "Larry" Oeffner, 86; Funeral is 12:30 p.m., Monday, September 10, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Avenue, Bushnell, FL 33513 with the United States Marine Corps Military Funeral Honors Team, officiating. Visit www.veteransfuneralcare.com for complete funeral notice and to sign on-line guestbook. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE 1-800-467-7850. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

773. ROBINSON, MARION L., (Obituary No. 773.) 71 Silver Springs - Marion L. Robinson, 71, of Silver Springs, FL died September 3, 2007. She was born January 4, 1936 in Hammond, NY. She relocated to Summerfield in 1972. She enjoyed cook-outs and spending time with family. She was the loving mother of 8 children, Bill (Kathy) Ayen, NY., Velvet (Shine) Mikesell FL., Tina (Jody) Peebles, FL., Bobby Dunning, PA., Betty Jo (Warren) Hughes, FL., Mary Lou Dunning, WL., Ernest Robinson, FL., Harry (Tara) Robinson, FL. Marion had 17 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren, 4 sisters and 4 brothers. Marion also had many beloved relatives and friends. Visitation will be held on Friday, September 3, 2007 between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480 with graveside services to follow at 3 p.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

774. WEBB, IVA R., (Obituary No. 774.) 99 Hudson - Ms Ira R. Webb 99, passed away on August 28, 2007 in Hudson, Florida. She was born in Hoskins, Oregon but was raised in Florida. She was a Homemaker. She was a lifelong member of the United Methodist Church. She moved back to Florida in 1996 from New Jersey. She was predeceased by her husband Thomas R. Webb of 57 years and a son William T. Webb. She is survived by a daughter Mary Jane Wilson of Spring Hill, FL., and a son Douglas R. Webb of Walnut Creek, CA. Also 7 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren. A gathering will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL.
with a graveside service to follow at the Anthony Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/7/2007.

775. WHEELER, SR., BRYON KEITH, (Obituary No. 775.) 47 Ocala - Funeral Services will be on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 10 a.m., New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Reverend Willie Kincade will conduct the words of comfort. Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks, presiding. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Dexture Wheeler (2208 S.W. 6th St., Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 9:15 a.m. to form the Funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Wheeler who was preceded in death by a father, Andrew Wheeler and sister, Vanessa Grant; children, Bryon K. Wheeler, JR., and Brent Wheeler, Ocala, FL; parents, Pastor Nathaniel Sr. and Mary B. Jones, Newberry, FL; sister, Patricia Hill Minter, Buena Vista, GA; brothers, Ronald Wheeler, Philadelphia, PA, Curtis E. Bell, Sr., Bryon K. Wheeler, Dexture Wheeler, all of Ocala, FL and Nathaniel Jones, Jr., Lakeland, FL; step-sister, Stacy Wilcox, Tallahassee, FL; step-brother, William Snow, Ocala, FL; devoted Godmother, Minister Charolette Lawrence, Ocala, FL; and a devoted friend and caregiver, Stefon Polite, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

776. WILSON, SR., JOHN R., (Obituary No. 776.) 88 Zephyrhills - John R. Wilson Sr., resident of Zephyrhills, FL died August 30, 2007 at Hawthorne Village in Ocala, FL. Mr. Wilson was born in Arlington, MA on June 6, 1919, a son of the late Bertul & Anna (Krauklis) Wilson. He lived in Zephyrhills, Florida for the past 23 years and formerly resided in Dover, NH and Amherst, NH. Mr. Wilson had been employed as a nuclear power plant fitter for C.E. Avery Company, Newington, NH for over 20 years. He was a charter member of Christ the King Lutheran Church, Nashua and attended Good Shepard Lutheran Church in Florida. Mr. Wilson was a U.S. Army Veteran of WWII and proudly served in Australia, Southern Philippines, New Guinea and Luzon. In addition, he was a member of the American Legion. He enjoyed gardening, carpentry and reading, with a particular passion for historical novels. A dream he fulfilled, was to travel to Latvia, his parent's homeland, in 1992 with his brother, Carl. He was a loving husband, a devoted father, grandfather and great grandfather. Mr. Wilson was predeceased by 3 sisters, Bertha Hynes, Ann Swamstrom and Sally Dyer; a brother, Willis Wilson. Family members include his wife, Barbara L. (Thorn) Wilson of Ocala, FL with whom he would have celebrated 61 years of marriage on August 31st, 4 daughters and sons-in-law, Beverly & David Gage of Wilton, NH, Priscilla & Terry Clarkson of Hopkinton, NH, Christine & Clinton Lefabvre Ocala, FL, Barbara & Bill Wurst of Amherst, NH; a son, John R. Wilson Jr. of Milford, NH; 6 Grandchildren; 6 Great-Grandchildren; a sister, Lucy Lawlor of Malden, MA; 2 brothers, Carl Wilson of Billerica, MA and Arvid Wilson of Mont Vernon, NH; many nieces and nephews. A visiting hour will be held Thursday, September 6th from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the Messiah Lutheran Church 303 Route 101, Amherst, NH. Funeral services will follow at 11 a.m. Burial will be in Meadowview Cemetery, Amherst, NH, with Military honors. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34476 or charity of one's choice. SMITH & HEALD FUNERAL HOME, 63 Elm Street, Milford, NH, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.
ANDERSON, MARGARET (PEGGIE), (Obituary No. 777.) 93 Ocala - Born in Burntisland, Scotland, in November 1913, Margaret (Peggie) Anderson was the twelfth of thirteen children. Henry and Jessie Wilson moved the family to Ontario, Canada when Peggie was a youngster. In 1957, Harry, her husband, and Peggie moved their family to Winter Park, FL, where they resided for approximately twenty years. An eight year stay in Gainesville was concluded with a move to Ocala in 1985. Peggie was most recently a resident of Chambrel, and remained active in the community, including regular visits to her son's medical office to make sure he was doing a good job. She is survived by her daughter, Jessie Boudreau of Apopka and her son Dr. Norman Anderson and his wife Margaret, of Ocala. She has seven grandchildren, fifteen great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild. A Gathering will be held on Friday, September 7, 2007 from 5-7pm at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL and Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 2pm at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kindred Spirits Sanctuary, PO Box 832091, Ocala, Florida 34483; or Interfaith Emergency Services, PO Box 992, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 8/30/2007 - 9/7/2007.

BREWSTER, LIZZIE BELLE, (Obituary No. 778.) 80 Reddick - Funeral Services will be on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 2 p.m., Reddick Church of God, Reddick, FL Elder James Russell will conduct the words of comfort. A wake service will be held at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday at 7 p.m. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. until time of the wake. Family and Friends are asked to meet at the Brewster's residence (2925 NW 157th Place, Reddick, FL) on Saturday at 1:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing will follow the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories to Mrs. Brewster are daughters, Vernease P. Bell, Orlando, FL and Millicent Brewster, Ocala; sons, Whitfield, Brewster, Tampa, FL., Winston T. Brewster, Reddick, FL and Herbert Brewster, JR., Savanna, Georgia; sisters, Rethia Legall, Ocala, FL., Amelia Perry, Hollywood, FL., Beulah Harvey, Reddick, FL., Roger Dean Griffin, St. Cloud, FL; brothers, Cornelius Baker, Ocala, FL., Josephus Baker and Emanuel Baker both of Reddick, FL; 19 grandchildren and 47 great grandchildren. Arrangements by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

FOTHERGILL, REX A., (Obituary No. 779.) 71 Ft. McCoy - Rex A. Fothergill, 71, of Ft. McCoy, passed away September 1, 2007 at Hospice's Tuscany House. Born in Goodland, TX, he came to this area 15 years ago from Ft. Myers, FL. He was a US Air Force Veteran of Korea, a master plumber/pipe fitter for 47 years, Baptist by faith and a member of American Legion Post #0027 Ocala. He is survived by dear friend and companion, Wanda Uhler; daughter, Kim Harrison of Ft. Wayne, IN, Kristina Hoke of Angola, IN and Karen Chuta of Colorado Springs, Co; sister, Nieva Spencer (Paul) of Portland, OR; brothers, Jack and Dale Fothergill both of Ft. Wayne, IN; 7 grandchildren and 1 great granddaughter. A Memorial Service and Inurnment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens will occur at a later date. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

HICKMAN, HAROLD DAVID, (Obituary No. 780.) 91 Ocala - Harold David Hickman, age 91, died on September 2, 2007. He was the son of Ida Mae Paul and James Hickman of Mt. Ephraim, NJ. He was a decorated WWII veteran, the recipient of the Bronze Star who served in European Theatre, Third Division. He was a career Army officer. He settled in Mt. Holly, NJ after retirement at Ft. Dix. He established a second career at RCA in Cherry Hill, NJ and a third
as a real estate broker. Harold and his wife Helen settled in Ocala in 1979. Until recently a passionate golfer and active member of Pine Oaks Golf Club and the Kingdom of the Sun Chapter of Military Officers Association, of America. Harold leaves behind his wife Helen (Yakubehik); daughter, Diane Benson of Colnasset Mass; grandsons, Derek and Adam Benson and beloved family member Jack and Susan Hayes; sisters, Hazel (Hickman) Ray, Eleanor (Hickman) Kelly and many nieces and nephews. Visiting hours are Friday from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. Interment will be at Arlington National Cemetery at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

781. MARTIN, SR., HOWARD B., (Obituary No. 781.) 85 Ocala - Mr. Howard B. Martin, Sr., 85, passed away in Ocala on September 3, 2007. He was born in Wilmington, NC. He was retired from Pfizer Pharmaceutical and Cummer Inc. of Ocala. He moved to the area in 1955 from Wilmington, NC. He served in the Army during WWII. He is predeceased by his loving wife of 64 years Ann. He is survived by his daughter Frances Martin of Jupiter, FL and a son Howard Martin, Jr. of Ocala, FL. A Graveside Service will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St., Ocala on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 12:30 p.m. Arrangements ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala (352) 622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/9/2007.

782. MONTGOMERY, NORRIS LENORA (THELMA), (Obituary No. 782.) 69 Ocala - Ms. Norris (Thelma) Lenora Montgomery, age 69, passed away on September 1, 2007 at Kindred Hospital of Ocala, FL. She was a retired Supervisor at Ocala Juvenile Detention Center. Ms. Montgomery leaves to cherish two loving children, daughter, Norris (Lawrence) Agnew, Coleman, FL and son, Ran Sterling, Montgomery, Ocala, FL; 6 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren; brother, Lee Andrew (Milton) Johnson, Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, September 8, 2008 at The Theological Seminary. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

783. MURPHY, RALPH LAVAR, (Obituary No. 783.) 23 Crystal River - Ralph Lavar Murphy, 23, Crystal River, FL passed away on Monday, September 3, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Ralph graduated in 2002 from Forest High School, Ocala, FL. He was a construction worker by trade. Survivors include, parents, Ralph and Gretchen Murphy, Crystal River, FL; one brother, Reginald Murphy, Crystal River, FL; three sisters, Regina Murphy, Rachelle Murphy, Rashawndra Murphy, all of Crystal River, FL; maternal grandmother, Vera (Sam) Parker, Crystal River, FL; great grandmother, Dorothy Middleton, Punta Gorda, FL; five aunts, Alfreda (Donald) Westbrook, Cheyenne, WY, Latanya Murphy, Phoenix, AZ, Pamela Murphy, Kimberly Murphy, Neptune, NJ, Bridgette Parker, Crystal River, FL; three uncles, Stephon (Marcola) Parker, Cheyenne, WY, Carl Parker, Crystal River, FL, Daniel Maxwell, Crystal River, FL; nephew, David Preston Rogers, Jr., Crystal River, FL; a host of cousins and friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church, 2105 N. Georgia Road, Crystal River, FL with Minister Al Hopkins officiating. Public viewing will be held on Friday, September 7, 2007 from 1 p.m. until 7 p.m. at New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Svc.s., Inc., 713 NE 5th Terrace, Crystal River, FL. Arrangements by NEW SERENITY MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME & CREMATION SVCS., INC. CRYSTAL RIVER, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/7/2007 - 9/8/2007.

784. NORTON, LILLIAN E., (Obituary No. 784.) 89 Ocala- Lillian E. Norton, 89, Ocala, FL., died September 3, 2007 at her home. A native of Far Rockaway, L.I., New York, she relocated to
Marion County in 2000 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL where she resided for 27 years, before that she called Miami, FL her home since the 1930's. Mrs. Norton was a seamstress, as well as a Red Cross swimming instructor. She enjoyed cooking, traveling, raising her horses, and prized show dogs. Lillian is survived by her husband of 68 years, Robert E. Norton, sons, Larry R. (Barbara) Norton, Glenn R. (Carolyn) Norton, and Brett L. Norton, all of Ocala, FL, by her daughter, Judy D. Bruning of Keystone Heights, FL, and by 9 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 1:30 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East with Pastor Danny Smartt officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to services. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to; Lake Area Bible Church for the Life Christian University Scholarship Fund at 7085 CR 214 Melrose, FL 32666. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of Arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

785. O’NEILL, DORIS S., (Obituary No. 785.) 73Ocala - Doris S. O'Neill, 73, of Ocala, passed away September 2, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Braintree, MA, she came to this area in 1992 from S. Weymouth, MA. She was a homemaker, an avid reader and enjoyed painting and crafting. She is survived by her daughter, Terrylee Davenport of Ocala; son, James O'Neill, Jr. of Watertown, MA; sister, Judi Augustine of New Smyrna Beach, FL; 4 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, James G. O'Neill and son, Kevin K. O'Neill. Private memorial services will be held at a later date. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

786. OEFFNER, LAWRENCE A."LARRY"(Obituary No. 786.) 86, Ocala - Lawrence A. "Larry" Oeffner, 86; Funeral is 12:30 p.m., Monday, September 10, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Avenue, Bushnell, FL 33513 with the United States Marine Corps Military Funeral Honors Team, officiating. Visit www.veteransfuneralcare.com for complete funeral notice and to sign on-line guestbook. VETERANS FUNERAL CARE 1-800-467-7850. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

787. REXROAD, KATHLEEN(Obituary No. 787.) 67Ocala - Kathleen Rexroad at the age of 67 passed away on September 2, 2007. She was the wife of Conard Rexroad, mother of Steven Rexroad and grandmother of Steven and Matthew Rexroad. She was also the sister of Corrine Warren and she has several nieces and nephews. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Services are private. In lieu of flowers family request donations their favorite charity. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/7/2007 - 9/8/2007.

788. ROBINSON, MARION L., (Obituary No. 788.) 71Silver Springs - Marion L. Robinson, 71, of Silver Springs, FL died September 3, 2007. She was born January 4, 1936 in Hammond, NY. She relocated to Summerfield in 1972. She enjoyed cook-outs and spending time with family. She was the loving mother of 8 children, Bill (Kathy) Ayen, NY., Velvet (Shine) Mikesell FL., Tina (Jody) Peebles, FL., Bobby Dunning, PA., Betty Jo (Warren) Hughes, FL., Mary Lou Dunning, WI., Ernest Robinson, FL., Harry (Tara) Robinson, FL. Marion had 17 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren, 4 sisters and 4 brothers. Marion also had many beloved relatives and friends. Visitation will be held on Friday, September 3, 2007 between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480 with graveside services to follow at 3 p.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.
789. WEBB, IVA R., (Obituary No. 789.) 99Hudson - Ms Ira R. Webb 99, passed away on August 28, 2007 in Hudson, Florida. She was born in Hoskins, Oregon but was raised in Florida. She was a Homemaker. She was a lifelong member of the United Methodist Church. She moved back to Florida in 1996 from New Jersey. She was predeceased by her husband Thomas R. Webb of 57 years and a son William T. Webb. She is survived by a daughter Mary Jane Wilson of Spring Hill, FL., and a son Douglas R. Webb of Walnut Creek, CA. Also 7 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren. A gathering will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. with a graveside service to follow at the Anthony Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/2/2007 - 9/7/2007.

790. WHEELER, SR., BRYON KEITH, (Obituary No. 790.) 47Ocala - Funeral Services will be on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 10 a.m., New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Reverend Willie Kincade will conduct the words of comfort. Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks, presiding. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Dexture Wheeler (2208 S.W. 6th St., Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 9:15 a.m. to form the Funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Wheeler who was preceded in death by a father, Andrew Wheeler and sister, Vanessa Grant; children, Bryon K. Wheeler, JR., and Brent Wheeler, Ocala, FL; parents, Pastor Nathaniel Sr. and Mary B. Jones, Newberry, FL; sister, Patricia Hill Minter, Buena Vista, GA; brothers, Ronald Wheeler, Philadelphia, PA, Curtis E. Bell, Sr., Bryon K. Wheeler, Dexture Wheeler, all of Ocala, FL and Nathaniel Jones, Jr., Lakeland, FL; step-sister, Stacy Wilcox, Tallahassee, FL; step-brother, William Snow, Ocala, FL; devoted Godmother, Minister Charolette Lawrence, Ocala, FL; and a devoted friend and caregiver, Stefon Polite, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

791. WILLIAMS, DAISY W., (Obituary No. 791.) 76Belleview - Daisy W. William, 76, of Belleview, died Tuesday, September 4, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. A native of Oglethorpe, GA she moved to this area in 1973. She retired from the Marion County School System. Survivors include her daughters, Jessica Swann of Ocala, Lisa Carlson of Norcross, GA, Leslie Williams of Belleview and LeAnne Yerk of Belleview; sister, Jean Collier of Oglethorpe, GA; 6 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A Memorial service will be held at 4 p.m. on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. There will be a gathering of family and friends one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/7/2007 - 9/8/2007.

792. WILSON, SR., JOHN R., (Obituary No. 792.) 88Zephyrhills - John R. Wilson Sr., resident of Zephyrhills, FL died August 30, 2007 at Hawthorne Village in Ocala, FL. Mr. Wilson was born in Arlington, MA on June 6, 1919, a son of the late Bertul & Anna (Krauklis) Wilson. He lived in Zephyrhills, Florida for the past 23 years and formerly resided in Dover, NH and Amherst, NH. Mr. Wilson had been employed as a nuclear power plant fitter for C.E. Avery Company, Newington, NH for over 20 years. He was a charter member of Christ the King Lutheran Church, Nashua and attended Good Shepard Lutheran Church in Florida. Mr. Wilson was a U.S. Army Veteran of WWII and proudly served in Australia, Southern Philippines, New Guinea and Luzon. In addition, he was a member of the American Legion. He enjoyed gardening, carpentry and reading, with a particular passion for historical novels. A dream he fulfilled, was to travel to Latvia, his parent's homeland, in 1992 with his brother, Carl. He was a
loving husband, a devoted father, grandfather and great grandfather. Mr. Wilson was predeceased by 3 sisters, Bertha Hynes, Ann Swamstrom and Sally Dyer; a brother, Willis Wilson. Family members include his wife, Barbara L. (Thorn) Wilson of Ocala, FL with whom he would have celebrated 61 years of marriage on August 31st, 4 daughters and sons-in-law, Beverly & David Gage of Wilton, NH, Priscilla & Terry Clarkson of Hopkinton, NH., Christine & Clinton Lefabvre Ocala, FL, Barbara & Bill Wurst of Amherst, NH; a son, John R. Wilson Jr. of Milford, NH; 6 Grandchildren; 6 Great-Grandchildren; a sister, Lucy Lawlor of Malden, MA; 2 brothers, Carl Wilson of Billerica, MA and Arvid Wilson of Mont Vernon, NH; many nieces and nephews. A visiting hour will be held Thursday, September 6th from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the Messiah Lutheran Church 303 Route 101, Amherst, NH. Funeral services will follow at 11 a.m. Burial will be in Meadowview Cemetery, Amherst, NH, with Military honors. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34476 or charity of one's choice. SMITH & HEALD FUNERAL HOME, 63 Elm Street, Milford, NH, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/7/2007.

793. ZINKOSKY, RAYMOND J. "RAY", (Obituary No. 793.) 81Dunnellon - Raymond "Ray" J. Zinkosky, 81 of Dunnellon, FL formerly of Southgate, Michigan died Wednesday, September 5, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Mr. Zinkosky moved to Dunnellon, FL from Detroit, MI area in 1997. He was the owner of Southgate Tap Room in Southgate, Michigan, a U.S. Navy Veteran, and a member of the Moose Lodge, Dunnellon, FL. Ray was a officer and member of the MLBA for 30 years. Survivors include his wife, Mildred Zinkosky; daughters, Deb Grosfield of St. Claire Shores, MI and Gwen Gobbel of Houston, AL; brothers, Carl Zinkosky of Tampa, FL and Alex Zinkosky of Cheboygan, MI; sister, Sophie Kovarick of Dearborn Heights, MI; grandsons, John Gobbel and Joseph Gobbel. The family will receive friends at the Roberts Funeral Home Saturday 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Entombment will follow in Fero Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/7/2007 - 9/8/2007.

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794. DOERR, JOAN MICHELE, (Obituary No. 794.) 77Crescent Beach - Joan Michele Doerr, 77, passed away peacefully, Thursday September 6, 2007 at her residence in Crescent Beach, Florida. Joan was born to Fred and Grace LeSueur in Ocala, Florida on October 12, 1929. She graduated from Ocala High School and later earned her BA from the University of Florida. She taught at Williston Elementary School for several years and then worked in the family business, Tri County Oil Distributors, Inc. Joan was an active member and the organist for St. Barnabas Episcopal Church in Williston for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Doerr retired and moved to Crescent Beach in 1987. Mrs. Doerr married Benjamin Irving Doerr of Daytona Beach, Fl in 1953. Together they raised three sons. She was a devoted wife and mother who had a great sense of humor and loved to cook for her family. She will be fondly remembered for her gracious and kind character. Joan is survived by her loving husband of 54 years, Ben; 3 sons, Fred (Jill) Doerr of Ocala, Ben (Bonnie) Doerr, Jr. of Gainesville and Mike (Sue) Doerr of Gainesville; 9 grandchildren, Craig, David, Allison, Daniel, Sara, Lindsay, Drew, Brett, and Melina; and 4 great-grandchildren. A graveside funeral service will be held on Monday at 10 a.m. at Woodlawn Cemetery in Ocala, FL. Flowers are gratefully accepted or a memorial donation may be made in the honor of Mrs. Doerr to Haven Hospice 4200 NW 90th Blvd. Gainesville, Fl 32606 CRAIG
795. MARTIN, SR., HOWARD B., (Obituary No. 795.) 85Ocala - Mr. Howard B. Martin, Sr., 85, passed away in Ocala on September 3, 2007. He was born in Wilmington, NC. He was retired from Pfizer Pharmaceutical and Cummer Inc. of Ocala. He moved to the area in 1955 from Wilmington, NC. He served in the Army during WWII. He is predeceased by his loving wife of 64 years Ann. He is survived by his daughter Frances Martin of Jupiter, FL and a son Howard Martin, Jr. of Ocala, FL. A Graveside Service will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St., Ocala on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 12:30 p.m. 

796. MURPHY, RALPH LAVAR, (Obituary No. 796.) 23Crystal River - Ralph Lavar Murphy, 23, Crystal River, FL passed away on Monday, September 3, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Ralph graduated in 2002 from Forest High School, Ocala, FL. He was a construction worker by trade. Survivors include, parents, Ralph and Gretchen Murphy, Crystal River, FL; one brother, Reginald Murphy, Crystal River, FL; three sisters, Regina Murphy, Rachelle Murphy, Rashawndra Murphy, all of Crystal River, FL; maternal grandmother, Vera (Sam) Parker, Crystal River, FL; great grandmother, Dorothy Middleton, Punta Gorda, FL; five aunts, Alfreda (Donald) Westbrook, Cheyenne, WY, Latanya Murphy, Phoenix, AZ, Pamela Murphy, Kimberly Murphy, Neptune, NJ, Bridgette Parker, Crystal River, FL; three uncles, Stephon (Marcola) Parker, Cheyenne, WY, Carl Parker, Crystal River, FL, Daniel Maxwell, Crystal River, FL; nephew, David Preston Rogers, Jr., Crystal River, FL; a host of cousins and friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church, 2105 N. Georgia Road, Crystal River, FL with Minister Al Hopkins officiating. Public viewing will be held on Friday, September 7, 2007 from 1 p.m. until 7 p.m. at New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Svcs., Inc., 713 NE 5th Terrace, Crystal River, FL. 
Arrangements by NEW SERENITY MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME & CREMATION SVCS., INC. CRYSTAL RIVER, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/7/2007 - 9/8/2007.

797. PATTESON, KYLE R. "BOB", (Obituary No. 797.) 80Summerfield - Kyle R. "Bob" Patteson, 80, of Summerfield, died Thursday, Sept. 6, 2007, at Marion House Health Care Center, Ocala. He was born in Speedway, WV. He was a retired truck driver for MeadowGold Dairy. Mr. Patteson was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview. He was a veteran of WW II serving in the United States Army. Mr. Patteson is survived by his wife, Betty Boling Patteson, Summerfield; daughters, Dottie (Carl) Slone, Summerfield, Cookie (Tim) Rothwell, Dunbar, WV; brothers, Crozier (Annie) Patteson, Bluefield, WV, Tommy (Zula) Patteson, Princeton, WV, James (Jean) Patteson, Roanoke Rapids, NC; sisters, Pearl Fortner, Princeton, WV, Ruby Carroll, Bluefield, WV, Launa Barrett, Greensboro, NC, Rosella (Larry) Bird, Greta, LA, Betty (Jim) Long, Bluefield, WV, Sue (Clinton) Lilly, Spanishburg, WV; sister-in-law, Betty Rae Patteson, Greenboro, NC, grandson, Bobby Rothwell, great-granddaughter, Kelsie Rothwell, both of Dunbar, WV. He is predeceased by his parents, Jessie and Exie Patteson, and brother, Clayton Patteson. Funeral services will be at 3 PM, Sunday, Sept. 9, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Burial will be in Grandview Memorial Park, Dunbar, WV. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/8/2007 - 9/9/2007.
798. REXROAD, KATHLEEN (Obituary No. 798.) 67 Ocala - Kathleen Rexroad at the age of 67 passed away on September 2, 2007. She was the wife of Conard Rexroad, mother of Steven Rexroad and grandmother of Steven and Matthew Rexroad. She was also the sister of Corrine Warren and she has several nieces and nephews. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Services are private. In lieu of flowers family request donations their favorite charity. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/7/2007 - 9/8/2007.

799. SNIVELY, LELAND E., (Obituary No. 799.) 88 Ocala - Leland E. Snively, 88, of Ocala, FL passed away on August 26, 2007 after a long illness. Born in Loudonville, OH to Charles A. and Hazel Snively, Lee was a 20 year veteran of The United States Navy, serving during WWII and the Korean War. After retiring from a second career with Eastern Airlines, Lee and his wife came to Marion County and became strong supporters of the Humane Society. He was also a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles and the American Legion. Lee was preceded in death by his parents and siblings, his wife Stella, and stepson Robert. He is survived by a large extended family, including four grandchildren and their families. A service is planned for September 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion or the Humane Society of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/8/2007 - 9/9/2007.

800. WELCH, JR., MERRITT M., (Obituary No. 800.) 73 Ocala - Merritt M. Welch, Jr., 73, of Ocala, passed away September 6, 2007 at Hospice's Legacy House. Born in Hackensack, NJ, he came to this area in 1992 from Morrow, GA. He was a retired Aviation Technology Instructor and Protestant by faith. He is survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Gwendolyn Welch; son, James McIntier (Rita) of Kingsport, TN; daughters, Major Jennifer Snyder (Barry) of Germany and Tremus Thompson (Paul) of Greenfield, MA; sister, Beverly Harmon of Milford, MA; 5 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church, 7045 SW 83rd Place, Ocala (352) 854-4509 on Sunday, September 9, 2007 at 4:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/8/2007 - 9/9/2007.

801. WILLIAMS, DAISY W., (Obituary No. 801.) 76 Belleview - Daisy W. William, 76, of Belleview, died Tuesday, September 4, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. A native of Oglethorpe, GA she moved to this area in 1973. She retired from the Marion County School System. Survivors include her daughters, Jessica Swann of Ocala, Lisa Carlson of Norcross, GA, Leslie Williams of Belleview and LeAnne Yerk of Belleview; sister, Jean Collier of Oglethorpe, GA; 6 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A Memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. There will be a gathering of family and friends one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/7/2007 - 9/8/2007.

802. ZINKOSKY, RAYMOND J. "RAY", (Obituary No. 802.) 81 Dunnellon - Raymond "Ray" J. Zinkosky, 81 of Dunnellon, FL formerly of Southgate, Michigan died Wednesday, September 5, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Mr. Zinkosky moved to Dunnellon, FL from Detroit, MI area in 1997. He was the owner of Southgate Tap Room in Southgate, Michigan, a U.S. Navy Veteran, and a member of the Moose Lodge, Dunnellon, FL. Ray was a officer and member of the MLBA for 30 years. Survivors include his wife, Mildred Zinkosky; daughters, Deb Grosfield of St. Claire Shores, MI and Gwen Gobbel of Houston, AL; brothers, Carl Zinkosky of Tampa, FL and
Alex Zinkosky of Cheboygan, MI; sister, Sophie Kovarick of Dearborn Heights, MI; grandsons, John Gobbel and Joseph Gobbel. The family will receive friends at the Roberts Funeral Home Saturday 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Entombment will follow in Fero Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/7/2007 - 9/8/2007.

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803. DOERR, JOAN MICHELE, (Obituary No. 803.) 77 Crescent Beach - Joan Michele Doerr, 77, passed away peacefully, Thursday September 6, 2007 at her residence in Crescent Beach, Florida. Joan was born to Fred and Grace LeSueur in Ocala, Florida on October 12, 1929. She graduated from Ocala High School and later earned her BA from the University of Florida. She taught at Williston Elementary School for several years and then worked in the family business, Tri County Oil Distributors, Inc. Joan was an active member and the organist for St. Barnabas Episcopal Church in Williston for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Doerr retired and moved to Crescent Beach in 1987. Mrs. Doerr married Benjamin Irving Doerr of Daytona Beach, Fl in 1953. Together they raised three sons. She was a devoted wife and mother who had a great sense of humor and loved to cook for her family. She will be fondly remembered for her gracious and kind character. Joan is survived by her loving husband of 54 years, Ben; 3 sons, Fred (Jill) Doerr of Ocala, Ben (Bonnie) Doerr, Jr. of Gainesville and Mike (Sue) Doerr of Gainesville; 9 grandchildren, Craig, David, Allison, Daniel, Sara, Lindsay, Drew, Brett, and Melina; and 4 great-grandchildren. A graveside funeral service will be held on Monday at 10 a.m. at Woodlawn Cemetery in Ocala, FL. Flowers are gratefully accepted or a memorial donation may be made in the honor of Mrs. Doerr to Haven Hospice 4200 NW 90th Blvd. Gainesville, Fl 32606 CRAIG FUNERAL HOME is serving the Doerr family. www.craigfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/8/2007 - 9/9/2007.

804. HENDRIX, DANNY RAY, (Obituary No. 804.) 53 Ocala - Danny Ray Hendrix passed away on September 28, 2007. He was the brother of James and Johny Hendrix of Belleview, Mary Mcllvey of Aiken S.C., Pearl McCall, and Betty Amidia. He also had many nieces and nephews. Interment service on Saturday September 15th at 10 a.m. Arrangement by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave, Ocala, Fl 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/9/2007 - 9/10/2007.

805. MARTIN, SR., HOWARD B., (Obituary No. 805.) 85 Ocala - Mr. Howard B. Martin, Sr., 85, passed away in Ocala on September 3, 2007. He was born in Wilmington, NC. He was retired from Pfizer Pharmaceutical and Cummer Inc. of Ocala. He moved to the area in 1955 from Wilmington, NC. He served in the Army during WWII. He is predeceased by his loving wife of 64 years Ann. He is survived by his daughter Frances Martin of Jupiter, FL and a son Howard Martin, Jr. of Ocala, FL. A Graveside Service will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St., Ocala on Saturday, September 8, 2007 at 12:30 p.m. Arrangements ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala (352) 622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/6/2007 - 9/9/2007.

806. PATTESON, KYLE R. "BOB", (Obituary No. 806.) 80 Summerfield - Kyle R. "Bob" Patteson, 80, of Summerfield, died Thursday, Sept. 6, 2007, at Marion House Health Care Center, Ocala. He was born in Speedway, WV. He was a retired truck driver for MeadowGold Dairy. Mr. Patteson was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview. He was a veteran of WW II serving in the United States Army. Mr. Patteson is survived by his wife, Betty Boling Patteson, Summerfield; daughters, Dottie (Carl) Slone, Summerfield, Cookie (Tim) Rothwell,
Dunbar, WV; brothers, Crozier (Annie) Patteson, Bluefield, WV, Tommy (Zula) Patteson, Princeton, WV, James (Jean) Patteson, Roanoke Rapids, NC; sisters, Pearl Fortner, Princeton, WV, Ruby Carroll, Bluefield, WV, Launa Barrett, Greensboro, NC, Rosella (Larry) Bird, Gretna, LA, Betty (Jim) Long, Bluefield, WV, Sue (Clinton) Lilly, Spanishburg, WV; sister-in-law, Betty Rae Patteson, Greensboro, NC, grandson, Bobby Rothwell, great-granddaughter, Kelsie Rothwell, both of Dunbar, WV. He is predeceased by his parents, Jessie and Exie Patteson, and brother, Clayton Patteson. Funeral services will be at 3 PM, Sunday, Sept. 9, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Burial will be in Grandview Memorial Park, Dunbar, WV. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/8/2007 - 9/9/2007.

807. PRIMM, WILLIAM W. "BILL", (Obituary No. 807.) 84 Ocala - William W. "Bill" Primm, age 84, of Ocala, FL (OTOW) passed away on Friday, September 7, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. He was born in New Madrid County, MO on August 26, 1923. Mr. Primm moved to the Ocala area from Jackson, MI in 1985. He worked in the Oil industry as Chief Landman for NOMECO in Jackson, MI before retiring. He was the first person in the United States after WWII to be hired as a full time salesperson for Cessna Aircraft. He served in the US Marine Corps during WWII and the Korean Conflict attaining the rank of Captain. He was a B-25 Bomber pilot and instructor. At On Top Of The World he loved to play golf with his wife and friends and was the OTOW Men's Golf Association Champion for four years in a row, which is a record that still stands. He also holds the lowest recorded score on the original course, a 68. He enjoyed bowling in the Guys and Dolls Bowling League. He is survived by his wife of 64 years Eris H. Primm; son William C. and wife Susan J. Primm of Ocala (OTOW); son K.C. Primm of Nashville, TN; daughter Vicki L. Primm of Reno, NV; grandson Andrew C. Primm and girlfriend Lehra Gordon of Santa Fe, NM; grandson Jeffrey C. and wife Kathy Primm of Santa Fe, NM. Arrangements by HIER-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/9/2007 - 9/10/2007.

808. SMYTHE, PATRICIA ANN KIMBELL, (Obituary No. 808.) 75 Dunnellon - Patricia Ann Kimbell Smythe, 75, born in Plattsburgh, NY on December 28, 1931, passed away on September 4, 2007 surrounded by her loving family. She is survived by six children: Mary Smythe McLaurin of Ormond Beach, FL., Diane Smythe of Tampa, FL., Daniel Smythe of Longwood, FL., Patrick Smythe, II of Dunnellon, FL., Linda Smythe Benford of Fountain, CO., and David Smythe of St. Petersburg, FL.; her grandchildren: Kristin and Kimberly Smythe; Joshua and Scott Bufis; Eric and Rachel Smythe; Joscelyn LaForge, Mary Beth Bailey, Cassandra Smythe, Crystal Hall, Joyhanna Grimm; Genivieve, Rashawn, and William Benford; and Amanda Smythe. Also two great-grandchildren, Arie and T.J. She will be dearly missed by her sister Merle Kelly of Orlando, FL., and many other relatives and friends in New York and Ormond Beach. She was pre-deceased by her husband, Patrick, and her eldest son Nicholas Smythe. Patricia was the daughter of Frank and Marion Kimbell. She married Patrick Joseph Smythe on October 15, 1955. Patricia graduated from St. Joseph's Nursing School of New York City as an LPN. She served at hospitals in Plattsburgh, and Glens Falls, NY. Patricia moved to Florida in 1979 residing in St. Petersburg before living the last 18 years in Ormond Beach, FL. Pat enjoyed spending time with her family, her friends, listening to musical standards. She was an avid reader, loved games, puzzles and old movies. Patricia's Catholic faith was a stronghold of her life and she was a Communicant of Prince of Peace Catholic Church. Services will be held
on Saturday, September 15 at 1:00 P.M. at Prince of Peace Catholic Church, 600 South Nova Road, Ormond Beach, FL 32174. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/9/2007 - 9/10/2007.

809. SNIVELY, LELAND E., (Obituary No. 809.) 88 Ocala - Leland E. Snively, 88, of Ocala, FL passed away on August 26, 2007 after a long illness. Born in Loudonville, OH to Charles A. and Hazel Snively, Lee was a 20 year veteran of The United States Navy, serving during WWII and the Korean War. After retiring from a second career with Eastern Airlines, Lee and his wife came to Marion County and became strong supporters of the Humane Society. He was also a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles and the American Legion. Lee was preceded in death by his parents and siblings, his wife Stella, and stepson Robert. He is survived by a large extended family, including four grandchildren and their families. A service is planned for September 13, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion or the Humane Society of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/8/2007 - 9/9/2007.

810. STOCKWELL, KENNETH L., (Obituary No. 810.) 66 Ocala - Kenneth Lincoln Stockwell, born in Bradford, ME on March 27, 1941 to Lincoln and Joyce (Richards) Stockwell, passed away September 7, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. He leaves behind his beloved Brazilian wife and best friend of 13 years, Tatjana C. V. Stockwell, two daughters from his previous marriage to Lavern Stockwell, Carrie Lynn (Scott) Stafford and Amy Jo (Boucher) (John) Freeman, four grandchildren Katelyn and Gregory Stafford, and Jeffrey and Jason Boucher and three step grandsons Jonathan, Brandon and Peter Freeman. He also leaves behind two sisters, Marlene (Vaughn) Coleman, Brenda (George) Trask and his only brother Roger (Connie) Stockwell, his sister in law Fanny C. V. (Jeff) Howard and other sisters in law and brothers in law in Brazil, and Eben Hobbs, his life long best friend, and many cousins, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and friends will truly miss him. Ken was best known for his love for life, nature, and his work as a salesman at W. S. Emersons for over 35 years. He loved to spend time with his family and friends hunting, fishing and camping. In 2003 he moved from his beloved home on Phillips Lake in Maine to Ocala, FL. He spent most of his time playing in his beautiful gardens, traveling and volunteering in the Pine Run community where he and Tatjana were blessed with many wonderful friends. A memorial service will be held on Monday, September 17th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL at 2:00pm. A final memorial service will be held in Maine at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Legacy Hospice House c/o Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/9/2007 - 9/10/2007.

811. WELCH, JR., MERRITT M., (Obituary No. 811.) 73 Ocala - Merritt M. Welch, Jr., 73, of Ocala, passed away September 6, 2007 at Hospice's Legacy House. Born in Hackensack, NJ, he came to this area in 1992 from Morrow, GA. He was a retired Aviation Technology Instructor and Protestant by faith. He is survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Gwendolyn Welch; son, James McIntier (Rita) of Kingsport, TN; daughters, Major Jennifer Snyder (Barry) of Germany and Tremus Thompson (Paul) of Greenfield, MA; sister, Beverly Harmon of Milford, MA; 5 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church, 7045 SW 83rd Place, Ocala (352) 854-4509 on Sunday, September 9, 2007 at 4:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/8/2007 - 9/9/2007.
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816. BOILEK, ROBERT "LEONARD", (Obituary No. 816.) 69 Ocala - Leonard Boliek, passed away Monday, September 10, 2007, at ORMC. He was born May 17, 1938 and has been a life resident of Ocala. He retired after 42 years of service with the City of Ocala. He took great pride in his home and yard, and enjoyed spending time with his family. Survivors include his wife of 47 years, Sadie Boliek of Ocala, and three children Connie Boliek, Debbie Alligood, and Robert Mantzoros, Sister Rose Marie Lucas, all of Ocala, twelve grandchildren and many great grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Box 5515, Ocala, FL 34478-5515. Arrangements by Hier's Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/11/2007 - 9/12/2007.

817. ERGLE, DOUG (Obituary No. 817.) 46 Ocala - Doug Ergle, 46, died Friday, September 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center after a prolonged illness of ALS (19 years). He was born October 8, 1960 in Ocala, FL. Mr. Ergle was self employed when he became disabled from Lou Gehrigs Disease. He was a member of St. Johns Lutheran Church. Mr. Ergle was a graduate of St. Johns Lutheran High School, and an avid and loyal Atlanta Braves Fan. He is preceded in death by his father W. G. Ergle, Jr. Mr. Ergle is survived by Mother Mary Ann Ergle of Ocala, Brother Ken Ergle of Ocala, Sisters Debbie and husband Guy Jenkins of Dunnellon, Carolyn and husband Randall Wooten of Dunnellon, Three Nephews Bryan and Jennifer Wooten of Homosassa, Nick and Heather Ergle of Ocala, Seth Jenkins of Gainesville, Two nieces Randee and Chris Kettner of St. Cloud, Abbey Jenkins of Gainesville, and a Great Nephew Koen Ergle. Uncles and Aunts Gerald and Venice Ann Ergle, and Robert and Gladys Weinspach. A Celebration of Doug's life will be held at St. Johns Lutheran Church, Saturday, September 15, 2007 at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers donations can be sent to the Marion County ALS Support Group (629-3031), 2111 SE 10th Court, Ocala, FL 34471. For further information contact Lee and Joyce Funk (629-3031). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/11/2007 - 9/12/2007.

818. HARRELL, JOHN WILLARD, (Obituary No. 818.) 85 Silver Springs - John Willard Harrell, age 85, passed away Saturday, September 8, 2007 at his home in the Half Moon area,
Silver Springs, Florida. He was born in Dodge County, Georgia, the son of Walter and Beulah Harrell. He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Florence (Flo), brother Wright T., Sr., Rhine, GA, sister Margaret Burnham, Jacksonville, Fl, sister Helen Mauldin, Macon, GA and sister Imogene Clark, St. Mary's GA, several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, brother Villar, Groton, CT, and sister, Lillian Stanford, Flintstone, GA. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL at a later date to be decided. Mr. Harrell enlisted in the U.S. Navy, December 1, 1941 making the Navy a career of 21 years. He then was employed at Naval Air Rework Facility, NAS, Jacksonville, FL until his retirement from Federal Civil Service in 1980. Upon his wife's retirement in 1981 from NAS, Cecil Field, FL, they moved to their home in Marion County. Mr. Harrell became a life member of The Retired Enlisted Association (TREA) in 1972 and was active in the Military Retiree legislative process, particularly with the TRICARE For Life program. He was also a life member of Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post 10208, life member of The Fleet Reserve (FRA) Chapter 91, Jacksonville, FL and life member of The National Rifle Association (NRA). In lieu of flowers, donations may be forwarded to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL.

819. WALSH, RICHARD F., (Obituary No. 819.) 73 Ocala - Richard F. Walsh, 73, a resident of Ocala, FL, and former long time resident of Vernon, CT loving husband of 48 years and "forever friend" of Bredda (Marchesseault) Walsh, went home to the Lord, surrounded by his family, who cherished him, at the home of his daughter Linda Pease, on Saturday September 8, 2007. He was born January 23, 1934 in Hartford, CT, a son of the late Thomas and Dorothy (Nichols) Walsh. Richard was a veteran of the Korean War serving with the United States Armies Division 24 in the DMZ. He was a member of the Hartford Fire Department, retiring in 1980 after 25 years of service. Richard also was an electronics technician who owned and operated the former Snow's Electronics located in Vernon for many years. He and Bredda then enjoyed their retirement traveling in their motor home, until they settled in Ocala, Florida. Besides his wife he leaves his loving children, Susan and Michael Harris of Oakland, ME, Linda Pease and Sandra Lambert of Vernon, CT, Jon-Paul, Holly, Rachael, Zachary, Jeffrey-John, Kyle, Joshua, Emma, Lauren and Grace, and his great granddaughter Nicole. He also leaves his sister, Jeanne Trotta and her husband Joseph of Wethersfield, CT; his brother, James Walsh and his wife Kathleen of Ocala, FL; his life-long friend, Cliff Daley and his wife Thelma of Vernon, CT as well as many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was the brother of the late Gerald, Robert and William Walsh. His funeral will be held Wednesday September 12. 2007 at 8:30 a.m from the Ladd - Turkington & Carmon Funeral Home, 551 Talcottville Rd., Rte 83, followed by a service at 10:00 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, 20 Meadowlark Rd., with burial to conclude with military honors in Valley Falls Cemetery, all in Vernon. Calling hours at the funeral home will be Tuesday evening from 5-8 p.m. Richard's family wishes to thank the nurses and home health aides for their compassionate care during the family's time of need. In lieu of flowers contributions in his name may be directed to the Friends of Vernon Ambulance, P.O. Box 2099, Vernon, CT 06066. For online condolences please visit us at www.carmonfuneralhome.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/11/2007 - 9/12/2007.

820. WRIGHT, THOMAS JAY, (Obituary No. 820.) 68 Citra - Thomas Jay Wright, 68, passed away Sunday September 9th, 2007 at the Veterans Hospital in Gainesville, FL from lung
Mr. Wright was born on August 20th, 1939 to Hollis and Hilda Wright in Columbia City, IN. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1957 to 1962. After which, he resided in Fort Wayne, IN where he was engaged in the printing business until 1988, when he moved to Ocala, FL after purchasing Mid-Florida Publishing Company/Visitors Guide. He was most recently employed by the Marion County, FL school system. He leaves behind his wife Paulette of Citra, FL, his mother Hilda Smith of Silver Springs, FL, four daughters Holly Wright of Garrett, IN, Kim Gaze (Mrs. Brian Gaze) of Fort Wayne, IN, Samantha Wright and Tara Young of Ocala, FL. Other survivors include, Step-Son Rich Hobson of Richmond, IN and nine grandchildren. Mr. Wright's preference was to have no services. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in remembrance to: Brain & Spinal Cord Injury Trust Fund, 4025 Bald Cypress Way C-25, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1744. Published in the Ocala Star Banner from 9/11/2007 - 9/12/2007.

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821. BOILEK, ROBERT "LEONARD", (Obituary No. 821.) 69 Ocala - Leonard Boliek, passed away Monday, September 10, 2007, at ORMC. He was born May 17, 1938 and has been a life resident of Ocala. He retired after 42 years of service with the City of Ocala. He took great pride in his home and yard, and enjoyed spending time with his family. Survivors include his wife of 47 years, Sadie Boliek of Ocala, and three children Connie Boliek, Debbie Alligood, and Robert Mantzoros, Sister Rose Marie Lucas, all of Ocala, twelve grandchildren and many great grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Box 5515, Ocala, FL 34478-5515. Arrangements by Hiets Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/11/2007 - 9/12/2007.

822. ERGLE, DOUG(Obituary No. 822.), 46 Ocala - Doug Ergle, 46, died Friday, September 7, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center after a prolonged illness of ALS (19 years). He was born October 8, 1960 in Ocala, FL. Mr. Ergle was self employed when he became disabled from Lou Gehrig's Disease. He was a member of St. Johns Lutheran Church. Mr. Ergle was a graduate of St. Johns Lutheran High School, and an avid and loyal Atlanta Braves Fan. He is preceded in death by his father W. G. Ergle, Jr. Mr. Ergle is survived by Mother Mary Ann Ergle of Ocala, Brother Ken Ergle of Ocala, Sisters Debbie and husband Guy Jenkins of Dunnellon, Carolyn and husband Randall Wooten of Dunnellon, Three Nephews Bryan and Jennifer Wooten of Homosassa, Nick and Heather Ergle of Ocala, Seth Jenkins of Gainesville, Two Nieces Randee and Chris Ketner of St. Cloud, Abbey Jenkins of Gainesville, and a Great Nephew Koen Ergle. Uncles and Aunts Gerald and Venice Ann Ergle, and Robert and Gladys Weinspach. A Celebration of Doug's life will be held at St. Johns Lutheran Church, Saturday, September 15, 2007 at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers donations can be sent to the Marion County ALS Support Group (629-3031). 2111 SE 10th Court, Ocala, FL 34471. For further information contact Lee and Joyce Funk (629-3031). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/11/2007 - 9/12/2007.

823. FAUSETT, JR., CLIFFORD D. "BUDDY"(Obituary No. 823.), 85 Ocala - Mr. Clifford D. "Buddy" Fausett Jr., 85, passed away September 10th at the Sylvia's Hospice House. He was born in Ocala and was a lifelong resident. He was a building contractor for 35 years, a cattle rancher, a lifetime member of the Angus Association, a farmer, a real estate investor and owned Fausett Forest Products. He was also an avid hunter and fisherman. He fished and hunted in Alaska, Costa Rica, Argentina, Colombia, Peru and other South American countries. He is survived by his wife Gwen Fausett of Ocala, a son Gary Fausett of San Diego, CA, a daughter Toni and her husband Tom Wooten of Ft. McCoy, FL, stepsons Bruce Dickey of Midland, MI, Bryan Dickey of Grand Rapids, MI, a stepdaughter Brenda Barnes of Titusville, FL, 12
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824. HARRELL, JOHN WILLARD, (Obituary No. 824.) 85 Silver Springs - John Willard Harrell, age 85, passed away Saturday, September 8, 2007 at his home in the Half Moon area, Silver Springs, Florida. He was born in Dodge County, Georgia, the son of Walter and Beulah Harrell. He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Florence (Flo), brother Wright T., Sr., Rhine, GA, sister Margaret Burnham, Jacksonville, Fl, sister Helen Mauldin, Macon, GA and sister Imogene Clark, St. Mary’s GA, several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, brother Villar, Groton, CT, and sister, Lillian Stanford, Flintstone, GA. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL at a later date to be decided. Mr. Harrell enlisted in the U.S. Navy, December 1, 1941 making the Navy a career of 21 years. He then was employed at Naval Air Rework Facility, NAS, Jacksonville, FL until his retirement from Federal Civil Service in 1980. Upon his wife’s retirement in 1981 from NAS, Cecil Field, FL, they moved to their home in Marion County. Mr. Harrell became a life member of The Retired Enlisted Association (TREA) in 1972 and was active in the Military Retiree legislative process, particularly with the TRICARE For Life program. He was also a life member of Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post 10208, life member of The Fleet Reserve (FRA) Chapter 91, Jacksonville, FL and life member of The National Rifle Association (NRA). In lieu of flowers, donations may be forwarded to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/11/2007 - 9/12/2007.

825. PECOR, JOHN STAGGERS, (Obituary No. 825.) 47 Belleview - John Staggers Pecor, 47, was born in Coral Gables, FL, where he lived until he moved to the family farm in Laurel, Md. in 1964. In Maryland he attended Holy Trinity School and The Maret School in Washington D.C. As a young adult in Maryland he worked for the Laurel Volunteer Fire Dept Afterward he worked at Jones Feed and at the Columbia Horse Center in Columbia MD. He moved to Belleview, FL in 2002. While living here he worked at Franks Farm Southland Division and at Glen Hill Farm in Ocala. He was easily recognizable in his Gator orange truck. John had an insatiable appetite for history and was very learned in this subject. John passed away at his home in Belleview on September 5, 2007. He is survived by his wife Angela Pecor his son John Patrick Pecor and his sister Pamela Grace Unger. The memorial service will be held September 22, at 10 a.m. at St Mary’s Episcopal Church in Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/12/2007 - 9/13/2007.

826. WALSH, RICHARD F., (Obituary No. 826.) 73 Ocala - Richard F. Walsh, 73, a resident of Ocala, FL, and former long time resident of Vernon, CT loving husband of 48 years and "forever friend" of Bredda (Marchesseault) Walsh, went home to the Lord, surrounded by his family, who cherished him, at the home of his daughter Linda Pease, on Saturday September 8, 2007. He was born January 23, 1934 in Hartford, CT, a son of the late Thomas and Dorothy (Nichols) Walsh. Richard was a veteran of the Korean War serving with the United States Armies Division 24 in the DMZ. He was a member of the Hartford Fire Department, retiring in 1980 after 25 years of service. Richard also was an electronics technician who owned and operated the former Snow's Electronics located in Vernon for many years. He and Bredda then enjoyed their retirement traveling in their motor home, until they settled in Ocala, Florida. Besides his wife he leaves his loving children, Susan and Michael Harris of Oakland, ME, Linda Pease and Sandra Lambert of Vernon, CT, Lori and Jason Jones of Colchester, CT, Thomas and
Lisa Walsh of Vernon, CT. and Michael and Dorothy Walsh of San Diego, CA. Poppie will also be missed by his 19 grandchildren, Mindy, Jeff, Greg, Michael Jr., Jen, Annie, Christen, David, JD, Jon-Paul, Holly, Rachael, Zachary, Jeffrey-John, Kyle, Joshua, Emma, Lauren and Grace, and his great granddaughter Nicole. He also leaves his sister, Jeanne Trotta and her husband Joseph of Wethersfield, CT; his brother, James Walsh and his wife Kathleen of Ocala, FL; his life-long friend, Cliff Daley and his wife Thelma of Vernon, CT as well as many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was the brother of the late Gerald, Robert and William Walsh. His funeral will be held Wednesday September 12, 2007 at 8:30 a.m from the Ladd - Turkington & Carmon Funeral Home, 551 Talcottville Rd., Rte 83, followed by a service at 10:00 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, 20 Meadowlark Rd., with burial to conclude with military honors in Valley Falls Cemetery, all in Vernon. Calling hours at the funeral home will be Tuesday evening from 5-8 p.m. Richard's family wishes to thank the nurses and home health aides for their compassionate care during the family's time of need. In lieu of flowers contributions in his name may be directed to the Friends of Vernon Ambulance, P.O. Box 2099, Vernon, CT 06066. For online condolences please visit us at www.carmonfuneralhome.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/11/2007 - 9/12/2007.

827. WILLIAMSON, HOBERT E. "BILL", (Obituary No. 827.) 78 Ocala - Hobert E. "Bill" Williamson, 78, died Monday, Sept. 10, 2007 at M.R.M.C. Born in Calvert City, KY. Came to this area 34 years ago from KY. Bill was a retired District Manager for an Oil Company. Bill was an Army Veteran. He enjoyed fishing; most of all he loved to help people. His three sisters precede him in death. Survived by his devoted wife Joyce Williamson of Ocala, FL. 2 daughters-Connie Cobbs (husband Jeff) of Burlington, NC. Cindy Sousa (husband Gary) of Winchester, VA. Sister Mattie Hyde of Paducah, KY. And his 6 grandchildren. The family will be having a gathering here at the ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave on Wed. Sept. 12, 2007 from 6:00 - 8:00 PM all are welcome. Thurs. Sept. 13, 2007 the family will be having a celebration of Bill's life at the First Presbyterian Church with a memorial service, 511 SE 3rd St. at 10 AM. All are welcome to attend. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/12/2007 - 9/13/2007.

828. WRIGHT, THOMAS JAY, (Obituary No. 828.) 68 Citra - Thomas Jay Wright, 68, passed away Sunday September 9th, 2007 at the Veterans Hospital in Gainesville, FL from lung cancer. Mr. Wright was born on August 20th, 1939 to Hollis and Hilda Wright in Columbia City, IN. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1957 to 1962. After which, he resided in Fort Wayne, IN where he was engaged in the printing business until 1988, when he moved to Ocala, FL after purchasing Mid-Florida Publishing Company/Visitors Guide. He was most recently employed by the Marion County, FL school system. He leaves behind his wife Paulette of Citra, FL, his mother Hilda Smith of Silver Springs, FL, four daughters Holly Wright of Garrett, IN, Kim Gaze (Mrs. Brian Gaze) of Fort Wayne, IN, Samantha Wright and Tara Young of Ocala, FL. Other survivors include, Step-Son Rich Hobson of Richmond, IN and nine grandchildren. Mr. Wright's preference was to have no services. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in remembrance to: Brain & Spinal Cord Injury Trust Fund, 4025 Bald Cypress Way C-25, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1744. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/11/2007 - 9/12/2007.

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836. RODRIGUEZ, PATRICIA ANNE, (Obituary No. 836.) 60Ocala - Patricia Anne Rodriguez, 60, of Ocala, FL, died Sept. 10, 2007 at her home. A native of Salem, NJ, she relocated to Marion County in 1984 from Omaha, NE. Mrs. Rodriguez was a homemaker, loved traveling, arts & crafts, music, being free spirited, followed the American Indian beliefs, and will be dearly missed. Patricia is survived by her husband, Jose Rodriguez, Summerfield, FL; daughters, Tammy L. Miller, Ocklawaha, FL, and Tara M. Rodriguez, Weirsdale, FL; sons, Jamie F. Taylor, Ocklawaha, Steven T. Rabenold, Woodstown, NJ, and Juan J. Rodriguez, Kissimmee, FL; sisters, Barbara Paz and Jean Sullivan both of Swedsboro, NJ, and Florence Clark, Woodstown, IL; grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, sister, Shirley Stiles and brother, Robert Dallow. Memorial Services will be held on Sat., Sept. 15, 2007 at 2 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES DOWNTOWN CHAPEL in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/13/2007 - 9/14/2007.

837. SAMPSON, SR., MARK DOUGLAS, (Obituary No. 837.) 54Ft. McCoy - Mark Douglas Sampson, Sr., 54, born February 19, 1953, passed away September 6, 2007 at home. He leaves behind his son, Mark Sampson, Jr.; kindred spirit, Marsha Sampson; cousin, Bobby T. Sampson; brother, Greg England; nephews, James & John Sampson; niece, Vicki Morland and sister, Judy.
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843. HUNT, DAISY MARGUERITE WARNER, (Obituary No. 843.) 88Ocala - Daisy Marguerite Warner Hunt, age 88, passed away peacefully at Palm Garden of Ocala, Florida, on September 6, 2007. Born in Letart, W. Virginia, she later move to Alliance, Ohio, where she resided for 60 years. She worked for the school board and taught piano. She moved to Florida 25 years ago. She was a member of the College Park Church of God. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clyde William Hunt; two sisters Delsia Grace Wolfe and Nancy C. Ferguson, both from Alliance; and her daughter, Delsia Gay Hunt Tindell of Ft McCoy, Florida. Survivors include her son, Clyde E. Hunt of Colonial Beach, VA; her brother, Lorin E. Warner, of Palm Springs, CA; 9 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, and 6 great-great grandchildren. A graveside service will be held on November 20, 2007, at the Alliance City Cemetery in Alliance, Ohio. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/14/2007 - 9/15/2007.

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846. POOLE, JIMMIE FAY GIBSON, (Obituary No. 846.) 79Gainesville - Jimmie Fay Gibson Poole, 79, died on September 11, 2007 in Gainesville after an extended illness. She was born on January 20, 1928 in Fairfield, Florida. She was a practicing Registered Nurse in the Orlando area for 40 years. Mrs. Poole was predeceased in death by her husband, Gordon W. Poole and three brothers: James Clifford Gibson, Charles Edward Gibson, & Glenn Gibson. Survivors include three sisters: Evelyn Gibson Mainor, Jean Gibson Glennon, & Ophelia Gibson Carver, all of Gainesville and a sister-in-law Nora Gibson, Ocala. A Memorial Service will be held at the Fairfield Presbyterian Church on Saturday, September 15, 2007 at 11 A.M. Pastor Dale Stewart will be officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/13/2007 - 9/14/2007.

847. POTOCNIK, RAYMOND J. (BUDDY) (Obituary No. 847.), 84Ocala - Raymond J. (Buddy) Potocnik, 84, died Tuesday, September 11, 2007 at Legacy House. Ray was born August 28, 1923 in Gilbert, MN. To Joseph and Helen (Skule) Potocnik. He was a World War II veteran with the US Army Air Corps and served in the South Pacific. He married Arlene Steffenson on July 4, 1951 in Gilbert, MN. He worked in the family business prior to retiring to Florida. He is survived by his wife Arlene Potocnik of Ocala, sons Joe (Laurie) Potocnik of Mahtomedi, MN., Frank (Maggie Kelly) Potocnik of Eagon, MN., daughters Rae (Brian) Lund of Ocala, Margaret Ratala of Mt. Iron, MN., brothers Edward (Rosella) Potocnik of Eveleth, MN., Donald (Dorothy) Potocnik of Peoria, AZ, Tom Potocnik of Aurora, MN., Anthony (Carol) Potocnik of Biwabik, MN., seven Grandchildren, and four Great Grandchildren. Mr. Potocnik was preceded in death by his parents and sister Helen Grizzard. A Memorial mass will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell at later date. Memorial contributions may be made to Brothers Keeper Office 2 SW Ft. King St., Ocala, FL. 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/14/2007 - 9/15/2007.

848. RODRIGUEZ, PATRICIA ANNE, (Obituary No. 848.) 60Ocala - Patricia Anne Rodriguez, 60, of Ocala, FL, died Sept. 10, 2007 at her home. A native of Salem, NJ, she relocated to Marion County in 1984 from Omaha, NE. Mrs. Rodriguez was a homemaker, loved traveling, arts & crafts, music, being free spirited, followed the American Indian beliefs, and will be dearly missed. Patricia is survived by her husband, Jose Rodriguez, Summerfield, FL, daughters, Tammy L. Miller, Ocklawaha, FL, and Tara M. Rodriguez, Weirsdale, FL., sons, Jamie F. Taylor, Ocklawaha, Steven T. Rabenold, Woodstown, NJ, and Juan J. Rodriguez, Kissimmee, FL., sisters, Barbara Paz and Jean Sullivan both of Swedsboro, NJ, and Florence Clark, Woodstown, II grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, sister, Shirley Stiles and brother, Robert Dalbow. Memorial Services will be held on Sat., Sept. 15, 2007 at 2 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES DOWNTOWN CHAPEL in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/13/2007 - 9/14/2007.

850. STARLING, EARL (Obituary No. 850.) , 81 Ocala - Mr. Earl Starling passed away on Tuesday, September 11, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. He was a retired store manager of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company (A&P) moving to Marion county from Jacksonville In 1978. He was a active member First Baptist Church FT. McCoy. He leaves behind his wife of 57 years Pansy "Pam" Starling.; son. Edwin Earl Starling, Ocala, FL; Granddaughters: Renee' Couch, Jacksonville; Crystal Warner, Ocala; Grandson, Jason Warner, Ocala, and one precious Great Granddaughter, Katlyn Couch, Jacksonville, plus Nieces and Nephews. Services will be held 1:00 PM on Saturday, September 15, 2007 with visitation 1 hour prior to service. At the First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy, FL. with the Rev Ted Burrell officiating. Burial will be at the Ft. McCoy Cemetery. Donations may be made to the First Baptist Church Ft. McCoy or Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/14/2007 - 9/15/2007.

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851. FISCHER, HANS K. "HEAVENLY BLUE" (Obituary No. 851.) , 79Ocala - Hans K. "Heavenly Blue" Fischer, age 79, passed away on Friday, August 17, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. Mr. Fischer was born in Germany on February 7, 1928. He was a Woodworker and a Player Piano Repair Man. He is survived by many, many, many good friends in both Michigan and in Florida. A memorial celebration will take place on Saturday, September 22, 2007, from 2 to 4 p.m. at The Congregational Church on Hwy 200 in Ocala. Along with the memorial service there will be time for anyone who wants to share thoughts, feelings and memories of Hans. Friends wishing to make donations may do so to your local Humane Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/14/2007 - 9/15/2007.


853. HENDRIX, DANNY RAY, (Obituary No. 853.) 53Ocala - Danny Ray Hendrix passed away on August 28, 2007. He was the brother of James and Johny Hendrix of Belleview, Mary Mcllvey of Aiken S.C., Pearl McCall, and Betty Amidia. He also had many nieces and nephews. Interment service on Saturday September 15th at 10 a.m. Arrangement by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave, Ocala, Fl 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/9/2007 - 9/16/2007.

854. HUNT, DAISY MARGUERITE WARNER, (Obituary No. 854.) 88 Ocala - Daisy Marguerite Warner Hunt, age 88, passed away peacefully at Palm Garden of Ocala, Florida, on September 6, 2007. Born in Letart, W. Virginia , she later move to Alliance, Ohio, where she resided for 60 years. She worked for the school board and taught piano. She moved to Florida 25 years ago. She was a member of the College Park Church of God. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clyde William Hunt; two sisters Delsia Grace Wolfe and Nancy C. Ferguson, both from Alliance; and her daughter, Delsia Gay Hunt Tindell of Ft McCoy, Florida. Survivors
include her son, Clyde E. Hunt of Colonial Beach, VA; her brother, Lorin E. Warner, of Palm Springs, CA; 9 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, and 6 great-great grandchildren. A graveside service will be held on November 20, 2007, at the Alliance City Cemetery in Alliance, Ohio. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/14/2007 - 9/15/2007.

855. LOUKS, JAMES LEON, (Obituary No. 855.) 83James Leon Louks, 83 years old of Ocala, Florida, born in Tipton, Indiana, passed away September 5, 2007, surrounded by his family. James was a veteran of WWII in the Navy Air Force flying with the Liberators, in the Azores. He was an aviation machinist's mate, 1st class. James was an avid golfer, loved boating and the ocean. He will be sorely missed by all those who loved him. He is survived by his loved ones, Delores Thompkins, Daughters: Sherry Brown, of Inverness, Sheila Reed, of Ft McCoy, Connie Bowers, of Ocklawaha, and a son Kirk Shockley, of Orlando. There are eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Surviving James is a sister, Sandra Denny, of Orlando, and a brother Bill Williams of Georgia. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/15/2007 - 9/16/2007.

856. PEDDYCORD, KENNETH MARVIN, (Obituary No. 856.) 66Ocala - Mr. Kenneth Marvin Peddycord, 66, went to be with the Lord on Friday September 11, 2007. He was born in Winston-Salem, NC., son of Clarence Clark Peddycord and Neva Hutchins Peddycord on September 26, 1940. Surviving are three sisters: Kathleen P. Wilson of Raleigh, NC., Carolyn P. Myers and Joyce P. Shields both of Winston-Salem, NC., one brother Calvin C. Peddycord of Winston-Salem, NC. A loving mother Neva H. Peddycord of Clemmons Village II. One stepdaughter Jenifer R. Peddycord of Ocala, Fl. and a son Charles Peddycord of Winston-Salem, NC. who preceded him in death. Two granddaughters in Ocala, Fl. Ken lived in Ft. Lauderdale, Fl. and was the sole proprietor of Ft. Lauderdale Electric for 20 years. He achieved the rank of Master Electrician and was well known in his field. He was a member of North Oak Baptist Church in Citrus Springs, Fl. Full Military services will be held 11 a.m. at the Bruce West Chapel on 6241 SW St. Road 200 in Ocala, Fl. on Saturday September 15, 2007. Interment will be Monday September 17, 2007 at 10:30AM at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Fl. In lieu of flowers send donations to the Veterans Hospital in Gainesville, Fl. or the North Oak Baptist Church in Citrus Springs, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/14/2007 - 9/15/2007.

857. POTOCNIK, RAYMOND J. (BUDDY) (Obituary No. 857.), 84Ocala - Raymond J. (Buddy) Potocnik, 84, died Tuesday, September 11, 2007 at Legacy House. Ray was born August 28, 1923 in Gilbert, MN. To Joseph and Helen (Skule) Potocnik. He was a World War 11 veteran with the US Army Air Corps and served in the South Pacific. He married Arlene Steffenson on July 4, 1951 in Gilbert, MN. He worked in the family business prior to retiring to Florida. He is survived by his wife Arlene Potocnik of Ocala, sons Joe (Laurie) Potocnik of Mahtomedi, MN., Frank (Maggie Kelly) Potocnik of Eagon, MN., daughters Rae (Brian) Lund of Ocala, Margaret Ratai of Mt. Iron, MN., brothers Edward (Rosella) Potocnik of Eveleth, MN., Donald (Dorothy) Potocnik of Peoria, AZ, Tom Potocnik of Aurora, MN., Anthony (Carol) Potocnik of Biwabik, MN., seven Grandchildren, and four Great Grandchildren. Mr. Potocnik was preceded in death by his parents and sister Helen Grizzard. A Memorial mass will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell at later date. Memorial contributions may be made to Brothers Keeper Office 2 SW Ft. King St., Ocala, FL. 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/14/2007 - 9/15/2007.
858. SANDERS, EARL JACKSON, (Obituary No. 858.) 44 Ocala - Earl Jackson Sanders, 44, produce manager for local food exchange. Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, September 15, 2007 in Land of Lakes, FL at 2 p.m. Mr. Sanders was a member of the Kingdom Hall. He was born June 6, 1963 in Tampa, Florida to Eugene Sanders & Susan Marie Felix. Survivors: 2 sons Brandon Sanders & Justin Sanders, Ocala, FL; 1 daughter Tiffany Sanders, Ocala, FL; Mother Susan Kinney, Step father Jerry Kinney, Tampa, FL; 2 brothers Michael Sanders & Jason Sanders, Tampa, FL; 3 sisters, Toni Sanders Lara, Jacqueline Clark, & Tracy Dietz, all of Tampa, FL.; 1 Grandchild, 4 Nieces and 6 Nephews. Information provided by CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME "Your Friends Who Care" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/15/2007 - 9/16/2007.

859. SAVAGE, BENNY R., (Obituary No. 859.) 65 Dunnellon - Benny R. Savage, 65, Dunnellon, FL died September 11, 2007 at his residence. A native of Pennsylvania, he relocated to Dunnellon from Walden, NY in 1987. He had been employed in Boiler and Pipefitting Maintenance. He is survived by his daughters, Heather Primeau and husband Chuck, Ballston Spa, NY, Faith Savage, Ellenville, NY and Joann Conklin, Ballston Spa, NY; sons, Benny Savage and wife Kathy, Ballston Spa, NY, James Savage and wife Karen, Pittsburg, PA and Duane Savage, Ballston Spa, NY; brother, Tom Savage and wife Arlene, North Attleboro, MA; 17 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be conducted at the residence, 17181 SW 27th Street, Dunnellon on Tuesday September 18, 2007 at 5:00 pm. Arrangements by Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/15/2007 - 9/16/2007.

860. STARLING, EARL (Obituary No. 860.) 81 Ocala - Mr. Earl Starling passed away on Tuesday, September 11, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. He was a retired store manager of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company (A&P) moving to Marion county from Jacksonville in 1978. He was a active member First Baptist Church FT. McCoy. He leaves behind his wife of 57 years Pansy "Pam" Starling.; son. Edwin Earl Starling, Ocala, FL; Granddaughters: Renee' Couch, Jacksonville; Crystal Warner, Ocala; Grandson, Jason Warner, Ocala, and one precious Great Granddaughter, Katlyn Couch, Jacksonville, plus Nieces and Nephews. Services will be held 1:00 PM on Saturday, September 15, 2007 with visitation 1 hour prior to service. At the First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy, FL. with the Rev Ted Burrell officiating. Burial will be at the Ft. McCoy Cemetery. Donations may be made to the First Baptist Church Ft. McCoy or Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/14/2007 - 9/15/2007.

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861. BAGBY, DARLENE MILLS, (Obituary No. 861.) 78 Ocala - Darlene Mills Bagby, 78, passed away on August 30, 2007. She is survived by her son, Jeff Bagby, also of Ocala. As a perfect mother and a devout Christian, she inspired many people with her faith and kindness and will be greatly missed by all that knew her. She moved to Ocala from Indianapolis Indiana in 1968. A Beautician by trade, she started a beauty salon called The House of London. She enjoyed her work and loved her customers for 39 years. She was a former member of Central Christian Church, Charter member of Silver Springs Shores Christian Church and current member of First Assembly of God. A memorial service will be held in her honor at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. on Thursday September 20th, 2007 at 7 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Sylvia's House c/o Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.
862. BOWMAN, MARY LOUISE MABEE, (Obituary No. 862.) 90
Ocala - Mary L. Bowman, 90, October 20, 1916 - September 11, 2007, much beloved sister, aunt and friend, finished her earthly life and began Life Eternal on Tuesday, September 11th. Born in Lafayette NJ, the sister of Allen, Harold, Martin, and Floyd, she married the love of her life, Stephen Wesley Bowman, and they celebrated life together for 55 years until his death in 1989, at which time Mary found great purpose in volunteering for Hospice. Mary's survivors include: brother Mart Mabee of Lafayette NJ; nephews Allen Mabee of Bangor PA; Denny Mabee of Cheshire CT; Harold Mabee of Landing NJ ; nieces Marie Mabee Burt of Tilton Falls NJ; Lillian Mabee Kinney of Newton NJ; and other great nieces and nephews. God's blessings on two special friends - Sharon Heller and Chip Perks - for their caring hearts and kindnesses to Mary and family 'beyond the call'. Memorials may be sent to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala FL 34478. Condolences may be mailed to Family of Mary Bowman, PO Box 1075, Faith NC 28041. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

863. ELLIOT, MAX NORMAN, (Obituary No. 863.) 83
Ocala - Max Norman Elliot, 83, died Tuesday, September 11, 2007 at the Ocala Regional Medical Center. Max Norman Elliot was born April 20, 1924 in Clark County, South Dakota to Henry Russell and Marvelle Estelle (Bussert) Elliott. He attended school in Sioux Falls, SD, graduated from Washington High School in 1942 mid term and joined the Navy where he served 20 years. Mr. Elliot was one of the survivors of the USS Chicago when it was bombed near New Caledonia. he married Darlene Froseth in 1946 in Sioux Falls and they had three children Cheryl, Daryl and Randall living on naval installation bases along the west coast. Mr. Elliot was secretary of the Orange Lake VFW Hall. Mr. Elliot was preceded in death by his second wife, Jacqueline Elliot, in 2002, a son Randall Elliot, in 1970, and his brother Donald Russell Elliott in 1998. He was also preceded in death by a great step-father Guy F. Smiley and step-daughter Jill Gravning in 2005. Survivors include daughters Cheryl Elliott, Santa Barbara, CA, Karen Fraley, Baldwin, MI, and Marla Payton, Jeromesville, OH; sons, Daryl Elliott, Santa Barbara and Mark Madsen, Sioux Falls, SD, five grandchildren and ten great grandchildren. Also, his niece, Patricia M. Tille of Sioux Falls, SD and a nephew, Donald Russell Elliot, Jr. in Knoxville, TN. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. A memorial service will be held at a future date and time. HIERS FUNERAL HOME is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

864. GREEN, NIEDA MAE, (Obituary No. 864.) 66
Reddick - Mrs. Nieda Mae Green, 66, passed away September 13th at her home. She was born in New Britain, CT and moved here in 1997 from Lake Park, FL. She enjoyed gardening and crafts, and liked horses and her yorkies. She was a member of the Fairfield Presbyterian Church. She is survived by Bob Green, her husband of 18 years, daughter Donna (Scott) Butler of Vernon, CT, sons Jason and Michael Baldinger of Ocala, Jamie (Kim) Jamieson of Forest City, IL, Robert Jamieson of Mt. Dora, FL, Glenn Jamieson of Seattle, WA, eight grandchildren, one great granddaughter, brothers Raymond Hamilton of New York, Carl Hamilton of Utah, and a sister Tara Dillard of Clarksville, GA. A memorial service will be held on Tuesday, September 18th at the Fairfield Presbyterian Church at 1:00 p.m. with Rev. Bruce Seaman officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Nieda Green. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.
**865. HENDRIX, DANNY RAY, (Obituary No. 865.)** Ocala - Danny Ray Hendrix passed away on August 28, 2007. He was the brother of James and Johny Hendrix of Belleview, Mary McIlvey of Aiken S.C., Pearl McCall, and Betty Amidia. He also had many nieces and nephews. Interment service on Saturday September 15th at 10 a.m. Arrangement by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave, Ocala, Fl 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/9/2007 - 9/16/2007.

**866. JONES, JEAN W., (Obituary No. 866.)** Ocala - Jean W. Jones, 76, passed away September 13th. Born in Norfolk, VA, she resided a number of years in Atlanta, GA and came to this area 13 years ago from Houston, TX. She was a retired administrative assistant for Texaco and a Baptist by faith. She is survived by her husband of 35 years, Lloyd Jones, 2 children, 3 grandchildren and 1 great granddaughter. A Memorial Service will be held at a later date in Atlanta, GA. Arrangement by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

**867. LOUKS, JAMES LEON, (Obituary No. 867.)** Ocala - James Leon Louks, 83 years old of Ocala, Florida, born in Tipton, Indiana, passed away September 5, 2007, surrounded by his family. James was a veteran of WWII in the Navy Air Force flying with the Liberators, in the Azores. He was an aviation machinist's mate, 1st class. James was an avid golfer, loved boating and the ocean. He will be sorely missed by all those who loved him. He is survived by his loved ones, Delores Thompkins, Daughters: Sherry Brown, of Inverness, Sheila Reed, of Ft McCoy, Connie Bowers, of Ocklawaha, and a son Kirk Shockley, of Orlando. There are eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Surviving James is a sister, Sandra Denny, of Orlando, and a brother Bill Williams of Georgia. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/15/2007 - 9/16/2007.

**868. MELENDEZ ANGELA (Obituary No. 868.)** Ocala - Angela Melendez, 89, of Ocala, EL, died September, 13, 2007 at her Marion House Health Care. A native of San Juan, PR, she relocated to Marion County in 1993 from San Juan. Mrs. Melendez was a homemaker, a member of La Nueva Jerusalem Baptist Church, where she was active in their bible study. She loved traveling, gardening and cooking. She had a great sense of humor, a very happy person, always had a smile on her face. Angela is survived by her sons, William J. DelValle, Jesus Manuel DelValle and Luis Alfredo DelValle all of San Juan, PR, her daughters, Edwyna DelValle and Merylin Sedan both of Ocala, Fl her brother, Nicolas Melendez of San Juan, 13 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and 2 great-greatgrandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Jorge DelValle. Funeral Services will be held on Sunday, Sept. 16, 2007 at 6:00 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST with visitation beginning at 2:00 PM. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

**869. MICHAUD, ALBERT ARTHUR, (Obituary No. 869.)** Ocala - Albert Arthur Michaud announce his passing on August 14, 2007 at the age of 77 years. Born July 22, 1930, Albert lived his early years in Seekonk, MA. Much of his adult life was spent in Somersville, CT and later years in Ocala, FL. ALbert was a proud Navy Veteran. Surviving are his sons Don and Albert Michaud, both of CT. A graveside memorial will be held on Saturday, October 6, 2007 at Rose Hill Cemetery in Rocky Hill, CT, Section 29, at 10:30 am. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

**870. PLUTA, JOSEPH ANTHONY, (Obituary No. 870.)** Belleview - Joseph A. Pluta, 96, died Monday, September 10, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. A native of Dudley, MA, Mr. Pluta moved to Belleview from Miami in 1971. He was a retired carpenter with Turner
Construction Company and a member of the Belleview United Methodist Church. Fishing and gardening were lifelong hobbies. He will be lovingly remembered for his sense of humor and love of family. Survivors include his daughter Dottie Bergquist, Belleview, son John Pluta and his wife Judy, The Villages, sister Amelia Moritz, Boston, MA, grandsons James Bergquist, Tommy Bergquist, John Pluta, Doug Pluta, and granddaughters Lisa Berg, Christina Pluta, and 6 great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his loving wife of 67 years Newyl M. Pluta. Funeral Services will be held at 1:30 PM, Saturday, September 22, 2007 at Belleview United Methodist Church, with Rev. Jon-Marc MacLean officiating. Interment will be in Belleview Cemetery. A visitation will be a half hour prior to the service at the church. Memorial Contributions may be made to Belleview United Methodist Church in Mr. Pluta's name. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

871. RITTENHOUSE, SHEILA (Obituary No. 871.), 62 Ocala - Sheila (Fox) Rittenhouse age 62, joined the heavenly saints on September 9, 2007 following a long illness. Visitation is Sunday, September 16, from 1-4 and 6-9 PM. Funerals services at Lashley Funeral Home of Mio, MI on Monday, September 17, 2007 at 11:00 AM. Interment following service at Kittle Cemetery. Sheila attended Mio High School. She lived and worked for many years in the Sturgis, MI area before retiring to Ocala, FL with her husband Gary Rittenhouse. She is survived by her second husband Gary, children: Michele Markel of Wyoming, Brad Sigler of Hastings and Darian Fitch of Houston, Texas, Gary's Children: Yvonne Anderson, Mark Rittenhouse, and David Rittenhouse all of MI. Also surviving are her mother Dorothy Fox of Mio, sisters: Helen Leaf and Margaret Fox; brothers: Paul (Joan) Fox, Lowell (Kim) Fox all of Mio; eight grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her father Kenneth Fox and first husband Dallas Sigler. Arrangements handled by Lashley Funeral Home Inc. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

872. SANDERS, EARL JACKSON, (Obituary No. 872.) 44 Ocala - Earl Jackson Sanders, 44, produce manager for local food exchange, Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, September 15, 2007 in Land of Lakes, FL at 2 p.m. Mr. Sanders was a member of the Kingdom Hall. He was born June 6, 1963 in Tampa, Florida to Eugene Sanders & Susan Marie Felix. Survivors: 2 sons Brandon Sanders & Justin Sanders, Ocala, FL; 1 daughter Tiffany Sanders, Ocala, FL; Mother Susan Kinney, Step father Jerry Kinney, Tampa, FL; 2 brothers Michael Sanders & Jason Sanders, Tampa, FL; 3 sisters, Toni Sanders Lara, Jacqueline Clark, & Tracy Dietz, all of Tampa, FL.; 1 Grandchild, 4 Nieces and 6 Nephews. Information provided by CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME "Your Friends Who Care" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/15/2007 - 9/16/2007.

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TRIGG, DOROTHY D., (Obituary No. 874.) 80 Ocala - Trigg, Dorothy D., 80, a loving mother and lifelong resident of Tampa, died Tuesday, September 11, 2007 in Ocala. She is survived by her two sons Dr. Lance P. Trigg of Ocala, Florida and Dr. Stephen D. Trigg of Jacksonville, Florida and their wives, Dawn and Gail; her four grandchildren: Dalton, Katherine, Lance, and Dorothy Anne; and her sister, Carole Lins of Tampa. She was a sustaining member of the Junior League of Tampa, The Chiselers of the H.B. Plant Museum Society, and a member of Hyde Park Presbyterian Church. A memorial service is planned at Hyde Park Presbyterian on September 28, 2007 at 1:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hyde Park Presbyterian Church or the charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

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BOWMAN, MARY LOUISE MABEE, (Obituary No. 876.) 90Ocala - Mary L. Bowman, 90, October 20, 1916 ~ September 11, 2007, much beloved sister, aunt and friend, finished her earthly life and began Life Eternal on Tuesday, September 11th. Born in Lafayette NJ, the sister of Allen, Harold, Martin, and Floyd, she married the love of her life, Stephen Wesley Bowman, and they celebrated life together for 55 years until his death in 1989, at which time Mary found great purpose in volunteering for Hospice. Mary's survivors include: brother Mart Mabee of Lafayette NJ; nephews Allen Mabee of Bangor PA; Denny Mabee of Cheshire CT; Harold Mabee of Landing NJ; nieces Marie Mabee Burt of Tilton Falls NJ; Lillian Mabee Kinney of Newton NJ; and other great nieces and nephews. God's blessings on two special friends- Sharon Heller and Chip Perks- for their caring hearts and kindnesses to Mary and family 'beyond the call'. Memorials may be sent to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala FL 34478. Condolences may be mailed to Family of Mary Bowman, PO Box 1075, Faith NC 28041. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

ELLiot, MAX NORMAN, (Obituary No. 877.) 83Ocala - Max Norman Elliot, 83, died Tuesday, September 11, 2007 at the Ocala Regional Medical Center. Max Norman Elliot was born April 20, 1924 in Clark County, South Dakota to Henry Russell and Marvelle Estelle (Bussert) Elliott. He attended school in Sioux Falls, SD, graduated from Washington High School in 1942 mid term and joined the Navy where he served 20 years. Mr. Elliot was one of the survivors of the USS Chicago when it was bombed near New Caledonia. he married Darlene Froseth in 1946 in Sioux Falls and they had three children Cheryl, Daryl and Randall living on naval installation bases along the west coast. Mr. Elliot was secretary of the Orange Lake VFW Hall. Mr. Elliot was preceded in death by his second wife, Jacqueline Elliot, in 2002, a son
Randall Elliot, in 1970, and his brother Donald Russell Elliott in 1998. He was also preceded in death by a great step-father Guy F. Smiley and step-daughter Jill Gravning in 2005. Survivors include daughters Cheryl Elliott, Santa Barbara, CA, Karen Fraley, Baldwin, MI, and Marla Payton, Jeromesville, OH; sons, Daryl Elliott, Santa Barbara and Mark Madsen, Sioux Falls, SD, five grandchildren and ten great grandchildren. Also, his niece, Patricia M. Tille of Sioux Falls, SD and a nephew, Donald Russell Elliott, Jr. in Knoxville, TN. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. A memorial service will be held at a future date and time. HIERS FUNERAL HOME is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

878. GREEN, NIEDA MAE, (Obituary No. 878.) 66Reddick - Mrs. Nieda Mae Green, 66, passed away September 13th at her home. She was born in New Britain, CT and moved here in 1997 from Lake Park, FL. She enjoyed gardening and crafts, and liked horses and her yorkies. She was a member of the Fairfield Presbyterian Church. She is survived by Bob Green, her husband of 18 years, daughter Donna (Scott) Butler of Vernon, CT, sons Jason and Michael Baldinger of Ocala, Jamie (Kim) Jamieson of Forest City, IL, Robert Jamieson of Mt. Dora, FL, Glenn Jamieson of Seattle, WA, eight grandchildren, one great granddaughter, brothers Raymond Hamilton of New York, Carl Hamilton of Utah, and a sister Tara Dillard of Clarksville, GA. A memorial service will be held on Tuesday, September 18th at the Fairfield Presbyterian Church at 1:00 p.m. with Rev. Bruce Seaman officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Nieda Green. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

879. JONES, JEAN W., (Obituary No. 879.) 76Ocala - Jean W. Jones, 76, passed away September 13th. Born in Norfolk, VA, she resided a number of years in Atlanta, GA and came to this area 13 years ago from Houston, TX. She was a retired administrative assistant for Texaco and a Baptist by faith. She is survived by her husband of 35 years, Lloyd Jones, 2 children, 3 grandchildren and 1 great granddaughter. A Memorial Service will be held at a later date in Atlanta, GA. Arrangement by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

880. MELENDEZ ANGELA(Obituary No. 880.) , 89Ocala - Angela Melendez, 89, of Ocala, FL., died September, 13, 2007 at her Marion House Health Care. A native of San Juan, PR, she relocated to Marion County in 1993 from San Juan. Mrs. Melendez was a homemaker, a member of La Nueva Jerusalem Baptist Church, where she was active in their bible study. She loved traveling, gardening and cooking. She had a great sense of humor, a very happy person, always had a smile on her face. Angela is survived by her sons, William J. DelValle, Jesus Manuel DelValle and Luis Alfredo DelValle all of San Juan, PR, her daughters, Edwyna DelValle and Merylin Sedan both of Ocala, FL her brother, Nicolas Melendez of San Juan, 13 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and 2 great-greatgrandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Jorge DelValle. Funeral Services will be held on Sunday, Sept. 16, 2007 at 6:00 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST with visitation beginning at 2:00 PM. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

881. MICHAUD, ALBERT ARTHUR, (Obituary No. 881.) 77It is with great sadness that the family of Albert Arthur Michaud announce his passing on August 14, 2007 at the age of 77 years. Born July 22, 1930, Albert lived his early years in Seekonk, MA. Much of his adult life was spent in Somersville, CT and later years in Ocala, FL. ALbert was a proud Navy Veteran.
Surviving are his sons Don and Albert Michaud, both of CT. A graveside memorial will be held on Saturday, October 6, 2007 at Rose Hill Cemetery in Rocky Hill, CT, Section 29, at 10:30 am. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

882. PERSAUD, MAHENDRA (Obituary No. 882.) , 34Ocala - Mahendra Persaud, 34, passed away September 15th in Plant City, FL. He was born in Guyana and moved to Ocala in 2000 from New York, NY. He was Hindu and enjoyed playing cricket, softball and fishing. He is survived by his wife Rohani Persaud of Ocala, sons Steven and Shane Persaud of Ocala, his mother Sarjudai Hemlall of Plant City, FL, father Hemlall Persaud of New York, NY, stepfather Ramkissoon Nandkishun of Plant City, FL, stepmother Irene Persaud of New York, NY, stepbrothers Mahesh Persaud of Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Chris Nandkishun of Plant City, FL, sister Emily Persaud of New York, NY, grandmother Sohadra Persaud of New York, NY, and one nephew Amar Ali. The family will receive friends from 5 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, September 18th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. The funeral service will be at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 19th at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/17/2007 - 9/18/2007.

883. PLUTA, JOSEPH ANTHONY, (Obituary No. 883.) 96Belleview - Joseph A. Pluta, 96, died Monday, September 10, 2007 at The Villages Regional Hospital. A native of Dudley, MA, Mr. Pluta moved to Belleview from Miami in 1971. He was a retired carpenter with Turner Construction Company and a member of the Belleview United Methodist Church. Fishing and gardening were lifelong hobbies. He will be lovingly remembered for his sense of humor and love of family. Survivors include his daughter Dottie Bergquist, Belleview, son John Pluta and his wife Judy, The Villages, sister Amelia Moritz, Boston, MA, grandsons James Bergquist, Tommy Bergquist, John Pluta, Doug Pluta, and granddaughters Lisa Berg, Christina Pluta, and 6 great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his loving wife of 67 years Newyl M. Pluta. Funeral Services will be held at 1:30 PM, Saturday, September 22, 2007 at Belleview United Methodist Church, with Rev. Jon-Marc MacLean officiating. Interment will be in Belleview Cemetery. A visitation will be a half hour prior to the service at the church. Memorial Contributions may be made to Belleview United Methodist Church in Mr. Pluta's name. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

884. RITTENHOUSE, SHEILA (Obituary No. 884.) , 62Ocala - Sheila (Fox) Rittenhouse age 62, joined the heavenly saints on September 9, 2007 following a long illness. Visitation is Sunday, September 16, from 1-4 and 6-9 PM. Funeral services at Lashley Funeral Home of Mio, MI on Monday, September 17, 2007 at 11:00 AM. Interment following service at Kittle Cemetery. Sheila attended Mio High School. She lived and worked for many years in the Sturgis, MI area before retiring to Ocala, FL with her husband Gary Rittenhouse. She is survived by her second husband Gary, children: Michele Markel of Wyoming, Brad Sigler of Hastings and Darian Fitch of Houston, Texas. Gary's Children: Yvonne Anderson, Mark Rittenhouse, and David Rittenhouse all of MI. Also surviving are her mother Dorothy Fox of Mio, sisters: Helen Leaf and Margaret Fox; brothers: Paul (Joan) Fox, Lowell (Kim) Fox all of Mio; eight grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her father Kenneth Fox and first husband Dallas Sigler. Arrangements handled by Lashley Funeral Home Inc. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

885. TRIGG, DOROTHY D., (Obituary No. 885.) , 80Ocala - Trigg, Dorothy D., 80, a loving mother and lifelong resident of Tampa, died Tuesday, September 11, 2007 in Ocala. She is survived by her two sons Dr. Lance P. Trigg of Ocala, Florida and Dr. Stephen D. Trigg of
Jacksonville, Florida and their wives, Dawn and Gail; her four grandchildren: Dalton, Katherine, Lance, and Dorothy Anne; and her sister, Carole Lins of Tampa. She was a sustaining member of the Junior League of Tampa, The Chiseler of the H.B. Plant Museum Society, and a member of Hyde Park Presbyterian Church. A memorial service is planned at Hyde Park Presbyterian on September 28, 2007 at 1:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hyde Park Presbyterian Church or the charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/16/2007 - 9/17/2007.

886. TWIST, MSGT ROBERT (Obituary No. 886.) E., 76Bellevue - MSGT Robert E. Twist (Ret.), 76, of Bellevue, FL joined the Lord Friday, September 14, 2007. Mr. Twist served in the US Army for over 20 years; serving from August 16, 1949 to September 30, 1970. After his military service he owned and operated a packing and crating company in Tampa. Mr. Twist was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. He was a member of the Cercillo Movement. Woodworking was his hobby. He is survived by his wife Frances A. Twist of Bellevue, FL; sons, Paul Twist (Lhing), Miami, FL, Stephen E. Twist of Independence, MO, daughters, Colleen Carver (Michael) of Pembroke Pines, FL, Barbara Golden (Joseph), Miami, FL, Patricia Kaldaway, Colorado, sons, Mark Rodriguez (Lori), Tampa, FL; Matthew Rodriguez (Brenda), Tampa, FL; daughters, Cecilia Muscarella of Fort Meyers, FL; Anna Marie Cox (Chuck), Tampa, FL, sister, Theresa Benson of Belleview, FL; brothers, George Twist (Patricia) of Cibolo, TX, Kenneth Twist (Ruth) of Belleview, FL, and Charles Twist of Georgia; 13 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held on Monday, September 17, 2007, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held for Mr. Twist on Tuesday, September 18, 2007, at 11:00 a.m., at St. Theresa Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Angels of the Poor C/O Food For the Poor, Inc., 6401 Lyons Road, PO Box 979004, Coconut Creek, FL, 33097-9004. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Bellevue, Belleview, Florida, (352) 245-2424. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/17/2007 - 9/19/2007.

887. CARR, JERED B., (Obituary No. 887.) 68Sparr - Jered Carr passed away on Sunday, September 16, 2007 at his residence. Born in Searsport Maine he had made Florida his home since 1995 moving from Ga. He retired with 29 years from Augusta Mental Health Institute and worked for another nine years for Loomis Security Company. He served in the U.S. Army and spent another three years in the Army Reserves. He raced harness horses for 20 years in Maine and owned and trained horses for another four years in Pompano Bench, FL. He loved and took care of all kinds of animals through out his life. He was a member of Sparr United Methodist Church. Survivors include: wife of 38 years Pamela Carr. Six children; Jered B. Carr, Jr. of Detroit, MI., Deborah Pomerleau (Ricki) Catherine Dostie (Karl) all of Belgrade, Maine., Carol Bean (Donald) of Augusta, Maine, Jeffrey B. Carr of Anthony, FL. and Hannah Carr of Tampa, FL. Sister; Esther Grant of Augusta, Maine. 6 Grandchildren and one Great Grandchild. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, September 19, 2007 at Anthony Cemetery with Rev. George W. Holston, Jr. officiating. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL. 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/18/2007 - 9/19/2007.

888. PERSAUD, MAHENDRA(Obituary No. 888.), 34Ocala - Mahendra Persaud, 34, passed away September 15th in Plant City, FL. He was born in Guyana and moved to Ocala in 2000 from New York, NY. He was Hindu and enjoyed playing cricket, softball and fishing. He is
survived by his wife Rohani Persaud of Ocala, sons Steven and Shane Persaud of Ocala, his mother Sarjudai Hemlall of Plant City, FL, father Hemlall Persaud of New York, NY, stepfather Ramkissoon Nandkishun of Plant City, FL, stepmother Irene Persaud of New York, NY, stepbrothers Mahesh Persaud of Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Chris Nandkishun of Plant City, FL, sister Emily Persaud of New York, NY, grandmother Sohadra Persaud of New York, NY, and one nephew Amaar Ali. The family will receive friends from 5 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, September 18th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. The funeral service will be at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 19th at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/17/2007 - 9/18/2007.

889. PESATA, MOLLIE A., (Obituary No. 889.) 87Gainesville - Mrs. Mollie A. (Amelia Anna Fiala) Pesata, born April 7, 1920 in Newberry, Ohio, daughter of Louis and Louise Fiala passed away on September 16, 2007 in Gainesville, Florida. Four and a half months earlier she was preceded in death by Patrick, her husband of 60 years. She was also preceded in death by her two brothers Louis and Reverend John Fiala also a sister Marie Chaykowski. She is survived by her sister Elsie Meile. Two sons Patrick Pesata and wife Kathleen, Daniel Pesata and wife Ginger. Grandchildren Kate and husband Tim Wiley, Patrick III and wife Jenny, Justin, Barbara, and D.J. Pesata. Great-grandchildren Margaret and William Wiley and Conner Garabowski. She also leaves behind many other loving family members and friends. Mollie lived a long, fulfilled life of faith and giving as a dairy farmer, teacher, wife, mother, and grandmother. When her husband retired they moved to Ocala, Florida. Her memorial mass will be held at the community of Jesus the Christ Child, Our Lady Help of Christians Parish 9608 Norwalk Rd. Litchfield, Ohio 44253 on October 5th at 6 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the above Church. She will be dearly missed. Arrangements by ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/18/2007 - 9/19/2007.

890. TILLERY, WINIFRED(Obituary No. 890.) , 65Russellville, AR - Winifred Tillery, 65, of Russellville, AR, formerly of Live Oak, FL died Tuesday, September 11, 2007 at St. Mary's Regional Medical Center in Russellville. The daughter of Frank and Fannie Touchton Lloyd, she was born October 4, 1941 in Sebring, FL. She was preceded in death by her parents; and one sister Alice Minton. Survivors include, son James Futch, of FL; daughter, Darlene Kelley of Russellville, AR; son, Charles Futch of FL, son, Leon Futch of FL; 3 sisters, Mamie Davis, of FL, Elsie Hampton of WA, Helen Lloyd of WA; 3 brothers Ivedent Lloyd of FL, James Lloyd of WA, Edward Lloyd of FL; nine grandchildren, six great grand, and a host of other family and friends. Memorial service will be 10 a.m. Saturday September 29, 2007 at Ft. White Church of God at 339 South West Bryant Avenue, Ft. White Florida. Cremation arrangements under the direction of Humphrey Funeral Service. Memorials may be made to Tillery Memorial Fund c/o Darlene Kelley 526 Shiloh Rd Russellville, AR 72802. www.humphreyfuneral.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/18/2007 - 9/19/2007.

891. TWIST, MSGT ROBERT E., (Obituary No. 891.) 76Belleview - MSGT Robert E. Twist (Ret.), 76, of Belleview, FL joined the Lord Friday, September 14, 2007. Mr. Twist served in the US Army for over 20 years; serving from August 16, 1949 to September 30, 1970. After his military service he owned and operated a packing and crating company in Tampa. Mr. Twist was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. He was a member of the Curcillo Movement. Woodworking was his hobby. He is survived by his wife Frances A. Twist of Belleview, FL; sons, Paul Twist (Lhing), Miami, FL, Stephen E. Twist of Independence, MO, daughters, Colleen Carver (Michael) of Pembroke Pines, FL, Barbara Golden (Joseph), Miami, FL, Patricia Kaldaway, Colorado, sons, Mark Rodriguez (Lori), Tampa, FL; Matthew Rodriguez (Brenda),
Tampa, FL; daughters, Cecilia Muscarella of Fort Meyers, FL; Anna Marie Cox (Chuck), Tampa, FL, sister, Theresa Benson of Belleview, FL, brothers, George Twist (Patricia) of Cibolo, TX, Kenneth Twist (Ruth) of Belleview, FL, and Charles Twist of Georgia; 13 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held on Monday, September 17, 2007, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held for Mr. Twist on Tuesday, September 18, 2007, at 11:00 a.m., at St. Theresa Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Angels of the Poor C/O Food For the Poor, Inc., 6401 Lyons Road, PO Box 979004, Coconut Creek, FL, 33097-9004. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services- Belleview, Belleview, Florida, (352) 245-2424. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/17/2007 - 9/19/2007.

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893. HOOPS, JACK W., (Obituary No. 893.) 83Ocala - Mr. Jack Hoops, 83, passed away in Ocala, Florida on September 18, 2007. He was born in Yucon, W. Virginia on September 10, 1924. He was a retired Operating Engineer. He was a veteran of the US Army during WWII. He moved to this area in 1991 from Deerfield Beach, Florida. He is survived by his wife of 61 years Phala. Two sons Ralph Hoops of Ocala, FL, James W. Hoops of Cummings, GA. Three daughters Julia Siebert of Ocala, FL; Phala Bernhardt of Pompano Beach, FL and Sharon Roberts of Tamarac, FL. 15 Grandchildren, 22 Great grandchildren and 1 Great-great Grandchild. He was a Baptist. In lieu of flowers send donations to Hospice of Marion County. Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL is handling the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/20/2007.

894. LAUGHLIN, JOHN JOSEPH, USAF (Ret.) (Obituary No. 894.), 64Ft. McCoy - Tec. Sgt. John Joseph Laughlin, US Air Force (Ret.), 64, of Ft McCoy, died Monday September 17, 2007 at his residence following a brief illness. He was a native of Ft. Wayne, IN and had been a resident of Ft. McCoy for the past 11 years coming from Dellwood, MO. He was retired from the US Air Force, US Civil Service and the Missouri National Guard following 37 years of service as an Air Craft Equipment Specialist. He attended the First Baptist Church of Orange Springs. John enjoyed building and carpentry. He was an avid fan of the St. Louis Cardinals, St. Louis Rams and the Florida Gators. He was a loving husband, father and grandfather. He was preceded in death by his parents, John B. Laughlin and Frances D. Neff; 2 brothers, James and Joseph
Laughlin; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Uecker. Surviving are his wife of 23 years, Pamela C. Laughlin of Ft McCoy; 2 sons, Thomas Wayne Laughlin of Louisville, KY and Steven Shawn Laughlin of Ft. McCoy; 2 daughters and son-in-law, Tracie Annette and Darrell Sheakley of Ft. McCoy and Maranda Mae Laughlin of St. Louis, MO; one sister, Geraldine Plasce of Cleburne, TX; 7 grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be 4 p.m. Friday September 21, 2007 at the First Baptist Church of Orange Springs with Rev. William F. Freal officiating. Full military honors will be bestowed by the Florida National Guard. Masters Funeral Home of Interlachen is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/20/2007.

895. NOSS, IRENE P., (Obituary No. 895.) 86Ocala - Irene P. Noss, 86, passed away September 17, 2007. She came to this area in 1987 from her native, Cleveland, Ohio. She was a homemaker, Catholic by faith, and is survived by her daughters, Jacqui King of Ocala, and Geri Churchin of Jacksonville, FL; son, Scott Noss of Chippewa Lake, Ohio; brothers, John Hozan of Cleveland, OH and Russell Hozan of Walla Walla, WA; sister, Beverly Kendall of Cleveland, OH; 4 grand, 5 great and 3 great great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST (6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala 854-2266) on Thursday (Sept 20th) from 10-11 AM with the Funeral Service to follow at 11 AM. Interment will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/20/2007.

896. PESATA, MOLLIE A., (Obituary No. 896.) 87Gainesville - Mrs. Mollie A. (Amelia Anna Fiala) Pesata, born April 7, 1920 in Newberry, Ohio, daughter of Louis and Louise Fiala passed away on September 16, 2007 in Gainesville, Florida. Four and a half months earlier she was preceded in death by Patrick, her husband of 60 years. She was also preceded in death by her two brothers Louis and Reverend John Fiala also a sister Marie Chaykowski. She is survived by her sister Elsie Meile. Two sons Patrick Pesata and wife Kathleen, Daniel Pesata and wife Ginger. Grandchildren Kate and husband Tim Wiley, Patrick III and wife Jenny, Justin, Barbara, and D.J. Pesata. Great-grandchildren Margaret and William Wiley and Conner Garabowski. She also leaves behind many other loving family members and friends. Mollie lived a long, fulfilled life of faith and giving as a dairy farmer, teacher, wife, mother, and grandmother. When her husband retired they moved to Ocala, Florida. Her memorial mass will be held at the community of Jesus the Christ Child, Our Lady Help of Christians Parish 9608 Norwalk Rd. Litchfield, Ohio 44253 on October 5th at 6 p.m. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the above Church. She will be dearly missed. Arrangements by ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/18/2007 - 9/19/2007.

897. POWELL, TIFFANY VICTORIA, (Obituary No. 897.) 20Dunnellon - Tiffany Victoria Powell, 20, of Dunnellon died Sunday September 16, 2007. Tiffany was born in Ocala and was a Dunnellon High School graduate, Class of 2005 where she was active with the Chorus. Survivors include her parents Patricia H. and Ronald G. Powell, Brothers Anthony Justin Powell and Nicholas Craig Wade Powell, Maternal Grandmother Patricia Hopkins, Paternal Grandparents, Wade and Freda Powell, many Aunts, Uncles, and Cousins. Funeral services will be Friday 11 A.M. at the First Christian Church of Dunnellon with Rev. Mark L. Trout officiating. Interment will follow in Dunnellon Memory Gardens. Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave. Dunnellon in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/21/2007.

898. THOMAS, BERNARDINE K., (Obituary No. 898.) 65Ocala - Bernardine K. Thomas, 65, died September 17, 2007 at her home in Ocala FL. Bernardine was born September 29, 1941
in Midway, PA, the daughter of Bernie and Jane Hohl. She married Jay Thomas on June 6, 1959. Bernardine was the successful owner/proprietor of multiple businesses in Conneaut Lake, PA and Ocala, FL. In addition, Bernardine was a successful realtor with Foxfire Realty for many years. Survivors include her husband of 48 years, Jay Thomas; two sons, Terry Thomas and wife, Esperanza Casteneda and Tim Thomas and wife, Janice Thomas all of Ocala; her mother, Jane Hohl of Ocala; her brother John Bernard (Bud) Hohl of Las Vegas, NV; 5 grandchildren: Cody and Courtney Thomas, Jessica, Mary Elyse and Tyler Thomas, and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her father, Bernie Hohl in 1990. A memorial service will be held on Friday, September 21, 2007 at 3 PM at the Hospice of Marion County: 3231 SW 34 Avenue, Ocala. Immediately following the service, there will be a gathering for family and friends at her home: 4616 SE 15 Street, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in her name to one of the following organizations; Marion County Alzheimer's Association: 1101 SW 20th Court, Room 169, Ocala, FL 34474 (352-622-6056) or Hospice of Marion County, Inc.: PO Box 4840, Ocala, FL 34478 (352-873-7400) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/20/2007.

899. THOMPSON, WILBUR R. (WILL), (Obituary No. 899.) 91Hudson, NY - Wilbur R. (Will) Thompson, 91 of Stockport Rd., Hudson NY, and formerly of Ocala FL, died Tuesday Sep. 18, 2007 at his home. Born in New York, NY, Feb. 19, 1916, he was the son of the late Herman F. and Anna E. (Lode) Thompson. Mr. Thompson was a WW2 Veteran with the US Army and was a Manager for Metropolitan Life Ins. Co. in New York City and Kingston NY. He was a native of Lynbrook NY and moved to Ocala FL in 1986. He was a lifetime member of VFW Post #4781 in Ocala and a former member of the OTOW Men's Golf Assoc. also in Ocala. He is survived by one daughter: Patricia Fisher of Hudson, NY, 6 grandchildren, 1 great grandson and several nieces and nephews. He was Predeceased by his wife Virginia (Falkenmayer) Thompson and his son, James J. Thompson. Private graveside services will be held in St. Sylvia Cemetery in Tivoli NY at the convenience of the family. There will be no calling hours. Arrangements are with the Raymond E. Bond Funeral, Valatie. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/20/2007.

900. TILLERY, WINIFRED(Obituary No. 900.), 65Russellville, AR - Winifred Tillery, 65, of Russellville, AR, formerly of Live Oak, FL died Tuesday, September 11, 2007 at St. Mary's Regional Medical Center in Russellville. The daughter of Frank and Fannie Touchton Lloyd, she was born October 4, 1941 in Sebring, FL. She was preceded in death by her parents; and one sister Alice Minton. Survivors include, son James Futch, of FL; daughter, Darlene Kelley of Russellville, AR; son, Charles Futch of FL, son, Leon Futch of FL; 3 sisters, Mamie Davis, of FL, Elsie Hampton of WA, Helen Lloyd of WA; 3 brothers Ivedent Lloyd of FL, James Lloyd of WA, Edward Lloyd of FL; nine grandchildren, six great grand, and a host of other family and friends. Memorial service will be 10 a.m. Saturday September 29, 2007 at Ft. White Church of God at 339 South West Bryant Avenue, Ft. White Florida. Cremation arrangements under the direction of Humphrey Funeral Service. Memorials may be made to Tillery Memorial Fund c/o Darlene Kelley 526 Shiloh Rd Russellville, AR 72802. www.humphreyfuneral.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/18/2007 - 9/19/2007.

901. TWIST, MSGT ROBERT E., (Obituary No. 901.) 76Belleview - MSGT Robert E. Twist (Ret.), 76, of Belleview, FL joined the Lord Friday, September 14, 2007. Mr. Twist served in the US Army for over 20 years; serving from August 16, 1949 to September 30, 1970. After his military service he owned and operated a packing and crating company in Tampa. Mr. Twist was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. He was a member of the Curcillo Movement.
Woodworking was his hobby. He is survived by his wife Frances A. Twist of Belleview, FL; sons, Paul Twist (Lhing), Miami, FL, Stephen E. Twist of Independence, MO, daughters, Colleen Carver (Michael) of Pembroke Pines, FL, Barbara Golden (Joseph), Miami, FL, Patricia Kaldaway, Colorado, sons, Mark Rodriguez (Lori), Tampa, FL; Matthew Rodriguez (Brenda), Tampa, FL; daughters, Cecilia Muscarella of Fort Meyers, FL; Anna Marie Cox (Chuck), Tampa, FL, sister, Theresa Benson of Belleview, FL; brothers, George Twist (Patricia) of Cibolo, TX, Kenneth Twist (Ruth) of Belleview, FL, and Charles Twist of Georgia; 13 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held on Monday, September 17, 2007, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held for Mr. Twist on Tuesday, September 18, 2007, at 11:00 a.m., at St. Theresa Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Angels of the Poor C/O Food For the Poor, Inc., 6401 Lyons Road, PO Box 979004, Coconut Creek, FL, 33097-9004. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services- Belleview, Belleview, Florida, (352) 245-2424. Published in the Ocala Star Banner from 9/17/2007 - 9/19/2007.

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902. BROWN, DONNA KAY (WELSH) (Obituary No. 902.), 46 Alexandria, VA - Donna Kay (Welsh) Brown, 46, died on September 4th at Bethesda Naval Medical Center, in Maryland, from complications of advanced liver disease. She was on schedule for a liver transplant later this year. She was born in Tampa, Florida, but spent most of her school years in the Inverness area. She graduated from Citrus High School in 1979, where she was an honor student, a member of the marching band, and a majorette. She received numerous awards in majorette competitions throughout the State during those years. After graduation, Donna attended Central Florida Community College, while working as a photographer at Silver Springs Attraction, in Ocala. She met her husband of 26 years, USAF Colonel Herb Brown, while working together there. Prior to reporting for their first duty assignment at Ellsworth Air Force Base, in South Dakota, Donna and Herb founded the Citrus County Swim Team. Donna traveled the world with her husband during assignments in the Air Force, including stations in Italy, Germany, Panama, Upper Michigan, Tampa, Virginia Beach, and Washington, DC. Donna split her time between work and volunteering for the local chapter of the Air Force Wives. In 1988 and 1991, she was named Air Force "Angel" in recognition of her volunteer work. Donna loved traveling, photography, cooking and was proud Florida GATOR and Tampa Bay BUCS fan. Survivors include her husband, USAF Colonel Herb Brown (Alexandria, VA), her mother, Kathleen Welsh (Lady Lake), her brothers David Welsh (Tampa) and Larry Welsh (Palatka), parents-in-law, Kenneth and Erika Brown (Ocklawaha), brothers-in-law, Kenneth Brown, Jr. (Ocklawaha), Eric Brown (Philadelphia, PA), sisters-in-law, Kay Welsh (Palatka), Elise Richardson (Tampa), Veronica Brown (Philadelphia, PA), and her beloved 7-year-old Maltese pup named Brittany. Countless other relatives and friends, including her high school classmates, are left to cherish her memory and will miss her dearly. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

903. DOUGLAS, JAMES "HAROLD", (Obituary No. 903.) 88 Marianna - James "Harold" Douglas, 88, of Marianna passed away Tuesday, September 18, 2007 after a brief illness. Harold was born March 23, 1919 in Williston, Florida, to Leon and Ruby Messer Douglas. Following graduation from Fellowship High School, where he played basketball, Mr. Douglas served his country in the U.S. Army from July 1940 to October 1945. A U.S. Army veteran of World War II, he served as a Lieutenant for the Company C, 744th Light Tank Battalion in Normandy,
France, Holland, Belgium, and Germany. After several years of farming/ranching and raising their family in Marion/Levy County, Florida, Harold and his wife, Corinne, moved to Jackson County in 1973 to continue his peanut farming. Throughout his life, he and his family were honored to be the Marion County Farm Family of the Year, and he received several Peanut Producers' and Soybean Producers' awards for many years in both Marion and Jackson counties. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Marianne, the American Legion, and an avid outdoorsman who enjoyed gardening, hunting and fishing. He loved spending time with his family, and he was proud to have had the opportunity to serve his country, family and community. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Corinne Hewitt Douglas; one daughter, Linda Douglas Basford, and her husband, Daniel, of Marianna; one son, Maynard Harold Douglas, and his wife, Lisa, of Marianna; seven grandchildren, Doug Gwaltney and his wife, Kellie, of Atlanta; Karen Gwaltney of Tallahassee; Bethany Gwaltney of Tallahassee; Kristin Douglas of Panama City; Tanya Douglas of Gainesville; Jennifer Basford Barineau and her husband, Roy, of Tallahassee; and Martin Basford and his wife, Tiffany, of Grand Ridge, two great-grandchildren, Bud and Sam Basford; one brother, Edwin Douglas, and his wife, Betty, of Williston, Florida; and one sister, Lona Douglas McCormick, and her husband, Gwenn, of Ocala, Florida; and several nieces and a nephew. Services will be held at 11:00 a.m. at First Baptist Church, Marianna, FL on Thursday, September 20, 2007 with the Rev. Michael Petty and Rev. Gwenn McCormick, brother-in-law of Mr. Douglas, officiating. The family will receive friends and other family from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 19, 2007 at Maddox Chapel at James and Sikes Funeral Home, Marianna, Florida. Friday, September 21, 2007, A visitation will follow a brief service at First Baptist Church, Williston, Florida at 11:00 a.m. Williston and Morriston, Florida were home to Mr. Douglas for many years and he will be laid to rest at Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Morriston, Florida on Friday, September 21, 2007. Friends will serve as pallbearers and the members of Mr. Douglas' Adult V Men's Sunday School class will serve as honorary pallbearers. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church, Marianna, Florida, or the charity of your choice. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of JAMES AND SIKE'S FUNERAL HOME MADDOX CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

904. ELLIS, SR., HERBERT C., (Obituary No. 904.) 79 Ocala - Mr. Herbert C. Ellis, Sr., 79, who Passed away on Sunday September 16, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Ellis was a Lifetime resident of Ocala, Florida. He Retired from Ringpower as a Maintenance Man. Mr. Ellis is Survived By Daughter- Pamela Ellis, Woodbridge, Virginia; Son - Herbert Ellis Jr., Ocala, Florida; Step-Daughter - Loretta Cunningham, Houston, Texas; Step-Son - Alphonso Jones, Germany; sister -Willie Mae Leverett (Robert) Tampa, Florida; 11 Grandchildren, 7 Great-Grandchildren, 2 Great-Great-Grandchildren, Devoted Nieces - Lucille Ellis, Ocala, Florida; Cora Heard, Ocala, Florida; Dwanette Dilworth (Ronald), Ocala, Florida; Samatha & Stephenie Straughter, Ocala, Florida; Carla Ginlock, Ocala, Florida. Funeral Services For Mr. Herbert C. Ellis will Be Held on Friday September 21, 2007 at 4 P.M. at Summers Funeral Home Chapel 2238 N.W. 10th Street Ocala, Florida with Deacon Floyd C. Parker II Conducting the Services. Interment will be in Finley Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Visitation will Be held on FRIDAY AT SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME 11 A.M. Until time of Service. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

905. FARRELL, ROBERT "FRED", (Obituary No. 905.) 34 Weirsdale, FL - Robert "Fred" Farrell, 34, of Weirsdale was unexpectedly taken from us on Monday, September 17, 2007. He was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He was currently employed with UPS as a driver. He
was a devoted and loving father to Hannah, with whom he shared a special bond. They had many memorable times together fishing, scalloping, and camping. His parents Elmer and Agnes will dearly miss their son, and cherish the years they had with him. He will be kept in the hearts of his daughter Hannah, his parents Agnes and Elmer; brothers David and Michael (wife Brenda); sister Julie; several nieces and nephews; and many, many friends. Family and friends may come together from 6-8 pm on Friday, September 21, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. A funeral service will be held at 10 AM on Saturday, September 22, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Interment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

906. FOSSICK, ANGELO "ANGIE" RAGSDALE, (Obituary No. 906.) 83 Ft. McCoy - Angelo "Angie" Ragsdale Fossick, 83, of Franklin, NC and Ft. McCoy, FL, passed away Sunday, Sept. 16, 2007. Born in Nashville, Tenn., she was the daughter of the late Homer Elmore Ragsdale and Nillar Omie Duty Ragsdale. Angie was preceded in death by her husband, Haley W. Fossick who died in 1980; two sons, Haley W. Fossick, Jr. and David Bruce Fossick; two brothers and two sisters. She was a manager for Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co. for 40 years, retiring in 1982. Angie was a life member of Telephone Pioneers of America; past worthy matron from 1968-1969, Miami Chapter 141 OES; life member of the Ladies Auxiliary Veterans of Foreign War 10208; past president of the LAVFW10208; past district president of LAVFW District 22, FL; member of the Forest Bridge Club, Ocala, FL; and a member of the Red Hat Ladies of Salt Springs, FL. She is survived by two daughters, Connie Gann of Jacksonville, FL and Debbie Reeves and husband, Steve of Franklin, NC; grandchildren, Shirley Schetrompf and Raymond Benson and wife Lenora of Jacksonville, FL, Steven Reeves and wife Patrice of Asheville, NC, Ginny Ostrander and husband Matthew of Franklin, NC, Sheri McCaffrey and husband Brian, Brian Fossick and Scott Fossick of Hilliard, FL; 17 great grandchildren; 5 great-great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services were held Wednesday, September 19, at Lotla Baptist Church, Franklin, NC. Rev. Steve Reeves officiated. Graveside Services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, September 21, at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Memorial donations may be made to the VFW Post 10208, 23498 NE Hwy. 314, Ft. McCoy, FL 32134. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

907. HOOPS, JACK W., (Obituary No. 907.) 83 Ocala - Mr. Jack Hoops, 83, passed away in Ocala, Florida on September 18, 2007. He was born in Yucon, W. Virginia on September 10, 1924. He was a retired Operating Engineer. He was a veteran of the US Army during WWII. He moved to this area in 1991 from Deerfield Beach, Florida. He is survived by his wife of 61 years Phala. Two sons Ralph Hoops of Ocala, FL, James W. Hoops of Cummings, GA. Three daughters Julia Siebert of Ocala, FL; Phala Bernhardt of Pompano Beach, FL and Sharon Roberts of Tamarac, FL. 15 Grandchildren, 22 Great grandchildren and 1 Great-great Grandchild. He was a Baptist. In lieu of flowers send donations to Hospice of Marion County. Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL is handling the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/20/2007.

908. JOOSS, ALMA(Obituary No. 908.) , 91Ocala - Alma Jooss, 91, died on September 18, 2007 at her home in Ocala, Florida. She was born in Brooklyn N.Y. and raised in Richmond Hill, N.Y. During WW II Alma served in American Women's Hospital Reserve Corp. She went to Richmond Hill H.S. and New York University. She was a retired Business Administrator and Office Manager. Alma owned and operated the Sugar Bowl Restaurant in Schroon Lake, N.Y. Alma was actively involved in the Community of Schroon Lake where she served as a member
of the Advisory Board for the Office for the Aging, Advisory Council for R.S.V.P., member of the Elders Planning Board at North Country Community College's Center of Gerontology, she served as Director and co-founder of Schroon Lake's Senior Center, Director of the Chamber of Commerce, Director of Schroon Lakes Youth Commission, Director of Schroon Lakes Historical Society and she was co-chairman of the American Red Cross in Schroon. Alma moved to Ocala in 1983 and became actively involved with volunteering with RSVP, Marion County Senior Services and Hospice of Marion County. She loved to Bowl, work in her garden and enjoyed being involved with Pine Run's Singles Club where she served as former President. Alma is survived by a nephew Terrance Jooss, Lois V. Nix and a circle of friends. Celebration of her life will be on Sunday, September 23, 2007 at 2PM in the chapel of Legacy House 9505 SW 10th Street. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or Marion County Senior Services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/22/2007.

909. LAUGHLIN, TEC. SGT. JOHN JOSEPH, USAF (Ret.) (Obituary No. 909.), 64 Ft. McCoy - Tec. Sgt. John Joseph Laughlin, US Air Force (Ret.), 64, of Ft McCoy, died Monday September 17, 2007 at his residence following a brief illness. He was a native of Ft. Wayne, IN and had been a resident of Ft. McCoy for the past 11 years coming from Dellwood, MO. He was retired from the US Air Force, US Civil Service and the Missouri National Guard following 37 years of service as an Air Craft Equipment Specialist. He attended the First Baptist Church of Orange Springs. John enjoyed building and carpentry. He was an avid fan of the St. Louis Cardinals, St. Louis Rams and the Florida Gators. He was a loving husband, father and grandfather. He was preceded in death by his parents, John B. Laughlin and Frances D. Neff; 2 brothers, James and Joseph Laughlin; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Uecker. Surviving are his wife of 23 years, Pamela C. Laughlin of Ft McCoy; 2 sons, Thomas Wayne Laughlin of Louisville, KY and Steven Shawn Laughlin of Ft. McCoy; 2 daughters and son-in-law, Tracie Annette and Darrell Sheakley of Ft. McCoy and Maranda Mae Laughlin of St. Louis, MO; one sister, Geraldine Plasce of Cleburne, TX; 7 grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be 4 p.m. Friday September 21, 2007 at the First Baptist Church of Orange Springs with Rev. William F. Freal officiating. Full military honors will be bestowed by the Florida National Guard. Masters Funeral Home of Interlachen is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/20/2007.

910. NOSS, IRENE P., (Obituary No. 910.) 86 Ocala - Irene P. Noss, 86, passed away September 17, 2007. She came to this area in 1987 from her native, Cleveland, Ohio. She was a homemaker, Catholic by faith, and is survived by her daughters, Jacqui King of Ocala, and Geri Churchin of Jacksonville, FL; son, Scott Noss of Chippewa Lake, Ohio; brothers, John Hozan of Cleveland, OH and Russell Hozan of Walla Walla, WA; sister, Beverly Kendall of Cleveland, OH; 4 grand, 5 great and 3 great great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST (6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala 854-2266) on Thursday (Sept 20th) from 10-11 AM with the Funeral Service to follow at 11 AM. Interment will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/20/2007.

911. POWELL, TIFFANY VICTORIA, (Obituary No. 911.) 20 Dunnellon - Tiffany Victoria Powell, 20, of Dunnellon died Sunday September 16, 2007. Tiffany was born in Ocala and was a Dunnellon High School graduate, Class of 2005 where she was active with the Chorus. Survivors include her parents Patricia H. and Ronald G. Powell, Brothers Anthony Justin Powell and Nicholas Craig Wade Powell, Maternal Grandmother Patricia Hopkins, Paternal Grandparents, Wade and Freda Powell, many Aunts, Uncles, and Cousins. Funeral services will be Friday 11

912. TERRY, REVEREND ALPRESS P., (Obituary No. 912.) 95 Summerfield - Rev. Alpress P. Terry, (AP), 95, Founder and Pastor of Little Lakeweir Prayer House of Summerfield, Florida went home to be with the Lord on Friday, September 14, 2007. He leaves to cherish his fond memories two daughters, Geneatha Johnson and Annie Bell Lane, and two sons Alvin Terry and Earl Terry. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2007 11 a.m. at Soul Harbor Church in Belleview, Florida on 484 with Rev. Cubit Malone, Eulogist. A memorial service will be on Thursday, September 20, 2007, 7-8 p.m. at Little Lakeweir Prayer House in Summerfield, Florida. Visitation will be held Friday, September 21, 2007 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Little Lakeweir Prayer House. Services has been entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

913. THOMAS, BERNARDINE K., (Obituary No. 913.) 65Ocala - Bernardine K. Thomas, 65, died September 17, 2007 at her home in Ocala FL. Bernardine was born September 29, 1941 in Midway, PA, the daughter of Bernie and Jane Hohl. She married Jay Thomas on June 6, 1959. Bernardine was the successful owner/proprietor of multiple businesses in Conneaut Lake, PA and Ocala, FL. In addition, Bernardine was a successful realtor with Foxfire Realty for many years. Survivors include her husband of 48 years, Jay Thomas; two sons, Terry Thomas and wife, Esperanza Casteneda and Tim Thomas and wife, Janice Thomas all of Ocala; her mother, Jane Hohl of Ocala; her brother John Bernard (Bud) Hohl of Las Vegas, NV; 5 grandchildren: Cody and Courtney Thomas, Jessica, Mary Elyse and Tyler Thomas, and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her father, Bernie Hohl in 1990. A memorial service will be held on Friday, September 21, 2007 at 3 PM at the Hospice of Marion County: 3231 SW 34 Avenue, Ocala. Immediately following the service, there will be a gathering for family and friends at her home: 4616 SE 15 Street, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in her name to one of the following organizations; Marion County Alzheimer's Association: 1101 SW 20th Court, Room 169, Ocala, FL 34474 (352-622-6056) or Hospice of Marion County, Inc.: PO Box 4840, Ocala, FL 34478 (352-873-7400) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/20/2007.

914. THOMPSON, WILBUR R. (WILL), (Obituary No. 914.) 91, Hudson, NY - Wilbur R. (Will) Thompson, 91 of Stockport Rd., Hudson NY, and formerly of Ocala FL, died Tuesday Sep. 18, 2007 at his home. Born in New York, NY, Feb. 19, 1916, he was the son of the late Herman F. and Anna E. (Lode) Thompson. Mr. Thompson was a WW2 Veteran with the US Army and was a Manager for Metropolitan Life Ins. Co. in New York City and Kingston NY. He was a native of Lynbrook NY and moved to Ocala FL in 1986. He was a lifetime member of VFW Post #4781 in Ocala and a former member of the OTOW Men's Golf Assoc. also in Ocala. He is survived by one daughter: Patricia Fisher of Hudson, NY, 6 grandchildren, 1 great grandson and several nieces and nephews. He was Predeceased by his wife Virginia (Falkenmayer) Thompson and his son, James J. Thompson. Private graveside services will be held in St. Sylvia Cemetery in Tivoli NY at the convenience of the family. There will be no calling hours. Arrangements are with the Raymond E. Bond Funeral, Valatie. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/20/2007.
915. TOWNSEND, LENWOOD "WOODY", (Obituary No. 915.) 75 Ocala - Lenwood "Woody" Townsend, 75, passed away on September 17, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. A native of Kite, Georgia, he came here nearly 50 years ago from Savannah, GA and was a retired maintenance technician for Pepsi Cola, Ocala with 25 years of service. Woody was of the Baptist faith and a Korean War Veteran of the U.S. Army, earning a Purple Heart. He is survived by his son, Phillip Townsend of Ocala; brothers Joe B. Warnock, Jr., of Savannah, GA and Harvey Townsend of Dublin, GA; sisters Freddie Paul Mincey of Savannah, GA; Josephine Wood of Evanston, FL and Almea Martin of Wrightsville, GA. Also survived by three grandchildren, Jessica of Ocala; Derek of Pennsylvania and Angela of Jacksonville. Friends will be received on Friday, September 21st from 6-8 P.M. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where services will be held on Saturday, Sept. 22nd at 11 A.M. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with military honors rendered by Marion County Memorial Honor Guard. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.


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917. BRANSTROM, GRACE VIRGINIA, (Obituary No. 917.) 85 Ocala - Grace Virginia Branstrom, 85, of Ocala, FL, died Sept. 18, 2007 at Hawthorne Care Center, Ocala. A native of New Era, MI, she relocated to Marion County from Muskegon, MI. Grace was a homemaker, attended Ocala Bible Church, volunteered 12+ years with her husband as a missionary in Honduras, Central America. Grace was the youngest of nine children, and she will be remembered for her great sense of humor and her love of life in Christ, and for always having a smile on her face. Grace is survived by her husband of 66 years, Keith M. Branstrom, Ocala, son, William (Carmen) Branstrom, Ocala, her daughters, Susan Harp, Williamsburg, VA and Barbara (Bill) Salminen, Duluth, MN, seven grandchildren and one great-grandson. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Thursday, Sept. 20th from 7-8 pm and on Fri. from 10-11 am. Funeral services will be celebrated on Friday, Sept. 21, 2007 at 11:00 AM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to New Tribes Mission at 1000 E. First St. Sanford, FL 32771-1487 or to your local Alzheimer's branch in honor of Grace Branstrom's memory. Roberts FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST IS in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/22/2007.

918. BROWN, DONNA KAY (WELSH), (Obituary No. 918.) 46 Alexandria, VA - Donna Kay (Welsh) Brown, 46, died on September 4th at Bethesda Naval Medical Center, in Maryland, from complications of advanced liver disease. She was on schedule for a liver transplant later this year. She was born in Tampa, Florida, but spent most of her school years in the Inverness area. She graduated from Citrus High School in 1979, where she was an honor student, a member of the marching band, and a majorette. She received numerous awards in majorette competitions throughout the State during those years. After graduation, Donna attended Central Florida Community College, while working as a photographer at Silver Springs Attraction, in Ocala. She met her husband of 26 years, USAF Colonel Herb Brown, while working together
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920. CROWELL, BARBARA (Obituary No. 920.), 67 Ocala - Ms. Barbara Crowell, Age 67 passed away on September 13, 2007 at Sylvia's House. Ms. Crowell was born in Bartow, Fl. She was a retired Homemaker. Ms. Crowell leaves to cherish her memories: Devoted Children - Eatha (Cecil) Jamerson, Orange Lake, FL, Karla Arnett, Evelyn Youmans, Victor Youmans, Bruce Youmans, Derrick (Dorothy) Youmans, Reginald (Marcella) Gaines, Byon Williams, Emerson Williams, Vincent Crowell (All of Ocala, Fl.). (31) Grandchildren, (25) Great-Grandchildren, Nephew (Bailey Glover), Great Nephew (Terrance Gilley), Sister (Vera Mitchell, Ft. Lauderdale, FL). Funeral service for Ms. Barbara Crowell will be held 3 P.M. on Saturday, September 22, 2007 at Glorious Hope Primitive Baptist Church, 1638 S. W. Fort King Street, Ocala, FL. Interment will follow in the Montague Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 11 AM until 7 PM. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/22/2007.

921. DOUGLAS, JAMES "HAROLD", (Obituary No. 921.) 88 Marianna - James "Harold" Douglas, 88, of Marianna passed away Tuesday, September 18, 2007 after a brief illness. Harold was born March 23, 1919 in Williston, Florida, to Leon and Ruby Messer Douglas. Following graduation from Fellowship High School, where he played basketball, Mr. Douglas served his country in the U.S. Army from July 1940 to October 1945. A U.S. Army veteran of World War II, he served as a Lieutenant for the Company C, 744th Light Tank Battalion in Normandy, France, Holland, Belgium, and Germany. After several years of farming/ranching and raising their family in Marion/Levy County, Florida, Harold and his wife, Corinne, moved to Jackson County in 1973 to continue his peanut farming. Throughout his life, he and his family were honored to be the Marion County Farm Family of the Year, and he received several Peanut Producers' and Soybean Producers' awards for many years in both Marion and Jackson counties. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Marianne, the American Legion, and an avid
outdoorsman who enjoyed gardening, hunting and fishing. He loved spending time with his family, and he was proud to have had the opportunity to serve his country, family and community. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Corinne Hewitt Douglas; one daughter, Linda Douglas Basford, and her husband, Daniel, of Marianna; one son, Maynard Harold Douglas, and his wife, Lisa, of Marianna; seven grandchildren, Doug Gwaltney and his wife. Kellie, of Atlanta; Karen Gwaltney of Tallahassee; Bethany Gwaltney of Tallahassee; Kristin Douglas of Panama City; Tanya Douglas of Gainesville; Jennifer Basford Barineau and her husband, Roy, of Tallahassee; and Martin Basford and his wife, Tiffany, of Grand Ridge, two great-grandchildren, Bud and Sam Basford; one brother, Edwin Douglas, and his wife. Betty, of Williston, Florida; and one sister, Lona Douglas McCormick, and her husband, Gwenn, of Ocala, Florida; and several nieces and a nephew. Services will be held at 11:00 a.m. at First Baptist Church, Marianna, FL on Thursday, September 20, 2007 with the Rev. Michael Petty and Rev. Gwenn McCormick, brother-in-law of Mr. Douglas, officiating. The family will receive friends and other family from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 19, 2007 at Maddox Chapel at James and Sikes Funeral Home, Marianna, Florida. Friday, September 21, 2007, A visitation will follow a brief service at First Baptist Church, Williston, Florida at 11:00 a.m. Williston and Morriston, Florida were home to Mr. Douglas for many years and he will be laid to rest at Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Morriston, Florida on Friday, September 21, 2007. Friends will serve as pall bearers and the members of Mr. Douglas' Adult V Men's Sunday School class will serve as honorary pallbearers. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church, Marianna, Florida, or the charity of your choice. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of JAMES AND SIKES FUNERAL HOME MADDOX CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

922. ELLIS, SR., HERBERT C., (Obituary No. 922.) 79 Ocala - Mr. Herbert C. Ellis, Sr., 79, who Passed away on Sunday September 16, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Ellis was a Lifetime resident of Ocala, Florida. He Retired from Ringpower as a Maintenance Man. Mr. Ellis is Survived By Daughter- Pamela Ellis, Woodbridge, Virginia; Son - Herbert Ellis Jr., Ocala, Florida; Step-Daughter - Loretta Cunningham, Houston, Texas; Step-Son - Alphonso Jones, Germany; sister -Willie Mae Leverett (Robert) Tampa, Florida; 11 Grandchildren, 7 Great-Grandchildren, 2 Great-Great-Grandchildren, Devoted Nieces - Lucille Ellis, Ocala, Florida; Cora Heard, Ocala, Florida; Dwanette Dilworth (Ronald), Ocala, Florida; Samatha & Stephenie Straughter, Ocala, Florida; Carla Ginlock, Ocala, Florida. Funeral Services For Mr. Herbert C. Ellis will Be Held on Friday September 21, 2007 at 4 P.M. at Summers Funeral Home Chapel 2238 N.W. 10th Street Ocala, Florida with Deacon Floyd C. Parker II Conducting the Services. Interment will be in Finley Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Visitation will Be held on FRIDAY AT SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME 11 A.M. Until time of Service. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

923. FARRELL, ROBERT "FRED", (Obituary No. 923.) 34 Weirsdale, FL - Robert "Fred" Farrell, 34, of Weirsdale was unexpectedly taken from us on Monday, September 17, 2007. He was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He was currently employed with UPS as a driver. He was a devoted and loving father to Hannah, with whom he shared a special bond. They had many memorable times together fishing, scalloping, and camping. His parents Elmer and Agnes will dearly miss their son, and cherish the years they had with him. He will be kept in the hearts of his daughter Hannah, his parents Agnes and Elmer; brothers David and Michael (wife Brenda); sister Julie; several nieces and nephews; and many, many friends. Family and friends may come together from 6-8 pm on Friday, September 21, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver
Springs Blvd. A funeral service will be held at 10 AM on Saturday, September 22, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Interment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

924. FOSSICK, ANGELO "ANGIE" RAGSDALE, (Obituary No. 924.) 83 Ft. McCoy - Angelo "Angie" Ragsdale Fossick, 83, of Franklin, NC and Ft. McCoy, FL, passed away Sunday, Sept. 16, 2007. Born in Nashville, Tenn., she was the daughter of the late Homer Elmore Ragsdale and Nillar Omie Duty Ragsdale. Angie was preceded in death by her husband, Haley W. Fossick who died in 1980; two sons, Haley W. Fossick, Jr. and David Bruce Fossick; two brothers and two sisters. She was a manager for Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co. for 40 years, retiring in 1982. Angie was a life member of Telephone Pioneers of America; past worthy matron from 1968-1969, Miami Chapter 141 OES; life member of the Ladies Auxiliary Veterans of Foreign War 10208; past district president of LAVFW District 22, FL; member of the Forest Bridge Club, Ocala, FL; and a member of the Red Hat Ladies of Salt Springs, FL. She is survived by two daughters, Connie Gann of Jacksonville, FL and Debbie Reeves and husband, Steve of Franklin, NC; grandchildren, Shirley Schetrompf and Raymond Benson and wife Lenora of Jacksonville, FL, Steven Reeves and wife Patrice of Asheville, NC, Ginny Ostrander and husband Matthew of Franklin, NC, Sheri McCaffrey and husband Brian, Brian Fossick and Scott Fossick of Hilliard, FL; 17 great grandchildren; 5 great-great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. Funeral Services were held Wednesday, September 19, at Lotla Baptist Church, Franklin, NC. Rev. Steve Reeves officiated. Graveside Services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, September 21, at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Memorial donations may be made to the VFW Post 10208, 23498 NE Hwy. 314, Ft. McCoy, FL 32134. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

925. JOOSS, ALMA (Obituary No. 925.) 91 Ocala - Alma Jooss, 91, died on September 18, 2007 at her home in Ocala, Florida. She was born in Brooklyn N.Y. and raised in Richmond Hill, N.Y. During WW II Alma served in American Women's Hospital Reserve Corp. She went to Richmond Hill H.S. and New York University. She was a retired Business Administrator and Office Manager. Alma owned and operated the Sugar Bowl Restaurant in Schroon Lake, N.Y. Alma was actively involved in the Community of Schroon Lake where she served as a member of the Advisory Board for the Office for the Aging, Advisory Council for R.S.V.P., member of the Elders Planning Board at North Country Community College's Center of Gerontology, she served as Director and co-founder of Schroon Lake's Senior Center, Director of the Chamber of Commerce, Director of Schroon Lakes Youth Commission, Director of Schroon Lakes Historical Society and she was co-chairman of the American Red Cross in Schroon. Alma moved to Ocala in 1983 and became actively involved with volunteering with RSVP, Marion County Senior Services and Hospice of Marion County. She loved to Bowl, work in her garden and enjoyed being involved with Pine Run's Singles Club where she served as former President. Alma is survived by a nephew Terrance Jooss, Lois V. Nix and a circle of friends. Celebration of her life will be on Sunday, September 23, 2007 at 2PM in the chapel of Legacy House 9505 SW 10th Street. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or Marion County Senior Services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/22/2007.

926. KAUFMAN SR., RALPH O., (Obituary No. 926.) 91 Ocala - Ralph O. Kaufman, Sr., 91, a resident of Ocala, died on Monday, September 17, 2007 at Legacy House, a hospice facility in Ocala. Mr. Kaufman was born January 20, 1916, in Sioux Falls, SD, the son of the late Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Kaufman. He was raised in New Haven, CT and Meredith Center, NH. He
graduated from Laconia (NH) High School and attended Middlebury College in Vermont. On June 1, 1940, he married Edna Davis, the daughter of the late Archie and Evelyn Davis in the United Baptist Church in Lakeport, NH. During World War II, Mr. Kaufman was an Instructor at the Army / Navy Engine Training School in East Hartford, CT. After the war, he worked at Pratt and Whitney (United Aircraft) in Hartford, CT and then moved his family to Titusville, PA in 1951. While in Titusville, he worked at Cyclops Steel Corp. until his retirement in 1976. He was a manufacturing engineer and had several patents in his name in the area of special rolled shapes, including turbine blades for jet engines. He was a former member of St. James Memorial Episcopal Church in Titusville, PA where he was a Lay Reader, sang in the choir, and served as a member of the Vestry. He was also a Mason. Mr. Kaufman's lifelong passion was flying and he qualified as a glider pilot after he retired. He enjoyed soaring in Pennsylvania and Vermont. Mr. Kaufman is survived by his wife of 67 years, Edna (Davis) of Ocala, FL; two sons, R O (Deke) Kaufman, Jr. and his wife Nancy (Cooley) of Ponte Vedra Beach, FL, Bruce Kaufman and his wife Ann (Vosburgh) of St. Louis, MO; three grand children, Corie (Michael) Myover and Adam (Amy) Kaufman of St. Louis, MO, and Jeff (Kerry) Kaufman of South Riding, VA. Also surviving are 3 great grandchildren, several nieces and nephews, a sister-in-law Beverly Inglis in Florida, and a brother-in-law Francis Walker in Laconia, NH. He was preceded in death by his two brothers, Chick and Les. Private graveside services and interment will be conducted at a later time in the family plot in Bayside Cemetery, Lakeport, NH. The family requests that contributions in his memory be directed to the Legacy House Hospice, 9505 SW 110th St, Ocala, FL 34481. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/22/2007.

927. MCCURDY, HELEN MAE ISAAC, (Obituary No. 927.) 84 Ocala _ Helen Mae Isaac McCurdy, 84, went to join her Lord and family members on September 19, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center in Ocala. Born to Effie Mae Traffensted and Carl Isaac Sr. on March 23, 1923 in Alabama. She was married and had three children and moved to Ocala from Gary Indiana in 1974 with her husband Carl. she was employed for several years at Andrews Ocala Bakery and then at Becton-Dickinson until her retirement in 1985. She is preceded in death by her parents and husbands, Marion "Buddy" McCluney and Carl McCurdy, son, Marion Thomas McCluney and daughter, Chyrll McCluney Armstrong. She is survived by her daughter Linda Gay-Shipman and her husband John Shipman of Ocala. She is also survived by her five brothers and sisters, Margaret Chambers of Rainbow City, AL. Mildred Isaac and Car Isaac Jr., of Attalla, AL. Bobby Isaac of E. Gadsden, AL. and Hazel Walker of Gadsden, AL. Her five (5) grand-childrens, Belinda Florio-Bueter (Jim), Michael Lee (Robin) and Thomas Lee, all of Ocala. Nicole Armstrong-Ray (Steven) of Hokes Bluff, Al and Staff Sgt. Michael Shipman (Jessica) of Fort Lewis, Washington. Six great-grandchildren Steven Florio II (Katie), Matthew Florio, Andrew Florio, Jonathan Lee, all of Ocala. Amanda Lee of Palatka and Michael Lee of Lake City and nine great-great grandchildren, Brandon, Dylan and new baby "C" Florio, of Ocala. Destiny and Austin Ray of Hokes Bluff, AL. Elizabeth Lee and baby David of Palatka, Michael Lee of Lake City and Hannan Shipman of Ft. Lewis, Washington. She is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews. Services and interment will be held Saturday September 22, 2007 at FOREST LAWN MEMORIAL GARDENS at 2pm. Visitation for family and friends will be held from 1pm to 2pm prior to service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/22/2007.

928. POWELL, TIFFANY VICTORIA, (Obituary No. 928.) 20 Dunnellon - Tiffany Victoria Powell, 20, of Dunnellon died Sunday September 16, 2007. Tiffany was born in Ocala and was a
Dunnellon High School graduate, Class of 2005 where she was active with the Chorus. Survivors include her parents Patricia H. and Ronald G. Powell, Brothers Anthony Justin Powell and Nicholas Craig Wade Powell, Maternal Grandmother Patricia Hopkins, Paternal Grandparents, Wade and Freda Powell, many Aunts, Uncles, and Cousins. Funeral services will be Friday 11 A.M. at the First Christian Church of Dunnellon with Rev. Mark L. Trout officiating. Interment will follow in Dunnellon Memory Gardens. Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave. Dunnellon in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/19/2007 - 9/21/2007.

929. SUMMERVILLE, BETTY L., (Obituary No. 929.) 79 Ocala - Betty L. Summerville, 79, August 13, 1928 - September 15, 2007, formerly of Niles MI, died Saturday, September 15 at her home. Survivors include her father, Roland Meyer of Granger IN, two brothers, Don (Ardis) Meyer of Granger, IN, Leonard (Mart) Meyer of Sandy, Utah, a son, Earl (Jolene) Summerville of Fort Lauderdale, FL, three daughters, Linda (Iver) Engebretson of Port Orchard, WA, Elaine (David) Dykhuis of Secor, IL. and Karen (Kenneth) Flannery of Ocala, FL. Grandchildren are Ross Flannery, Russell A. Summerville, Christopher Dykhuis and Alexandra Dykhuis. She was preceded in death by her husband, Russell M. Summerville, and a daughter, Judith Summerville (Kelsheimer). Betty was a homemaker for many years until the children were grown, then she worked at Northwest Fabrics. She enjoyed cooking, reading, and traveling, but mostly enjoyed her children and grandchildren. Visitation will be Saturday, Sept. 29 from 1 - 2:45 pm at Hickey Funeral Home, 17131 Cleveland Rd., South Bend. A celebration of life service, honoring both Betty and Russell on their 61st wedding anniversary, will follow. Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/22/2007.

930. TAYLOR, JUNE YOUNG, (Obituary No. 930.) 63 Ocala - June Young Taylor, 63, passed away on Thursday, Sept. 20, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Miami and moved to Ocala in July of 1988. She was retired from Eastern Airlines after 25 years of service and recently retired from Rallye Dodge after 19 years of service. She is survived by her husband, Walter Chris Taylor of Ocala, her mother, Marry Young of Miami, her son, Michael C. Taylor and wife Ruth of Ocala, her sister, Janet Haller of Miami, her brother, Tom Young of Cocoa, her granddaughters, Laura and Ashley and her great grandson, Brendan. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/24/2007.

931. TERRY, REVEREND ALPRESS P., (Obituary No. 931.) 95 Summerfield - Rev. Alpress P. Terry, (AP), 95, Founder and Pastor of Little Lakeweir Prayer House of Summerfield, Florida went home to be with the Lord on Friday, September 14, 2007. He leaves to cherish his fond memories two daughters, Geneatha Johnson and Annie Bell Lane, and two sons Alvin Terry and Earl Terry. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2007 11 a.m. at Soul Harbor Church in Belleview, Florida on 484 with Rev. Cubit Malone, Eulogist. A memorial service will be on Thursday, September 20, 2007, 7-8 p.m. at Little Lakeweir Prayer House in Summerfield, Florida. Visitation will be held Friday, September 21, 2007 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Little Lakeweir Prayer House. Services has been entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/21/2007.

932. THURMAN, EDNAR "KOOTsie" (Obituary No. 932.) 70 Johnson - Ednar "Kootsie" Thurman died Tuesday, September 11, 2007 at Shands at UF. He was a member of Bethel AME Church, Orange Springs, FL. He is survived by a daughter, Freddie Thurman; 3 brothers, Edward, Eugene and Rudy Thurman; 6 sisters, Ernestine Johnson, Essie Mae Dampier, Anna Ferell, Cherry, Dorothy, and Sandy Thurman; and a host of other relatives. Funeral service will
be held 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 22, 2007 at Trinity United Missionary Baptist
Church, Hawthorne, FL with Rev. Gregory O. Haile officiating. Burial will be in Orange Springs
Cemetery. Viewing on Friday at PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 21400 SE Hawthorne Rd.,
Hawthorne, FL from 12-8 p.m. Family & friends will meet at the church 15 minutes prior to
service. PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOMES, INC., Hawthorne - (352) 481-2903
933. TOWNSEND, LENWOOD "WOODY", (Obituary No. 933.) 75 Ocala - Lenwood
"Woody" Townsend, 75, passed away on September 17, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. A
native of Kite, Georgia, he came here nearly 50 years ago from Savannah, GA and was a retired
maintenance technician for Pepsi Cola, Ocala with 25 years of service. Woody was of the Baptist
faith and a Korean War Veteran of the U.S. Army, earning a Purple Heart. He is survived by his
son, Phillip Townsend of Ocala; brothers Joe B. Warnock, Jr., of Savannah, GA and Harvey
Townsend of Dublin, GA; sisters Freddie Paul Mincey of Savannah, GA; Josephine Wood of
Evanston, FL and Almea Martin of Wrightsville, GA. Also survived by three grandchildren,
Jessica of Ocala; Derek of Pennsylvania and Angela of Jacksonville. Friends will be received on
Friday, September 21st from 6-8 P.M. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala where
services will be held on Saturday, Sept. 22nd at 11 A.M. Intermment will follow at Forest Lawn
Memory Gardens with military honors rendered by Marion County Memorial Honor Guard.
934. WITTMAN, PATRICK KIRK, (Obituary No. 934.) Sylvania, OH - Patrick Kirk
Wittman, formerly of Ocala, Florida passed away Wednesday, September 12, 2007 in Sylvania,
Ohio. Patrick is survived by his mother Joan (Good) Burford, son Ryan Joseph, sisters Penny
(Don) Mitchell and Paula (Chris) Fisher. "Gone Fishin" Online condolences may be offered to
the family at www.reebfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 -

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935. BRANSTROM, GRACE VIRGINIA, (Obituary No. 935.) 85 Ocala - Grace Virginia
Branstrom, 85, of Ocala, FL, died Sept. 18, 2007 at Hawthorne Care Center, Ocala. A native of
New Era, MI, she relocated to Marion County from Muskegon, MI. Grace was a homemaker,
attended Ocala Bible Church, volunteered 12+ years with her husband as a missionary in
Honduras, Central America. Grace was the youngest of nine children, and she will be
remembered for her great sense of humor and her love of life in Christ, and for always having a
smile on her face. Grace is survived by her husband of 66 years, Keith M. Branstrom, Ocala, son,
William (Carmen) Branstrom, Ocala, her daughters, Susan Harp, Williamsburg, VA and Barbara
(Bill) Salminen, Duluth, MN, seven grandchildren and one great-grandson. The family will
receive friends at the funeral home on Thursday, Sept. 20th from 7-8 pm and on Fri. from 10-11
am. Funeral services will be celebrated on Friday, Sept. 21, 2007 at 11:00 AM at ROBERTS
FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. Interment will follow at Florida National
Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to New Tribes Mission at 1000 E. First St.
Sanford, FL 32771-1487 or to your local Alzheimer's branch in honor of Grace Branstrom's
memory. Roberts FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements.
936. CALDWELL, MARY LOU, (Obituary No. 936.) 88 Indianapolis, IN - Mary Lou
Caldwell, 88, of Indianapolis, IN, formerly of Ocala, passed away Sept. 17th in Indiana. Born in
Wolflake, IN she came to this area in 1973 and lived here for 27 years until her husband,
Charles's passing. She was a retired beautician, enjoyed playing the organ and was Methodist by faith. She is survived by her daughters, Mary Ann Ball of Jacksonville, FL and Barbara Naylor of Indianapolis, IN, sister, Joanne Hill of Fountaintown, IN; 7 grand, 18 great and 8 great great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6241 SW SR 200, Ocala) on Monday (Sept 24th) from 11:30AM to 12:30PM. A graveside service will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala) at 1 PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/22/2007 - 9/23/2007.


938. CROWELL, BARBARA(Obituary No. 938.), 67 Ocala - Ms. Barbara Crowell, Age 67 passed away on September 13, 2007 at Sylvia's House. Ms. Crowell was born in Bartow, Fl. She was a retired Homemaker. Ms. Crowell leaves to cherish her memories: Devoted Children - Eatha (Cecil) Jamerson, Orange Lake, FL, Karla Arnett, Evelynn Youmans, Victor Youmans, Bruce Youmans, Derrick (Dorothy) Youmans, Reginald (Marcella) Gaines, Byon Williams, Emerson Williams, Vincent Crowell (All of Ocala, Fl). (31) Grandchildren, (25) Great-Grandchildren, Nephew (Bailey Glover), Great Nephew (Terrance Gilley), Sister (Vera Mitchell, Ft. Lauderdale, FL). Funeral service for Ms. Barbara Crowell will be held 3 P.M. on Saturday, September 22, 2007 at Glorius Hope Primitive Baptist Church, 1638 S. W. Fort King Street, Ocala, FL. Interment will follow in the Montague Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 11 AM until 7 PM. "A Summers Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/22/2007.

939. CYPHER, GEORGE A., (Obituary No. 939.) 86 Ocala - George A. Cypheer, age 86, passed away Wednesday September 19, 2007 at Legacy House. He was born in Tarrytown, NY February 17, 1921. He retired from a career as an aircraft dispatcher, and came to Ocala in 1995 from Spring Hill, FL. An Air Force veteran serving from 1942-1945. He was a member of the US Power Squadron, The Episcopal Church of the Advent, and his hobbies included making jewelry and carving plastic. He is survived by Rachel, his wife of 62 years, son Greg Cypheer of Bonifay, FL, brother Richard Cypher of Las Vegas, one grandchild, and one great grandchild. Memorial services will be 2:00 p.m., Monday, September 24, 2007 at The Episcopal Church of the Advent, 11251 SW Hwy 484, Dunnellon. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME, TIMBER RIDGE, OCALA, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/22/2007 - 9/23/2007.

940. JOOSS, ALMA(Obituary No. 940.), 91 Ocala - Alma Jooss, 91, died on September 18, 2007 at her home in Ocala, Florida. She was born in Brooklyn N.Y. and raised in Richmond Hill, N.Y. During WW II Alma served in American Women's Hospital Reserve Corp. She went to Richmond Hill H.S. and New York University. She was a retired Business Administrator and Office Manager. Alma owned and operated the Sugar Bowl Restaurant in Schroon Lake, N.Y. Alma was actively involved in the Community of Schroon Lake where she served as a member of the Advisory Board for the Office for the Aging, Advisory Council for R.S.V.P., member of the Elders Planning Board at North Country Community College's Center of Gerontology, she served as Director and co-founder of Schroon Lake's Senior Center, Director of the Chamber of
Alma, Director of Schroon Lakes Youth Commission, Director of Schroon Lakes Historical Society and she was co-chairman of the American Red Cross in Schroon. Alma moved to Ocala in 1983 and became actively involved with volunteering with RSVP, Marion County Senior Services and Hospice of Marion County. She loved to Bowl, work in her garden and enjoyed being involved with Pine Run's Singles Club where she served as former President. Alma is survived by a nephew Terrance Jooss, Lois V. Nix and a circle of friends. Celebration of her life will be on Sunday, September 23, 2007 at 2PM in the chapel of Legacy House 9505 SW 10th Street. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or Marion County Senior Services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/20/2007 - 9/22/2007.

941. KAUFMAN SR., RALPH O., (Obituary No. 941.) 91 Ocala - Ralph O. Kaufman, Sr., 91, a resident of Ocala, died on Monday, September 17, 2007 at Legacy House, a hospice facility in Ocala. Mr. Kaufman was born January 20, 1916, in Sioux Falls, SD, the son of the late Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Kaufman. He was raised in New Haven, CT and Meredith Center, NH. He graduated from Laconia (NH) High School and attended Middlebury College in Vermont. On June 1, 1940, he married Edna Davis, the daughter of the late Archie and Evelyn Davis in the United Baptist Church in Lakeport, NH. During World War II, Mr. Kaufman was an Instructor at the Army / Navy Engine Training School in East Hartford, CT. After the war, he worked at Pratt and Whitney (United Aircraft) in Hartford, CT and then moved his family to Titusville, PA in 1951. While in Titusville, he worked at Cyclops Steel Corp. until his retirement in 1976. He was a manufacturing engineer and had several patents in his name in the area of special rolled shapes, including turbine blades for jet engines. He was a former member of St. James Memorial Episcopal Church in Titusville, PA where he was a Lay Reader, sang in the choir, and served as a member of the Vestry. He was also a Mason. Mr. Kaufman's lifelong passion was flying and he qualified as a glider pilot after he retired. He enjoyed soaring in Pennsylvania and Vermont. Mr. Kaufman is survived by his wife of 67 years, Edna (Davis) of Ocala, FL; two sons, R O (Deke) Kaufman, Jr. and his wife Nancy (Cooley) of Ponte Vedra Beach, FL, Bruce Kaufman and his wife Ann (Vosburgh) of St. Louis, MO; three grand children, Corie (Michael) Myover and Adam (Amy) Kaufman of St. Louis, MO, and Jeff (Kerry) Kaufman of South Riding, VA. Also surviving are 3 great grandchildren, several nieces and nephews, a sister-in-law Beverly Inglis in Florida, and a brother-in-law Francis Walker in Laconia, NH. He was preceded in death by his two brothers, Chick and Les. Private graveside services and interment will be conducted at a later time in the family plot in Bayside Cemetery, Lakeport, NH. The family requests that contributions in his memory be directed to the Legacy House Hospice, 9505 SW 110th St, Ocala, FL 34481. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/22/2007.

942. MCCURDY, HELEN MAE ISAAC, (Obituary No. 942.) 84 Ocala _ Helen Mae Isaac McCurdy, 84, went to join her Lord and family members on September 19, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center in Ocala. Born to Effie Mae Traffensted and Carl Isaac Sr. on March 23, 1923 in Alabama. She was married and had three children and moved to Ocala from Gary Indiana in 1974 with her husband Carl. she was employed for several years at Andrews Ocala Bakery and then at Becton-Dickinson until her retirement in 1985. She is preceded in death by her parents and husbands, Marion "Buddy" McClune and Carl McCurdy, son, Marion Thomas McClune and daughter, Chylr McClune Armstrong. She is survived by her daughter Linda Gay-Shipman and her husband John Shipman of Ocala. She is also survived by her five brothers and sisters, Margaret Chambers of Rainbow City, AL. Mildred Isaac and Car Isaac, Jr., of Attalla, AL. Bobby Isaac of E. Gadsden, AL. and Hazel Walker of Gadsden, AL. Her five (5)
grand-children, Belinda Florio-Bueter (Jim), Michael Lee (Robin) and Thomas Lee, all of Ocala. Nicole Armstrong-Ray (Steven) of Hokes Bluff, Al and Staff Sgt. Michael Shipman (Jessica) of Fort Lewis, Washington. Six great-grandchildren Steven Florio II (Katie), Matthew Florio, Andrew Florio, Jonathan Lee, all of Ocala. Amanda Lee of Palatka and Michael Lee of Lake City and nine great-great grandchildren, Brandon, Dylan and new baby "C" Florio, of Ocala. Destiny and Austin Ray of Hokes Bluff, AL. Elizabeth Lee and baby David of Palatka, Michael Lee of Lake City and Hannah Shipman of Ft. Lewis, Washington. She is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews. Services and interment will be held Saturday September 22, 2007 at FOREST LAWN MEMORIAL GARDENS at 2pm. Visitation for family and friends will be held from 1pm to 2pm prior to service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/22/2007.

943. POLK, EMMA LEE (LAIRD), (Obituary No. 943.) 89 Gainesville - Emma Lee (Laird) Polk, 89, went home to Jesus on Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2007. Born June 17, 1918, in Mitchell County, Georgia, she was a daughter of the late James Allen Laird and Jessie Lee Wimberly Laird. She was preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Charles Lester Polk, who died in 1985. Also preceded her are 3 brothers-David Laird, John Laird, James Laird and a sister Mary Lou Sapp. She is survived by: daughter Mary L. Greene, Land-O-Lakes, Fl., son Jimmy R. Polk and his wife Susie, Ocala, Fl., daughter Evelyn R. Britt, Gainesville, Fl., son Clarence L. "Les" Polk, Gainesville, Fl., son James E. "Buddy" Polk and his wife, Loretta, Fairfie, Fl., son Samuel C, "Sam" Polk and his wife, Ruth, Vidalia, Ga., sister Sara E. Holder, Archer, Fl., 11 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, and nieces and nephews. She was a former custodian for Marion County School System, a former sales associate for McCrory's and Woolworth stores, and a retired corrections officer for the Florida Division of Corrections. "Granny Polk" as she was affectionately known was an avid fan of the Atlanta Braves, loved to crochet afghans for family and friends, loved to go fishing when her health permitted, and had a "green thumb" when it came to growing things. Funeral services will be held a 2 PM on Monday, Sept. 24, 2007, at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl., with Chaplain Robert Hart officiating. The visitation will be prior to services from 1 PM - 2 PM at the Roberts Downtown Chapel. Interment will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, Fl. In lieu of flowers, memorial may be made to Hospice, or a charity of your choice. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/22/2007 - 9/24/2007.

944. SUMMERVILLE, BETTY L., (Obituary No. 944.) 79 Ocala - Betty L. Summerville, 79, August 13, 1928 - September 15, 2007, formerly of Niles MI, died Saturday, September 15 at her home. Survivors include her father, Roland Meyer of Granger IN, two brothers, Don (Ardis) Meyer of Granger, IN, Leonard (Marti) Meyer of Sandy, Utah, a son, Earl (Jolene) Summerville of Fort Lauderdale, FL, three daughters, Linda (Iver) Engebretson of Port Orchard, WA, Elaine (David) Dykhuis of Secor, IL. and Karen (Kenneth) Flannery of Ocala, FL. Grandchildren are Ross Flannery, Russell A. Summerville, Christopher Dykhuis and Alexandra Dykhuis. She was preceded in death by her husband, Russell M. Summerville, and a daughter, Judith Summerville (Kelsheimer). Betty was a homemaker for many years until the children were grown, then she worked at Northwest Fabrics. She enjoyed cooking, reading, and traveling, but mostly enjoyed her children and grandchildren. Visitation will be Saturday, Sept. 29 from 1 - 2:45 pm at Hickey Funeral Home, 17131 Cleveland Rd., South Bend. A celebration of life service, honoring both Betty and Russell on their 61st wedding anniversary, will follow. Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/22/2007.
945. TAYLOR, JUNE YOUNG, (Obituary No. 945.) 63 Ocala - June Young Taylor, 63, passed away on Thursday, Sept. 20, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Miami and moved to Ocala in July of 1988. She was retired from Eastern Airlines after 25 years of service and recently retired from Rallye Dodge after 19 years of service. She is survived by her husband, Walter Chris Taylor of Ocala, her mother, Marry Young of Miami, her son, Michael C. Taylor and wife Ruth of Ocala, her sister, Janet Haller of Miami, her brother, Tom Young of Cocoa, her granddaughters, Laura and Ashley and her great grandson, Brendan. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/24/2007.

946. THURMAN, EDNAR "KOOTsie" (Obituary No. 946.) 70 Johnson - Ednar "Kootsie" Thurman died Tuesday, September 11, 2007 at Shands at UF. He was a member of Bethel AME Church, Orange Springs, FL. He is survived by a daughter, Freddie Thurman; 3 brothers, Edward, Eugene and Rudy Thurman; 6 sisters, Ernestine Johnson, Essie Mae Dampier, Anna Ferell, Cherry, Dorothy, and Sandy Thurman; and a host of other relatives. Funeral service will be held 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 22, 2007 at Trinity United Missionary Baptist Church, Hawthorne, FL with Rev. Gregory O. Haile officiating. Burial will be in Orange Springs Cemetery. Viewing on Friday at PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 21400 SE Hawthorne Rd., Hawthorne, FL from 12-8 p.m. Family & friends will meet at the church 15 minutes prior to service. PINKNEY-SMITH FUNERAL HOMES, INC. Hawthorne - (352) 481-2903 Gainesville - (352) 376-8686 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/22/2007.


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948. CALDWELL, MARY LOU, (Obituary No. 948.) 88 Indianapolis, IN - Mary Lou Caldwell, 88, of Indianapolis, IN, formerly of Ocala, passed away Sept. 17th in Indiana. Born in Wolflake, IN she came to this area in 1973 and lived here for 27 years until her husband, Charles's passing. She was a retired beautician, enjoyed playing the organ and was Methodist by faith. She is survived by her daughters, Mary Ann Ball of Jacksonville, FL and Barbara Naylor of Indianapolis, IN, sister, Joanne Hill of Fountaintown, IN; 7 grand, 18 great and 8 great great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6241 SW SR 200, Ocala) on Monday (Sept 24th) from 11:30AM to 12:30PM. A graveside service will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala) at 1 PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/22/2007 - 9/23/2007.

949. CYPHER, GEORGE A., (Obituary No. 949.) 86 Ocala - George A. Cypheer, age 86, passed away Wednesday September 19, 2007 at Legacy House. He was born in Tarrytown, NY February 17, 1921. He retired from a career as an aircraft dispatcher, and came to Ocala in 1995 from Spring Hill, FL. An Air Force veteran serving from 1942-1945. He was a member of the US Power Squadron, The Episcopal Church of the Advent, and his hobbies included making jewelry and carving plastic. He is survived by Rachel, his wife of 62 years, son Greg Cypheer of Bonifay, FL, brother Richard Cypher of Las Vegas, one grandchild, and one great grandchild. Memorial services will be 2:00 p.m., Monday, September 24, 2007 at The Episcopal Church of the Advent, 11251 SW Hwy 484, Dunnellon. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL
950. CYPFER, GEORGE A., (Obituary No. 950.) 86 Ocala - George A. Cypher, age 86, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wednesday, September 19, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. He was born in Tarrytown, NY on February 17, 1921. Mr. Cypher retired from a career as an Aircraft Dispatcher for Pan American Airlines in Heathrow, London. He moved to Ocala from Spring Hill, FL in 1995. He also served in the Army Air Corp from 1942-1945. Mr. Cypher was a member of the US Power Squadron and The Episcopal Church of The Advent. His hobbies included making jewelry and carving plastic. He is survived by Rachel, his wife of 62 years, son Greg Cypher of Bonifay, FL, brother Richard Cypher of Las Vegas, one grandchild and one great grandchild. A memorial service will take place at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, September 24, 2007 at The Episcopal Church of the Advent, 11251 SW 484, Dunnellon, FL 34432. Memorial contributions may be made to The Episcopal Church of the Advent Building Fund or The Florida Sheriff’s Youth Ranch, c/o Roger Bouchard, PO Box 2000, Boys Ranch, FL 32064. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge, Ocala, FL.

951. GRAFF, BETTY MARIE., (Obituary No. 951.) 77 Ocala - Betty Marie Graff, 77, passed away Friday, September 21, 2007 at her residence. A native of Canoga, SD, she came to Ocala from Sioux Falls in 1961. Mrs. Graff was retired from the Marion County School system, a member of Trinity Baptist Church and the Gideon International Auxiliary. She is survived by her husband of 56 years, Reginald Graff of Ocala, daughters Deborah Purvis, Callahan, Barbara Nowlin, Brooksville, sons Bruce Graff, Centreville, AL and Brian Graff, Land O Lakes, Sister, Rita Leighton, Madison, SD, brother Leroy Trainor, Phoenix, AZ, 13 grandchildren, preceded in death by her daughter Beth Cook. Funeral services for Mrs. Graff will be 10:00 am Monday, September 24, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Pastor Phil Wade and Rev. Frank Jessup, officiating. Interment will follow in Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Visitation Sunday afternoon from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/24/2007.

952. JONES, RANDALL LOGAN., (Obituary No. 952.) 59 Summerfield - Mr. Randall Logan Jones, 59, died Sept. 6, 2007. He was Chief Financial Officer for G & S Fruit Packing Co. and served in the US Air Force during the Vietnam War. He was of Christian Faith. He was a member of Orange Blossom Hills Homeowners Assoc. and member of the Republican Party and National Rifle Assoc. His hobbies were photography and computer programming. Survivors include his wife, Bernadette Glacona Jones, Summerfield; sons, Randall L Jones, III, Switzerland; Christopher Azar, Summerfield: sisters, Marcia Kleinman, Maria Edwin, Vera Lynn Jones, all of Carolina Shores, NC; brother Mark Jones, Boca Raton. Memorial service to be held Sat., Sept. 29, at 2:00 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 1611 Buenos Aires Blvd, The Villages. FL A gathering will be one hour prior to the service Contributions may be made to Harvest International, P.O. Box 6690. Ocala, FL 34478-6690. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/24/2007.

953. MILLS, EMERY E., (Obituary No. 953.) 62 Morriston - Emery E. Mills, 62, of Morriston passed away Friday, September 21, 2007 unexpectedly. He lived his entire life in the Morriston area, where he was a rancher and farmer. Emery was a people person and loved to tell stories. Survivors are his mother, Dot Cason (Mama Dot) of Yankeetown, two sons, Aaron Mills and Andy Mills (Boarhog) of Morriston, one daughter, Amy Hebron of Cypress, TX, one sister, Sandy Haddock of Morriston, and four grandchildren. Funeral will be held on Monday.
September 24, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel of Knauff Funeral Home. Burial will be at the Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Morriston. Visitation will be Sunday, September 23, 2007 from 6-8 p.m. at the KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME, Williston. Knauff Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/24/2007.

954. POLK, EMMA LEE (LAIRD), (Obituary No. 954.) 89 Gainesville - Emma Lee (Laird) Polk, 89, went home to Jesus on Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2007. Born June 17, 1918, in Mitchell County, Georgia, she was a daughter of the late James Allen Laird and Jessie Lee Wimberly Laird. She was preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Charles Lester Polk, who died in 1985. Also preceded her are 3 brothers-David Laird, John Laird, James Laird and a sister Mary Lou Sapp. She is survived by: daughter Mary L. Greene, Land-O-Lakes, Fl., son Jimmy R. Polk and his wife Susie, Ocala, Fl., daughter Evelyn R. Britt, Gainesville, Fl., son Clarence L. "Les" Polk, Gainesville, Fl., son James E. "Buddy" Polk and his wife, Loretta, Fairfield, Fl., son Samuel C, "Sam" Polk and his wife, Ruth, Vidalia, Ga., sister Sara E. Holder, Archer, Fl., 11 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, and nieces and nephews. She was a former custodian for Marion County School System, a former sales associate for McCrory's and Woolworth stores, and a retired corrections officer for the Florida Division of Corrections. "Granny Polk" as she was affectionately known was an avid fan of the Atlanta Braves, loved to crochet afghans for family and friends, loved to go fishing when her health permitted, and had a "green thumb" when it came to growing things. Funeral services will be held a 2 PM on Monday, Sept. 24, 2007, at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl., with Chaplain Robert Hart officiating. The visitation will be prior to services from 1 PM - 2 PM at the Roberts Downtown Chapel. Interment will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, Fl. In lieu of flowers, memorial may be made to Hospice, or a charity of your choice. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/22/2007 - 9/24/2007.

955. RAYMOND, II, JOHN MORTON, (Obituary No. 955.) 76 Ocala - Mr. John Morton Raymond, II, age 76, was born in Boston, MA. He was called home on September 21, 2007 after a valiant battle with prostate cancer. True to form, he demonstrated great courage and dignity as he fought the disease. He was a member of the Unitarian Universalist Church and graduated from Northeastern University with a degree in engineering. Jack, as he liked to be called, resided most of his life in Reading, MA until moving to Oak Run Country Club in Ocala, 11 years ago. He was employed by General Electric (formerly R.C.A), serving as Program Administrator for 30 years. He exemplified integrity, honesty and was always willing to help those in need. He was the 2006 volunteer of the year for Madison Street Academy where his grandchildren attended school. He was actively involved in the Oak Run Twirlers and taught square dancing. He was also a regular attendee at the Ocala Breeders Thoroughbred Sales and had an admiration and fondness for horses and dogs. He cherished traveling with his family to New England and particularly enjoyed Nantucket Island, Ogunquit, ME, Woodstock, VT and the fall foliage of the White Mountains of NH. He was a gourmand, and knew all of the finest restaurants at which to dine, especially in New England. He loved Maine lobster and steamed clams at Barnacle Billy's in Ogunquit, ME, and was their most loyal longstanding customer for over 40 years. He will be deeply missed by those who knew and loved him. He is survived by his loving daughters, Darcy A. Raymond Morton of Ocala, FL, and Claudette A. Raymond of Kittery, ME; nieces, Marisa Moore of Reading, MA and Stacy Moore of Byfield, MA; grandchildren, Samantha A. Morton and Maxwell A. Morton both of Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his sister, Janet Raymond Moore in 1986. A private family service will be held at Woodlawn Cemetery in the

956. ROUSE, SR., LEON M. (Obituary No. 956.) Hull, GA - Leon M. Rouse, Sr., died Friday, September 21, 2007 at Comer Nursing Home. A native of Arden, Ark, he was the son of the late William and Ora Sexton. Leon was a member of Bethany Baptist Church and was a friend of Bill W. Survivors include his wife Angela Rouse of Hull, children: Robin (Jack) LeBeau of Bardstown, KY, Leon Martin "Marty" (Dee Dee) Rouse, Jr. of Williston, FL, Jeff Rouse of Coleman, FL, Clinton (Brittienie) Rouse of Pine Mountain, GA, step daughter, Allison Paul (Billy) Phillips of Mooresville, NC; sisters: Bernice Sivley of Ashdown, Ark, Julia Faye (Clark) Elliot of Stephens, Ark; sister in law, Christine Pasley of Ashdown, Ark; grandchildren: Joshua LeBeau, Nicole LeBeau, Brienne LeBeau and Leon Martin "Marty" Rouse, III. Funeral services will be held Sunday, at 3 p.m. at Lord & Stephens Danielsville Chapel with Rev. Robert Passmore officiating. Pallbearers will be Josh Adams, John Dean, Charlie Exley, Zack Richardson, Mike Perry and Stanley Saeed. Burial will be at Danielsville Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held tonight from 6 to 8 at the funeral home. The family will be at the residence of George and Linda Kay Holloman. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Activity Therapy Department of Ty Cobb Health Care Center, Comer or Georgia Master 4-H Club Camp Wahsega. LORD & STEPHENS, Danielsville is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/24/2007.

957. SHEPHERD, JR., HARRY A., (Obituary No. 957.) 81 Summerfield - Harry A. Shepherd, Jr., 81, a native of Kokomo, Ind., he moved to Florida 26 years ago. Mr. Shepherd served in the Navy from 1943 to 1946. He was an active volunteer for St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview and a past president of Orange Blossom Hills Owners Assoc. and a past Junior Counselor of United Commercial Travelers. He also had volunteered many years for crime watch of Orange Blossom Hills. He was preceded in death by his wife of 56 years, Marjorie J. Shepherd and two brothers. Other survivors include two daughters, JoAnn Lake and husband Monte of Ocala, Barbara Crull and husband Frank of Summerfield; one son, Alan Shepherd and wife Tammy of Tipton, Ind.; three sisters, Claris Wilkison, Helen Sanders, Doris Browning, all of Kokomo, Ind.; three grandchildren, Dale Crull and wife Michelle, Samuel Crull and wife Rachelle of Kokomo, and Shane Shepherd of Tipton, Ind., five great grandchildren, Matthew, Katie, Tiffany, Jake and Alex all of Kokomo. Funeral Mass will be held at 10 AM, Wednesday, Sept. 26, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview. Visitaton will be Tuesday from 6 until 8 p.m. and Wednesday from 9 until 9:45 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Harry was an active volunteer with the food kitchen and thrift shop at St. Theresa Catholic Church. In memory of Harry, please bring donations for the food kitchen and thrift shop to the visitation and Mass. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/24/2007.

958. SMOKER, TERRY A., (Obituary No. 958.) 55 Ocala - Terry A. Smoker, 55, of Ocala, died Thursday, September 20, 2007 at Prestige Manor in Belleview. A native of Indiana, he moved to the Ocala area in 1960. He proudly served with the 351st Military Police Company. He was a sales rep for Gale Insulation, and enjoyed fishing, hunting, and playing cards. Mr. Smoker was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. His survivors include his wife Joyce, daughter Marlana Tabacchi, son Jason Smoker, parents Ernest Smoker and Frances Smith, sisters
Phyllis Smith and Shelby Wogomon, brothers Richard, Ernie, Eddie, Dennis, and Jimmy, and his grandchildren Owen and Wyatt Tabacchi. He was preceded in death by his stepfather, Robert K. Smith. A Funeral Mass will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, September 25, 2007, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Phil Egetto officiating. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Monday from 5-7 p.m. with a Rosary service at 6 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Memorial contributions may be made to Blessed Trinity Catholic School. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/25/2007.

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963. MELAZZI, PATRICIA ANN, (Obituary No. 963.) 79 Ocala - Patricia Ann Melazzi, 79, passed away on Thursday, Sept. 20, 2007 at her daughter's residence in Leesburg, VA. She was born in Hanover, NH and moved to Ocala from New York in 1985. She was a retired nurse's aid and she is survived by her daughters, Cindy Webb of Leesburg, VA, and Katherine Brodeur of Holland, MA, her sons, Stephen Comers of Syracuse, NY, and Peter Connors of Valrico, FL, her step sons, Joseph Melazzi of Spring Hill, FL, and Anthony Melazzi of Ocala, thirteen grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 26, 2007 at 3:00 PM at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SL Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Capital Hospice, 209 Gibson St. NW, Leesburg, VA 20176. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/24/2007 - 9/25/2007.

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965. POLK, EMMA LEE (LAIRD), (Obituary No. 965.) 89 Gainesville - Emma Lee (Laird) Polk, 89, went home to Jesus on Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2007. Born June 17, 1918, in Mitchell County, Georgia, she was a daughter of the late James Allen Laird and Jessie Lee Wimberly Laird. She was preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Charles Lester Polk, who died in 1985. Also preceded her are 3 brothers-David Laird, John Laird, James Laird and a sister Mary Lou Sapp. She is survived by: daughter Mary L. Greene, Land-O-Lakes, Fl., son Jimmy R. Polk and his wife Susie, Ocala, Fl., daughter Evelyn R. Britt, Gainesville, Fl., son Clarence L. "Les" Polk, Gainesville, Fl., son James E. "Buddy" Polk and his wife, Loretta, Fairfield, Fl., son Samuel C, "Sam" Polk and his wife, Ruth, Vidalia, Ga., sister Sara E. Holder, Archer, Fl., 11 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, and nieces and nephews. She was a former custodian for Marion County School System, a former sales associate for McCrory's and Woolworth stores, and a retired corrections officer for the Florida Division of Corrections. "Granny Polk" as she was affectionately known was an avid fan of the Atlanta Braves, loved to crochet afghans for family and friends, loved to go fishing when her health permitted, and had a "green thumb" when it came to growing things. Funeral services will be held a 2 PM on Monday, Sept. 24, 2007, at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl., with Chaplain Robert Hart officiating.
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966. RAYMOND, II, JOHN MORTON, (Obituary No. 966.) 76 Ocala - Mr. John Morton Raymond, II, age 76, was born in Boston, MA. He was called home on September 21, 2007 after a valiant battle with prostate cancer. True to form, he demonstrated great courage and dignity as he fought the disease. He was a member of the Unitarian Universalist Church and graduated from Northeastern University with a degree in engineering. Jack, as he liked to be called, resided most of his life in Reading, MA until moving to Oak Run Country Club in Ocala, 11 years ago. He was employed by General Electric (formerly R.C.A), serving as Program Administrator for 30 years. He exemplified integrity, honesty and was always willing to help those in need. He was the 2006 volunteer of the year for Madison Street Academy where his grandchildren attended school. He was actively involved in the Oak Run Twirlers and taught square dancing. He was also a regular attendee at the Ocala Breeders Thoroughbred Sales and had an admiration and fondness for horses and dogs. He cherished traveling with his family to New England and particularly enjoyed Nantucket Island, Ogunquit, ME, Woodstock, VT and the fall foliage of the White Mountains of NH. He was a gourmand, and knew all of the finest restaurants at which to dine, especially in New England. He loved Maine lobster and steamed clams at Barnacle Billy's in Ogunquit, ME, and was their most loyal longstanding customer for over 40 years. He will be deeply missed by those who knew and loved him. He is survived by his loving daughters, Darcy A. Raymond Morton of Ocala, FL, and Claudette A. Raymond of Kittery, ME; nieces, Marisa Moore of Reading, MA and Stacy Moore of Byfield, MA; grandchildren, Samantha A. Morton and Maxwell A. Morton both of Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his sister, Janet Raymond Moore in 1986. A private family service will be held at Woodlawn Cemetery in the Boston Area at the Raymond family plot est. 1879. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to: Madison Street Academy of Visual and Performing Arts: Attn. Art Department 401 NW Martin Luther King Blvd. Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala 732-9944). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/26/2007.

967. ROLLIN, MARY R., (Obituary No. 967.) 84 Ocala - Mrs. Mary R. Rollin, 84, of Ocala passed away on Friday, September 21, 2007 at Shands at UF in Gainesville. She was 84. Mrs. Rollin worked for 14 years for the Ocala Gas Company and was a longtime member of St. John's Lutheran Church of Ocala. She is survived by her husband, George Rollin of Ocala, step-son, George Rollin, II of Ocala and son, Carl Schuler of Nevada.. Funeral Services for Mrs. Rollin will be held on Tuesday, September 25, 2007 at 2pm at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala.. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/24/2007 - 9/25/2007.

968. ROUSE, SR., LEON M. (Obituary No. 968.) Hull, GA - Leon M. Rouse, Sr., died Friday, September 21, 2007 at Comer Nursing Home. A native of Arden, Ark, he was the son of the late William and Ora Sexton. Leon was a member of Bethany Baptist Church and was a friend of Bill W. Survivors include his wife Angela Rouse of Hull, children: Robin (Jack) LeBeau of Bardstown, KY, Leon Martin "Marty" (Dee Dee) Rouse, Jr. of Williston, FL, Jeff Rouse of Coleman, FL, Clinton (Brittnie) Rouse of Pine Mountain, GA, step daughter, Allison Paul (Billy) Phillips of Mooresville, NC; sisters: Bernice Sivley of Ashdown, Ark, Julia Faye (Clark) Elliot
of Stephens, Ark; sister in law, Christine Pasley of Ashdown, Ark; grandchildren: Joshua LeBeau, Nicole LeBeau, Brienne LeBeau and Leon Martin "Marty" Rouse, III. Funeral services will be held Sunday, at 3 p.m. at Lord & Stephens Danielsville Chapel with Rev. Robert Passmore officiating. Pallbearers will be Josh Adams, John Dean, Charlie Exley, Zack Richardson, Mike Perry and Stanley Saeed. Burial will be at Danielsville Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held tonight from 6 to 8 at the funeral home. The family will be at the residence of George and Linda Kay Holloman. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Activity Therapy Department of Ty Cobb Health Care Center, Comer or Georgia Master 4-H Club Camp Wahsega. LORD & STEPHENS, Danielsville is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/24/2007.

969. SHEPHERD, JR., HARRY A., (Obituary No. 969.) 81 Summerfield - Harry A. Shepherd, Jr., 81, a native of Kokomo, Ind., he moved to Florida 26 years ago. Mr. Shepherd served in the Navy from 1943 to 1946. He was an active volunteer for St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview and a past president of Orange Blossom Hills Owners Assoc. and a past Junior Counselor of United Commercial Travelers. He also had volunteered many years for crime watch of Orange Blossom Hills. He was preceded in death by his wife of 56 years, Marjorie J. Shepherd and two brothers. Other survivors include two daughters, JoAnn Lake and husband Monte of Ocala, Barbara Crull and husband Frank of Summerfield; one son, Alan Shepherd and wife Tammy of Tipton, Ind.; three sisters, Claris Wilkison, Helen Sanders, Doris Browning, all of Kokomo, Ind.; three grandchildren, Dale Crull and wife Michelle, Samuel Crull and wife Rachelle of Kokomo, and Shane Shepherd of Tipton, Ind., five great grandchildren, Matthew, Katie, Tiffany, Jake and Alex all of Kokomo. Funeral Mass will be held at 10 AM, Wednesday, Sept. 26, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview. Visitation will be Tuesday from 6 until 8 p.m. and Wednesday from 9 until 9:45 a.m. at HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Harry was an active volunteer with the food kitchen and thrift shop at St. Theresa Catholic Church. In memory of Harry, please bring donations for the food kitchen and thrift shop to the visitation and Mass. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/24/2007.

970. SMALLWOOD, JULIA J. "JULIE" (NEE NASUTI) (Obituary No. 970.), 82 Ocala - Julia J. "Julie" Smallwood (nee Nasuti), 82, of Ocala, Florida and formerly of Bridgeton, New Jersey died Sunday evening September 9, 2007 at Legacy House Hospice in Ocala, Florida. She was the wife of the late Raymond W. Smallwood, who died in 1994, and was the daughter of the late Camillo and Antoinette Gentile Nasuti. Julie was born in Bridgeton, New Jersey and was a lifelong Bridgeton resident until moving to Florida four years ago. A homemaker for most of her life, she worked several years ago at the Owens-Illinois Glass Company in Bridgeton. She was a member of the St. Teresa of Avila R.C. Church in Bridgeton, NJ and a member of the church's altar and rosary society. She was also a member of the Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala, Florida. She is survived by one son, Dennis W. Peterson and his wife Diane of Ocala, FL, one grandson, Jeffrey W. Peterson and his wife Missy of Ocala and two great grandchildren, Jacob and Brookelyn. Additional survivors include two brothers, James Nasuti and Thomas Nasuti, both of Bridgeton, NJ and several nieces, nephews and cousins. Julie was predeceased by sisters, Mildred "Millie" Curley, Marie Schneider, Anna Black and Rose Glunt and brothers, Joseph Nasuti and Dominick "Apples" Nasuti. The funeral and burial took place in Bridgeton, NJ. Relatives and friends are invited to attend a memorial service at the Grace Episcopal Church, 503 SE Broadway in Ocala on Wednesday, September 26, 2007 at 12 Noon. Memorial contributions are suggested in Mrs. Smallwood's memory to Legacy House Hospice of Marion County, 9505
971. SMOKER, TERRY A., (Obituary No. 971.) 55 Ocala - Terry A. Smoker, 55, of Ocala, died Thursday, September 20, 2007 at Prestige Manor in Belleview. A native of Indiana, he moved to the Ocala area in 1960. He proudly served with the 351st Military Police Company. He was a sales rep for Gale Insulation, and enjoyed fishing, hunting, and playing cards. Mr. Smoker was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. His survivors include his wife Joyce, daughter Marlana Tabacchi, son Jason Smoker, parents Ernest Smoker and Frances Smith, sisters Phyllis Smith and Shelby Wogomon, brothers Richard, Ernie, Eddie, Dennis, and Jimmy, and his grandchildren Owen and Wyatt Tabacchi. He was preceded in death by his stepfather, Robert K. Smith. A Funeral Mass will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, September 25, 2007, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Phil Egetto officiating. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be Monday from 5-7 p.m. with a Rosary service at 6 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Memorial contributions may be made to Blessed Trinity Catholic School. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/25/2007.

972. TAYLOR, JUNE YOUNG, (Obituary No. 972.) 63 Ocala - June Young Taylor, 63, passed away on Thursday, Sept. 20, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Miami and moved to Ocala in July of 1988. She was retired from Eastern Airlines after 25 years of service and recently retired from Rallye Dodge after 19 years of service. She is survived by her husband, Walter Chris Taylor of Ocala, her mother, Marry Young of Miami, her son, Michael C. Taylor and wife Ruth of Ocala, her sister, Janet Haller of Miami, her brother, Tom Young of Cocoa, her granddaughters, Laura and Ashley and her great grandson, Brendan. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/21/2007 - 9/24/2007.

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973. JONES, RANDALL LOGAN., (Obituary No. 973.) 59 Summerfield - Mr. Randall Logan Jones, 59, died Sept. 16, 2007. He was Chief Financial Officer for G & S Fruit Packing Co. and served in the US Air Force during the Vietnam War. He was of Christian Faith. He was a member of Orange Blossom Hills Homeowners Assoc. and member of the Republican Party and National Rifle Assoc. His hobbies were photography and computer programming. Survivors include his wife, Bernadette Giacona Jones, Summerfield; sons, Randall L Jones, III, Switzerland; Christopher Azar, Summerfield: sisters, Marcia Kleinman, Maria Edwin, Vera Lynn Jones, all of Carolina Shores, NC; brother Mark Jones, Boca Raton. Memorial service to be held Sat., Sept. 29, at 2:00 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd, The Villages, FL A gathering will be one hour prior to the service Contributions may be made to Harvest International, P.O. Box 6690. Ocala, FL 34478-6690. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/26/2007.

974. MELAZZI, PATRICIA ANN, (Obituary No. 974.) 79Ocala - Patricia Ann Melazzi, 79, passed away on Thursday, Sept. 20, 2007 at her daughter's residence in Leesburg, VA. She was born in Hanover, NH and moved to Ocala from New York in 1985. She was a retired nurse's aid and she is survived by her daughters, Cindy Webb of Leesburg, VA, and Katherine Brodeur of Holland, MA, her sons, Stephen Comers of Syracuse, NY, and Peter Connors of Valrico, FL, her step sons, Joseph Melazzi of Spring Hill, FL, and Anthony Melazzi of Ocala, thirteen grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 26, 2007 at 3:00 PM at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SL Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of

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980. TAYLOR, FREDERICK H. (Obituary No. 980.) 58 Ocala - Frederick H. Taylor, 58, passed away September 20th at Hospice's Legacy House. Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, he came to this area about 1 year ago from Stratford, CT. He was a retired drug company plant engineer, member of the International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 30, Connecticut and a protestant by faith. He is survived by his son, Frederick H. Taylor II of Ocala; sister, Susan Taylor of Ocala, brother, Job Taylor III of South Orleans, MA, Benjamin Harrison Taylor of Albany, NY and sister, Wendy Metcalf of Albany, NY. A memorial service will be held at St. Mark's United Methodist Church (1839 NE 8th Rd., Ocala) on Friday (September 28th) at 5:30 PM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6241 SW SR 200 Ocala 854-2266) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/25/2007 - 9/26/2007.
981. ANDERSON, BLANCHE AUDREY, (Obituary No. 981.) 94 Ocala - Blanche A. Anderson, 94, passed away Sunday, September 23, 2007. She was born April 9, 1913 in Milwaukee, Wl and came to Ocala in 1961 from Morton Grove, Illinois. She was a member of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, attended Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico, was a Cub Scout Den Mother, Red Cross Volunteer, member of NHRA in which she and her husband showed cars for 25 years winning trophies and National Championships. Audrey was an avid NASCAR fan, and enjoyed quilting, animals and birds. Survivors include daughter Sandi Gladdin (husband J.W.) of Ocala, two sons Stuart F. Anderson (wife Donna) of Orlando, Robert D. Anderson (wife Barbara) of Debary, FL, six grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Preceded in death by her husband Clyde V.P. Anderson. Memorial services will be 4 p.m., Thursday, September 27, 2007 at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, Ocala with Pastor Anna S. Figueiro officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to St Matthew's Memorial Fund. Audrey's favorite saying was: Live for each day. Have a positive attitude. Have faith in The Lord. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

982. CHARETTE, HELEN J. (Obituary No. 982.) , 84 Ocala - Helen J. Charette, 84, passed away peacefully on Saturday, September 22, with her loving family by her side. Born in Providence, RI, she moved to Melbourne, FL, with her husband, Russell R. Charette, Sr, and their eight children in 1957. She moved to Ocala, FL, in 1976. In addition to her parents, Helen was preceded in death by her husband, Russ, her sister, Sister Mary Claver Walsh, RSM; and her brother, Martin Joseph Melville. She is survived by children Helen "Mikie" Charette of New York City, Marie Craven and Peggy Shehan of Ocala, Linda Sweat and Joan Bell of Palm Bay, FL, Russell Charette of St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, Eileen Reeser of Gresham, Oregon and Amy Post of Fairmont, West Virginia; sister Sally Belluso of Warwick, RI; 12 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren. The family will hold a private Memorial Service at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

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984. MCGRATH, JOHN H., (Obituary No. 984.) 86 Ocala - John H. McGrath, 86, passed away September 25, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Rochester, NY, he relocated to Marion County in 1981. He was a parishioner at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. His wife of 63 years passed away one year ago on September 25, 2006. They had enjoyed traveling, golf, cards and friends and family in their retirement. He served in the US Army during WWII, He is survived by his sister Mary Ann Henley of Pittsford, NY, and three
children Sue Smock of E. Rochester, NY, Timothy McGrath of Delray Beach, FL, Anne (Lonnie) Prince of Hixson, TN, 5 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. A funeral mass will be held on Thursday, September 27th at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church at 11 a.m. A gathering will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL from 4 to 7 p.m. on Wednesday, September 26th. Interment will be in Pittsford, NY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

985. MOORMAN, KATHERINE I., (Obituary No. 985.) 82 Mrs. Katherine I. Moorman, 82, died September 24 at her home in Ocala. A native of Augusta, Indiana, she has resided in Ocala since 1979. She most recently attended First Assembly of God. A past member of Spanish Oaks Rockers music group, she was active in line dancing, hiking and fitness groups. An accomplished seamstress, she was known for her embroidered bags and handmade cards. She was preceded in death by husband J.B. Moorman Jr. in 1997. She is survived by 3 children, Karen (Sheldon) Bixler, Fort Wayne, IN; Jess (Carol) Moorman, Fruitland Park, FL; Keith (Mona) Moorman, Ann Arbor, MI; 3 grandchildren: J.B. (Jenny) Moorman, Greenville, TN; Courtney (Randall) Tobin, Hernando, FL; Ben (Emily) Webb, Morenci, Arizona; and 4 great grandchildren. Memorial service: 11 a.m., Thursday, Spanish Oaks Activity Center, Ocala. Memorials to charity of donor's choice. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl. will be handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

986. RAYMOND, II, JOHN MORTON, (Obituary No. 986.) 76 Ocala - Mr. John Morton Raymond, II, age 76, was born in Boston, MA. He was called home on September 21, 2007 after a valiant battle with prostate cancer. True to form, he demonstrated great courage and dignity as he fought the disease. He was a member of the Unitarian Universalist Church and graduated from Northeastern University with a degree in engineering. Jack, as he liked to be called, resided most of his life in Reading, MA until moving to Oak Run Country Club in Ocala, 11 years ago. He was employed by General Electric (formerly R.C.A), serving as Program Administrator for 30 years. He exemplified integrity, honesty and was always willing to help those in need. He was the 2006 volunteer of the year for Madison Street Academy where his grandchildren attended school. He was actively involved in the Oak Run Twirlers and taught square dancing. He was also a regular attendee at the Ocala Breeders Thoroughbred Sales and had an admiration and fondness for horses and dogs. He cherished traveling with his family to New England and particularly enjoyed Nantucket Island, Ogunquit, ME, Woodstock, VT and the fall foliage of the White Mountains of NH. He was a gourmand, and knew all of the finest restaurants at which to dine, especially in New England. He loved Maine lobster and steamed clams at Barnacle Billy's in Ogunquit, ME, and was their most loyal longstanding customer for over 40 years. He will be deeply missed by those who knew and loved him. He is survived by his loving daughters, Darcy A. Raymond Morton of Ocala, FL, and Claudette A. Raymond of Kittery, ME; nieces, Marisa Moore of Reading, MA and Stacy Moore of Byfield, MA; grandchildren, Samantha A. Morton and Maxwell A. Morton both of Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his sister, Janet Raymond Moore in 1986. A private family service will be held at Woodlawn Cemetery in the Boston Area at the Raymond family plot est. 1879. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to: Madison Street Academy of Visual and Performing Arts: Attn. Art Department 401 NW Martin Luther King Blvd. Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala 732-9944). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/23/2007 - 9/26/2007.
987. RUMMELE, GEORGIA ESTHER, (Obituary No. 987.) 89 Ocala - Mrs. Georgia Esther Rummele, 89, passed away on September 23, 2007. She was born in Chicago, IL. on September 22, 1918. She was a retired registered nurse. She moved to the area in 1987 from Madeira Beach, FL. Her husband, Edward A. Rummele precedes her in life after 39 years of marriage. She is survived by her two daughters, Lynn Tuhacek of Ocala, Fl. and Karen Green of S. Korea as well as two sons, Edward George Rummele of Gainesville, Fl. and George E. Rummele of Twin Falls, ID.; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. In lieu of flowers send donations to Interfaith in Ocala, FL. There will be a private internment. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl. handled the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/25/2007 - 9/26/2007.

988. SHRADER, ETHEL L., (Obituary No. 988.) 79Ocala- Ethel L. Shrader, 79, formerly of Lindenwold, N.J. died Saturday, Sept. 22 at Tuscany House. Ethel was born in Philadelphia, PA. to Elsie and Edwin Hartley. She was the wife of the late John B. Shrader. Ethel retired as a Documents Specialist at Martin Marietta, but continued working after retirement at the Star Banner and the Daily Sun. She was a volunteer at Munroe for many years. Ethel was a devoted and loving mother to her three sons; Paul, Steven, and Michael. She is survived by her sister Marie Shook and husband Bill of Billings, Montana, her son Paul Shrader and wife Diane of Chiefland, son Steven Crown of Homasassa, and son Michael Shrader and wife Tari of Ocala, FL. She also leaves behind many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. A private family memorial will be held on Saturday, Sept. 29th. Memorial donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County for our sincere gratitude for their care of Ethel, and also to Southwest Christian Church of Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

989. STEPHENS, SR., ROBERT EARL, (Obituary No. 989.) 64 Ocala - Robert Earl Stephens, Sr. age 64, died Monday evening September 24, 2007 under the care of his family and Hospice of Marion County. Born July 8, 1943 in Inglis, FL. to Earl and Melvena Stephens. He was a lifelong resident of this area. He was presently employed as a Trimmer for Skyline Mobile Home Manufacturing in Ocala and previously was employed as a Supervisor for Marc III Van Conversions in Ocala with 20 years of service. He was a US Air Force Veteran. He was Pentecostal and was a member of the Ocala Worship Church. His hobbies included Fishing and working on Old Lawnmowers. In addition to his parents, surviving are his wife of 15 years, Alma Stephens, three sons, Robert E. Stephens Jr., Thomas Stephens and Christopher Stephens all of Ocala, FL. 2 daughters Ellen Aultman (Billy) of Freeport, FL. Amanda Stephens of Ocala. 2 Stepins Ronald Bronson (Danielle) and Adam Bronson both of Ocala 1 step daughter Helen Engler (Derek) of Ocala, FL. 1 brother J.D. Stephens (Linda) of Dunnellon, FL. 2 sisters Earlean Sheffield (Delma) of Williston, FL. and Juanita Roof (Carl) of Inglis, FL. 11 Grandchildren and 1 Great Grandson. STRICKLAND FUNERAL HOME CRYSTAL RIVER, Fla. A Funeral service will be conducted on Thursday September 27, 2007 at 2:00 PM from the STRICKLAND FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL in Crystal River, Fla. with the Pastor Barney McCranie officiating. Friends may call one hour prior to service time. Interment will follow at the Cedars of Lebanon Cemetery in Levy County, FL. STRICKLAND FUNERAL HOME Crystal River, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

990. TAYLOR, FREDERICK H. (Obituary No. 990.) , 58 Ocala - Frederick H. Taylor, 58, passed away September 20th at Hospice’s Legacy House. Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, he came to this area about 1 year ago from Stratford, CT. He was a retired drug company plant engineer, member of the International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 30, Connecticut and a protestant by faith. He is survived by his son, Frederick H. Taylor II of Ocala; sister, Susan
Taylor of Ocala, brother, Job Taylor III of South Orleans, MA, Benjamin Harrison Taylor of Albany, NY and sister, Wendy Metcalf of Albany, NY. A memorial service will be held at St. Mark's United Methodist Church (1839 NE 8th Rd., Ocala) on Friday (September 28th) at 5:30 PM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6241 SW SR 200 Ocala 854-2266) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/25/2007 - 9/26/2007.

991. TOFFALETTI, RUTH BAY, (Obituary No. 991.) 94 Durham, NC - Ruth Bay Toffaletti died on September 20, 2007 at Duke Medical Center In Durham, NC. Ruth was born in Sedalia, Missouri on Aug 1, 1913, the daughter of Virgil Omar Bay and Cornelia Pearson Bay. The family moved to Ocala, FL in 1926 and Ruth graduated from Ocala High School in 1931, worked for several years at Seminole Stores, and in 1941 she married Marius Toffaletti, also of Ocala. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church for 78 years and lived in Ocala until 2002 when she moved to Durham, NC to be close to family. She is survived by her two sons and daughters-in-law, Louis and Julie Toffaletti of Charlotte, NC and John and Dena Toffelettl of Durham, NC. She has four grandchildren: Jason Toffaletti a software engineer In San Francisco CA; Jenna Toffaletti completing a masters degree In architecture at Savannah College of Art and Design; David Toffaletti, a varsity swimmer for Florida State University; and Matt Toffaletti, a varsity baseball player for University of Pennsylvania. The family will receive guests at Roberts Funeral Home in Ocala. Florida at noon on Saturday Sept 29, 2007, followed by a funeral service at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church In Ocala at 1:30 p.m. Online condolences maybe sent to "toffa002@mc.duke.edu". Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

992. VAN ETten, RICHARD, (Obituary No. 992.) 85 Ocala - Richard Van Etten, 85, passed away Thursday, September 20 at his home. He came to the Oak Run community from Las Vegas, Nevada 16 years ago. He was born in Greenland, New Hampshire and raise in a military family. He graduated from Portsmouth High School and entered the military shortly after graduation and retired from the US Air Force. After his military service, Richard worked for the Civil Service as a photographer for the missile and astronaut programs. While at Oak Run, Richard was a charter member of the Royal Oaks Golf Club. He had to leave the club due to health problems. He is survived by his wife, Gerry Van Etten and daughter, Vicky (Ralph) Juliano both of Ocala. Daughter Diane Harper resided in Newberryport, Massachusetts and son, Thomas Stewart of Elgin, Oklahoma. Richard had eight grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Per his request, there will be no formal services. Inurnment will be at the National Cemetery in Bushnell. He was greatly loved and will be missed. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

993. WRIGHT, LOUISE(Obituary No. 993.) 76 Ocala - Louise Wright passed away on September 22, 2007 at the Ocala Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Wright was born on June 8, 1931 in Weirton, West Virginia. She was preceded in death by a son, Jeffery Pearce. Survivors include: 3 daughters, Deborah (Richard) Russell, Belleview, Dana Pearce, Ocala, Cheryl Gibbs, Belleview, Shawna Gibbs, Weirsdale, FL; Brother, William Putich; Grandchildren: Jerod Russell, Justin Russell, Robert Diaz, Alex Gibbs, Daniel Gibbs, Katelyn Byrd. Nephews & Nieces. A private Memorial Service will be held on Friday, September 28, 2007. The family would like to thank all of the staff and friends at Palm Gardens Nursing Home for their care and friendship. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

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994. ANDERSON, BLANCHE AUDREY, (Obituary No. 994.) 94 Ocala - Blanche A. Anderson, 94, passed away Sunday, September 23, 2007. She was born April 9, 1913 in Milwaukee, Wl and came to Ocala in 1961 from Morton Grove, Illinois. She was a member of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, attended Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico, was a Cub Scout Den Mother, Red Cross Volunteer, member of NHRA in which she and her husband showed cars for 25 years winning trophies and National Championships. Audrey was an avid NASCAR fan, and enjoyed quilting, animals and birds. Survivors include daughter Sandi Gladdin (husband J.W.) of Ocala, two sons Stuart F. Anderson (wife Donna) of Orlando, Robert D. Anderson (wife Barbara) of DeBary, FL, six grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Preceded in death by her husband Clyde V.P. Anderson. Memorial services will be 4 p.m., Thursday, September 27, 2007 at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, Ocala with Pastor Anna S. Figueiro officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to St Matthew's Memorial Fund. Audrey's favorite saying was: Live for each day. Have a positive attitude. Have faith in The Lord. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

995. BARWICK, TIFFANY ELISE, (Obituary No. 995.) 19 Tiffany Elise Barwick, age 19, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, September 24, 2007 in Oviedo, FL due to a tragic crime. She was a student at the University of Central Florida in Orlando where she was studying to be a Nurse. She was a native of Ocala. She worked part time as a Phlebotomist. Her hobbies included soccer and dramatic acting. She graduated from West Port High School where she was active in MCCCA. She was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church and was active in the youth group. She loved family and friends. Her family stated that God would be very proud of her. She is survived by her parents Tony and Kimberly Barwick of Ocala; brother Noah; sister Teneal; dog Nike; maternal grandma Connie Sims; maternal great grandpa Malcolm Boorn; paternal grandparents Ron and Jean Bearce (Ronald McDonald and grandma Jean) and numerous cousins, aunts and uncles. She was preceded in death by maternal great grandma Betty Boorn; paternal grandfather Henry E. Barwick and paternal great grandparents Charles and Norma Bearce. Funeral service will be Saturday, September 29, 1p.m. at Ocala West United Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. Visitation will take place at the church one hour prior to the service. Interment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TimberRidge, Ocala, FL in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/29/2007.

996. BENTLEY, MARY REITH, (Obituary No. 996.) 74 Ocala - Mrs. Mary Reith Bentley, 74, passed away on Sunday, September 23, 2007. She was born in CT, where she lived until 1999 when she retired and moved to Marion Landings. She is survived by her husband of 54 years, Harmon F. Bentley, Sr., her 5 children; Bonnie R. Bentley, Harmon F. Bentley, Jr. and wife Denise, Beth A. Tondreault and husband Robert, Beverly M. Racine and husband Vallier, Karen M. Stone, her 10 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. She also leaves a brother, Andrew Bernard, a sister, Helen Reopell, 19 nieces and nephews, and many other beloved family members. In addition to her family, she also leaves countless treasured friends, old and new. A private memorial service for family and the Marion Landing community will be held on Friday, September 28, 2007, 12 noon, at the Lifestyle Center. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice Foundation. Burial will follow in CT. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

997. BUTLER, STEVE W., (Obituary No. 997.) 87 Ocala - Steve W. Butler, 87, passed away September 20, 2007 at Legacy hospice House. He was a retired designer from General Electric.
Born in Nottinghamshire England he moved here from Louisville, KY in 1994. He served 6 years in the Royal Air Force as a Bombadier. A member of King Philip Lodge - Masonic Temple Fall River Massachusetts. He was a protestant. He is survived by his wife Myra Butler, Ocala; One daughter sandy (Tom) Nelson, Crestwood. KY; Two granddaughters Maggie (Brandon) Terry and Jean Nelson, KY; One grandson Everett Nelson, KY; One great grandson, Jacob Terry KY; Two brothers Bernard and Jack Butler both from England. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

998. CHARETTE, HELEN J. (Obituary No. 998.) 84 Ocala - Helen J. Charette, 84, passed away peacefully on Saturday, September 22, with her loving family by her side. Born in Providence, RI, she moved to Melbourne, FL, with her husband, Russell R. Charette, Sr, and their eight children in 1957. She moved to Ocala, FL, in 1976. In addition to her parents, Helen was preceded in death by her husband, Russ, her sister, Sister Mary Claver Walsh, RSM; and her brother, Martin Joseph Melville. She is survived by children Helen "Mikie" Charette of New York City, Marie Craven and Peggy Shehan of Ocala, Linda Sweat and Joan Bell of Palm Bay, FL, Russell Charette of St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, Eileen Reeser of Gresham, Oregon and Amy Post of Fairmont, West Virginia; sister Sally Belluso of Warwick, RI; 12 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren. The family will hold a private Memorial Service at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

999. DAVIS, ELLA MAE, (Obituary No. 999.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Ella Mae Davis, 80, passed away on September 20, 2007. Mrs Davis was born in Steinhatch Florida and later moved here to Ocala where she worked as a Daycare provider. She was also a faithful member of The Bethlehem Baptist Church She leaves to cherish her fond memories daughters, Lila Menchan and Gwendolyn Brown, Son, Sargent Major E-9 Charlie King, Sister, Hattie Easmon, Brother, Alonzo Williams. 10 Grands, a host of great grands, nieces, nephews, cousins and other friends. Services for the late Mrs. Ella Mae Davis will be held on Saturday September 29, 2007 10am at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church were the Rev. Dr. Cecil Wilson Pastors. Viewing will be on Friday September 28, 2007 10am-7pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry Services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1000. DEVINE, PATRICK J., (Obituary No. 1000.) 90 Ocala - Patrick J. Devine, 90, passed away on Monday, September 25, 2007, at his residence. Mr. Devine is survived by his wife of 61 years Mrs. Rose Devine; sons Patrick of Charlotte, NC, and Robert of Apopka, Fl.; a daughter Helen J. Kennedy of Churchville, Pa.; 10 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be Friday September 28, 2007 at 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200. Memorials may be made to St. Maria Goretti House c/o Queen of Peace Catholic Church 6455 SR 200 Ocala, Fl. 34476 Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1001. FAUST, GEORGE H., Ph.D., J.D. (Obituary No. 1001.), 92 Ocala - George H. Faust, Ph.D., J.D. passed away September 22, 2007 at the Life Care Center in Ocala Florida from complications described as "failure to thrive." He was 92 years of age. Faust lived for many years in Cleveland, Ohio where he was an attorney with Icove and Lustig. He also taught history at Fenn College (later called Cleveland State University) and subsequently at Cuyahoga Community College in Cleveland. He was granted a Ph.D. in Latin American History in 1946
from the University of Chicago and upon graduation was awarded the Cleo Herron and the Charles Walgreen awards, the school's two highest prizes in history. He first taught history in Illinois before moving to Cleveland in the late 1940's for a post at Fenn College (now Cleveland State University), and later taught at Cuyahoga Community College in Cleveland. While a practicing attorney, Faust authored several articles and a book, "The Ethics of Violence," (1994, The University Press of America, Inc.). The book explores the dynamics that contribute to terrorism around the world. Born in Eureka Springs, Arkansas to Lucy and J. Walter Faust, a Methodist minister, Faust was a pacifist who was also a student of the late Philip Kapleau, credited with Americanizing Zen Buddhism and founding the Rochester Zen Center in Rochester, New York. He is survived by Betty Alene, his wife of 41 years who is a resident of Ocala. A private memorial is planned for family in Ocala. The family requests donations can be sent to Life Care Center of Ocala, 2800 SW 41st Street, Ocala, Florida 34474; or to The Dalai Lama Foundation, 61 Renato Court #24, Redwood City, CA 94061. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1002. HUTCHINSON, WILLIE RALPH, (Obituary No. 1002.) 70 Ocala - Willie R. Hutchinson, 70, died Tuesday, September 25, 2007 at Oak Wood Care Center following an extended illness. A Native of Blakeley, GA, he had lived in Ocala for 65 years. Survivors include Two sons Willie R. Hutchinson, Jr., Vincent A. Hutchinson both of Ocala, FL. Three daughters Reba F. Guy, Tallahassee, FL. Etheline Quay, Cynthia Pender both of Ocala, FL. Mother Etheline Hutchinson Ocala, FL. One brother Robert Hutchinson, Albany, GA. Two sisters Clementine Hutchinson, and Charlie Mae Cochran both of Ocala, FL. and seven grandchildren. Funeral Services for Mr. Hutchinson will be held on Friday September 28, 2007 at 11 A.M. Covenant Baptist Church with Rev. Stanley Jacobs Pastor, burial will follow in Chestnut Cemetery under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME 18 N.W. 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL. Mr. Hutchinson will repose in Summers Funeral Home one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will form at the home of his sister Mrs. Charlie M. Cochran, 2620 N.W. 18th Street at 10:15 A.M. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/29/2007.

1003. ILLUZZI, JOSEPH (Obituary No. 1003.) , 76 Summerfield - Joseph Illuzzi, 76, died Monday, September 24, 2007 at his residence. He moved to this area from Hialeah In 1988. He is a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus in Hialeah. His memory lives In the hearts of his Children and family, daughters Marie Millard and Angela Binning, sons Michael Illuzzi and Vincent Illuzzi, brother Angelo Illuzzi and sister Isabella Scivetti, Grandchildren Anthony Illuzzi, Christopher Illuzzi, Joseph Illuzzi, Amanda Debritto, Christina Binning, and Michael Binning, 1 Great Grandson, Joseph Debritto. A Funeral Mass will be held at 10 am on Friday, September 28, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, with Fr. David Vivero officiating. Visitation will be on Wednesday and Thursday from 6-8 pm at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1004. MCGRATH, JOHN H., (Obituary No. 1004.) 86 Ocala - John H. McGrath, 86, passed away September 25, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Rochester, NY, he relocated to Marion County in 1981. He was a parishioner at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. His wife of 63 years passed away one year ago on September 25, 2006. They had enjoyed traveling, golf, cards and friends and family in their retirement. He served in the US Army during WWII, He is survived by his sister Mary Ann Henley of Pittsford, NY, and three children Sue Smock of E. Rochester, NY, Timothy McGrath of Delray Beach, FL, Anne
(Lonnie) Prince of Hixson, TN, 5 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. A funeral mass will be held on Thursday, September 27th at Our lady of the Springs Catholic Church at 11 a.m. A gathering will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL from 4 to 7p.m. on Wednesday, September 26th. Interment will be in Pittsford, NY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

1005. MOORMAN, KATHERINE I., (Obituary No. 1005.) 82 Mrs. Katherine I. Moorman, 82, died September 24 at her home in Ocala. A native of Augusta, Indiana, she has resided in Ocala since 1979. She most recently attended First Assembly of God. A past member of Spanish Oaks Rockers music group, she was active in line dancing, hiking and fitness groups. An accomplished seamstress, she was known for her embroidered bags and handmade cards. She was preceded in death by husband J.B. Moorman Jr. in 1997. She is survived by 3 children, Karen (Sheldon) Bixler, Fort Wayne, IN; Jess (Carol) Moorman, Fruitland Park, FL; Keith (Mona) Moorman, Ann Arbor, MI; 3 grandchildren: J.B. (Jenny) Moorman, Greenville, TN; Courtney (Randall) Tobin, Hernando, FL; Ben (Emily) Webb, Morenci, Arizona; and 4 great grandchildren. Memorial service: 11 a.m., Thursday, Spanish Oaks Activity Center, Ocala. Memorials to charity of donor's choice. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl. will be handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

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1010. VEREEN, STORIA(Obituary No. 1010.) , 84 Ocala - Mr. Storgia (Stacy) Vereen, 84, transitioned from this life on Friday September 21, 2007. He leaves to cherish his memories Daughters, Patricia Moore, Verna Vereen, Bernadette Jones, Jimmye Vereen and Patty Reason, Sons, Samuel Pete and Maxey Miller, wife, Doris Vereen, Sister, Thedora Reynolds, 21 grands, 25 great grands, 9 great great grands, a loving companion Alberta Pete, Special cousins, Chippey Cunningham and Willie Mae Michael. Services for Mr. Vereen will be held on Saturday September 29, 2007 1:00pm at St. Paul AME Church. Viewing Friday September 28, 2007 10am-7pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Services has been entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1011. WETZ, FREDAL M., (Obituary No. 1011.) 86 Ocala - Mrs. Freda M. Wetz, 86, passed away September 25, 2007. Born in Pittsburgh her family moved to Eustis, FL early in the Great Depression. As a young woman she studied music at FSU. Following graduation she was
principal of the elementary school at the Florida Industrial School for Girls in Ocala. Later she taught music in the Eustis, Florida School System and was Choir Director and Youth Director of the First Methodist Church of Mount Dora. In 1955 she married a Navy pilot, LT(jg) James E. Wetz. Together they established homes in Rhode Island, Texas, Washington State, California, Hawaii, and Thailand. They had two children, Cynthia Lea and James E. Wetz Jr. both of whom live in Ocala. She was active in Child Evangelism and attended Grace Presbyterian Church from 1975 to the present. She is survived by her husband, children, and 6 grandchildren. Her memorial service will be September 28th at 11 a.m. at the Grace Presbyterian Church. A light lunch will follow. Interment will be in Mount Dora's Forest Lawn Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1012. WRIGHT, LOUISE (Obituary No. 1012.), 76 Ocala - Louise Wright passed away on September 22, 2007 at the Ocala Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Wright was born on June 8, 1931 in Weirton, West Virginia. She was preceded in death by a son, Jeffery Pearce. Survivors include: 3 daughters, Deborah (Richard) Russell, Belleview, Dana Pearce, Ocala, Cheryl Gibbs, Belleview, Shawna Gibbs, Weirsdale, FL; Brother, William Putich; Grandchildren: Jerod Russell, Justin Russell, Robert Diaz, Alex Gibbs, Daniel Gibbs, Katelyn Byrd. Nephews & Nieces. A private Memorial Service will be held on Friday, September 28, 2007. The family would like to thank all of the staff and friends at Palm Gardens Nursing Home for their care and friendship. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/26/2007 - 9/27/2007.

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1013. BARWICK, TIFFANY ELISE, (Obituary No. 1013.) 19 Tiffany Elise Barwick, age 19, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, September 24, 2007 in Oviedo, FL due to a tragic crime. She was a student at the University of Central Florida in Orlando where she was studying to be a Nurse. She was a native of Ocala. She worked part time as a Phlebotomist. Her hobbies included soccer and dramatic acting. She graduated from West Port High School where she was active in MCCA. She was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church and was active in the youth group. She loved family and friends. Her family stated that God would be very proud of her. She is survived by her parents Tony and Kimberly Barwick of Ocala; brother Noah; sister Teneal; dog Nike; maternal grandma Connie Sims; maternal great grandpa Malcolm Boorn; paternal grandparents Ron and Jean Bearce (Ronald McDonald and grandma Jean) and numerous cousins, aunts and uncles. She was preceded in death by maternal great grandma Betty Boorn; paternal grandfather Henry E. Barwick and paternal great grandparents Charles and Norma Bearce. Funeral service will be Saturday, September 29, 1p.m. at Ocala West United Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. Visitation will take place at the church one hour prior to the service. Interment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TimberRidge, Ocala, FL in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/29/2007.

1014. BENTLEY, MARY REITH, (Obituary No. 1014.) 74 Ocala - Mrs. Mary Reith Bentley, 74, passed away on Sunday, September 23, 2007. She was born in CT, where she lived until 1999 when she retired and moved to Marion Landings. She is survived by her husband of 54 years, Harmon F. Bentley, Sr., her 5 children; Bonnie R. Bentley, Harmon F. Bentley, Jr. and wife Denise, Beth A. Tondreault and husband Robert, Beverly M. Racine and husband Vallier, and Karen M. Stone, her 10 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. She also leaves a brother, Andrew Bernard, a sister, Helen Reopell, 19 nieces and nephews, and many other beloved family members. In addition to her family, she also leaves countless treasured friends, old and new. A
private memorial service for family and the Marion Landing community will be held on Friday, September 28, 2007, 12 noon, at the Lifestyle Center. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice Foundation. Burial will follow in CT. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1015. BUTLER, STEVE W., (Obituary No. 1015.) 87 Ocala - Steve W. Butler, 87, passed away September 20, 2007 at Legacy hospice House. He was a retired designer from General Electric. Born in Nottinghamshire England he moved here from Louisville, KY in 1994. He served 6 years in the Royal Air Force as a Bombadier. A member of King Philip Lodge - Masonic Temple Fall River Massachusetts. He was a protestant. He is survived by his wife Myra Butler, Ocala; One daughter sandy (Tom) Nelson, Crestwood. KY; Two granddaughters Maggie (Brandon) Terry and Jean Nelson, KY; One grandson Everett Nelson, KY; One great grandson, Jacob Terry KY; Two brothers Bernard and Jack Butler both from England. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1016. CARPENTER, EVELYN JUNE, (Obituary No. 1016.) 90 St. Petersburg - Evelyn June Carpenter, 90, passed away on Wednesday, September 26, 2007 at Edward White Hospital in Saint Petersburg, FL. Born in Fort Meade, FL she had made Citra her home from 1972 until moving to Saint Petersburg in 1998. She worked until the age of 80 as the clerk/manager of the McIntosh Pharmacy and was a member of The McIntosh Presbyterian Church. Survivors include; daughter, Carol C. Tuttle, and her husband Donald of Longwood, FL and two sister-in-laws, Mildred and Lilly Evers of Tampa, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/28/2007 - 9/29/2007.

1017. DAVIS, ELLA MAE, (Obituary No. 1017.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Ella Mae Davis, 80, passed away on September 20, 2007. Mrs Davis was born in Steinhatch Florida and later moved here to Ocala where she worked as a Daycare provider. She was also a faithful member of The Bethlehem Baptist Church She leaves to cherish her fond memories daughters, Lila Menchan and Gwendolyn Brown, Son, Sargent Major E-9 Charlie King, Sister, Hattie Easmon, Brother, Alonzo Williams. 10 Grands, a host of great grands, nieces, nephews, cousins and other friends. Services for the late Mrs. Ella Mae Davis will be held on Saturday September 29, 2007 10am at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church were the Rev. Dr. Cecil Wilson Pastors. Viewing will be on Friday September 28, 2007 10am-7pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry Services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1018. DEVINE, PATRICK J., (Obituary No. 1018.) 90 Ocala - Patrick J. Devine, 90, passed away on Monday, September 25, 2007, at his residence. Mr. Devine is survived by his wife of 61 years Mrs. Rose Devine; sons Patrick of Charlotte, NC, and Robert of Apopka, Fl.; a daughter Helen J. Kennedy of Churchville, Pa.; 10 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be Friday September 28, 2007 at 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200. Memorials may be made to St. Maria Goretti House c/o Queen of Peace Catholic Church 6455 SR 200 Ocala, Fl. 34476 Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1019. FAUST, GEORGE H. Ph.D., J.D. (Obituary No. 1019.), 92 Ocala - George H. Faust, Ph.D., J.D. passed away September 22, 2007 at the Life Care Center in Ocala Florida from complications described as "failure to thrive." He was 92 years of age. Faust lived for many years in Cleveland, Ohio where he was an attorney with Icove and Lustig. He also taught history at Fenn College (later called Cleveland State University) and subsequently at Cuyahoga
Community College in Cleveland. He was granted a Ph.D. in Latin American History in 1946 from the University of Chicago and upon graduation was awarded the Cleo Herron and the Charles Walgreen awards, the school's two highest prizes in history. He first taught history in Illinois before moving to Cleveland in the late 1940's for a post at Fenn College (now Cleveland State University), and later taught at Cuyahoga Community College in Cleveland. While a practicing attorney, Faust authored several articles and a book, "The Ethics of Violence," (1994, The University Press of America, Inc.). The book explores the dynamics that contribute to terrorism around the world. Born in Eureka Springs, Arkansas to Lucy and J. Walter Faust, a Methodist minister, Faust was a pacifist who was also a student of the late Philip Kapleau, credited with Americanizing Zen Buddhism and founding the Rochester Zen Center in Rochester, New York. He is survived by Betty Alene, his wife of 41 years who is a resident of Ocala. A private memorial is planned for family in Ocala. The family requests donations can be sent to Life Care Center of Ocala, 2800 SW 41st Street, Ocala, Florida 34474; or to The Dalai Lama Foundation, 61 Renato Court #24, Redwood City, CA 94061. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1020. GABRIEL, DOROTHY J., (Obituary No. 1020.) 79 Miami, FL - Dorothy J. Gabriel ended one journey for another on September 25, 2007. She was born May 6, 1928 in Crookston Minnesota, and was raised in Aberdeen SD. She graduated from the University of South Dakota with a degree in Bacteriology and was a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority. She traveled the Far East while married to Robert Gabriel and eventually settled in Miami. She volunteered for the American Red Cross during the Vietnam years in Japan and Ft. Benning, Ga. She also donated her time for the Miami Garden Club and Florence Critendon Home for Unwed Mothers in Miami. She sold Real Estate for the Keyes Company, Stadler and J Poole except for when she took a slight sabbatical from Real Estate and spent three years in Tallahassee as Housemother for the Delta Delta Delta sorority at FSU. After retiring from Real Estate Dorothy relocated to Ocala Florida and just recently moved back to Miami last November. She is survived by her 3 children Scott, Jill and Julie Gabriel. In lieu of funeral services, her life will be celebrated at 3pm September 29th at the home of Jill Gabriel. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to support her Daughter in Law’s, Daria Boley Race for the Cure to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation. P.O. Box 12848 St. Petersburg, Fl. 33733. Arrangements handled by VAN ORSDEL FUNERAL HOME - Kendall 305-279-6644. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/28/2007 - 9/29/2007.

1021. HOWELL, SHIRLEY E., (Obituary No. 1021.) 83 Ocala - Shirley E. Howell passed away peacefully on September 21, 2007, at Legacy House in Ocala, FL. Born in Andover, NJ, she was the daughter of the late Erwin P. Hasenclever and Catherine Ginder Hasenclever Hull. She lived in Andover and in Cockeysville, MD, before moving to Ocala in 1989. Mrs. Howell was a homemaker for many years, and was later employed as a Lead Typist for Selective Insurance Company of America in Branchville, NJ, before her retirement from the Towson, MD office in 1989. Mrs. Howell was preceded in death by her husband, F. Lamar Howell, and by an infant son, Robert B. Howell. She is survived by three daughters, Beverly A. Gulley of Coarsegold, CA, Patricia L. Doolittle of Nesquehoning, PA, and Ellen E. Eick of Sandy Hook, CT; by one son, Lamar A. Howell of Houston, TX; seven grandchildren; and 5 great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held in Andover, NJ, at a later date. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/28/2007 - 9/29/2007.
1022. HUTCHINSON, WILLIE RALPH, (Obituary No. 1022.) 70 Ocala - Willie R. Hutchinson, 70, died Tuesday, September 25, 2007 at Oak Wood Care Center following an extended illness. A Native of Blakeley, GA, he had lived in Ocala for 65 years. Survivors include Two sons Willie R. Hutchinson, Jr., Vincent A. Hutchinson both of Ocala, FL. Three daughters Reba F. Guy, Tallahassee, FL. Ethelene Quay, Cynthia Pender both of Ocala, FL. Mother Ethelene Hutchinson Ocala, FL. One brother Robert Hutchinson, Albany, GA. Two sisters Clementine Hutchinson, and Charlie Mae Cochran both of Ocala, FL. and seven grandchildren. Funeral Services for Mr. Hutchinson will be held on Friday September 28, 2007 at 11 A.M. Covenant Baptist Church with Rev. Stanley Jacobs Pastor, burial will follow in Chestnut Cemetery under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME 18 N.W. 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL. Mr. Hutchinson will repose in Summers Funeral Home on Thursday from 2-8p.m. and on Friday in the Covenant Church one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. The cortege will form at the home of his sister Mrs. Charlie M. Cochran, 2620 N.W. 18th Street at 10:15 A.M. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/29/2007.

1023. ILLUZZI, JOSEPH(Obituary No. 1023.) , 76 Summerfield - Joseph Illuzzi, 76, died Monday, September 24, 2007 at his residence. He moved to this area from Hialeah In 1988. He is a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus in Hialeah. His memory lives In the hearts of his Children and family, daughters Marie Millard and Angela Binning, sons Michael Illuzzi and Vincent Illuzzi, brother Angelo Illuzzi and sister Isabella Scivetti, Grandchildren Anthony Illuzzi, Christopher Illuzzi, Joseph Illuzzi, Amanda Debritto, Christina Binning, and Michael Binning, 1 Great Grandson, Joseph Debritto. A Funeral Mass will be held at 10 am on Friday, September 28, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, with Fr. David Vivero officiating. Visitation will be on Wednesday and Thursday from 6-8 pm at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.


1025. SOLARCZYK, JOHN A., (Obituary No. 1025.) 80 Ocala - John A. Solarczyk, 80, passed away on September 23, 2007 after a long Illness. He was a native of Dearborn, MI. and moved to Ocala in 2001. Mr. Solarczyk was the Owner/Operator of Blvd. Michigan Cleaners in Detroit. Mr. Solarczyk also retired from Detroit Diesel with 21 years of service. He was a member of the Moose Lodge in Dearborn, and an avid Race car enthusiast. Mr. Solarczyk was Catholic by faith. He is survived by his wife of 53 years Bernadine Virginia Solarczyk. Predeceased by his twin brother Fred W. Solarczyk (2004), survived by his sister-In-law Kate Solarezyk of California and nieces Evelyn, Ingrid, and Rachael; and a nephew John. Survived by a sister-In-law Alfreda Sowinski and husband Walter of Ocala, FL. Nieces Vivian, Andrea, Wendy, Teresa, Diana, Tina, and nephews Michael and John; a brother-in-law Ronald Rudowski and wife Bernice of Rochester, MI.; nieces Renee and Dawn; many friends including Joseph and Dolores Rutkowski and Loretta Bemke. Funeral Mass for Mr. Solarczyk will be Monday, October 1, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 at 8:30 AM with Father Patrick J.
O'Doherty officiating. Visitation will be 2.00 - 4:00 PM Sunday, September 30, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St Ocala, FL. Entombment will be at Highland Memorial Park Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/28/2007 - 9/29/2007.

1026. STIEFVATER, EUNICE(Obituary No. 1026.), 81 Ocala - Mrs. Eunice Stiefvater, 81, went to be with the Lord on Sept. 25, 2007. She was a native of Coalwood, W. Virginia. She moved to Ocala 26 years ago from Levittown, NY. She was of the Lutheran faith. Eunice was a loving wife, mother and a wonderful friend. Survivors include her son Robert (Majken) Eluszkiewicz, Hauppauge, NY.; stepdaughters Lorraine Millan, Ocala; Barbara Stermer, St. Augustine, Fl. A sister Eula Dale, Fayetteville, NC.; grandson William (Carrie) Hershman; great-granddaughter Maddox Hershman and best friend Judith Luker, Ocala. She was preceded in death by her mother Lettie Shelton Baldwin, father Robert Baldwin, husband Eugene J. Eluszkiewicz, daughter Jeanne E. McAdams, husband John Stiefvater, 3 brothers: Robert, Raymond and Jack Baldwin, 1 sister Marie Morgan. A gathering of friends will take place Friday Sept. 28th from 10-11 AM with services to follow. Roberts Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. is handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/28/2007 - 9/29/2007.

1027. VEREEN, STORGIA(Obituary No. 1027.), 84 Ocala - Mr. Storgia (Stacy) Vereen, 84, transitioned from this life on Friday September 21, 2007. He leaves to cherish his memories Daughters, Patricia Moore, Verna Vereen, Bernadette Jones, Jimmye Vereen and Patty Reason, Sons, Samuel Pete and Maxey Miller, wife, Doris Vereen, Sister, Thedora Reynolds, 21 grands, 25 great grands, 9 great great grands, a loving companion Alberta Pete, Special cousins, Chippey Cunningham and Willie Mae Michael. Services for Mr. Vereen will be held on Saturday September 29, 2007 1:00pm at St. Paul AME Church. Viewing Friday September 28, 2007 10am-7pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Services has been entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

1028. WETZ, FREDAM., (Obituary No. 1028.) 86 Ocala - Mrs. Freda M. Wetz, 86, passed away September 25, 2007. Born in Pittsburgh her family moved to Eustis, FL early in the Great Depression. As a young woman she studied music at FSU. Following graduation she was principal of the elementary school at the Florida Industrial School for Girls in Ocala. Later she taught music in the Eustis, Florida School System and was Choir Director and Youth Director of the First Methodist Church of Mount Dora. In 1955 she married a Navy pilot, LT(jg) James E. Wetz. Together they established homes in Rhode Island, Texas, Washington State, California, Hawaii, and Thailand. They had two children, Cynthia Lea and James E. Wetz Jr. both of whom live in Ocala. She was active in Child Evangelism and attended Grace Presbyterian Church from 1975 to the present. She is survived by her husband, children, and 6 grandchildren. Her memorial service will be September 28th at 11 a.m. at the Grace Presbyterian Church. A light lunch will follow. Internment will be in Mount Dora's Forest Lawn Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/28/2007.

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1029. BARWICK, TIFFANY ELISE, (Obituary No. 1029.) 19 Tiffany Elise Barwick, age 19, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, September 24, 2007 in Oviedo, FL due to a tragic crime. She was a student at the University of Central Florida in Orlando where she was studying to be a Nurse. She was a native of Ocala. She worked part time as a Phlebotomist. Her hobbies included
soccer and dramatic acting. She graduated from West Port High School where she was active in MCCA. She was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church and was active in the youth group. She loved family and friends. Her family stated that God would be very proud of her. She is survived by her parents Tony and Kimberly Barwick of Ocala; brother Noah; sister Teneal; dog Nike; maternal grandma Connie Sims; maternal great grandpa Malcolm Boorn; paternal grandparents Ron and Jean Bearce (Ronald McDonald and grandma Jean) and numerous cousins, aunts and uncles. She was preceded in death by maternal great grandma Betty Boorn; paternal grandfather Henry E. Barwick and paternal great grandparents Charles and Norma Bearce. Funeral service will be Saturday, September 29, 1p.m. at Ocala West United Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. Visitation will take place at the church one hour prior to the service. Interment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TimberRidge, Ocala, FL in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/27/2007 - 9/29/2007.

1030. BORBELY, CHIEF ALEX, (Obituary No. 1030.) 80 Ocala - Chief Alex Borbely, Sr. USN (Ret), age 80, of Ocala, FL (Oak Run) passed away on Friday, September 28, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. He was born in Edison, NJ on February 6, 1927. As a young man he served in the US Navy during WWII and the Korean Conflict. He continued serving for 20 years and retired as a Chief Boilerman. After his military career he worked for Ford Motor Co. for 20 years and retired as an Engineer. He was a member of U.A.W. Local # 980 and Fleet Reserve # 186 of Hernando, FL. Mr. Borbely was a Catholic and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. His hobbies included Bocchi, swimming and cycling. He is survived by a daughter Diane and husband Ed Costello of Edison, NJ; son Alex and wife Barbara Borbely, Jr. of Cumming, GA; 4 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Helen Margaret Borbely who passed away on August 23, 2005. Visitation will be Monday, October 1, 2007, 2:00 - 6:00pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - TimberRidge, Ocala, FL with a prayer service taking place at 2:00pm. Funeral mass will be celebrated Tuesday, October 2, 2007, 8:30am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/29/2007 - 9/30/2007.

1031. CARPENTER, EVELYN JUNE, (Obituary No. 1031.) 90 St. Petersburg - Evelyn June Carpenter, 90, passed away on Wednesday, September 26, 2007 at Edward White Hospital in Saint Petersburg, FL. Born in Fort Meade, FL she had made Citra her home from 1972 until moving to Saint Petersburg in 1998. She worked until the age of 80 as the clerk/manager of the McIntosh Pharmacy and was a member of The McIntosh Presbyterian Church. She traveled the Far East while married to Robert Gabriel and eventually settled in Miami. She volunteered for the American Red Cross during the Vietnam years in Japan and Ft. Benning, Ga. She also donated her time for the Miami Garden Club and Florence Critendon Home for Unwed Mothers in Miami. She sold Real Estate for the Keyes Company, Stadler and J Poole except for when she took a slight sabbatical from Real Estate and spent three years in Tallahassee as Housemother for
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1035. MARSHALL, HELEN HAYMAKER, (Obituary No. 1035.) 92 Ocala - Mrs. Helen Haymaker Marshall, 92, passed away on September 24, 2007. She was born in Franklin, In. on April 19, 1915 and moved to Anthony in 1919. She was a member of Oakcrest Baptist Church in Ocala and a homemaker. She was preceded in death by her husband of 51 years Edwin Marshall Sr. She is survived by a daughter Dolores A. Higbie of Ocala and a son Edwin Marshall Jr. of Apex, NC.; a sister Gertrude Jones of Ocala, Fl. and a brother Henry Haymaker of Franklin, In. Four grandchildren: Clinton Morrison, Christopher Morrison, Jana Morrison and Scott Marshall. Graveside services will be held at Forest Lawn Cemetery on Monday October 1st at 11 AM. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 608 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl. is handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/29/2007 - 9/30/2007.
1036. MATHEWS, WILLIAM (Obituary No. 1036.)


1037. SOLARCZYK, JOHN A., (Obituary No. 1037.)

John A. Solarczyk, 80, passed away on September 23, 2007 after a long Illness. He was a native of Dearborn, MI. and moved to Ocala in 2001. Mr. Solarczyk was the Owner/Operator of Blvd. Michigan Cleaners in Detroit. Mr. Solarczyk also retired from Detroit Diesel with 21 years of service. He was a member of the Moose Lodge in Dearborn, and an avid Race car enthusiast. Mr. Solarczyk was Catholic by faith. He is survived by his wife of 53 years Bernadine Virginia Solarczyk. Predeceased by his twin brother Fred W. Solarczyk (2004), survived by his sister-In-law Kate Solarezyk of California and nieces Evelyn, Ingrid, and Rachael; and a nephew John. Survived by a sister-In-law Alfreda Sowinski and husband Walter of Ocala, Fl. Nieces Vivian, Andrea, Wendy, Teresa, Diana, Tina, and nephews Michael and John; a brother-in-law Ronald Rudowski and wife Bernarce of Rochester, MI.; nieces Renee and Dawn; many friends including Joseph and Dolores Rutkowski and Loretta Bemke. Funeral Mass for Mr. Solarczyk will be Monday, October 1, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 at 8:30 AM with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Visitation will be 2.00 - 4:00 PM Sunday, September 30, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBER RIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St Ocala, FL. Entombment will be at Highland Memorial Park Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/28/2007 - 9/29/2007.

1038. STIEFVATER, EUNICE (Obituary No. 1038.)

Mrs. Eunice Stiefvater, 81, went to be with the Lord on Sept. 25, 2007. She was a native of Coalwood, W. Virginia. She moved to Ocala 26 years ago from Levittown, NY. She was of the Lutheran faith. Eunice was a loving wife, mother and a wonderful friend. Survivors include her son Robert (Majken) Eluszkiewicz, Hauppauge, NY.; stepdaughters Lorraine Millan, Ocala; Barbara Stermer, St. Augustine, Fl. A sister Eula Dale, Fayetteville, NC.; grandson William (Carrie) Hershman; great-granddaughter Maddox Hershman and best friend Judith Luker, Ocala. She was preceded in death by her mother Lettie Shelton Baldwin, father Robert Baldwin, husband Eugene J. Eluszkiewicz, daughter Jeanne E. McAdams, husband John Stiefvater, 3 brothers: Robert, Raymond and Jack Baldwin. 1 sister Marie Morgan. A gathering of friends will take place Friday Sept. 28th from 10-11 AM with services to follow. Roberts Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. is handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/28/2007 - 9/29/2007.

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1039. BORBELY, CHIEF ALEX, (Obituary No. 1039.)

Chief Alex Borbely, Sr. USN (Ret), age 80, of Ocala, FL (Oak Run) passed away on Friday, September 28, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. He was born in Edison, NJ on February 6, 1927. As a young man he served in the US Navy during WWII and the Korean Conflict. He continued serving for 20 years and retired as a Chief Boilerman. After his military career he worked for Ford Motor Co. for 20 years and retired as an Engineer. He was a member of U.A.W. Local # 980 and Fleet
Reserve # 186 of Hernando, FL. Mr. Borbely was a Catholic and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. His hobbies included Bocchi, swimming and cycling. He is survived by a daughter Diane and husband Ed Costello of Edison, NJ; son Alex and wife Barbara Borbely, Jr. of Cumming, GA; 4 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Helen Margaret Borbely who passed away on August 23, 2005. Visitation will be Monday, October 1, 2007, 2:00 - 6:00pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - TimberRidge, Ocala, FL with a prayer service taking place at 2:00pm. Funeral mass will be celebrated Tuesday, October 2, 2007, 8:30am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/29/2007 - 9/30/2007.

1040. GRIFFITHS, JANE R., (Obituary No. 1040.) 97 Ocala - Jane R. Griffiths, 97, passed away September 28th at Hampton Manor in Ocala. She was born in Wheeling, WV and moved to Ocala in 1979 from Marco Island, FL. She was an Episcopalian, an award winning floral arranger, liked bowling, was a member of the Golden Hills Ladies Golf Association and was a basketball player in high school. She is survived by a sister Mary Dorothy Mooney and her husband Harry of Ocala, nieces Sharon Mooney Hughes of Wilmington, NC, Barbara Jean Fritz of Wellsburg, WV, nephews Dr. William P. Mooney of Castle Rock, CO, George Robinson of Detroit, MI, two great nieces, one great nephew, two great great nieces, and one great great nephew. She was preceded in death by her husband George D. Griffiths and two brothers John and George Robinson. There will be a service at 11:00 a.m. at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel, 5050 S.W. 20th Street, Ocala, on Tuesday, October 2, 2007. Visitation will be one hour prior to services. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/1/2007.

1041. MARSHALL, HELEN HAYMAKER, (Obituary No. 1041.) 92 Ocala - Mrs. Helen Haymaker Marshall, 92, passed away on September 24, 2007. She was born in Franklin, In. on April 19, 1915 and moved to Anthony in 1919. She was a member of Oakcrest Baptist Church in Ocala and a homemaker. She was preceded in death by her husband of 51 years Edwin Marshall Sr. She is survived by a daughter Dolores A. Higbie of Ocala and a son Edwin Marshall Jr. of Apex, NC.; a sister Gertrude Jones of Ocala, Fl. and a brother Henry Haymaker of Franklin, In. Four grandchildren: Clinton Morrison, Christopher Morrison, Jana Morrison and Scott Marshall. Graveside services will be held at Forest Lawn Cemetery on Monday October 1st at 11 AM. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 608 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl. is handling the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/29/2007 - 9/30/2007.

1042. MARTIN, SR., MARVIN R., (Obituary No. 1042.) 79 Alvin, TX - Marvin R. Martin Sr., born May 27, 1928, went to be with the Lord on Sunday September 23rd, 2007 at the age of 79. "Docky", as he was known to friends and family, was born and raised in Ocala, Florida. He joined the United States Navy in 1947 and proudly served his country for over 23 years, voluntarily spending the last 18 months of his career in Vietnam. Docky married the love of his life, Betty J. Morgan of Glen Rogers, West Virginia in 1955 and together they traveled life's journey raising three children along the way. He humbly led and mentored his family through all of life's many trials and challenges and his life lessons will be long remembered. Docky was a devoted husband and loving father and grandfather, totally selfless, truly touching the heart of everyone who knew him. Docky is and will continue to be a "Lighthouse" in our journey through life. Docky is survived by his three children and five grandchildren: Son Marvin Martin Jr. and his wife Jenne, son Edward Martin and wife Kathie, daughter Cynthia Sabzevari and husband
Mohammad. Docky's grandchildren include Michael, Marika and Melissa Martin and Nicholas and Adam Sabzevari. Docky was preceded in death by his brother Harold Jr., and Betty, his wife of 51 years. Docky was a sailor at heart, a kind and gentle person and a blessing to all who knew him. He will be dearly missed. SERVICES: Will be Monday, Oct. 1, 2007 at 10:45 AM at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio, Texas. The family has requested donations to the American Cancer Society in lieu of flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/1/2007.

1043. MOONEY, JR., ROY, (Obituary No. 1043.) 81 Summerfield - Roy Mooney, Jr., 81, of Summerfield, died Sept. 25, 2007 at Lake City VA Medical Center. He was born in Hardy, KY and moved to this area from Virginia in 1982. He was a member of First Assembly of God, Belleview, VFW, DAV, American Legion, UAW, and United Mine Workers of America. Mr. Mooney was a retired automotive assembly line worker for General Motors and a retired coal miner. He was a veteran of WW II serving in the United States Army in occupied Japan. Mr. Mooney is survived by his wife of 61 years, Hester Mooney, Summerfield; daughters, Lavena Mooney, Saline, MI, Brenda Pettis Gaylord, MI, and Gabrielle Bustin, Ocala; 7 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, October 2, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 S.E. Robinson Road, Belleview, with Pastor T. Carl Thompson officiating. Visitation will be from 6-8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/1/2007.

1044. PACHECO, ENRIQUE ARIMIS, (Obituary No. 1044.) 64 Ocala - Enrique Pacheco, 64, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wed., Sept. 26, 2007 in Los Angeles, CA. A native of Caquas, Puerto Rico, he relocated to Ocala in 1981. He will be lovingly remembered by his wife, Joan and children: Tony, Lena, Hank, Shawn, and Naomi, sister Annie, grandchildren and of course his pet and best friend, "Patches". Henry will always be known as a man who lived life to the fullest and found his true happiness by sharing his love of music and laughter with all. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East on Tuesday, Oct. 2nd from 1-4 & 6-9 p.m. Services will be celebrated on Wednesday, Oct. 3, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at Church of Jesus Christ of LDS at 12975 S.E. 55th N.E. Ave. Road. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/1/2007.

1045. YEARTY, SR., DANIEL M., (Obituary No. 1045.) 69 Ocala - Daniel M. Yearty, Sr. passed away Friday, Sept. 28, 2007 of cancer. Dan was born January 1, 1938 in Lumber City, GA. On November 17, 1957, he married Virginia Burrus. They resided for several years in Lake Worth before moving to Loxahatchee Groves where they were one of the early residents. They remained in Loxahatchee 34 years until they retired to Ocala in 2006. Dan worked for Murphy Construction Co. as a crane and bulldozer operator for 12 years. While with Murphy, he built sea-walls, bridges, and the lochs at Lake Okeechobee and many other major structures in the Palm Beach County area. He then went into business for himself, building many of the house pads and ponds in the surrounding area of Loxahatchee. One of Dan's great loves were his barrel horses and cutting horses. He enjoyed everything that had to do with the outdoors. His sense of humor and quick wit will be missed by all who knew him. He is survived by his wife of almost 50 years, Virginia, sons Daniel, Jr. (Mindy), Loxahatchee, Dale (CJ), Ocala, daughter Valerie (Mark) Robinson, Ocala, grandsons Markie, Cody, granddaughter Brooks, Tiffany, and Dale Christian, Ocala, sister Adean Worsham, Ocala, and Jenny Dilley, Arkansas. Dan was preceded in death by his parents, five siblings and granddaughter Brittany Nicole. Funeral services and
visitation will be Tuesday, October 2, 2007 at 3:00 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 S.E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/1/2007.

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1046. GRIFFITHS, JANE R., (Obituary No. 1046.) 97 Ocala - Jane R. Griffiths, 97, passed away September 28th at Hampton Manor in Ocala. She was born in Wheeling, WV and moved to Ocala in 1979 from Marco Island, FL. She was an Episcopalian, an award winning floral arranger, liked bowling, was a member of the Golden Hills Ladies Golf Association and was a basketball player in high school. She is survived by a sister Mary Dorothy Mooney and her husband Harry of Ocala, nieces Sharon Mooney Hughes of Wilmington, NC, Barbara Jean Fritz of Wellsburg, WV, nephews Dr. William P. Mooney of Castle Rock, CO, George Robinson of Detroit, MI, two great nieces, one great nephew, two great great nieces, and one great great nephew. She was preceded in death by her husband George D. Griffiths and two brothers John and George Robinson. There will be a service at 11:00 a.m. at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel, 5050 S.W. 20th Street, Ocala, on Tuesday, October 2, 2007. Visitation will be one hour prior to services. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/1/2007.

1047. MARTIN, MARVIN R., (Obituary No. 1047.) 79 Ocala - Marvin R. Martin Sr., born May 27, 1928, went to be with the Lord on Sunday September 23rd, 2007 at the age of 79. "Docky", as he was known to friends and family, was born and raised in Ocala, Florida. He joined the United States Navy in 1947 and proudly served his country for over 23 years, voluntarily spending the last 18 months of his career in Vietnam. Docky married the love of his life, Betty J. Morgan of Glen Rogers, West Virginia in 1955 and together they traveled life's journey raising three children along the way. He humbly led and mentored his family through all of life's many trials and challenges and his life lessons will be long remembered. Docky was a devoted husband and loving father and grandfather, totally selfless, truly touching the heart of everyone who knew him. Docky is and will continue to be a "Lighthouse" in our journey through life. Docky is survived by his brother Edward David Martin and his sister Mary Louise Willis, as well as his three children and five grandchildren: Son Marvin Martin Jr. and his wife Jenne, son Edward Martin and wife Kathie, daughter Cynthia Sabzevari and husband Mohammad. Docky's grandchildren include Michael, Marika and Melissa Martin and Nicholas and Adam Sabzevari. Docky was preceded in death by his brother Harold Jr., and Betty, his wife of 51 years. Docky was a sailor at heart, a kind and gentle person and a blessing to all who knew him. He will be dearly missed. SERVICES: Will be 10:45 am at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio, Texas. The family has requested donations to the American Cancer Society in lieu of flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1048. MOONEY, JR., ROY, (Obituary No. 1048.) 81 Summerfield - Roy Mooney, Jr., 81, of Summerfield, died Sept. 25, 2007 at Lake City VA Medical Center. He was born in Hardy, KY and moved to this area from Virginia in 1982. He was a member of First Assembly of God, Belleview, VFW, DAV, American Legion, UAW, and United Mine Workers of America. Mr. Mooney was a retired automotive assembly line worker for General Motors and a retired coal miner. He was a veteran of WW II serving in the United States Army in occupied Japan. Mr. Mooney is survived by his wife of 61 years, Hester Mooney, Summerfield; daughters, Lavena Mooney, Saline, MI, Brenda Pettis Gaylord, MI, and Gabrielle Bustin, Ocala; 7 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, October 2, 2007
at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 S.E. Robinson Road, Belleview, with Pastor T. Carl Thompson officiating. Visitation will be from 6-8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/1/2007.

**1049. OVERLY, SHARON(Obituary No. 1049.)**, 76 Salt Springs - Sharon Overly, 76, passed away on Friday, Sept. 28, 2007 at Oakhurst Nursing and Rehab Center in Ocala. A native of Fort Wayne, IN she came here 23 years ago from Miami, FL. Mrs. Overly was a retired accountant for Eastern Airlines and since moving to Salt Springs, she has been very active in her community. She has been the Treasurer of the Salt Spgs Civic Assoc., secretary of Eastern Airlines Retiree Assoc., and a member of VFW Anxilliary #1028, Salt Springs. Sharon enjoyed also her volunteer work. She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Herbert Overly, Salt Spgs.; son Terry Overly of Melbourne; daughter Tracey Trias of Silver Spgs; son Tim Overly of St. Leonard, MD; son Tom Overly of Palm Coast and son Tab Overly of Salt Springs; sister Carol Mericle of Salkum, Wash.; 17 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Tues., Oct. 2, 2007 at Salt Springs Christian Church at 10:30 AM with Pastor Walter Miller officiating. Family will receive friends at 9:30 until service time. Interment Private. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/1/2007 - 10/2/2007.

**1050. PACHECO, ENRIQUE ARIMIS, (Obituary No. 1050.)** 64 Ocala - Enrique Pacheco, 64, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wed., Sept. 26, 2007 in Los Angeles, CA. A native of Caquas, Puerto Rico, he relocated to Ocala in 1981. He will be lovingly remembered by his wife, Joan and children: Tony, Lena, Hank, Shawn, and Naomi, sister Annie, grandchildren and of course his pet and best friend, "Patches". Henry will always be known as a man who lived life to the fullest and found his true happiness by sharing his love of music and laughter with all. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East on Tuesday, Oct. 2nd from 1-4 & 6-9 p.m. Services will be celebrated on Wednesday, Oct. 3, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at Church of Jesus Christ of LDS at 12975 S.E. 55th N.E. Ave. Road. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/1/2007.

**1051. YEARTY, SR., DANIEL M., (Obituary No. 1051.)** 69 Ocala - Daniel M. Yearty, Sr. passed away Friday, Sept. 28, 2007 of cancer. Dan was born January 1, 1938 in Lumber City, GA. On November 17, 1957, he married Virginia Burrus. They resided for several years in Lake Worth before moving to Loxahatchee Groves where they were one of the early residents. They remained in Loxahatchee 34 years until they retired to Ocala in 2006. Dan worked for Murphy Construction Co. as a crane and bulldozer operator for 12 years. While with Murphy, he built sea-walls, bridges, and the lochs at Lake Okeechobee and many other major structures in the Palm Beach County area. He then went into business for himself, building many of the house pads and ponds in the surrounding area of Loxahatchee. One of Dan's great loves were his barrel horses and cutting horses. He enjoyed everything that had to do with the outdoors. His sense of humor and quick wit will be missed by all who knew him. He is survived by his wife of almost 50 years, Virginia, sons Daniel, Jr. (Mindy), Loxahatchee, Dale (CJ), Ocala, daughter Valerie (Mark) Robinson, Ocala, grandsons Markie, Cody, granddaughter Brooks, Tiffany, and Dale Christian, Ocala, sister Adean Worsham, Ocala, and Jenny Dilley, Arkansas. Dan was preceded in death by his parents, five siblings and granddaughter Brittany Nicole. Funeral services and visitation will be Tuesday, October 2, 2007 at 3:00 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 S.E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/1/2007.

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1052. DALTON, ALAN (Obituary No. 1052.) 47 Chelsea, MI - Alan Dalton, 47, passed away Saturday, September 22, 2007. Alan was born October 30, 1959 in Detroit, Michigan the son of William and Jessica (Isrow) Dalton. He had lived in the Chelsea area most of his life, graduating from Chelsea High School in 1977. He was an excellent carpenter, and owned Dalton Construction Company in Chelsea. AL enjoyed fishing, hunting, boating, and golf. He was a member of the North Lake United Methodist Church, as well as the Inverness Country Club. On July 24, 1982 he married Pamela A. Stephens, and she survives along with their child Cody, his father William (Betty) Dalton of Ocala, FL and his Mother Jessica (James) Baughn of Milan, two brothers Scott Dalton of Marysville, MI and Eric (Janette) Dalton of Saline, several nieces and nephews, cousins, as well as many good friends and neighbors. He was preceded in death by one brother Mark Dalton, and his grandparents. A memorial Service will be held on Saturday, October 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. from the STAFFAN-MITCHELL FUNERAL HOME, with Rev. Alice Sheffield officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Cody Dalton Educational Fund or the North Lake United Methodist Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/2/2007 - 10/3/2007.

1053. GRANT, FRIEDA DOLORES, (Obituary No. 1053.) 79 Ocala - Frieda Dolores Grant, 79, passed away on Monday, October 1, 2007. Born in Miami, FL she had made Ocala her home since 1943 moving from Daytona, FL. She worked as a retail clerk for 55 years for Sears in Ocala, FL. She was a member of Kendrick Baptist Church and she also enjoyed fishing and yard work. She was preceded in death by husband, Fred S. Jennings and son, Terry E. Jennings, Survivors include; one son Larry S. Jennings and his wife Karen, three Step-children, Joann, Paul and Loonis, a brother , John Rawlins and a sister Gloria Hartwell, all of Ocala, FL. Four Grandchildren, Tammy, Kim, Chris and Robynne, seven Great Grandchildren. Services will be held on Wednesday, October 3, 2007 at 1 PM family will receive friends one hour prior to services. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL. 34470 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/2/2007 - 10/3/2007.

1054. HERSHEY, ROBERT LINCOLN, (Obituary No. 1054.) 77 Ocala - Robert Lincoln Hershey, 77, October 17, 1929 - September 27, 2007. Surrounded by his caring daughters, Lynda (Eric) Spalding, Knoxville, Tina (Joe) Katsarsky, Syracuse and Karen (Jorge) Morrell, Tampa, Bob joined his loving wife of 50 years, Jane Siebert Hershey. He is survived by his brothers, Ken (Su) Hershey, Penfield, Alan (Sue Fabrizi) Hershey, Victor, sister-in-law, Betty Libera, Florida, brother-in-law, Bob (Leslie) Karpp, Massachusetts, six nieces, nine nephews, six grandchildren, Rob, Julie, Kristen, Alex, Lindsey, Ben. Originally from Brighton, NY, son of the late Donald and Gladys Hershey, Bob was a Harley School graduate and attended Syracuse University. Bob and Jane enjoyed Penfield, NY for 40 years, retiring in Ocala Palms, FL for the past 10 years with time spent at Conesus Lake, NY. A sales engineer for 40 years, he worked for Knight Paving Co., Koppers Co., Western Bituminous Products and Valley Sand & Gravel. Bob was Sergeant First Class, US Army. He was also active Boy Scout leader, loyal member of: American Legion Old Guard, Masonic Lodge, Rochester Engineering Society, Brighton Presbyterian Church and Republican Committees of Penfield, Marion County and Ocala Palms. He served as Penfield Bailiff. "Country Bob" will long be remembered for his country music passion, love of golf and fascination with collections. Services held at Browncroft Community Church. 1:00 p.m., Saturday, October 6. Contributions may be made to The American Legion, or Boy Scouts of America. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/2/2007 - 10/3/2007.

1055. MARTIN, MARVIN R., (Obituary No. 1055.) 79 Ocala - Marvin R. Martin Sr., born May 27, 1928, went to be with the Lord on Sunday September 23rd, 2007 at the age of 79.
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1056. NORCROSS, JR., CHRISTOPHER H., (Obituary No. 1056.) 85, Belleview - Christopher H. Norcross, Jr., 85, of Belleview, died at his residence September 30, 2007. Mr. Norcross was a retired car dealership manager, and was known as "Gasman" or Mr. N at Belleview Bottled Gas. He joined the Civilian Conservation Corps and then served in the United States Army during WWII. He assisted the Shriners and was a charter member of VFW Post 9521. Mr. Norcross is survived by his wife, Veronica Norcross, Belleview; sons, Christopher Norcross, Charleston, WV, Mike Norcross, Summerfield, FL, James Norcross, Sevierville, TN; daughter, Sharon Norcross, Sevierville, TN; sister, Phyllis Stueber, North New Portland, ME; 25 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be at 10 AM, Thursday, October 4, 2007 at the family residence. Visitation will be Wednesday from 6 - 8 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/2/2007 - 10/3/2007.

1057. OVERLY, SHARON(Obituary No. 1057.) 76 Salt Springs - Sharon Overly, 76, passed away on Friday, Sept. 28, 2007 at Oakhurst Nursing and Rehab Center in Ocala. A native of Fort Wayne, IN she came here 23 years ago from Miami, FL. Mrs. Overly was a retired accountant for Eastern Airlines and since moving to Salt Springs, she has been very active in her community. She has been the Treasurer of the Salt Spgs Civic Assoc., secretary of Eastern Airlines Retiree Assoc., and a member of VFW Anxilliary #1028, Salt Springs. Sharon enjoyed also her volunteer work. She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Herbert Overly, Salt Spgs.; son Terry Overly of Melbourne; daughter Tracey Trias of Silver Spgs; son Tim Overly of St. Leonard, MD; son Tom Overly of Palm Coast and son Tab Overly of Salt Springs; sister Carol Mericle of Salkum, Wash.; 17 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Tues., Oct. 2, 2007 at Salt Springs Christian Church at 10:30 AM with Pastor Walter Miller officiating. Family will receive friends at 9:30 until service time. Interment Private. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/1/2007 - 10/2/2007.

1058. PETTA, JOAN GLORIA, (Obituary No. 1058.) 82 Ocala - Joan Gloria Petta, 82, passed away on September 29, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. Born in Canton, Ohio, she resided in New York, Houston, TX and Clearwater, FL before calling Ocala home in 1980. She was a member of Temple B’Nai Darom, Ocala. She enjoyed cooking, bird watching, bingo,
and was an avid animal lover. She is survived by her son, Vincent Petta of Ocala, daughter, Rochelle Powtong of Bangkok, Thailand, sister, Dolores Gordon of Bronx, NY, 3 grandchildren, Joy, Bee, and Sue and a great-grandson, Jamie. Graveside services will be held on Friday, October 5 at 1 p.m. at good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel with visitation one half-hour prior to. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. 


1059. WILSON, LOIS JEAN BAUERNFEIND, (Obituary No. 1059.) 73 Richfield, NC - Lois Jean Bauernfeind Wilson of 130 West Church St, Richfield, formerly of Charlotte and Carbondale, Il., died at 2:25 AM, on Sunday, September 30, 2007 at Stanly Regional Medical Center in Albemarle, NC. She was born on Thursday, May 10, 1934, in Pittsburgh, PA. She was a member of First Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, NC. Co-Owner of TRS Building Products, Co-founder and Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Carolinas Aviation Museum, Former First Lady of Richfield, Director of the Charlotte Apartment Association, Assistant Director of Charlotte Homebuilders Association, Secretary of the Charlotte Chapter of the Air Force Association, and Secretary of the Carolinas Wing of the Confederate Air Force. The family will meet at the home. She is survived by: Husband-Floyd Swinton Wilson of The home, Daughter-Lynn Peithman Stock and husband Stephen of Ocala, Fla. Step daughter-Tammy Wilson Myers and husband Kevin of Gold Hill, N.C. Step daughter-Cindy Wilson Eury and husband Jeff of Little River, S.C. Step son-Bobby Wilson and wife Teresa of Marietta, Ga. Step son-Ronald Dinges and wife Darlene of Rockwell, N.C. Grandson-Michael Stock of Ocala, Fla. Step Grandchildren-9. She was preceded in Death by: 1st husband-Russell Peithman. Father-Harry Benjamin Bauernfeind. Mother-Georgianna Hoover Bauernfeind. Brother-John Bauernfeind. Visitation will be at Hartsell Funeral Home - Albemarle on Tuesday, October 2, 2007 from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM. Service will be held at First Presbyterian Church of Charlotte at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Carolinas Aviation Museum, 4108 Minuteman Way, Charlotte, NC 28208. Services performed under the direction of HARTSELL FUNERAL HOME - Albemarle. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/2/2007 - 10/3/2007.

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1060. BEECHEL, ELIZABETH(Obituary No. 1060.) , 83 Ocala - Elizabeth Beechel, 83, was born Sept. 25, 1924 - NY, NY and died Oct. 1, 2007. Wife of Felix C. Beechel June 9, 1926 - Sept. 25, 1955. Mother of 6 children, the late Patricia Torri, Philip, William and James Beechel, JoAnn Stokes, Darlene Craig. She is the grandmother of 13, great grandmother of 17 children. Through the grace of God may she be guided into the life beyond our world and reunite with loved ones whom have passed on before her. We all love you and will miss you. Visitation will be held on Thursday October 4, 2007, 1 - 4 p.m., with services at 4 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave. Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, we would like you to make a donation to The Immaculate Heart of Mary on Maricamp Road or Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/3/2007 - 10/4/2007.

1061. BUSS, HELEN G., (Obituary No. 1061.) 85 Ocala - Helen G. Buss, 85, passed away September 29, 2007 at her home. Born in Albion, Nebraska, she came to this area in 1990 from Ann Arbor, MI where she resided for 50 years. She was a retired administrative assistant to the Vice President of a pharmaceutical company. She is survived by her husband of 59 years, Milton E. Buss; son, James M. Buss of New York City, NY; daughter, Mary A. Buss of Ocala. She was preceded in death by her daughter, Judith Ann Litzner and 4 siblings. The family will receive
friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6241 SW SR 200, Ocala 854-2266) on Wednesday (Oct. 3rd) from 3-5 PM. The Funeral Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church (6455 SW SR 200, Ocala) on Thursday (Oct. 4th) at 8:30 AM. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, to be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/3/2007 - 10/4/2007.

1062. DALTON, ALAN (Obituary No. 1062.) 47 Chelsea, MI - Alan Dalton, 47, passed away Saturday, September 22, 2007. Alan was born October 30, 1959 in Detroit, Michigan the son of William and Jessica (Isrow) Dalton. He had lived in the Chelsea area most of his life, graduating from Chelsea High School in 1977. He was an excellent carpenter, and owned Dalton Construction Company in Chelsea. Al enjoyed fishing, hunting, boating, and golf. He was a member of the North Lake United Methodist Church, as well as the Inverness Country Club. On July 24, 1982 he married Pamela A. Stephens, and she survives along with their child Cody, his father William (Betty) Dalton of Ocala, FL and his Mother Jessica (James) Baughn of Milan, two brothers Scott Dalton of Marysville, MI and Eric (Janette) Dalton of Saline, several nieces and nephews, cousins, as well as many good friends and neighbors. He was preceded in death by one brother Mark Dalton, and his grandparents. A memorial Service will be held on Saturday, October 20, 2007 at 11 a.m. from the STAFFAN-MITCHELL FUNERAL HOME, with Rev. Alice Sheffield officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Cody Dalton Educational Fund or the North Lake United Methodist Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/2/2007 - 10/3/2007.

1063. GRANT, FRIEDA DOLORES, (Obituary No. 1063.) 79 Ocala - Frieda Dolores Grant, 79, passed away on Monday, October 1, 2007. Born in Miami, FL she had made Ocala her home since 1943 moving from Daytona, FL.. She worked as a retail clerk for 55 years for Sears in Ocala, FL. She was a member of Kendrick Baptist Church and she also enjoyed fishing and yard work. She was preceded in death by husband, Fred S. Jennings and son, Terry E. Jennings, Survivors include; one son Larry S. Jennings and his wife Karen, three Step-children, Joann, Paul and Loonis, a brother , John Rawlins and a sister Gloria Hartwell, all of Ocala, FL. Four Grandchildren, Tammy, Kim, Chris and Robynne, seven Great Grandchildren. Services will be held on Wednesday, October 3, 2007 at 1 PM family will receive friends one hour prior to services. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL. 34470 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/2/2007 - 10/3/2007.

1064. HERSHEY, ROBERT LINCOLN, (Obituary No. 1064.) 77 Ocala - Robert Lincoln Hershey, 77, October 17, 1929 - September 27, 2007. Surrounded by his caring daughters, Lynda (Eric) Spalding, Knoxville, Tina (Joe) Katsarsky, Syracuse and Karen (Jorge) Morrell, Tampa, Bob joined his loving wife of 50 years, Jane Siebert Hershey. He is survived by his brothers, Ken (Su) Hershey, Penfield, Alan (Sue Fabrizi) Hershey, Victor, sister-in-law, Betty Libera, Florida, brother-in-law, Bob (Leslie) Karpp, Massachusetts, six nieces, nine nephews, six grandchildren, Rob, Julie, Kristen, Alex, Lindsey, Ben. Originally from Brighton, NY, son of the late Donald and Gladys Hershey, Bob was a Harley School graduate and attended Syracuse University. Bob and Jane enjoyed Penfield, NY for 40 years, retiring in Ocala Palms, FL for the past 10 years with time spent at Conesus Lake, NY. A sales engineer for 40 years, he worked for Knight Paving Co., Koppers Co., Western Bituminous Products and Valley Sand & Gravel. Bob was Sergeant First Class, US Army. He was also active Boy Scout leader, loyal member of: American Legion Old Guard, Masonic Lodge, Rochester Engineering Society, Brighton Presbyterian Church and Republican Committees of Penfield, Marion County and Ocala Palms. He served as Penfield Bailiff. "Country Bob" will long be remembered for his country music
passion, love of golf and fascination with collections. Services held at Browncroft Community Church, 1:00 p.m., Saturday, October 6. Contributions may be made to The American Legion, or Boy Scouts of America. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/2/2007 - 10/3/2007.

**1065. MALE, BRITA L., (Obituary No. 1065.)** 76 Schenectady - Brita L. Male, 76, of Schenectady passed away peacefully at home, Saturday Sept 29, 2007 at Kingsway Village. Born in Harrison, NY on Dec. 21, 1930 she was the daughter of Robert and Bertha Olson. Brita married her true soul mate, Kenneth J. Male on Dec. 26, 1970. She was educated in Harrison, NY and attended Potsdam State Teachers College. As a child she posed with her mother for Norman Rockwell, which was published in the Saturday Evening Post on December 18, 1937, to illustrate "Joanna's Christmas Star". During High School she was active in singing and with choir groups and could be counted on to lead everyone and anyone in song whenever music was played. Brita sang on WGY Radio and with Gary Stevens, a local band. Brita spent her younger years working for NBC, as a tour guide, in New York City. She moved to the Schenectady area in 1960, and went to work as a realtor and broker for Welbourne and Purdy. She was a member of Niskayuna Reformed Church. Brita, along with her husband, formalized and ran the biannual 356th Fighter Group reunions of the WWII Army Air Corps. She was an avid golfer, belonging to Mohawk Golf Club, Niskayuna, NY, Silver Springs Shores and Golden Hills in Ocala, FL.

Mrs. Male is survived by her husband Kenneth J. Male; 2 sons, Gregg Mayfield, Buffalo, NY and Mark (Peggy) Mayfield, Upton, MA; a daughter, Siri (Louis) Pardi, Niskayuna, NY; a stepson, Paul Male, Saratoga Springs, NY; stepdaughters Debbie Rock, Troy, NY and Rebecca (Ken) Ellsworth, Binghamton, NY; 13 step-grandchildren and several great-grandchildren; and best friends, Robert and Sally Connor. She was preceded in death by her stepdaughter Donna Barrows. Funeral services will be held Thursday Oct. 4, 2007 at 11:00am at Niskayuna Reformed Church (3041 Troy Schenectady Rd.) with Rev. Scott DeBlock officiating. Interment will be in Niskayuna Reformed Church Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Niskayuna Reformed Church, 3041 Troy-Schenectady Rd., Niskayuna, NY 12309 or the charity of one's choice. Services are under the direction of Griswold Funeral Home, Schenectady, NY. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/3/2007 - 10/4/2007.

**1066. MARTIN, MARVIN R., (Obituary No. 1066.)** 79 Ocala - Marvin R. Martin Sr., born May 27, 1928, went to be with the Lord on Sunday September 23rd, 2007 at the age of 79. "Docky", as he was known to friends and family, was born and raised in Ocala, Florida. He joined the United States Navy in 1947 and proudly served his country for over 23 years, voluntarily spending the last 18 months of his career in Vietnam. Docky married the love of his life, Betty J. Morgan of Glen Rogers, West Virginia in 1955 and together they traveled life's journey raising three children along the way. He humbly led and mentored his family through all of life's many trials and challenges and his life lessons will be long remembered. Docky was a devoted husband and loving father and grandfather, totally selfless, truly touching the heart of everyone who knew him. Docky is and will continue to be a "Lighthouse" in our journey through life. Docky is survived by his brother Edward David Martin and his sister Mary Louise Willis, as well as his three children and five grandchildren: Son Marvin Martin Jr. and his wife Jenne, son Edward Martin and wife Kathie, daughter Cynthia Sabzevari and husband Mohammad. Docky's grandchildren include Michael, Marika and Melissa Sabzevari and Nicholas and Adam Sabzevari. Docky was preceded in death by his brother Harold Jr., and Betty, his wife of 51 years. Docky was a sailor at heart, a kind and gentle person and a blessing to all who knew him. He will be dearly missed. SERVICES: Will be 10:45 am at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery in San
Antonio, Texas. The family has requested donations to the American Cancer Society in lieu of flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1067. MAUTNER, RUBY HAMPTON ROJAHN, (Obituary No. 1067.) 92 Ocala - Ruby Hampton Rojahn Mautner, 92, a resident of Spanish Oaks Mobile Home Village in northeast Ocala, left this world from Sylvia's Hospice House on Monday, October 1, 2007. Born right here in Marion County, Ruby was the second-born of five Hamptons; two boys and three girls. She worked hard most of her life, and was second to none when it came to care and compassion for family, friends, and of course her husband, Howard. He survives, as do her daughter, Virginia Tarver-Eck of Andalusia, AL, sisters, Ida Fisher of Palatka and Frances Peebles of Ocala, granddaughter, Lisa Strickland of Laurel Hill, FL and several other grandchildren. Services for Mrs. Mautner will be held on Thursday, October 4, 2007 at 2pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, with Rev. Warren Thompson officiating. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Visitation will also be held on Thursday from 1-2pm. Anyone wishing to materially remember her may do so by contributing to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/3/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1068. NORCROSS, JR., CHRISTOPHER H., (Obituary No. 1068.) 85, Belleview - Christopher H. Norcross, Jr., 85, of Belleview, died at his residence September 30, 2007. Mr. Norcross was a retired car dealership manager, and was known as “Gasman” or Mr. N at Belleview Bottled Gas. He joined the Civilian Conservation Corps and then served in the United States Army during WWII. He assisted the Shriners and was a charter member of VFW Post 9521. Mr. Norcross is survived by his wife, Veronica Norcross, Belleview; sons, Christopher Norcross, Charlestown, WV, Mike Norcross, Summerfield, FL, James Norcross, Sevierville, TN; daughter, Sharon Norcross, Sevierville, TN; sister, Phyllis Stueber, North New Portland, ME; 25 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be at 10 AM, Thursday, October 4, 2007 at the family residence. Visitation will be Wednesday from 6 - 8 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/2/2007 - 10/3/2007.

1069. PETTA, JOAN GLORIA, (Obituary No. 1069.) 82 Ocala - Joan Gloria Petta, 82, passed away on September 29, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. Born in Canton, Ohio, she resided in New York, Houston, TX and Clearwater, FL before calling Ocala home in 1980. She was a member of Temple B’Nai Darom, Ocala. She enjoyed cooking, bird watching, bingo, and was an avid animal lover. She is survived by her son, Vincent Petta of Ocala, daughter, Rochelle Powtong of Bangkok, Thailand, sister, Dolores Gordon of Bronx, NY, 3 grandchildren, Joy, Bee, and Sue and a great-grandson, Jamie. Graveside services will be held on Friday, October 5 at 1 p.m. at good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel with visitation one half-hour prior to. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/2/2007 - 10/3/2007.

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1072. BENNET, FRANK H., (Obituary No. 1072.) 80 Ocala - Frank H. Bennet, 80, of Ocala, Fl. passed away on Sunday, September 30, 2007, at his home after a 3-month battle with cancer. Mr. Bennet a native of Lubec, Maine, born on October 3, 1926 to the late Dr. DaCosta Bennet, MD and Julletta Bennet Mr. Bennet was a field representative of Getty Oil Company, he served In the US. Navy during WWII, was a past master of the Washington Lodge AF&AM in Lubec, member of the Anah Shrine In Bangor, and a member of the United Congregational Church of Ocala. Mr. Bennet formally of Hooksett, New Hampshire moved to Ocala In 1994. Mr. Bennet Is survived by his wife Evelyn, of 59 years, son David of Rotunda. FL. and a daughter Debra Clapp of Ottsville, PA, 5 grandchildren and several great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his daughter, Barbara Anne Bennet (1983). Memorials may be made to the Shrine's Hospital for Children at Anah Shrine Temple, 586 Main Street, Bangor, Maine 04401. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXTEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/4/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1073. BONNETT, RICHARD CLAY, (Obituary No. 1073.) 93 Summerfield - Richard Clay Bonnett, 93, passed away October 2nd at his home. born in Akron, Ohio, he and his late wife Evelyn Radanof came to this area in 1990 from Kimbolton, Ohio. Mr. Bonnett was a retired Senior Account Agent for Allstate Insurance. He began his military career in the Ohio National Guard as a member of the Calvary. He was an Army Veteran of WWII and serviced in the 687th Ordnance Ammunition Unit in Italy from 1942 until the end of the war. Following the war, he completed his college degree in business at Akron University. he was a 32nd degree mason and member of the Freeport Lodge #415, Ohio, Scottish Rite Valley of Cambridge, Ohio and the
Morocco Shrine in Jacksonville, FL. He was also in the Eastern Star, Freeport, Ohio #319. An accomplished concert violinist, he played in the Doctor's Orchestra in Akron and Central Florida Symphony in Ocala. He was a member of the American Quarter Horse Assoc. and the Turf Club. He was married to Evelyn Mae Radanof for 65 years who died in 2001. Survivors include his sons, Thomas R. Bonnett of Baltimore, MD and William C. Bonnett of Sterling, OH; sister, Marjorie B. Saffel of Spring Hill, FL; 7 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Friday (Oct. 5th) from 1-4 PM with funeral services to follow at 4 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County P O Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/4/2007 - 10/5/2007.

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1075. DUSANG, JR., LOUIS V., (Obituary No. 1075.) 67, Ocala - Mr. Louis V "Mudbug" Dusang Jr., 67, of Ocala, passed away October 2, 2007 at Hospice's Legacy House. Born in New Orleans, LA, he came to this area in 1957 from Chicago. He was a horseman and a Catholic by faith. He is survived by his son, Michael A, Dusang of Ocala; daughter, Kelly Sailer of Williston, FL; siblings, Melvin, Penny, Joseph, Delores and Bobby; grandchildren, Alanna Dusang, Christine E. Dusang and Sandra Nichole Sailor. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, Legacy House PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/4/2007 - 10/5/2007.

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1079. MURPHY, SAMUEL TOLBERT, (Obituary No. 1079.) 61 Ocala - Samuel Tolbert Murphy, 61, passed away on Friday, September 28, 2007. He was born on October 6, 1945 in Petersburg, Virginia, and grew up in Lakeland and Bartow, Florida. He was a resident of Ocala for the past 19 years. Sam was a retired corrugated packaging salesman and was an avid aviation enthusiast. He was an active member of the Experimental Aircraft Association and the Ocala
Flying Model Club, and was a licensed amateur radio operator. Sam was a Mason and a member
of the Episcopal Church. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Cheryl Glasscock Murphy, of
Ocala; his daughter, Melody Murphy, of Ocala; his mother, Mae Murphy Owens; of Bartow; and
many friends and family members. A public memorial service will be held on Saturday, October
6 at 12:30 p.m. at the OFMC airfield, 1020 SE 110th Street, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-

1080. PRYOR, CHRISTOPHER JAMES, (Obituary No. 1080.) 32, Ocala - Mr. Christopher
J. Pryor, 32, passed away on September 29, 2007 at his home. A resident of Ocala, he moved
here from Rossford, OH in 2006. While Living here in Ocala, he worked as a truck driver. He
was an avid NASCAR fan. While living in Ohio he even organized trips from Ohio to Talladega
Motor Speedway. In his youth, he enjoyed swimming competitively in New York. He was a
loving father to his daughter Calelgh. He is also survived by his parents Anthony and Carole
Pryor of Summerfield; wife Lori Pryor of Belleview; sister Laurie Pryor of Ocala; aunt Linda
Simes of New York; uncle Walter Pryor of Hollywood, FL; and numerous friends. A memorial
service will be held at 11 am on Friday, October 5, 2007 at St. John Lutheran Church In
Summerfield, 10495 SE Sunset Harbor Rd, with Pastor Dave Connell officiating. A visitation
will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Thursday, October 4, and from 9-10 am on Friday, October 5,
2007 at HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview.

1081. SIGMON, JOSEPH MONROE, (Obituary No. 1081.) 45 Alaska - Joseph Monroe
Sigmon, age 45, passed away Tuesday, September 25, 2007 at Providence Anchorage Medical
Center from injuries sustained in a plane crash at Mystic Lake, Alaska. A Celebration of Life
will be held Sunday, October 7th at 2:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road,
Ocala, Florida with Mr. Dan Andrews officiating. Casual attire is appropriate as we gather to
celebrate his life and share memories. Joe was born on April 23, 1962 in Ocala, FL. Joe grew up
here and attended Forest High School and Central Florida Community College in Ocala. He
moved to Alaska in 1993 and resided in Fairbanks. Joe was employed with Arctic Circle Air in
Fairbanks. Joe had an avid love of flying, the outdoors and building construction. His family
said," Joe will always be remembered as a loving and devoted family man. He lived his life to
the fullest; and was a wonderful father, brother, uncle, friend, and son." Joe is survived by his
loving wife, Isobel Sigmon of Fairbanks; son, Trustin Sigmon of Fairbanks; father, Joe Sigmon,
Sr. of Ocala, FL; brother, Todd Sigmon of Keystone Heights, FL; sister, Kristi Lovell of Ocala,
FL; and numerous nieces and nephews. Joe is preceded in death by his mother Jane Sigmon. In
lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Trustin's college fund. Please send
donations to: Joseph M. Sigmon Memorial Fund, c/o Wells Fargo Bank, 794 University Ave.

1082. WRIGHT, ANNA J., (Obituary No. 1082.) 90, Ocala - Mrs. Anna J. Wright, 90, of
Pittston, PA, formerly of Ocala, died Saturday, September 29, 2007 on Wilkes Barre, PA. Born
in Baltimore, MD, she was a Charter Member and Deacon of Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian
Church; Past President, Choir Member and Life Member of the Presbyterian Women; A Member
of the Order of the Eastern Star since 1942 in the Alpha Charter #1 and Henry Brecht Chapter
#43 in Baltimore, MD. She is survived by her daughter, Carole A. Broehl of Dallas, PA; son,
William D. Wright of GlenAllen, VA; bother, Frank E. Kuska of Columbus, NE; 5 grandchildren
and 6 great grandchildren; 2 nieces and 4 nephews. A Graveside Service will be held at Forest
Lawn Memory Gardens 5740 S. Pine Ave. Ocala, on Saturday October, 6, at 1:30 p.m. followed
by a Memorial Service at Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church 674 Silver Road, Ocala, FL,
34472 at 3 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family request that memorial contributions be made to the Church. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2, Ave, Ocala 622-4141 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/4/2007 - 10/5/2007.

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1083. ALLIE, GERALD F., (Obituary No. 1083.) 79 Ocala - Gerald F. Allie, 79, passed away on October 3, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. He was born and raised in Kankakee, Illinois. He served in the Navy for 6 years during WWII and the Korean conflict on 2 heavy cruisers, the U.S.S. Los Angeles and the U.S.S. St. Paul, attaining the rank of Petty Officer 2/C. He married Geraldine Andrews in 1952. They resided in Bourbonnais, Illinois and retired to Ocala Florida in 1996. He retired from David Bradley Roper Outdoor Products after 45 years of service. Many will remember him as "Top Cat" or "TC". He was an integral part of the organization from warehousing, machine shop, sales and retired as the National Service Manager. He enjoyed dancing, bowling, golfing and building wooden-model tall ships. He was a member of the VFW and the American Legion. He touched the lives of many and in our ring of life, he was truly a gem. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Geraldine and his children, Kathy Geary, David Allie, Glen Allie, Larry Allie, Kim Benton, and 8 grandchildren. He is also survived by one sister, Eva Dupuis of Bourbonnais, Illinois, one brother, Ray Allie of Albuquerque, New Mexico and numerous nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by 1 sister, a twin brother and 5 other brothers. Inurnment with military honors will take place on Friday, October 19, 2007, 12:30pm at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERIDGE, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/5/2007 - 10/6/2007.

1084. BARNARD, ANTHONY(Obituary No. 1084.) 77 Ocala - Anthony Christian Barnard died October 1, 2007. He was 77. Born in Cape Town, South Africa, Anthony earned the nickname "Wizard of Zambia" in his 20's for an unprecedented winning streak in Zambia and throughout Southern Continental Africa. He moved with his family to the US in 1966 and settled in Ocala in 1970, where he worked as a farm manager at Bourbon Hills, Tartan Farm and Ocala Stud Farm. His winners included Unbridled, who won the Kentucky Derby in 1990. In recent years, he served as a consultant to Robert Muir, who bred a number of winners, including South African Star Argonaut. He is survived by his sons; Graham Barnard of Los Angeles, CA and Malcolm Barnard of Bellevue, FL and their mother Margaret Barnard of Bellevue. He is predeceased by his second wife Jacqueline Mary Barnard (1997). A memorial service will be scheduled at a later date. Arrangements by HIERS BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/5/2007 - 10/6/2007.

1085. BENNET, FRANK H., (Obituary No. 1085.) 80 Ocala - Frank H. Bennet, 80, of Ocala, Fl. passed away on Sunday, September 30, 2007, at his home after a 3-month battle with cancer. Mr. Bennet a native of Lubec, Maine, born on October 3, 1926 to the late Dr. DaCosta Bennet, MD and Julletta Bennet Mr. Bennet was a field representative of Getty Oil Company, he served In the US. Navy during WWII, was a past master of the Washington Lodge AF&AM in Lubec, member of the Anah Shrine In Bangor, and a member of the United Congregational Church of Ocala. Mr. Bennet formally of Hooksett, New Hampshire moved to Ocala In 1994. Mr. Bennet Is survived by his wife Evelyn, of 59 years, son David of Rotunda, FL. and a daughter Debra Clapp of Ottsville, PA, 5 grandchildren and several great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his daughter, Barbara Anne Bennet (1983). Memorials may be made to the Shrine's Hospital for Children at Anah Shrine Temple, 586 Main Street, Bangor, Maine 04401. Arrangements by
1086. BONNETT, RICHARD CLAY, (Obituary No. 1086.) 93 Summerfield - Richard Clay Bonnett, 93, passed away October 2nd at his home. Born in Akron, Ohio, he and his late wife Evelyn Radanoff came to this area in 1990 from Kimbolton, Ohio. Mr. Bonnett was a retired Senior Account Agent for Allstate Insurance. He began his military career in the Ohio National Guard as a member of the Calvary. He was an Army Veteran of WWII and serviced in the 687th Ordnance Ammunition Unit in Italy from 1942 until the end of the war. Following the war, he completed his college degree in business at Akron University. He was a 32nd degree mason and member of the Freeport Lodge #415, Ohio, Scottish Rite Valley of Cambridge, Ohio and the Morocco Shrine in Jacksonville, FL. He was also in the Eastern Star, Freeport, Ohio #319. An accomplished concert violinist, he played in the Doctor's Orchestra in Akron and Central Florida Symphony in Ocala. He was a member of the American Quarter Horse Assoc. and the Turf Club. He was married to Evelyn Mae Radanoff for 65 years who died in 2001. Survivors include his sons, Thomas R. Bonnett of Baltimore, MD and William C. Bonnett of Sterling, OH; sister, Marjorie B. Saffel of Spring Hill, FL; 7 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Friday (Oct. 5th) from 1-4 PM with funeral services to follow at 4 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County P O Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/4/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1087. DUSANG, JR., LOUIS V., (Obituary No. 1087.) 67, Ocala - Mr. Louis V "Mudbug" Dusang Jr., 67, of Ocala, passed away October 2, 2007 at Hospice's Legacy House. Born in New Orleans, LA, he came to this area in 1957 from Chicago. He was a horseman and a Catholic by faith. He is survived by his son, Michael A, Dusang of Ocala; daughter, Kelly Sailer of Williston, FL; siblings, Melvin, Penny, Joseph, Delores and Bobby; grandchildren, Alanna Dusang, Christine E. Dusang and Sandra Nichole Sailor. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, Legacy House PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/4/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1088. FOSTER, EMMETT(Obituary No. 1088.), 77 Ocala - Mr. Emmett Foster, age 77, passed away on Monday October 1, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mr. Foster was a native of New York City, New York. He relocated to Ocala, Fl in 1984. He was a retired Occupational Therapist. Mr. Foster leaves to cherish his memories: A loving and Devoted wife: Mrs. June Jackson, Ocala, Fl., David Foster (Son) RiverHead, N.Y., Wanda Lopez (Daughter) Ocala, Fl., Melissa Foster (Granddaughter) RiverHead, N.Y., Ricardo Fernandez (Grandson) Ocala, Fl., Hattie Campbell (Sister) Brooklyn, N.Y., (Sister-In-Laws) Alice Edward, Albany, NY., Mable Copeland, Bay Shore, NY., Phyllis Patrick, Central Isip, NY., Sylvia Thomas, Patchogue, NY., Naomi Foster, Queens, NY. (Brother in Laws) Lorenzo Jackson, Philly, PA., Clayton Thomas, Patchogue, NY. (Devoted Friends) Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Matthews, Ocala, Fl. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other relatives. SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME "Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/5/2007 - 10/6/2007.

1089. MARTIN, MARVIN R., (Obituary No. 1089.) 79 Ocala - Marvin R. Martin Sr., born May 27, 1928, went to be with the Lord on Sunday September 23rd, 2007 at the age of 79. "Docky", as he was known to friends and family, was born and raised in Ocala, Florida. He joined the United States Navy in 1947 and proudly served his country for over 23 years, voluntarily spending the last 18 months of his career in Vietnam. Docky married the love of his
life, Betty J. Morgan of Glen Rogers, West Virginia in 1955 and together they traveled life's journey raising three children along the way. He humbly led and mentored his family through all of life's many trials and challenges and his life lessons will be long remembered. Docky was a devoted husband and loving father and grandfather, totally selfless, truly touching the heart of everyone who knew him. Docky is and will continue to be a "Lighthouse" in our journey through life. Docky is survived by his brother Edward David Martin and his sister Mary Louise Willis, as well as his three children and five grandchildren: Son Marvin Martin Jr. and his wife Jenne, son Edward Martin and wife Kathie, daughter Cynthia Sabzevari and husband Mohammad. Docky's grandchildren include Michael, Marika and Melissa Martin and Nicholas and Adam Sabzevari. Docky was preceded in death by his brother Harold Jr., and Betty, his wife of 51 years. Docky was a sailor at heart, a kind and gentle person and a blessing to all who knew him. He will be dearly missed. SERVICES: Will be 10:45 am at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio, Texas. The family has requested donations to the American Cancer Society in lieu of flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 9/30/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1090. MATLOCK, SUSAN J., (Obituary No. 1090.) 83 Ocala - Susan J. Matlock, 83, died Wednesday October 3, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. She was born September 5, 1924. She was a native of Dayton, Ohio and graduated from Fairview High School. She was Head Receptionist at NCR Company in Dayton and a homemaker. She lived with her husband Jim and two son's in Cincinnati, Ohio for 25 years before moving to Ocala, FL in 1979. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala, and member of Golden Hills Golf and Turf Club for 28 years, where she had served as President of the Ladies Golf Association. She is survived by her husband of 59 years James R. Matlock, sons Thomas P. Matlock of Cincinnati, Ohio, Jack J. Matlock of Ocala, FL, her brother Jack T. Paul of Dayton Ohio, granddaughter Meredith Matlock Delano and great grandson Andrew Delano of Bethesda, Maryland, granddaughter Holly Matlock of Nashville, Tennessee and grandsons Brian A. Matlock of Irvine, California, Tyler P. Matlock of Chicago, Illinois and Ross A. Matlock of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Memorial services will be held at 2 PM Saturday, October 6, 2007, at First United Methodist Church, with Rev. Donald Dial officiating. Memorial Contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/5/2007 - 10/6/2007.

1091. MAUTNER, RUBY HAMPTON ROJAHN, (Obituary No. 1091.) 92 Ocala - Ruby Hampton Rojahn Mautner, 92, a resident of Spanish Oaks Mobile Home Village in northeast Ocala, left this world from Sylvia's Hospice House on Monday, October 1, 2007. Born right here in Marion County, Ruby was the second-born of five Hamptons; two boys and three girls. She worked hard most of her life, and was second to none when it came to care and compassion for family, friends, and of course her husband, Howard. He survives, as do her daughter, Virginia Tarver-Eck of Andalusia, AL, sisters, Ida Fisher of Palatka and Frances Peebles of Ocala, granddaughter, Lisa Strickland of Laurel Hill, FL and several other grandchildren. Services for Mrs. Mautner will be held on Thursday, October 4, 2007 at 2pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, with Rev. Warren Thompson officiating. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Visitation will also be held on Thursday from 1-2pm. Anyone wishing to materially remember her may do so by contributing to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/3/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1092. MURPHY, SAMUEL TOLBERT, (Obituary No. 1092.) 61 Ocala - Samuel Tolbert Murphy, 61, passed away on Friday, September 28, 2007. He was born on October 6, 1945 in
Petersburg, Virginia, and grew up in Lakeland and Bartow, Florida. He was a resident of Ocala for the past 19 years. Sam was a retired corrugated packaging salesman and was an avid aviation enthusiast. He was an active member of the Experimental Aircraft Association and the Ocala Flying Model Club, and was a licensed amateur radio operator. Sam was a Mason and a member of the Episcopal Church. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Cheryl Glasscock Murphy, of Ocala; his daughter, Melody Murphy, of Ocala; his mother, Mae Murphy Owens, of Bartow; and many friends and family members. A public memorial service will be held on Saturday, October 6 at 12:30 p.m. at the OFMC airfield, 1020 SE 110th Street, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/4/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1093. PRYOR, CHRISTOPHER JAMES, (Obituary No. 1093.) 32, Ocala - Mr. Christopher J. Pryor, 32, passed away on September 29, 2007 at his home. A resident of Ocala, he moved here from Rossford, OH in 2006. While living here in Ocala, he worked as a truck driver. He was an avid NASCAR fan. While living in Ohio he even organized trips from Ohio to Talladega Motor Speedway. In his youth, he enjoyed swimming competitively in New York. He was a loving father to his daughter Calegh. He is also survived by his parents Anthony and Carole Pryor of Summerfield; wife Lori Pryor of Belleview; sister Laurie Pryor of Ocala; aunt Linda Simes of New York; uncle Walter Pryor of Hollywood, FL; and numerous friends. A memorial service will be held at 11 am on Friday, October 5, 2007 at St. John Lutheran Church in Summerfield, 10495 SE Sunset Harbor Rd, with Pastor Dave Connell officiating. A visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Thursday, October 4, and from 9-10 am on Friday, October 5, 2007 at HIERs-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/4/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1094. RAWLINS, III, TRUMAN "JIMMY", (Obituary No. 1094.) 55 Wildwood - Truman "Jimmy" Rawlins, III age 55, passed away Tuesday, October 2, 2007. He was a lifetime resident of Wildwood and an Engineer for CSX Railroad. Mr. Rawlins was a member of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and The Steinhatchee Anglers Assoc. He was an Episcopalian. He is survived by his wife Julie of Wildwood; 2 daughters: Kari Rawlins of Mississippi and Wendy Rawlins of Ocala; 1 son Chase Brittacher of Belleview; 1 brother Dennis and 1 sister Leslie Strickland both of Wildwood. Visitation will be Thursday, October 4, 2007 from 6:30-8:30 at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel. Services will be Friday, October 5, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel with Interment to follow at Greenwood Cemetery. On line condolence may be left at www.bankspagetheus.com. Arrangements provided by BANKS/PAGE-THEUS FUNERAL HOME, Wildwood, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/5/2007 - 10/6/2007.

1095. SIGMON, JOSEPH MONROE, (Obituary No. 1095.) 45 Alaska - Joseph Monroe Sigmon, age 45, passed away Tuesday, September 25, 2007 at Providence Anchorage Medical Center from injuries sustained in a plane crash at Mystic Lake, Alaska. A Celebration of Life will be held Sunday, October 7th at 2:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, Florida with Mr. Dan Andrews officiating. Casual attire is appropriate as we gather to celebrate his life and share memories. Joe was born on April 23, 1962 in Ocala. Joe grew up here and attended Forest High School and Central Florida Community College in Ocala. He moved to Alaska in 1993 and resided in Fairbanks. Joe was employed with Arctic Circle Air in Fairbanks. Joe had an avid love of flying, the outdoors and building construction. His family said," Joe will always be remembered as a loving and devoted family man. He lived his life to the fullest; and was a wonderful father, brother, uncle, friend, and son." Joe is survived by his loving wife, Isobel Sigmon of Fairbanks; son, Trustin Sigmon of Fairbanks; father, Joe Sigmon,
Sr. of Ocala, FL; brother, Todd Sigmon of Keystone Heights, FL; sister, Kristi Lovell of Ocala, FL; and numerous nieces and nephews. Joe is preceded in death by his mother Jane Sigmon. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Trustin’s college fund. Please send donations to: Joseph M. Sigmon Memorial Fund, c/o Wells Fargo Bank, 794 University Ave. Fairbanks, AK 99709. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/4/2007 - 10/5/2007.

1096. TYNAN, FRANCES D. NELSON BARRETT (Obituary No. 1096.), 86 Daytona Beach - Frances D. Nelson Barrett Tyman, 86, died in Daytona Beach October 3, 2007. She was born in Far Rockaway, New York on November 6, 1920 and moved to Summerfield from Baldwin, Long Island, NY in 1954. Mrs. Tynan attended Belleview United Methodist Church and First Baptist Church of Summerfield. She was a member of TOPS and volunteered at the Marion County Rape Crisis Center. She is survived by sons, Arvid (Linda) Nelson II, Middleburg, FL, Gregory Nelson, Redding, CA, Michael Tynan, Daytona Beach, and Mark (Jackie) Tynan, Summerfield; brother, Barry W. (Audrey) DeGroot, Inwood, NY; 5 grandchildren, Sabrina Nelson Mee, Arvid Nelson III, Caitlin Nelson, Raymond Tynan and Ashleigh Tynan, and 5 great-grandchildren, Sabrina Nelson, Stephanie Mee, Samantha Nelson, Elizabeth Mee and Salana Nelson. She was preceded in death by her husband Arvid Nelson, son, Eric Nelson and husband Howard Tynan. Funeral services for Mrs. Tynan will be held at noon, Saturday, October 6, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Contributions may be made to Hospice of Volusia County, 3800 Woodbriar Trail, Port Orange, FL 32129. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/5/2007 - 10/6/2007.

1097. WRIGHT, ANNA J., (Obituary No. 1097.) 90, Ocala - Mrs. Anna J. Wright, 90, of Pittston, PA, formerly of Ocala, died Saturday, September 29, 2007 on Wilkes Barre, PA. Born in Baltimore, MD, she was a Charter Member and Deacon of Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church; Past President, Choir Member and Life Member of the Presbyterian Women; A Member of the Order of the Eastern Star since 1942 in the Alpha Charter #1 and Henry Brecht Chapter #43 in Baltimore, MD. She is survived by her daughter, Carole A. Broehl of Dallas, PA; son, William D. Wright of GlenAllen, VA; bother, Frank E. Kuska of Columbus, NE; 5 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren; 2 nieces and 4 nephews. A Graveside Service will be held at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens 5740 S. Pine Ave. Ocala, on Saturday October, 6, at 1:30 p.m. followed by a Memorial Service at Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church 674 Silver Road, Ocala, FL, 34472 at 3 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family request that memorial contributions be made to the Church. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2, Ave, Ocala 622-4141 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/4/2007 - 10/5/2007.

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Arthur Stevenson Davis, Sr., 79, was born September 2, 1928 in Georgetown, Guyana, South America and went home to be with the Lord on October 1, 2007. He was the third son born to the late Clarence and Sophia Davis. After becoming an Assistant Schoolmaster at Cumberland Methodist in Berbice, Guyana, he migrated to the United States to attend Howard University, where he obtained a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering in 1970. During this time frame, he met and married the love of his life, Winifred (Maggie) Bovell, on December 17, 1970. Arthur and Maggie are the proud parents of two children, Aretha Delight and Arthur Stevenson, Jr. Arthur was a member of Family of God Fellowship, an avid reader, and enjoyed gardening and traveling. Lie is survived by his wife of 37 years, Winifred Maggie Davis, Ocala, daughter, Aretha Delight Davis, Boston, MA, and son Arthur Stevenson Davis Jr., Washington, DC. He is also survived by his siblings, Herman, Eric, Frederick, Charles, and Marjorie King and will be missed by many family members and friends. Arthur's Going Home Celebration will be held on Saturday, October 6 at 11:00 AM at Family of God Fellowship located at 1471 Pine Road, Ocala. The family will be receiving friends one hour prior to service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to American Cancer Society. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/6/2007 - 10/7/2007.

Michael H. Fellows, passed away on Friday, October 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Atlanta, GA, he had made Ocala his home since 1979 moving from Tavares, FL. Member of the Class of 1959 he graduated from Henry County High School in McDonough, GA. He worked for The Lake County School Board for 30 years in the maintenance department. He was Baptist in faith. Served in the U.S. Army and a member of The Silver Springs Shores Moose Lodge, he also loved wood working and was an avid fisherman. Survivors include: wife, Ella M. Fellows; daughter, Tawana Sue Wilson, Covington, GA.; Son, Gregory Allen Fellows, Lonanville, GA.; sister, Gail Pack, Hampton, GA.; brother, Tony Fellows, McDonough, GA.; stepmother, Nora S.
Fellows, Hampton, GA.; step-son, Phillip Townsend, Ocala, FL.; Grandchildren: (His Georgia Girls) Candi, Brandi, Mandy, (His Georgia Boys) Mathew, Paul, Michael, and Angie Wood, Jacksonville, FL Jessica Townsend, Ocala, FL, two great grandchildren, Callie Sue and Lucas Jack. Memorial Service will be held at 1 PM on Sunday, October 7, 2007 South Ocala Baptist Church grounds. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to The University of Florida Foundation Movement Disorders Center P. O. Box 100236, Gainesville, FL 32610. Attn.: Rachelle Stephens. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/6/2007 - 10/7/2007.

1102. FOSTER, EMMETT (Obituary No. 1102.) , 77 Ocala - Mr. Emmett Foster, age 77, passed away on Monday October 1, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mr. Foster was a native of New York City, New York. He relocated to Ocala, Fl in 1984. He was a retired Occupational Therapist. Mr. Foster leaves to cherish his memories: A loving and Devoted wife: Mrs. June Jackson, Ocala, Fl., David Foster (Son) RiverHead, N.Y., Wanda Lopez (Daughter) Ocala, Fl., Melissa Foster (Granddaughter) RiverHead, N.Y., Ricardo Fernandez (Grandson) Ocala, Fl., Hattie Campbell (Sister) Brooklyn, N.Y., (Sister-In-Laws) Alice Edward, Albany, NY., Mable Copeland, Bay Shore, NY., Phyllis Patrick, Central Isip, NY., Sylvia Thomas, Patchogue, NY., Naomi Foster. Queens, NY. (Brother in Laws) Lorenzo Jackson, Philly, PA., Clayton Thomas, Patchogue, NY. (Devoted Friends) Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Matthews, Ocala, Fl. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other relatives. SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME "Funeral Service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/5/2007 - 10/6/2007.

1103. LACKI, JOSEPHINE M., (Obituary No. 1103.) 90 Ocala - Josephine M. Lacki, 90, passed away on Tuesday, October 2, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. A resident of Marion County since 1986, she moved here from South Miami, FL. She was a retired cafeteria worker from Coral Gables High School. She is survived by 2 daughters, Sandra Kroupa (Gene) of Newfane, NY and Patricia (Anthony) Opitz of Summerfield. 4 grandchildren, Michelle Kroupa, Danielle Kroupa, Christine Opitz-Savi, and Philip Opitz; and her faithful cat Cindy. She was a loving mother and grandmother. No local services. Internment to follow at Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Cemetery in Miami. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services -Belleview is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/6/2007 - 10/7/2007.

1104. MATLOCK, SUSAN J., (Obituary No. 1104.) 83 Ocala - Susan J. Matlock, 83, died Wednesday October 3, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. She was born September 5, 1924. She was a native of Dayton, Ohio and graduated from Fairview High School. She was Head Receptionist at NCR Company in Dayton and a homemaker. She lived with her husband Jim and two son's in Cincinnati, Ohio for 25 years before moving to Ocala, FL in 1979. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala, and member of Golden Hills Golf and Turf Club for 28 years, where she had served as President of the Ladies Golf Association. She is survived by her husband of 59 years James R. Matlock, sons Thomas P. Matlock of Cincinnati, Ohio, Jack J. Matlock of Ocala, FL, her brother Jack T. Paul of Dayton Ohio, granddaughter Meredith Matlock Delano and great grandson Andrew Delano of Bethesda, Maryland, granddaughter Holly Matlock of Nashville, Tennessee and grandsons Brian A. Matlock of Irvine, California, Tyler P. Matlock of Chicago, Illinois and Ross A. Matlock of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Memorial services will be held at 2 PM Saturday, October 6, 2007, at First United Methodist Church, with Rev. Donald Dial officiating. Memorial Contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/5/2007 - 10/6/2007.
1105. RAWLINS, III, TRUMAN "JIMMY", (Obituary No. 1105.) 55 Wildwood - Truman "Jimmy" Rawlins, III age 55, passed away Tuesday, October 2, 2007. He was a lifetime resident of Wildwood and an Engineer for CSX Railroad. Mr. Rawlins was a member of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and The Steinhatchee Anglers Assoc. He was an Episcopalian. He is survived by his wife Julie of Wildwood; 2 daughters: Kari Rawlins of Mississippi and Wendy Rawlins of Ocala; 1 son Chase Brittnacher of Belleview; 1 brother Dennis and 1 sister Leslie Strickland both of Wildwood. Visitation will be Thursday, October 4, 2007 from 6:30-8:30 at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel. Services will be Friday, October 5, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel with Interment to follow at Greenwood Cemetery. On line condolence may be left at www.bankspagetheus.com. Arrangements provided by BANKS/PAGE-THEUS FUNERAL HOME, Wildwood, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/5/2007 - 10/6/2007.

1106. RICHARDS, DR. LEO O., (Obituary No. 1106.) 78 Ocala - Dr. Leo O. Richards, 78, physicist, passed away October 4th. He was born in Lowell, MA, and retired in 1987 from the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, where he held various management positions and designed and oversaw the development of a scientific satellite. Dr. Richards devoted a significant amount of his retirement to working for the welfare of animals. He was Chairman of the Marion County Animal Task Force, advising the County Commission on issues involving the County's animals. He enjoyed playing softball with the Golden Seniors. Dr. Richards is survived by his wife, Carol, of Ocala; daughters, Deborah Downs of Palm Bay, FL and Diana Douglas of Valkaria, FL; stepson, Bruce Ferguson of Perth, Australia; seven grandchildren and seventeen great grandchildren. He also leaves behind one dog, Myra, and three cats - Tyno, Tommie and Terry. A memorial service for Dr. Richards will be held at a later date. The family requests any remembrances be made to the SPCA of Marion County, 9035-B SW 94th Street, Ocala 34481. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/6/2007 - 10/7/2007.

1107. TYNAN, FRANCES D. NELSON BARRETT (Obituary No. 1107.), 86 Daytona Beach - Frances D. Nelson Barrett Tynan, 86, died in Daytona Beach October 3, 2007. She was born in Far Rockaway, New York on November 6, 1920 and moved to Summerfield from Baldwin, Long Island, NY in 1954. Mrs. Tynan attended Bellevue United Methodist Church and First Baptist Church of Summerfield. She was a member of TOPS and volunteered at the Marion County Rape Crisis Center. She is survived by sons, Arvid (Linda) Nelson II, Middleburg, FL, Gregory Nelson, Redding, CA, Michael Tynan, Daytona Beach, and Mark (Jackie) Tynan, Summerfield; brother, Barry W. (Audrey) DeGroot, Inwood, NY; 5 grandchildren, Sabrina Nelson Mee, Arvid Nelson III, Caitlin Nelson, Raymond Tynan and Ashleigh Tynan, and 5 great-grandchildren, Sabrina Nelson, Stephanie Mee, Samantha Nelson, Elizabeth Mee and Salana Nelson. She was preceded in death by her husband Arvid Nelson, son, Eric Nelson and husband Howard Tynan. Funeral services for Mrs. Tynan will be held at noon, Saturday, October 6, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Contributions may be made to Hospice of Volusia County, 3800 Woodbriar Trail, Port Orange, FL 32129. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/5/2007 - 10/6/2007.

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1108. DAVIS, SR., ARTHUR STEVENSON, (Obituary No. 1108.) 79 Ocala - Arthur Stevenson Davis, Sr., 79, was born September 2, 1928 in Georgetown, Guyana, South America
and went home to be with the Lord on October 1, 2007. He was the third son born to the late Clarence and Sophia Davis. After becoming an Assistant Schoolmaster at Cumberland Methodist in Berbice, Guyana, he migrated to the United States to attend Howard University, where he obtained a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering in 1970. During this time frame, he met and married the love of his life, Winifred (Maggie) Bovell, on December 17, 1970. Arthur and Maggie are the proud parents of two children, Aretha Delight and Arthur Stevenson, Jr. Arthur was a member of Family of God Fellowship, an avid reader, and enjoyed gardening and traveling. He is survived by his wife of 37 years, Winifred Maggie Davis, Ocala, daughter, Aretha Delight Davis, Boston, MA, and son Arthur Stevenson Davis Jr., Washington, DC. He is also survived by his siblings, Herman, Eric, Frederick, Charles, and Marjorie King and will be missed by many family members and friends. Arthur's Going Home Celebration will be held on Saturday, October 6 at 11:00 AM at Family of God Fellowship located at 1471 Pine Road, Ocala. The family will be receiving friends one hour prior to service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to American Cancer Society. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/6/2007 - 10/7/2007.

1109. FELLOWS, MICHAEL H., (Obituary No. 1109.) 66 Ocala - Michael H. Fellows, passed away on Friday, October 5, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Atlanta, GA. he had made Ocala his home since 1979 moving from Tavares, FL. Member of the Class of 1959 he graduated from Henry County High School in McDonough, GA. He worked for The Lake County School Board for 30 years in the maintenance department. He was Baptist in faith. Served in the U.S. Army and a member of The Silver Springs Shores Moose Lodge, he also loved wood working and was an avid fisherman. Survivors include: wife, Ella M. Fellows; daughter, Tawana Sue Wilson, Covington, GA.; Son, Gregory Allen Fellows, Lonanville, GA.; sister, Gail Pack, Hampton, GA.; brother, Tony Fellows, McDonough, GA.; stepmother, Nora S. Fellows, Hampton, GA.; step-son, Phillip Townsend, Ocala, FL.; Grandchildren: (His Georgia Girls) Candi, Brandi, Mandy, (His Georgia Boys) Mathew, Paul, Michael, and Angie Wood, Jacksonville, FL Jessica Townsend, Ocala, FL, two great grandchildren, Callie Sue and Lucas Jack. Memorial Service will be held at 1 PM on Sunday, October 7, 2007 South Ocala Baptist Church grounds. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to The University of Florida Foundation Movement Disorders Center P. O. Box 100236, Gainesville, FL 32610. Attn.: Rachelle Stephens. Arrangements by HIER S FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/6/2007 - 10/7/2007.

1110. LACKI, JOSEPHINE M., (Obituary No. 1110.) 90 Ocala - Josephine M. Lacki, 90, passed away on Tuesday, October 2, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. A resident of Marion County since 1986, she moved here from South Miami, FL. She was a retired cafeteria worker from Coral Gables High School. She is survived by 2 daughters, Sandra Kroupa (Gene) of Newfane, NY and Patricia (Anthony) Opitz of Summerfield. 4 grandchildren, Michelle Kroupa, Danielle Kroupa. Christine Opitz-Savi, and Philip Opitz; and her faithful cat Cindy. She was a loving mother and grandmother. No local services. Internment to follow at Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Cemetery in Miami. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services -Belleview is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/6/2007 - 10/7/2007.

1111. MARTIN, JAMES EDWARD, (Obituary No. 1111.) 11 Belleview - James Edward Martin, 11, died at Shands at the University of Florida, Gainesville, September 23, 2007. He was a fifth grade student at Belleview Santos Elementary School and attended Olivet Baptist Church. James is survived by his mother, Catherine Martin, Belleview; brothers, William P. Martin, Michael A. Martin and sister, Jessica E. Martin, all of Belleview; grandfather, Paul W. Myers,
Princeton, FL; step-grandfather, Ralph Coate, Boynton Beach, FL; aunts and uncles, Jeanne and Frank Karr, Miami, Laurie Myers and Jeff Feuer, Miami, Susan and George Gomes, Miami, Jimmy and Lisa Myers, Leisure City, FL, numerous cousins, and all of the Bulnes family, his father's family, from Miami. Memorial services will be held at 4 PM, October 20, 2007 at Olivet Baptist Church. He will be deeply missed by family and friends. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/7/2007 - 10/8/2007.

1112. NEELY, JR., ROBERT ROY, (Obituary No. 1112.) 83 Escondido, CA - Commander Robert Roy Neely, Jr., U.S. Navy, Ret., 83, of Escondido, CA passed away Tuesday, September 25, 2007. He was active in his church, Special Olympics and other charitable organizations. Robert was a 1948 graduate of the U.S. Navy reserve in 1963 and went to work for Hughes Aircraft where he worked as an Engineer until his retirement in 1991. He was preceded in death by his parents, Robert Roy and Louise Neely, a sister, Billie Neely Kemp and a brother-in-law, Grant M. Broome. Survivors include his wife, Jane Talley Neely, formerly of Chattanooga; son, Dr. Robert Roy Neely, III of Victorville, CA; daughter, Karen Scott Neely of Sonoma, CA; one grandson, Michael Neely; one sister, Betty Broome of Ocala, FL; one brother-in-law, Dr. William Kemp of LaFayette, GA; several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 10 A.M. Monday at the EAST CHAPEL OF CHATTANOOGA FUNERAL HOME, Crematory and Florist with the Rev. Wayland Stewart officiating. Burial will be in Chattanooga National Cemetery with full military honors. The family will receive friends from 2-6 P.M. Sunday at the East Chapel of Chattanooga Funeral Home, Crematory and Florist, 404 South Moore Road. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/7/2007 - 10/8/2007.

1113. OLESKI, CYRILLA (Obituary No. 1113.), 91 Ocala - Mrs. Cyrilla Oleski passed away at West Marion Community Hospital. Born June 9, 1916 in Middletown, NY, she is survived by her beloved and devoted husband, Al, for over 69 years of marriage, sons, Douglas (Patricia) Heck, Little Egg Harbor, NJ, Wayne (Cricket) Oleski, Ocala, FL, 6 grandchildren, 9 great grandchildren, 1 great, great grandchild, sister, Jwanita Flynn, Ocala, FL, several nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by brothers, Burton, Stephen and Richard Babcock and great grandson, Ryan Ritchie. She was an avid bowler and golfer. Visitation will be on Tuesday, October 9, 2007 between 1:00-2:00 p.m. with a service at 2:00 p.m. at HEIRS-BAXLEY TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/7/2007 - 10/8/2007.

1114. RICHARDS, DR. LEO O., (Obituary No. 1114.) 78 Ocala - Dr. Leo O. Richards, 78, physicist, passed away October 4th. He was born in Lowell, MA, and retired in 1987 from the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, where he held various management positions and designed and oversaw the development of a scientific satellite. Dr. Richards devoted a significant amount of his retirement to working for the welfare of animals. He was Chairman of the Marion County Animal Task Force, advising the County Commission on issues involving the County's animals. He enjoyed playing softball with the Golden Seniors. Dr. Richards is survived by his wife, Carol, of Ocala; daughters, Deborah Downs of Palm Bay, FL and Diana Douglas of Valkaria, FL; stepson, Bruce Ferguson of Perth, Australia; seven grandchildren and seventeen great grandchildren. He also leaves behind one dog, Myra, and three cats - Tyno, Tommie and Terry. A memorial service for Dr. Richards will be held at a later date. The family requests any remembrances be made to the SPCA of Marion County, 9035-B SW 94th Street, Ocala 34481. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/6/2007 - 10/7/2007.
1115. TERRIACA, CONCETTA (Obituary No. 1115.) 78 Ocala - Mrs. Concetta Terriaca, 78, passed away Friday, Oct. 5, 2007 at her home. A native of San Appolinare, Italy, she came to Ocala in 1978 from Boston, MA. Concetta was a lifelong homemaker and a fine professional seamstress all of her life. Mrs. Terriaca was a parishioner of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She is survived by her sons Domenic and Michael Terriaca, both of Ocala; grandchildren Alivia and Alyssa Terriaca, also of Ocala and her sister-in-law, Amalia Di Libero of Ocala. Concetta was preceded in death by her husband of 42 years, Michelangelo Terriaca, in 1993 and also by a brother, Celestino Di Libero. Funeral services will be held on Tues. Oct. 9th at 11:00 A.M. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala with Fr. Michael O'Keefe officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/7/2007 - 10/8/2007.

1116. WYLDS, WILLIAM (BILL), (Obituary No. 1116.) 96 Dublin, OH - William (Bill) Wylds, 96, died peacefully in his apartment in Dublin OH on September 12, 2007, at the age of 96. He was preceded in death by his wife, Jean, and his brothers Albert Pugh and Robert Sanders. He is survived by his sisters-in-law Anthea Pugh (Radford, VA) and Bernice Sanders (Marysville, MI), plus nieces, nephews, and other family members. He was born William Henry Pugh on June 26, 1911, in Kingswinford, England, to Bert and Frances Pugh. In 1915 he immigrated to the United States and grew up in Port Huron, Michigan. He graduated from Eastern Michigan University with a degree in teaching. Bill served as an officer in the Coast Guard in World War II and married Teresa Jean Mugen in 1943. After the war, he was an engineer for Chrysler Motors, Dodge Division, in Detroit, Michigan. During this time he changed his name to Wylds, his mother's maiden name. In 1956 he and Jean moved to Miami, Florida, where he ran a liquor store. He and Jean returned to Michigan in 1971. After Jean's death in 1990, Bill returned to Florida and settled in Ocala. He moved to Dublin Ohio in 2006. Bill loved cars and animals, especially dogs and horses. He is remembered by his family as an independent man with a tender heart and a great sense of humor. A memorial service will be held at the convenience of the family. The family recommends that memorial contributions be made to a local chapter of the SPCA. RODMAN FUNERAL SERVICE provided care. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/7/2007 - 10/8/2007.

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1117. ANTONUCCI, JOAN (Obituary No. 1117.) MICHELLE, 46 Ocala - Mrs. Joan Michelle Antonucci passed away October 6, 2007 at Ocala Regional Hospital. born in Redbank, NJ, she came to this area 20 years ago from Manchester, NH. She was a campground manager and is survived by her husband, Greg Harraman of Ocala; children, Tonya Garant, Erica Harraman and Gregory Harraman all of Ocala; and a brother, Michael Antonucci of Manchester, NH. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Avenue, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/8/2007 - 10/9/2007.

1118. BRUNO, ADELINE P., (Obituary No. 1118.) 85 Summerfield - Adeline P. Bruno, 85, of Summerfield was born in Brooklyn, New York on April 17, 1922 and died peacefully on October 6, 2007. She was the wife of late Eugene J. Bruno, June 7, 1942 to November 8, 1988. She had made Summerfield her home since 1969. She had moved from Long Island, New York. She was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. Her survivors include: two daughters: Barbara Bruno and Valerie J. Losito and her husband Michael both of Summerfield, FL, two sons: John M. Bruno of Bayshore, New York, Eugene Bruno of Fruitland Park, FL Eleven grandchildren: Vance A. Monz (Patricia), Wayne R. Monz, Michael E. Bruno (Chantel), William
J. Monz all of New York, Daniel J. Bruno (Jill) of North Carolina, Vanessa J. Bruno of Florida, Juliane M. Bruno of New York, Matthew Bruno (Eleven) of China, Michael J. Losito (Megan), Christine B. Barber (Mark), Gene Bruno Losito all of Florida and four great grandchildren and her buddy Bubbles. Through the grace of God may she be guided into the life beyond our world an reunited with loved ones whom has passed before her. She was a generous in her praise of all the good she saw in her loved ones and generous in help and advice whenever needed. She was sweet, wise and thoughtful throughout her life and she will be missed tremendously. Services will be held at 11 a.m. at St. Theresa Catholic Church on Tuesday, October 9, followed by a burial at Belleview Cemetery. Visitations will be held on Monday, October 8, from 1-3 p.m. and 5-7 p.m. at the Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the American Heart Association PO Box 21475, St. Petersburg, Florida, 33742. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 5946 S.E. Robinson Road, Belleview, FL 34420. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/8/2007 - 10/9/2007.

1119. GOFORTH, TOM (Obituary No. 1119.), 62 Ocala - Mr. Tom Goforth, 62 died Friday, October 5, 2007, at Monroe Regional Medical Center. A native of North Carolina, he moved to Ocala 10 years ago from Manassas, VA. Tom was a Deputy Director of Emergency Management for the Marion county Sheriff's Office. His memberships and accomplishments are many, including Vietnam Helicopter Pilots Associations; VFW, Fairhope, Alabama; the Florida Emergency Preparedness Association, the Appalachain Trail Council; one of the founders of the Florida Citizens Emergency Response Team (CERT). He is survived by his wife Sheila of Ocala, daughter Lee Bijvank-Goforth and her husband Erik-Jan Bijvank of Doorn, The Netherlands, and his sister Elizabeth Longmeyer of Travelers Rest, S.C. Funeral services will he held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, October 10, 2007, at Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Highway 200, Ocala, with Chaplain Robert Hart officiating. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday at HEIRS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to the Salvation Army or Interfaith Emergency Services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/8/2007 - 10/9/2007.

1120. HILL, HILDA D., (Obituary No. 1120.) 98 Ocala - died October 5, 2007 at Ocala Health and Rehabilitation Center after a lengthy illness. She was born in New York City on January 23, 1909 and moved to Cliffwood Beach, NJ. then to Summerfield, FL in 1953 and then to Ocala in 1993. While in NY she was a receptionist for a perfume import firm. Mrs. Hill was a dedicated homemaker and a true helpmate to her husband in the business of orange grove, chicken/egg production and the bee keeper/honey production in Summerfield. While in Summerfield she was very active and was the president of the women's group at St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview; Hilda also served as president of the PTA. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Edward Hill and her son, John E. Hill Jr.; she is survived by a son, Richard J. Hill, his wife Kaye of Ocala and daughter, Margaret H. Watts and her husband, Bernard of Ocala; grandchildren, James B. Watts of Lakeland, FL, John C. Watts of Charlotte, NC, Terry Varnadoe of Ocala, Carla jimerson of Alpharetta, GA, Amy Waggoner of Jackson GA, Chad Wadsworth of Ocala and Rusty Wadsworth DMD of Ocala; 13 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren; 3 nieces and 1 nephew. Funeral Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church at 5 SE 17th St., Ocala on Wednesday, October 10, 2007 at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Brothers Keeper or you charity of choice. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown chapel, 606 SW 2nd. Ave. Ocala, 352-622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/8/2007 - 10/10/2007.
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1127. BIELESKI, CONSTANCE LILLIAN GRAVITT, (Obituary No. 1127.) 90 Ocala - Constance Lillian Gravitt Bieleski, 90, passed away October 6th in Ocala. She was born in Cumming, GA and moved to Ocala in 1984 from Hopewell Junction, NY. She was a Catholic, and enjoyed cooking, sewing, gardening, bowling and playing pool. She was in the Women's Army Corps during WWII. She is survived by a son Dennis and daughter in law Mary Bieleski of Ocala, a daughter, Terri Word of Cumming, GA, 3 grandchildren Dawn Kinser, Richard Deckard, and Lisa Bell, 8 great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband Edward and son Richard Bieleski. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, October 9th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL with Deacon Santos Santiago Jr. officiating. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/10/2007.

1128. BRUNO, ADELINE P., (Obituary No. 1128.) 85 Summerfield - Adeline P. Bruno, 85, of Summerfield was born in Brooklyn, New York on April 17, 1922 and died peacefully on October 6, 2007. She was the wife of late Eugene J. Bruno, June 7, 1942 to November 8, 1988. She had made Summerfield her home since 1969. She had moved from Long Island, New York. She was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. Her survivors include: two daughters:
Barbara Bruno and Valerie J. Losito and her husband Michael both of Summerfield, FL, two sons: John M. Bruno of Bayshore, New York, Eugene Bruno of Fruitland Park, FL Eleven grandchildren: Vance A. Monz (Patricia), Wayne R. Monz, Michael E. Bruno (Chantel), William J. Monz all of New York, Daniel J. Bruno (Jill) of North Carolina, Vanessa J. Bruno of Florida, Juliane M. Bruno of New York, Matthew Bruno (Eleven) of China, Michael J. Losito (Megan), Christine B. Barber (Mark), Gene Bruno Losito all of Florida and four great grandchildren and her buddy Bubbles. Through the grace of God may she be guided into the life beyond our world and reunited with loved ones whom has passed before her. She was a generous in her praise of all the good she saw in her loved ones and generous in help and advice whenever needed. She was sweet, wise and thoughtful throughout her life and she will be missed tremendously. Services will be held at 11 a.m. at St. Theresa Catholic Church on Tuesday, October 9, followed by a burial at Belleview Cemetery. Visitations will be held on Monday, October 8, from 1-3 p.m. and 5-7 p.m. at the Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the American Heart Association PO Box 21475, St. Petersburg, Florida, 33742. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 5946 S.E. Robinson Road, Belleview, FL 34420. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/8/2007 - 10/9/2007.

1129. CORBIN, L. O. "JIM", (Obituary No. 1129.) 80 Citrus Springs - Laurie Otto "Jim" Corbin, 80, died Saturday, Oct 6, 2007, while resting in his recliner at his home. Jim was born in Trenton, Fl. on Aug. 18, 1927 to Eugene and Pearl Corbin. A graduate of Trenton High School he then proudly served his country for the next 20 years active duty and 10 years reserve duty in the USAF, retiring as a T/Sgt. He was active in WWII, Korea and in Vietnam. After retirement from military service he joined his parents in Dunnellon where he made his home with his wife Virginia and their children. He then worked at and retired from the Citrus County School board as a bus driver and from Rainbow Springs Golf and Country Club. He was a member of the Citrus Springs Community Congregational Christian. He was a perpetual member of the American Legion-Wall Rives Post #58, the VFW Edward W. Penno Post #4864, a Master Mason (Scottish Rite) in the Friendship Lodge of Fellowship, Fl., the Ridge Lodge of Homosassa and of the Ocala Shrine Club. Jim Corbin was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Virginia (1988) and two sons, Michael and Dennis Corbin. He is survived by his wife of 18 years Marion Corbin, Citrus Springs, Fl., a daughter Claire Wilder and her husband George of Ocala, Fl., two sons Marvin Corbin and his wife Pamela of Sparr, Fl., Terry Corbin and his wife Kimberly of Crystal River, Fl., and 5 grandchildren. Also by 2 stepsons Jeffrey Ramsey and wife Jennifer, Tulsa, Ok. Martin Hale Ramsey and wife Antonia, Tulsa, Ok., and stepdaughter Nancy Andel and husband George Sterling, II, 14 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. Funeral Services Will be Wednesday 10 a.m. in the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL with Jeff Timms officiating. Interment will follow in the Florida-National Cemetery, Bushnell, Fl. Friends may call at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 e. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, Fl. Tuesday (Today) 5 to 7 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family is requesting donations be made to; Shriners Hospitals for Children-Tampa, 12502 pine Dr., Tampa, Fl. 33612-9449. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/10/2007.

1130. ECKERLE, FLORENCE HELEN, (Obituary No. 1130.) 89 Ocala - Florence Helen Eckerle, 89, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, October 7, 2007. Mrs. Eckerle was a native of Brooklyn, N.Y. and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Long Island, N.Y. Mrs. Eckerle was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Mrs. Eckerle was also a member of the Catholic Christian Women; V.F.W. Post #4781 of Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 65 years John J. Eckerle, Sr. of Ocala; a son John J. Eckerle, Jr. of Naperville, Ill.; a daughter Karen M. Mestre of
Brandon, FL; and a sister Dorothy A. Kesser of Port Charlotte, Fl.; 10 Grandchildren and 7 Great-Grandchildren. Funeral Mass for Mrs. Eckerle will be Thursday, October 11, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday, October 10, 2007 from 3:00 - 5:00 pm with prayers at 4:30 pm at HIERs-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. Interment will follow the Mass at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Fl. at 10:30 AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/10/2007.

1131. GOFORTH, TOM (Obituary No. 1131.) , 62 Ocala - Mr. Tom Goforth, 62 died Friday, October 5, 2007, at Monroe Regional Medical Center. A native of North Carolina, he moved to Ocala 10 years ago from Manassas, VA. Tom was a Deputy Director of Emergency Management for the Marion county Sheriff’s Office. His memberships and accomplishments are many, including Vietnam Helicopter Pilots Associations; VFW, Fairhope, Alabama; the Florida Emergency Preparedness Association, the Appalachain Trail Council; one of the founders of the Florida Citizens Emergency Response Team (CERT). He is survived by his wife Sheila of Ocala, daughter Lee Bijvank-Goforth and her husband Erik-Jan Bijvank of Doorn, The Netherlands, and his sister Elizabeth Longmeyer of Travelers Rest, S.C. Funeral services will he held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, October 10, 2007, at Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Highway 200, Ocala, with Chaplain Robert Hart officiating. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday at HEIRS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to the Salvation Army or Interfaith Emergency Services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/8/2007 - 10/9/2007.

1132. HENNING, WILLIAM “BILL”, (Obituary No. 1132.) 83 Belleview - William (Bill) Henning, 83, died October 6, 2007 following an extended illness. He is the loving husband of 38 years to Ruby Kennan Henning of Belleview, FL. He is the loving father of Rosemary (William) Parsons of Murraysville, WV, Linda Humphrey of Charleston, WV, and Enola (Jerry) Mitchell of Clinton, IL. He is the brother of Neva Light of Akron, OH also numerous Grandchildren, Great Grandchildren, Nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by son Joe Bill Henning and sister Peggy Harmon. He was a veteran of the US Army in WWII, Life member of VFW Post #6669 in Ravenwood WV, American Legion Post #284 Belleview, Former President of the Belleview United Methodist Church Men's Club, ushers and board of Trustees. He liked to keep his yard up. Visitation at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480 Wednesday 10 a.m. with funeral services following at 11 a.m. Interment at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/10/2007.

1133. HILL, HILDA D., (Obituary No. 1133.) 98 Ocala - died October 5, 2007 at Ocala Health and Rehabilitation Center after a lengthy illness. She was born in New York City on January 23, 1909 and moved to Cliffwood Beach, NJ. then to Summerfield, FL in 1953 and then to Ocala in 1993. While in NY she was a receptionist for a perfume import firm. Mrs. Hill was a dedicated homemaker and a true helpmate to her husband in the business of orange grove, chicken/egg production and the bee keeper/honey production in Summerfield. While in Summerfield she was very active and was the president of the women's group at St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview; Hilda also served as president of the PTA. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Edward Hill and her son, John E. Hill Jr.; she is survived by a son, Richard J. Hill, his wife Kaye of Ocala and a daughter, Margaret H. Watts and her husband, Bernard of Ocala; grandchildren, James B. Watts of Lakeland, FL, John C. Watts of Charlotte, NC, Terry Varnadoe of Ocala, Carla Jimmerson of Alpharetta, GA, Amy Waggoner of Jackson GA, Chad Wadsworth
of Ocala and Rusty Wadsworth DMD of Ocala; 13 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren; 3 nieces and 1 nephew. Funeral Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church at 5 SE 17th St., Ocala on Wednesday, October 10, 2007 at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Brothers Keeper or you charity of choice. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, 352-622-4141. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/8/2007 - 10/10/2007.

1134. LOMBARD, JAMES C. "JIM", (Obituary No. 1134.) 79 Summerfield - James C. "Jim" Lombard passed away on October 5, 2007 at Tuscany House Hospice of Marion County in Summerfield, FL. He was 79 years old. Jim was born in Rochester, New York on July 26, 1928. He proudly served for 22 years in the US Marine Corps and served in World War II, Korea and Vietnam. Upon retirement from the service, he moved to Florida. He owned several businesses in the Gainesville area before retiring for a second time and moving to Ocala in 1993. He is survived by his daughter, Cheryl Lombard of Arizona and preceded in death by his wife of 41 years, Rosaline. Graveside Services will be held Friday, October 12, 2007, 10:00 a.m. at Forest Meadows Cemetery Central. Family will receive friends Thursday, October 11, 2007, 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at Williams-Thomas Funeral Home Downtown, 404 North Main Street, Gainesville, FL. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements are under the care of Williams-Thomas Downtown, 404 North Main Street.

1135. PEARSON, LAURA H., (Obituary No. 1135.) 95 Sparr - Laura H. Pearson, 95, a retired nurse, passed away at her residence Saturday, October 6, 2007. Proceeded in death by her husband John H. Pearson, Laura is survived by three children, Hans B. Pearson, Miloim, Hawaii, Janice K. Feeney and John R. Pearson of Sparr, FL, two grandchildren Joseph LaRocca, Boca Raton, FL, Heidi M. Pearson of Sparr, six great grandchildren, and two great great-grandchildren. Laura was a long time resident of Big Indian, NY until her retirement from nursing at the Margaretville Hospital, Margaretville, NY in 1979, after which she moved to Lake Geneva, FL and then to Sparr in 1988. Her passions were gardening, natural healing, crafts, pets, family, and friends, She will be remembered as someone who was always there to help, and she will be missed greatly by those who knew and loved her. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/10/2007.

1136. POSTON, SR, JAMES H., (Obituary No. 1136.) 81, Ocala - Mr. James H. Poston SR. 81, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by family on October 7, 2007. James was born in Mount Pleasant, Florida on August 10, 1926. He was a six year veteran in the United States Navy serving aboard the USS Leyte and USS Philippine Sea as well as a member of the Underwater Demolition Team. After leaving the Navy, Jim married the love of his life Hazel (Peggy) Butler on July 5, 1949. After moving to Jacksonville, Florida Jim began his career with the United States Postal Service as a clerk on the mail train and retiring as a Postal Inspector 38 years later. Jim served as Assistant Chief at Lakewood-San Jose Volunteer Fire Department in the Southside of Jacksonville for many years as well as bailiff in the Duval County Courthouse. In 2000 Jim and Peggy moved to Ocala, Florida. He is survived by his wife: of 58 years Peggy, daughter Linda Varnado (Kelly) of Houston, Texas, son Jim Poston Jr. of Ocala, granddaughter April Schmidt (J.D.) of Houston, Texas, brother Kenneth Poston (Sue) of Live Oak, Florida, as well as numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins, Jim was a kind and gentle man who was quick to share a kind word and he could melt your heart with his million dollar smile. He will be missed. Services are scheduled for noon Thursday, October 11, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL
Obituary for Constance Lillian Gravitt Bieleski

Constance Lillian Gravitt Bieleski, 90, passed away October 6th in Ocala. She was born in Cumming, GA and moved to Ocala in 1984 from Hopewell Junction, NY. She was a Catholic, and enjoyed cooking, sewing, gardening, bowling and playing pool. She was in the Women's Army Corps during WWII. She is survived by a son Dennis and daughter in law Mary Bieleski of Ocala, a daughter, Terri Word of Cumming, GA, 3 grandchildren Dawn Kinser, Richard Deckard, and Lisa Bell, 8 great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband Edward and son Richard Bieleski. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, October 9th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL with Deacon Santos Santiago Jr. officiating. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/10/2007.

Obituary for David Adolphus Brown

David Adolphus Brown, 86, passed away on October 8, 2007. Born in Wilmington, NC on January 19, 1921 to Edward Paschal and Ruby Pearl Brown. He moved to Dunnellon in 1925 with his family and graduated from Dunnellon High School in 1938. He served on active duty in the U. S. Naval Reserve in World War II and the Korean Conflict. Dave had a long career in the railroad industry retiring on February 1, 1986 as Regional Sales Manager with Norfolk Southern Railway in Birmingham, AL. He was also associated with Bob Rogers Realty, Dunnellon, for 16 years after retirement. He moved to the Ocala area in 1986 and was a member of First United Methodist Church, Dunnellon, and Golden Hills Golf & Turf Club. He was a member of the Vero Beach Masonic Lodge and lifetime member of the Mahi Shriners, Miami, FL. He was predeceased by his son, Augustus Edward Brown and is survived by his wife of 54 years, Nita; son, David Adolphus Brown II, Jacksonville, FL; daughters Tina Mynatt, Alcoa, TN, and Gloria Jean Brown, Gatlinburg, TN; sister, Catherine Davis, Vero Beach, FL; grandson, Jonathan Brown; granddaughters Rebecca and Caroline Brown, Hershey, PA; granddaughters Rachel and Amanda Mynatt and Augusta Brown, Alcoa, TN; and granddaughter Hannah Dyer, Gatlinburg, TN; and many nieces and nephews. Funeral Services for Mr. Brown will be Friday, October 12, 2007 at 10 a.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL with Rev. Eddie Fulford, First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon, officiating. Visitation will be Thursday, October 11, 2007 from 5 - 7 p.m. Burial will be in Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. Those who wish may make a donation to Hospice of Marion County or your favorite charity. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/11/2007.

Obituary for Laurie Otto "Jim" Corbin

Laurie Otto "Jim" Corbin, 80, died Saturday, Oct 6, 2007, while resting in his recliner at his home. Jim was born in Trenton, Fl. on Aug. 18, 1927 to Eugene and Pearl Corbin. A graduate of Trenton High School he then proudly served his country for the next 20 years active duty and 10 years reserve duty in the USAF, retiring as a T/Sgt. He was active in WWII, Korea and in Vietnam. After retirement
from military service he joined his parents in Dunnellon where he made his home with his wife Virginia and their children. He then worked at and retired from the Citrus County School board as a bus driver and from Rainbow Springs Golf and Country Club. He was a member of the Citrus Springs Community Congregational Christian. He was a perpetual member of the American Legion-Wall Rives Post #58, the VFW Edward W. Penno Post #4864, a Master Mason (Scottish Rite) in the Friendship Lodge of Fellowship, Fl., the Ridge Lodge of Homosassa and of the Ocala Shrine Club. Jim Corbin was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Virginia (1988) and two sons, Michael and Dennis Corbin. He is survived by his wife of 18 years Marion Corbin, Citrus Springs, Fl., a daughter Claire Wilder and her husband George of Ocala, Fl., two sons Marvin Corbin and his wife Pamela of Sparr, Fl., Terry Corbin and his wife Kimberly of Crystal River, Fl., and 5 grandchildren. Also by 2 stepsons Jeffrey Ramsey and wife Jennifer, Tulsa, Ok. Martin Hale Ramsey and wife Antonia, Tulsa, Ok., and stepdaughter Nancy Andel and husband George Sterling, II, 14 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. Funeral Services Will be Wednesday 10 a.m. in the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL with Jeff Timms officiating. Interment will follow in the Florida-National Cemetery, Bushnell, Fl. Friends may call at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 e. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, Fl. Tuesday (Today) 5 to 7 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family is requesting donations be made to; Shriners Hospitals for Children-Tampa, 12502 pine Dr., Tampa, Fl. 33612-9449. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/10/2007.

1140. ECKERLE, FLORENCE HELEN, (Obituary No. 1140.) 89 Ocala - Florence Helen Eckerle, 89, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, October 7, 2007. Mrs. Eckerle was a native of Brooklyn, N.Y. and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Long Island, N.Y. Mrs. Eckerle was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Mrs. Eckerle was also a member of the Catholic Christian Women; V.F.W. Post #4781 of Ocala. She is survived by her husband of 65 years John J. Eckerle, Sr. of Ocala; a son John J. Eckerle, Jr. of Naperville, Ill.; a daughter Karen M. Mestre of Brandon, FL; and a sister Dorothy A. Kesser of Port Charlotte, Fl.; 10 Grandchildren and 7 Great-Grandchildren. Funeral Mass for Mrs. Eckerle will be Thursday, October 11, 2007 at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Interment will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Fl. at 10:30 AM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/10/2007.

1141. ELSTON, BURTON CLYNE, (Obituary No. 1141.) 83 Dunnellon - Burton Clyne Elston, 83, died Monday, October 8, 2007 in Ocala. Born June 17, 1924 in Middletown, New York, he was a lifelong resident until moving to St. Petersburg in 1968. For many years he worked as a Supervisor at the Ford Motor Company, Mahwah, NJ and a salesman with Sears Automotive Dept, at Tyrone Mall, St. Pete, for 13 years, retiring in 1987. He was a Christian and a WWII U.S. Army Veteran, having fought at The Battle of The Buldge. Burton was an Honorary member of the Elks of Middletown, NY. He Loved woodworking, especially creating animal wall hangings. Survivors include: Wife of 61 Years: Mary Elston, Dunnellon; Daughter: Yvonne Carol Elston, Dunnellon; Granddaughter: Heidi Souza, Buckeye, AZ; Brother: Harold Dayton Elston, Albany, Oregon; Sisters: Mary Vavricka, Middletown, NY and Joyce Gentile, Ridge Berry, NY; 3 Great Grandchildren, Several Nieces and Nephews. Preceded in death by his son Dale Burton Elston in 1993. Visitation will be on Thursday, Oct. 11th from 4 PM to 6 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 N. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon. Funeral Service will be Friday, Oct. 12th at 12 Noontime at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL. Burial Will

1142. HAFER, DOROTHY KOPACH, (Obituary No. 1142.) 80 Ocala - Dorothy Kopach Hafer, 80, passed away October 4, 2007 at legacy Hospice House. She was born May 27, 1927. She was a native of Reading, Pennsylvania where she was a self employed cosmetologist for 46 years. She is survived by her husband of 58 years, Howard Hafer. They moved to Ocala, Florida in 1992 and resided in Oak Run. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She was formerly active in PTA, the Boy Scouts, and sang with the Oak Run Chorus at six nursing homes in this area. She is also survived by her two sons, Thomas P. Hafer of Woodbridge, Virginia and his wife, Janeen, and Jeffrey P. Hafer of Lansdale, Pennsylvania. Her sister Helen Spuhler lives in Temple, Pennsylvania. Memorial services will be scheduled at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/11/2007.

1143. HENNING, WILLIAM (BILL)(Obituary No. 1143.) , 83 Belleview - William (Bill) Henning, 83, died October 6, 2007 following an extended illness. He is the loving husband of 38 years to Ruby Kennan Henning of Belleview, FL. He is the loving father of Rosemary (William) Parsons of Murraysville, WV, Linda Humphrey of Charleston, WV, and Enola (Jerry) Mitchell of Clinton, IL. He is the brother of Neva Light of Akron, OH also numerous Grandchildren, Great Grandchildren, Nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by son Joe Bill Henning and sister Peggy Harmon. He was a veteran of the US Army in WWII, Life member of VFW Post #6669 in Ravenwood WV, American Legion Post #284 Belleview, Former President of the Belleview United Methodist Church Men's Club, ushers and board of Trustees. He liked to keep his yard up. Visitation at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480 Wednesday 10 a.m. with funeral services following at 11 a.m. Interment at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/10/2007.

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1146. LYLES, ESTHER SHAW, (Obituary No. 1146.) 83 Ocala - Mrs. Esther Shaw Lyles, 83, passed away in Ocala, FL on October 8, 2007. She was born on February 6, 1924 and was a lifelong resident of Ocala. She was a retired Banker. She was a member of the Happiness is Sharing Craft Group in the First United Methodist Church of Ocala and a prior member of the Kendrick United Methodist Church in Kendrick. She is predeceased by her loving husband of 25 years, Edwin Alan Lyles. She is survived by her son, Emory Alan Lyles of Crystal River, FL, a daughter, Alana Lyles Baker of Ocala, FL, and also 2 grandchildren. Roberts Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave Ocala, FL will be conducting a graveside service on October 12, 2007 at 10 A.M. at the Kendrick Cemetery in Kendrick. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Hospice of Marion County or the United Methodist Children's Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/11/2007.

1147. OTTO, NORMAN E., "NORM", (Obituary No. 1147.) 85 Ocala - Norman E. "Norm" Otto, 85, was born in Redwood Falls, MN. on May 13, 1922. He was called by Our Lord on October 7, 2007. Norm and his wife June of (56) years moved to Ocala in 1990 from New Brighton, MN. to be with their (4) children, Mark, Jean, Steve and Paul, (9) grandchildren and (4) great-grandchildren. Services will be held, October 11, 2007 at 1 PM at 9330 S.W. 105th Street. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations may be made to the Ocala West United Methodist Church Choir. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/11/2007.

1148. PEARSON, LAURA H., (Obituary No. 1148.) 95 Sparr - Laura H. Pearson, 95, a retired nurse, passed away at her residence Saturday, October 6, 2007. Proceeded in death by her husband John H. Pearson, Laura is survived by three children, Hans B. Pearson, Mililani, Hawaii, Janice K. Feeney and John R. Pearson of Sparr, FL, two grandchildren Joseph LaRocca, Boca Raton, FL, Heidi M. Pearson of Sparr, six great grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren. Laura was a long time resident of Big Indian, NY until her retirement from nursing at the Margaretville Hospital, Margaretville, NY in 1979, after which she moved to Lake Geneva, FL and then to Sparr in 1988. Her passions were gardening, natural healing, crafts, pets, family, and friends, She will be remembered as someone who was always there to help, and she will be missed greatly by those who knew and loved her. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 34478. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/10/2007.
1149. POSTON, SR, JAMES H., (Obituary No. 1149.) 81, Ocala - Mr. James H. Poston Sr. 81, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by family on October 7, 2007. James was born in Mount Pleasant, Florida on August 10, 1926. He was a six year veteran in the United States Navy serving aboard the USS Leyte and USS Philippine Sea as well as a member of the Underwater Demolition Team. After leaving the Navy, Jim married the love of his life Hazel (Peggy) Butler on July 5, 1949. After moving to Jacksonville, Florida Jim began his career with the United States Postal Service as a clerk on the mail train and retiring as a Postal Inspector 38 years later. Jim served as Assistant Chief at Lakewood-San Jose Volunteer Fire Department in the Southside of Jacksonville for many years as well as bailiff in the Duval County Courthouse. In 2000 Jim and Peggy moved to Ocala, Florida. He is survived by his wife: of 58 years Peggy, daughter Linda Varnado (Kelly) of Houston, Texas, son Jim Poston Jr. of Ocala, granddaughter April Schmidt (J.D.) of Houston, Texas, brother Kenneth Poston (Sue) of Live Oak, Florida, as well as numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. Jim was a kind and gentle man who was quick to share a kind word and he could melt your heart with his million dollar smile. He will be missed. Services are scheduled for noon Thursday, October 11, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, Florida. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 10:00am until the service at noon on Thursday. Interment will be private and held at a later date. Memorial contribution may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the Marion County Humane Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1150. SAVAGE, MICHAEL LEE, (Obituary No. 1150.) 60, Ft. McCoy - Michael Lee Savage, 60, passed away on Sunday, Oct. 7, 2007 in Ocala. He was born in Portland, OR and moved to this area 10 years ago from Homestead, FL. He was a retired air conditioning insulator. He is survived by his loving wife, Phyllis Smith Savage of Ft. McCoy, his sisters, Shawnee Atwood of Spokane, WA, Marion Schearer of Sebastian, FL and Rone Smith of Neunan, GA and his brother, Paul Savage of Birmingham, AL. A gathering of family and friends will be held on Friday, Oct. 12, 2007 from 7-8 PM at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/11/2007.

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1154. BRATCHER, GEORGE P. (Obituary No. 1154.) Ocala - George P. Bratcher, 88, passed away on Tuesday, Oct. 9, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. He was born in Gates, TN and moved to Ocala as a child. He was a retired manager of Borden's Dairy in Ocala and also an owner-operator of a laundromat and restaurant. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. His survivors include his sister, Hettie Pons of Flemington, his stepdaughter, Janette Miller of Ocala, his step-son, Edward Chauncey of Gainesville, four step-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. Graveside funeral services will be at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, Oct. 12, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park with Rev. Samuel W. Clements officiating. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, please make contribution to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1155. BROWN, DAVID ADOLPHUS, (Obituary No. 1155.) 86 Ocala - David Adolphus Brown, 86, passed away on October 8, 2007. Born in Wilmington, NC on January 19, 1921 to Edward Paschal and Ruby Pearl Brown. He moved to Dunnellon in 1925 with his family and graduated from Dunnellon High School in 1938. He served on active duty in the U. S. Naval Reserve in World War II and the Korean Conflict. Dave had a long career in the railroad industry retiring on February 1, 1986 as Regional Sales Manager with Norfolk Southern Railway in Birmingham, AL. He was also associated with Bob Rogers Realty, Dunnellon, for 16 years after retirement. He moved to the Ocala area in 1986 and was a member of First United Methodist Church, Dunnellon, and Golden Hills Golf & Turf Club. He was a member of the Vero Beach Masonic Lodge and lifetime member of the Mahi Shriners, Miami, FL. He was predeceased by his son, Augustus Edward Brown and is survived by his wife of 54 years, Nita; son, David Adolphus Brown II, Jacksonville, FL; daughters Tina Mynatt, Alcoa, TN, and Gloria Jean Brown, Gatlinburg, TN; sister, Catherine Davis, Vero Beach, FL; grandson, Jonathan Brown;
granddaughters Rebecca and Caroline Brown, Hershey, PA; granddaughters Rachel and Amanda Mynatt and Augusta Brown, Alcoa, TN; and granddaughter Hannah Dyer, Gatlinburg, TN; and many nieces and nephews. Funeral Services for Mr. Brown will be Friday, October 12, 2007 at 10 a.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL with Rev. Eddie Fulford, First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon, officiating. Visitation will be Thursday, October 11, 2007 from 5 - 7 p.m. Burial will be in Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. Those who wish may make a donation to Hospice of Marion County or your favorite charity. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/11/2007.

1156. EASON, JAMES "CARLTON", (Obituary No. 1156.) 75 Orange Lake - James "Carlton" Eason, 75, born July 18, 1932 in Tifton, GA. He was preceded in death by his parents, Jack and Versie Eason, and his sister Karen of Albany, Georgia. He was survived by wife, Elizabeth "Ann" Eason; sister, Claudia Wilson, Ocala, FL; brother, Bobby "Randall" Eason, Albany, GA; Donald Eason, Nashville, GA; sister, Sharon Bontompo, Ocala, FL. He served in the U.S. Army in the Korean War. Retired from the City of Albany, GA. Member of the Orange Lake Baptist Church. Celebration of his life will be held at the Orange Lake Baptist Church at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 13, 2007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1157. ELSTON, BURTON CLYNE, (Obituary No. 1157.) 83 Dunnellon - Burton Clyne Elston, 83, died Monday, October 8, 2007 in Ocala. Born June 17, 1924 in Middletown, New York, he was a lifelong resident until moving to St. Petersburg in 1968. For many years he worked as a Supervisor at the Ford Motor Company, Mahwah, NJ and a salesman with Sears Automotive Dept, at Tyrone Mall, St. Pete, for 13 years, retiring in 1987. He was a Christian and a WWII U.S. Army Veteran, having fought at The Battle of The Buldge. Burton was an Honorary member of the Elks of Middletown, NY. He loved woodworking, especially creating animal wall hangings. Survivors include: Wife of 61 Years: Mary Elston, Dunnellon; Daughter: Yvonne Carol Elston, Dunnellon; Granddaughter: Heidi Souza, Buckeye, AZ; Brother: Harold Dayton Elston, Albany, Oregon; Sisters: Mary Vavricka, Middletown, NY and Joyce Gentile, Ridge Berry, NY; 3 Great Grandchildren, Several Nieces and Nephews. Preceded in death by his son Dale Burton Elston in 1993. Visitation will be on Thursday, Oct. 11th from 4 PM to 6 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 N. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon. Funeral Service will be Friday, Oct. 12th at 12 Noontime at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL. Burial Will follow at The Florida National Cemetery. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, still privately owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/11/2007.

1158. FERRELL, WANDA F., (Obituary No. 1158.) 97 Dunnellon - Wanda F. Ferrell, 97, Dunnellon, died October 9, 2007 at her residence under the loving care of family and Hospice of Marion County. A native of Brooklyn, NY, she relocated to Dunnellon in 1984. She was a Naval Architect and a Teacher at Brooklyn Tech. She designed the electrical systems for the battleship USS Missouri, where the surrender agreement was signed ending WWII and she worked on the design of John Kennedy's PT109. Survivors include cousins Valerie O'Brien and her husband Terence and Margaret (Marie) O'Brien of Dunnellon, Eleanor McMahon of New Jersey, Andrew Selowentchich of Staten Island, NY and Jomar Diaz of California. Visitation will be October 11, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. with Funeral Services at 2:45 p.m. at Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon. Entombment will follow at Fero Memorial Gardens Mausoleum in Beverly Hills, FL.

1159. GAVIN, JACK SOLOMAN, (Obituary No. 1159.) 62 Ocala - Mr. Gavin died October 3, 2007. Funeral Service will be held Saturday, October 13, 2007, 11:00 am at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church with Elder Dennis Hagins Sr. conducting. He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth White; daughters, Ivory Smith, Rita Gavin, Quanese Gavin, Elizabeth Gavin, Iris Gavin; sons, Soloman Gavin, Lindsey Gavin, James Gavin, Terry Gavin; 33 grandchildren; Sisters, Mildred Collins, Susie Edwards, Lucille Frazier, Valerie Brown; brothers, George Gavin, David Gavin. Services Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory that Will Never Fade." Visitation will be Friday, October 12, 2007 from 10:00 am. until 4:00 pm. Wake service will be Friday night at the Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church at 6:00 pm. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1160. HAFER, DOROTHY KOPACH, (Obituary No. 1160.) 80 Ocala - Dorothy Kopach Hafer, 80, passed away October 4, 2007 at legacy Hospice House. She was born May 27, 1927. She was a native of Reading, Pennsylvania where she was a self employed cosmetologist for 46 years. She is survived by her husband of 58 years, Howard Hafer. They moved to Ocala, Florida in 1992 and resided in Oak Run. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She was formerly active in PTA, the Boy Scouts, and sang with the Oak Run Chorus at six nursing homes in this area. She is also survived by her two sons, Thomas P. Hafer of Woodbridge, Virginia and his wife, Janeen, and Jeffrey P. Hafer of Lansdale, Pennsylvania. Her sister Helen Spuhler lives in Temple, Pennsylvania. Memorial services will be scheduled at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/11/2007.

1161. JACKSON, WALTER S. JR., (Obituary No. 1161.) 65 Ocala - Transition from this life to eternal life early last Friday morning October 5, 2007. Mr. Jackson leaves to cherish his memories. Sisters Dorothy Jackson, Dorris Hallond. Brothers Bobby & Charles C. Jackson, all of Opelika, Alabama. A devoted niece Jessica Randolph, Ocala, FL. Funeral Services will be held at 11am. Sat. Oct. 13, 2007 at the Theological Seminary 1105 NW 4th St. Ocala, FL 34475. Prophet Terry Weems conducting services. There will be no viewing after Eulogy. Interment will be held at Tucker Hill Union Cemetery. Visitation Friday, October 12, 2007 10a.m.-10p.m. at Tony Tanner Funeral Services. Services entrusted to TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES 10195 N. Hwy 27 Fellowship, FL 34482. 352-622-2630 "Where The Name is Service In A Highly Favored Choice". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1162. LYLES, ESTHER SHAW, (Obituary No. 1162.) 83 Ocala - Mrs. Esther Shaw Lyles, 83, passed away in Ocala, FL on October 8, 2007. She was born on February 6, 1924 and was a lifelong resident of Ocala. She was a retired Banker. She was a member of the Happiness is Sharing Craft Group in the First United Methodist Church of Ocala and a prior member of the Kendrick United Methodist Church in Kendrick. She is predeceased by her loving husband of 25 years, Edwin Alan Lyles. She is survived by her son, Emory Alan Lyles of Crystal River, FL, a daughter, Alana Lyles Baker of Ocala, FL, and also 2 grandchildren. Roberts Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave Ocala, FL will be conducting a graveside service on October 12, 2007 at 10 A.M. at the Kendrick Cemetery in Kendrick. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Hospice of Marion County or the United Methodist Children's Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/11/2007.

1163. OTTO, NORMAN E., "NORM", (Obituary No. 1163.) 85 Ocala - Norman E. "Norm" Otto, 85, was born in Redwood Falls, MN. on May 13, 1922. He was called by Our Lord on
October 7, 2007. Norm and his wife June of (56) years moved to Ocala in 1990 from New Brighton, MN. to be with their (4) children, Mark, Jean, Steve and Paul, (9) grandchildren and (4) great-grandchildren. Services will be held, October 11, 2007 at 1 PM at 9330 S.W. 105th Street. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations may be made to the Ocala West United Methodist Church Choir. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/11/2007.

1164. ALEXANDER PATERSON(Obituary No. 1164.) , 92 Dunnellon - Mr. Alexander Paterson, 92, of Dunnellon was born in Helensburgh, Scotland on February 2, 1915 and died peacefully in Gainesville at North Florida. Regional Medical Center on Monday, October 8, 2007 after a lengthy illness. He was married to Alice Amidon Paterson for the past thirty six years. He was pre-deceased by his first wife, Margaret (Steel) Paterson, who died 1968. He was pre-deceased by his parents, Alexander, Sr.; And Annie (Connel) Paterson and his three brothers, Alan Paterson, Robert Paterson, and William Paterson, and a sister, May Paterson. a sister Jean (Paterson) Bennie of Allva, Scotland survives. Alex leaves many nieces and nephews in Scotland and one niece in Canada plus other relatives in Scotland. Services will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME in Dunnellon on Saturday, at 10 a.m. October 13, 2007 with Father Ron Chrisner officiating. Visitation will be Friday, October, 12, 2007 from 4:00 - 6:00 P.M. Alex and Alice were married in Helensburgh ST. Columba (Church of Scotland) on May 8, 1971. they moved to Dunnellon in January 1982 when Alex retired. Alice is a native of Jacksonville, Florida. Alex graduated from Helensburgh Schools and was a Refrigeration Engineer with "Turner And Company" of Glasgow, Scotland for twenty eight years. He was-an Aircraft Inspector before and during World War II. He enjoyed attending the Scottish Festivals and he and Alice attended Scottish country dancing classed in Ocala. He was an avid reader and enjoyed golfing, cooking and visiting. He was a Master Mason of 503 Lodge St. George of HELENSBURGH. He will be sorely missed. Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/12/2007.

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1166. ROHDE, THOMAS WILSON, (Obituary No. 1166.) 57 Ocala - Thomas Wilson Rohde, of Ocala, passed away Thursday, October 4, 2007 at Legacy House, he was 57. Mr. Rohde was born in Sewickley, PA., and moved to Miami where he worked for Assurant Group for 31 years, and retired to Ocala in 2005. Mr. Rohde was a Former Deacon and member of the Palm Springs Presbyterian Church in Hialeah, FL. He is survived by: Wife Carol Rohde of Ocala, mother Gertrude Rohde of Merritt Island, FL, two brothers James Rohde of Miami, Ken Rohde of Starke, a sister Barbara Potoczny of Kernelsville, NC., one nephew, and several nieces. A memorial service will be held at Ft. King Presbyterian Church on Friday, October 12, 2007 at 2:00 PM. In Lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc. or Interfaith Emergency Services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/13/2007.

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1171. BADERTSCHER, GLADYS (Obituary No. 1171.) , 78 Ocala - Gladys Badertscher, 78, previously of Macomb, Michigan, passed away on October 7th. She was born one of eight children to the late John Palenkas and Katherine Kocik on December 11, 1928 in Detroit, Michigan. Gladys was the owner and operator of two beauty schools and five salons prior to her retirement in 1983. During her life she had fostered many children and enjoyed making porcelain dolls. She was a Baptist. Survivors include her devoted husband Paul; four children, Gail Platt of Ocala, Douglas Badertscher of Sarasota, Dennis Badertscher of Melbourne and Denise Hack of White Lake, MI; brother Edward Palenkas of Scottsdale, AZ; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be 4 PM on Tuesday, October 9th at the Farley Funeral Home, Venice Chapel. Arrangements by FARLEY FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/12/2007 - 10/13/2007.

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1173. BUERGER, ELEANOR I., (Obituary No. 1173.) 84 Ocala - Eleanor I. Buerger, 84, of Ocala, passed away October 10th at her home. Born in Westerly, RI, she came to Ocala 4 months ago from Maitland, FL where she resided for 26 years. She was a homemaker, a member of St. John Lutheran Church, Ocala and is survived by her husband of 61 years, Robert Buerger; daughters, Paula M. Novaez of Houston, TX and Cindy Warner and her husband, Berger of Ocala; 5 grandchildren, Gil Novaez (Melinda), Charisa Novaez and Dorea Novaez all of Houston, TX and Whitney Henry (John) of Los Angeles, CA and Becca Warner of Ocala; 3 great grandchildren; 1 brother and 2 sisters. Visitation will be held at ROBERTs FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala 352-732-9944) on Monday (Oct 15th) from 9:30-10:30 a.m. with the Funeral Service to follow at 10:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Florida
1174. DAIRE, DOROTHY E. (nee Acker) (Obituary No. 1174.), 97 Ocala - Dorothy E. Daire (nee Acker) 97, of Ocala, FL was born in Westfield, NJ on May 27, 1910 and died peacefully in Ocala, FL on October 11, 2007. Mrs. Daire was a former Inventory Clerk for Thomas A. Edison Company and Carl Schadel Corporation in West Orange, NJ, and retired to Florida. She is survived by her daughter Virginia M. O'Grady of Ocala, FL, five grandchildren Gregory W. Daire, East Hanover, NJ William A. Daire, Churchville, NY, Andrew J. Daire, Mendham, NJ, John G. Daire, and Denise M. Daire both of Parsippany, NJ, as well as nine great grandchildren, also Elizabeth L. Daire, daughter-in-law Ocala, FL, and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband John J. Daire, a daughter Lillian Daire, son William J. Daire and two brothers William and Charles Acker. Private funeral services will be held at a later date. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/12/2007 - 10/13/2007.

1175. EASON, JAMES "CARLTON", (Obituary No. 1175.) 75 Orange Lake - James "Carlton" Eason, 75, born July 18, 1932 in Tifton, GA. He was preceded in death by his parents, Jack and Versie Eason, and his sister Karen of Albany, Georgia. He was survived by wife, Elizabeth "Ann" Eason; sister, Claudia Wilson, Ocala, FL; brother, Bobby "Randall" Eason, Albany, GA; Donald Eason, Nashville, GA; sister, Sharon Bontomo, Ocala, FL. He served in the U.S. Army in the Korean War. Retired from the City of Albany, GA. Member of the Orange Lake Baptist Church. Celebration of his life will be held at the Orange Lake Baptist Church at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 13, 2007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1176. EVANSHINE, RONALD EUGENE, (Obituary No. 1176.) 65 Ocala - Ronald Eugene Evanshine, 65, born Whittemsville. OH. Passed away at Jupiter Medical Center October 8, 2007. His genius Entrepreneurial Spirit originated mobile Auto Repair in Palm Beach County in 1972 for 30 years. And followed him to Ocala. Dearly loved by his wife Theresa and his daughter Michele Greene. Ron will be greatly missed for his beautiful blue eyes, his sense of humor, his passion for life and the wonderful way he could teach. Ron is also survived by his grandsons Bradford and Giles, his son in law Todd, his step son Ed, his granddaughters Kayla and Taylor. His sisters Sandra, Denise and Diane who all surrounded him with love. He was a loyal, faithful servant of Jehovah for 47 years. Ron was a fearless fighter for bible truth and loved giving people comfort by learning what the bible teaches. Ron attended the Kingdom hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, Shady Oaks Congregation. Funeral Service will be held: Saturday, October 13, 2007 3pm at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 3660 SW 7th, Ocala, FL 34474 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/12/2007 - 10/13/2007.

1177. FERRELL, WANDEA F., (Obituary No. 1177.) 97 Dunnellon - Wanda F. Ferrell, 97, Dunnellon, died October 9, 2007 at her residence under the loving care of family and Hospice of Marion County. A native of Brooklyn, NY, she relocated to Dunnellon in 1984. She was a Naval Architect and a Teacher at Brooklyn Tech. She designed the electrical systems for the battleship USS Missouri, where the surrender agreement was signed ending WWII and she worked on the design of John Kennedy's PT109. Survivors include cousins Valerie O'Brien and her husband Terence and Margaret (Marie) O'Brien of Dunnellon, Eleanor McMahon of New Jersey, Andrew Selowentchich of Staten Island, NY and Jomar Diaz of California. Visitation will be October 11, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. with Funeral Services at 2:45 p.m. at Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon. Entombment will follow at Fero Memorial Gardens Mausoleum in Beverly Hills, FL.
1178. GAVIN, JACK SOLOMAN, (Obituary No. 1178.) 62 Ocala - Mr. Gavin died October 3, 2007. Funeral Service will be held Saturday, October 13, 2007, 11:00 am at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church with Elder Dennis Hagins Sr. conducting. He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth White; daughters, Ivory Smith, Rita Gavin, Quanese Gavin, Elizabeth Gavin, Iris Gavin; sons, Soloman Gavin, Lindsey Gavin, James Gavin, Terry Gavin; 33 grandchildren; Sisters, Mildred Collins, Susie Edwards, Lucille Frazier, Valerie Brown; brothers, George Gavin, David Gavin. Services Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory that Will Never Fade." Visitation will be Friday, October 12, 2007 from 10:00 am. until 4:00 pm. Wake service will be Friday night at the Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church at 6:00 pm. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1179. JACKSON, WALTER S. JR., (Obituary No. 1179.) 65 Ocala - Transition from this life to eternal life early last Friday morning October 5, 2007. Mr. Jackson leaves to cherish his memories. Sisters Dorothy Jackson, Dorris Hallond. Brothers Bobby & Charles C. Jackson, all of Opelika, Alabama. A devoted niece Jessica Randolph, Ocala, FL. Funeral Services will be held at 11am. Sat. Oct. 13, 2007 at the Theological Seminary 1105 NW 4th St. Ocala, FL 34475. Prophet Terry Weems conducting services. There will be no viewing after Eulogy. Interment will be held at Tucker Hill Union Cemetery. Visitation Friday, October 12, 2007 10a.m.-10p.m. at Tony Tanner Funeral Services. Services entrusted to TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES 10195 N. Hwy 27 Fellowship, FL 34482. 352-622-2630 "Where The Name is Service In A Highly Favored Choice". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1180. LAZARICK, EDWARD THOMAS, (Obituary No. 1180.) 87 Ocala - passed away on Wednesday, October 10, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Lazarick was a native of Camden, N.J. and moved to Ocala in 1992 from Doyelstown, PA. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church; a life member of V.F.W. Post # 4781; a member of the Lions Club; and Big Sun Chorus of Florida. Mr. Lazarick was an Army Veteran serving during W.W. II. He is survived by his wife of 11 years, Shirley Lazarick; his son, Richard Lazarick of Trenton, N.J; stepdaughter, Linda Bennet of Glenville, NY; stepdaughter, Theresa Warner of Palmyra, NY; step-son, Stuart Jones of Ocala, FL; a brother, Leonard Lazarick of Holland, PA; sisters, Theresa Price of Ocala, FL; and Dorothy Lazarick of Lakewood, NJ; 10 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Funeral Mass for Mr. Lazarick will be Monday, October 15, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on SR 200 at 12:00 p.m. with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Visitation will be Sunday, October 14, 2007 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIGDE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL. Interment will follow the Mass at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at 2:00 pm. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County or American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/12/2007 - 10/13/2007.

1181. LOCHRREN, THOMAS M., (Obituary No. 1181.) 72 Dunnington - Thomas M. Lochrene, 72, died October 4, 2007 at his home in Dunnington, FL. Thomas was born in Ogdensburg, NY on August 02, 1935 and spent many of his adult years living in Vernon, NY. Thomas was retired from his employment with the NYS corrections system. Thomas moved south to Dunnington, FL in 1999. Thomas is an army veteran who served in the Korean War. Thomas received many metals for his service time and was honorably discharged. Thomas is survived by his wife, Dorothea Lochren; his son, Kenneth Lochren; his daughter Geraldine Lochren; his

1182. PATTERSON, ALEXANDER (Obituary No. 1182.) , 92 Dunnellon - Mr. Alexander Paterson, 92, of Dunnellon was born in Helensburgh, Scotland on February 2, 1915 and died peacefully in Gainesville at North Florida. Regional Medical Center on Monday, October 8, 2007 after a lengthy illness. He was married to Alice Amidon Paterson for the past thirty six years. He was pre-deceased by his first wife, Margaret (Steel) Paterson, who died 1968. He was pre-deceased by his parents, Alexander, Sr.; And Annie (Connel) Paterson and his three brothers, Alan Paterson, Robert Paterson, and William Paterson, and a sister, May Paterson. a sister Jean (Paterson) Bennie of Allva, Scotland survives. Alex leaves many nieces and nephews in Scotland and one niece in Canada plus other relatives in Scotland. Services will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME in Dunnellon on Saturday, at 10 a.m. October 13, 2007 with Father Ron Chrisner officiating. Visitation will be Friday, October, 12, 2007 from 4:00 - 6:00 P.M. Alex and Alice were married in Helensburgh ST. Columba (Church of Scotland) on May 8, 1971. they moved to Dunnellon in January 1982 when Alex retired. Alice is a native of Jacksonville, Florida. Alex graduated from Helensburgh Schools and was a Refrigeration Engineer with "Turner And Company" of Glasgow, Scotland for twenty eight years. He was an Aircraft Inspector before and during World War II. He enjoyed attending the Scottish Festivals and he and Alice attended Scottish country dancing classed in Ocala. He was an avid reader and enjoyed golfing, cooking and visiting. He was a Master Mason of 503 Lodge St. George of HELENSBURGH. He will be sorely missed. Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1183. POSTON, SR, JAMES H., (Obituary No. 1183.) 81, Ocala - Mr. James H. Poston SR. 81, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by family on October 7, 2007. James was born in Mount Pleasant, Florida on August 10, 1926. He was a six year veteran in the United States Navy serving aboard the USS Leyte and USS Philippine Sea as well as a member of the Underwater Demolition Team. After leaving the Navy, Jim married the love of his life Hazel (Peggy) Butler on July 5, 1949. After moving to Jacksonville, Florida Jim began his career with the United States Postal Service as a clerk on the mail train and retiring as a Postal Inspector 38 years later. Jim served as Assistant Chief at Lakewood-San Jose Volunteer Fire Department in the Southside of Jacksonville for many years as well as bailiff in the Duval County Courthouse. In 2000 Jim and Peggy moved to Ocala, Florida. He is survived by his wife: of 58 years Peggy, daughter Linda Varnado (Kelly) of Houston, Texas, son Jim Poston Jr. of Ocala, granddaughter April Schmidt (J.D.) of Houston, Texas, brother Kenneth Poston (Sue) of Live Oak, Florida, as well as numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins, Jim was a kind and gentle man who was quick to share a kind word and he could melt your heart with his million dollar smile. He will be missed. Services are scheduled for noon Thursday, October 11, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, Florida. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 10:00am until the service at noon on Thursday. Interment will be private and held at a later date Memorial contribution may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the Marion County Humane Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/9/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1184. RIVERA, LT. COL. JOSEPH F. (Obituary No. 1184.), 63 Ocala - Lt. Col. Joseph F. Rivera, Jr., USAF Ret. passed away Monday, October 8, 2007 in Ocala. A native of New York, Mr. Rivera came to Marion County in 1992 from Ft. Worth, TX after a long career in the military. He was a graduate of Florida State University and was an avid fan. A loving husband,
father, grandfather, father-in-law and friend who will be missed by all. He is survived by his wife Frances P. Rivera, Citra, daughters Caroline Rivera, Ontario, Canada, Stacey Monroe and son-in-law Jason, Citra, sons Richard Rivers and daughter-in-law Nika, Charlotte, NC, Joseph Rivera, Ft. Worth, TX, sister Doris (Skip) Paraway Citra, brother Raymond Rivera, Odenton, MD, 4 grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral service a with Military Honors will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 13, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with visitation Friday 2-4, 6-8 P.M. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/12/2007 - 10/13/2007.

1185. ROHDE, THOMAS WILSON, (Obituary No. 1185.) 57 Ocala - Thomas Wilson Rohde, of Ocala, passed away Thursday, October 4, 2007 at Legacy House, he was 57. Mr. Rohde was born in Sewickley, PA., and moved to Miami where he worked for Assurant Group for 31 years, and retired to Ocala in 2005. Mr. Rohde was a Former Deacon and member of the Palm Springs Presbyterian Church in Hialeah, FL. He is survived by: Wife Carol Rohde of Ocala, mother Gertrude Rohde of Merritt Island, FL, two brothers James Rohde of Miami, Ken Rohde of Starke, a sister Barbara Potoczny of Kernersville, NC., one nephew, and several nieces. A memorial service will be held at Ft. King Presbyterian Church on Friday, October 12, 2007 at 2:00 PM. In Lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc. or Interfaith Emergency Services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/11/2007 - 10/13/2007.

1186. SMITH, TERESA M., (Obituary No. 1186.) 57 Ocala - Mrs. Teresa M. Smith, 57, died Sunday, October 7, 2007 at Estelle's House Hospice. She was born in Santurce, Puerto Rico and moved to Ocala in 2002 from Chicago, Illinois where she worked in Customer Service for the Internal Revenue Service. She is Catholic by faith and loves animals, music and ethnic dining. She was an active supporter of the Humane Society, Hospice and the Devine Provident Ministries. She is survived by her loving husband of (27) years, Myron B. Smith; her mother, Virginia Martinez and her sister, Eugenia M. and husband Pedro Hernandez, all of Ocala, FL. She is also survived by (2) nephews, Mark Montanez of Pendleton, Indiana and Mario Montanez of Ocala, FL. Funeral Services will be on Friday, October 12, 2007 at 10 a.m. at the ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 S.W. State Rd. 200, Ocala, FL 34476, with Interment to follow in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home on Thursday, October 11, 2007 from 6:00 till 8:00 PM. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Memory of Teresa M. Smith, to American Cancer Society or Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/10/2007 - 10/12/2007.

1187. WADKINS, ETHEL M., (Obituary No. 1187.) 84 Ocala - Ethel Margaret Wadkins of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, October 10, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Born in Trenton, Texas she made Ocala her home since 1992 moving from Blytheville, Arkansas. She was a homemaker and member of College Road Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Preceded in death by husband LeRoy Wadkins, Sr. She is survived by one daughter Deloris Downing and husband John, Ocala, FL and two sons Henry Wadkins, and his wife Janet, Clarksville, TN and LeRoy Wadkins, Jr. and his wife Elaine, Marietta, GA, six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Services will be held 11 a.m. Saturday, October 13, 2007 at College Road with visitation one hour prior to services. She will be transferred to Cobb Funeral Home in Blytheville, Arkansas for services at Dogwood Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to College Road Baptist Church 5010 SW College Road, Ocala, FL 34474 or Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860 Ocala,
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1188. BADERTSCHER, GLADYS (Obituary No. 1188.) 78 Ocala - Gladys Badertscher, 78, previously of Macomb, Michigan, passed away on October 7th. She was born one of eight children to the late John Palenkas and Katherine Kocik on December 11, 1928 in Detroit, Michigan. Gladys was the owner and operator of two beauty schools and five salons prior to her retirement in 1983. During her life she had fostered many children and enjoyed making porcelain dolls. She was a Baptist. Survivors include her devoted husband Paul; four children, Gail Platt of Ocala, Douglas Badertscher of Sarasota, Dennis Badertscher of Melbourne and Denise Hack of White Lake, MI; brother Edward Palenkas of Scottsdale, AZ; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be 4 PM on Tuesday, October 9th at the Farley Funeral Home, Venice Chapel. Arrangements by FARLEY FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/12/2007 - 10/13/2007.

1189. BOUCIAS, ARTHUR (Obituary No. 1189.) 5/14/24 - 9/8/07 New Bern, NC - Arthur Boucias, artist, poet, and teacher, beloved husband of Margaret Boucias, beloved father of seven children, Byron Davies, Gregg Boucias, Drion Boucias, Lisa Onorato, Dorry Cottrell, Heidi Rango, and Bronwyn Gamon, grandfather of 14, great-grandfather of 13, died September 8th, at the age of 83, at his home in New Bern, NC, where he and his wife have lived with daughter Dorry and her husband Russ Carter for the past two years. He is known locally for his paintings displayed at art festivals and in various galleries. He will be remembered also for his wit and good humor. He will be missed.

Who will shape a few words before I am cast about
without sunlight and a smattering of moonbeams?
Let me wander one last time
across new-born grass
with soundless footsteps.
No need to juggle,
warming my lips,
my heart still remembers
and whispers...good night.

by Arthur Boucias

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1190. BUERGER, ELEANOR I., (Obituary No. 1190.) 84 Ocala - Eleanor I. Buerger, 84, of Ocala, passed away October 10th at her home. Born in Westerly, RI, she came to Ocala 4 months ago from Maitland, FL where she resided for 26 years. She was a homemaker, a member of St. John Lutheran Church, Ocala and is survived by her husband of 61 years, Robert Buerger; daughters, Paula M. Novaez of Houston, TX and Cindy Warner and her husband, Berger of Ocala; 5 grandchildren, Gil Novaez (Melinda), Charisa Novaez and Dorea Novaez all of Houston, TX and Whitney Henry (John) of Los Angeles, CA and Becca Warner of Ocala; 3 great grandchildren; 1 brother and 2 sisters. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala 352-732-9944) on Monday (Oct 15th) from 9:30-10:30 a.m. with the Funeral Service to follow at 10:30 a.m. Interment will follow at Florida
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1193. HORTON, MARY EDITH, (Obituary No. 1193.) 89 Morriston - Mary Edith Horton, 89, passed away October 11, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehab and Nursing Center in Ocala. She was 89. She was born in Pine Knot, Kentucky and had lived in Morriston for 36 years. She was a member of the West Marion Baptist Church where she loved participating in the church activities. Her hobbies were square dancing, sewing, bowling, cooking and gardening. She leaves behind her husband, Earl W. Horton of Morriston and many nieces and nephews. Funeral Services will be held Monday, October 15 at 11 a.m. at KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL in Williston. Visitation will be Sunday from 4-6 p.m. at KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME in Williston in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/13/2007 - 10/14/2007.

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1199. WENZEL, JR., GEORGE H., (Obituary No. 1199.) 85 Ocala - George H. Wenzel, Jr., 85, died Wednesday, October 10, 2007 at his residence. A longtime resident of Ocala, Mr. Wenzel had retired as Vice-President of Fidelity Federal Savings & Loan. A member of First United Methodist Church, his other memberships include the Ocala Elks Lodge #286, the Ocala Kiwanis Club, and he was Past President of the Bonita Fishing Club. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, October 16, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Memorial contributions may be made to the United Way of Marion County, PO Box 1086, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/13/2007 - 10/15/2007.

1200. WILLIAMS, TERESA SNIDER, (Obituary No. 1200.) 44 Ocala - Teresa Snider Williams, 44, died Monday, October 8, 2007 suddenly. Born on January 22, 1963, she moved to Ocala 3 years ago from Gainesville. She was a Baptist, and a homemaker. Survivors are: her husband Bryan K. Williams of Ocala; Children: Lauren Newman; Nicolas Williams; and Paul K Newman, III all of Ocala; her parents: Ronnie and Pat Snider of West Point, GA; Sister: Deborah Snider of West Point, GA. Funeral services for Mrs. Williams will be at 11:00 AM on Saturday, October 13, 2007 in the DeWitt C. Jones Chapel. Interment will follow in Crosby Lake Cemetery. Arrangements are by JONES FUNERAL HOME in Starke, 904-964-6200. The family will receive friends at the funeral home. on Friday, October 12th from 7-9 PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/13/2007 - 10/14/2007.

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1201. BAGLEY, SR., EDWARD L., (Obituary No. 1201.) 70 Citra - Edward L. Bagley, Sr., 70, of Citra, passed away October 11th at his home. Born in Foley, Florida, he was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He was an Army National Guard Veteran, retired vocational instructor for Lowell Correctional Facility and a member of Faith Baptist Church. He also had been the Chief of the Citra Volunteer Fire Dept. for over 25 years. He is survived by his son, Edward L. Bagley, Jr. and his wife Michelle of Citra; daughter, Cynthia D. Tweedy and her husband, Doug Tweedy; four grandchildren, Joshua Bagley, Katelyn Tweedy, Austin Moxley and Jodie Chesser. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141) on Monday (October 15th) from 6-8 p.m. A Graveside Service will be held at Millwood Cemetery, Reddick on Tuesday (October 16th) at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/14/2007 - 10/15/2007.

1202. BOUCIAS, ARTHUR (Obituary No. 1202.) 5/14/24 - 9/8/07 New Bern, NC - Arthur Boucias, artist, poet, and teacher, beloved husband of Margaret Boucias, beloved father of seven children, Byron Davies, Gregg Boucias, Drion Boucias, Lisa Onorato, Dorry Cottrell, Heidi Rango, and Bronwyn Gamon, grandfather of 14, greatgrandfather of 13, died September 8th, at the age of 83, at his home in New Bern, NC, where he and his wife have lived with daughter Dorry and her husband Russ Carter for the past two years. He is known locally for his paintings
displayed at art festivals and in various galleries. He will be remembered also for his wit and good humor. He will be missed.

Who will shape a few words before I am cast about without sunlight and a smattering of moonbeams?
Let me wander one last time across new-born grass with soundless footsteps. No need to juggle, warming my lips, my heart still remembers and whispers...good night.

by Arthur Boucias Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/13/2007 - 10/14/2007.

1203. BRYAN, LOIS, J., (Obituary No. 1203.) 76 Summerfield - Lois J. Bryan, 76, of Summerfield, died October 8, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House. She was born in Sabetha, Kansas and moved to this area from Panama City In 1979. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Ocklawaha and worked in Vacation Bible School with her grandchildren. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Bryan is survived by her beloved husband, Don Edward Bryan, Summerfield; daughters, Donna Jean Busby and Debbie Bryan, both of Ocala; son, Larry Bryan, Summerfield; 11 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 1 PM, October 15, 2007 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Chapel with Pastor Ernie Weiss officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Tuscany House, PO Box 4680, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements handled by HERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/14/2007 - 10/15/2007.

1204. DICKER, LARRY ALAN, (Obituary No. 1204.) 63 Summerfield - Larry Alan Dicker, 63, passed away on Friday, October 12, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A resident of Summerfield, he moved here from Groveton, NH in 2001. He grew up and resided in Presque, ME for 40 years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Belleview. He worked as an engineer for Verizon Communications until his retirement in 2000. He was an avid golfer and was never without a camera in his hands. He also enjoyed the outdoors, especially hunting and fishing. He was a loving husband, father, and grandfather. He is survived by his wife of 38 years Marlene Dicker of Summerfield; mother Christine Dicker of Presque, ME; two daughters Stace Dicker-Hendricks and her husband Jerry of Gilford, NH, Heather Bushey and her husband Tom of Stark, NH; four grandchildren who were the light of his life, Autumn and Ryann Hendricks and Levi and Katherine Bushey; two brothers Alden Dicker, Jr. and Roger Dicker, two sisters Rebecca Weider and Christy Dicker; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father Alden Dicker, Sr. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, October 17, 2007 at the First Baptist Church of Belleview, 6107 SE Agnew Road with Pastor Ronnie Walker officiating. A viewing will be held one hour prior to the funeral service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements under the direction of HEIRS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/14/2007 - 10/15/2007.

1205. HILTZ, EDWARD (Obituary No. 1205.) 81 Summerfield - Edward Hiltz, 81, on October 10, 2007 passed away. He is the beloved husband of Clara Hiltz, stepfather of Vicki
Callegari of North Port and Jean Hiltz of Nova Scotia. He is the brother of James Hiltz of AK and Mary Silva of CT. He was preceded in death by his stepdaughter Terry Nolan of CT, brother Glen R. Hiltz Jr., and sister Myrtle Barnett. He served in the Navy as a Seabee in WWII and the Korean War. He is a life member of the Elks, VFW, and American Legion. Services to be held in Nova Scotia. Family suggest donations to Hospice. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/14/2007 - 10/15/2007.

1206. HORTON, MARY EDITH, (Obituary No. 1206.) 89 Morriston - Mary Edith Horton, 89, passed away October 11, 2007 at Oakhurst Rehab and Nursing Center in Ocala. She was 89. She was born in Pine Knot, Kentucky and had lived in Morriston for 36 years. She was a member of the West Marion Baptist Church where she loved participating in the church activities. Her hobbies were square dancing, sewing, bowling, cooking and gardening. She leaves behind her husband, Earl W. Horton of Morriston and many nieces and nephews. Funeral Services will be held Monday, October 15 at 11 a.m. at KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL in Williston. Visitation will be Sunday from 4-6 p.m. at KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME in Williston in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/13/2007 - 10/14/2007.

1207. KELLEY, BILLY GENE, (Obituary No. 1207.) 75 Ocklawaha - Mr. Billy Gene Kelley, 75, born September 30, 1932 in Bloomfield, MO, died October 10, 2007. He retired from General Motors in Flint, MI and moved to Ocklawaha in 1976. He is survived by his wife Frances Kelley, six children Anthony Kelley from Harrison, MI, Gerald Kelley from Lawton, IA, Annette Smith from Naples, Theresa Busick from Grove City, OH, Melinda Cook from Petersburg, AK, Helen Foote from Juneau, AK, two brothers Willard Kelley from Bloomfield, MO, and Eddie Wayne Kelley from Barnhart, MO, three sisters Ellen LaMar from Imperial, MO, Betty Stevens from Imperial, MO, and Patsy Philips from Dexter, MO, 12 grandchildren and five stepchildren. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, October 14, 2007 at Intensive Care Ministries, 15004 S. Hwy 441, Summerfield, with Pastor Don Vining officiating. Information provided by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/14/2007 - 10/15/2007.

1208. LAMMERMEIER, JEANNE MARIE, (Obituary No. 1208.) 81 Ocala - Mrs. Jeanne Marie Lammermeier, 81, born in Cleveland, Ohio, passed away at Sylvia's House on October 12, 2007. A member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, she came to Ocala from Davie, FL in 2003. Mrs. Lammermeier loved to read and listen to music. She is survived by her brother Thomas "Buddy" Vanderwyst of Melbourne, FL, sister Cheryl Tice of Melbourne, FL, sister Donna Adkins of Melbourne, FL, son David Lammermeier, M.D. of Ocala, FL, daughter Margaret Johnson of Columbus, Ohio and four grandsons: David, Jeffrey, Christopher and Kyle. She was preceded in death by her husband Norbert E. Lammermeier on Sept. 15, 1998. Visitation will be Monday, October 15, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. with prayers at 6:30 p.m. with Fr. Michael O'Keefe at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Burial will take place on Wednesday, October 17, 2007 in Cleveland, Ohio. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL, (352) 629-7171. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/14/2007 - 10/15/2007.

1209. LAZARICK, THOMAS EDWARD, (Obituary No. 1209.) 87 Ocala - Thomas Edward Lazarick, 87, passed away on Wednesday, October 10, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Lazarick was a native of Camden, N.J. and moved to Ocala in 1992 from Doyelstown, PA. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church; a life member of V.F.W. Post # 4781; a member of the Lions Club; and Big Sun Chorus of Florida. Mr. Lazarick was an Army Veteran serving during W.W.
II. He is survived by his wife of 11 years, Shirley Lazarick of Ocala; a daughter, Carol Hayes of Harleysville, PA; son, Richard Lazarick of Trenton, N.J; stepdaughter, Linda Bennet of Glenville, NY; stepdaughter, Theresa Warner of Palmyra, NY; step-son, Stuart Jones of Ocala, FL; a brother, Leonard Lazarick of Holland, PA; sisters, Theresa Price of Ocala, FL; and Dorothy Lazarick of Lakewood, NJ; 10 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Funeral Mass for Mr. Lazarick will be Monday, October 15, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on SR 200 at 12:00 p.m. with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Visitation will be Sunday, October 14, 2007 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL. Interment will follow the Mass at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at 2:00 pm. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/14/2007 - 10/15/2007.

1210. WEISS, VELA P., (Obituary No. 1210.) 52 Ocala - Mrs. Vela P. Weiss, 52, born November 9, 1954, passed away October 11, 2007 in Ocala, Florida. Mrs. Weiss is survived by her husband, Joel Weiss and her daughter Robin Weiss. She also leaves her mother, Thelma Pope, and her brothers Royce Pope, Willard Pope, Donald Pope, and Glenn Pope. Mrs. Weiss was a lifelong resident and attended the Oakcrest Baptist Church in Ocala. She was an office assistant of the Central Florida Community College. The visitation will be Sunday, October 14 from 2-5 p.m. at ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. The service will be Monday at 2:00 p.m. at the Roberts Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/14/2007 - 10/15/2007.

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1213. YEDLINSKY, OLGA(Obituary No. 1213.), 86 Ocala - Olga Yedlinsky, 86, passed away October 12, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Trenton, NJ and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Oakhurst, NJ. She was a member of Joy Lutheran Church, and enjoyed music and folk dancing. She is survived by a goddaughter Christine (Jim) Flavin of Gainesville, FL and several nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends from 3 to 5 p.m. on Friday, October 19, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL.
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Kelley, Billy Gene, (Obituary No. 1218) 75 Ocklawaha - Mr. Billy Gene Kelley, 75, born September 30, 1932 in Bloomfield, MO, died October 10, 2007. He retired from General Motors in Flint, MI and moved to Ocklawaha in 1976. He is survived by his wife Frances Kelley, six children Anthony Kelley from Harrison, MI, Gerald Kelley from Lawton, IA, Annette Smith from Naples, Theresa Busick from Grove City, OH, Melinda Cook from Petersburg, AK, Helen Foote from Juneau, AK, two brothers Willard Kelley from Bloomfield, MO, and Eddie Wayne Kelley from Barnhart, MO, three sisters Ellen LaMar from Imperial, MO, Betty Stevens from Imperial, MO, and Patsy Philips from Dexter, MO, 12 grandchildren and five stepchildren. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, October 14, 2007 at Intensive Care Ministries, 15004 S. Hwy 441, Summerfield, with Pastor Don Vining officiating. Information provided by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/14/2007 - 10/15/2007.

Lammermeier, Jeanne Marie, (Obituary No. 1219) 81 Ocala - Mrs. Jeanne Marie Lammermeier, 81, born in Cleveland, Ohio, passed away at Sylvia's House on October 12, 2007. A member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, she came to Ocala from Davie, FL in 2003. Mrs. Lammermeier loved to read and listen to music. She is survived by her brother Thomas "Buddy" Vanderwyst of Melbourne, FL, sister Cheryl Tice of Melbourne, FL, sister Donna Adkins of Melbourne, FL, son David Lammermeier, M.D. of Ocala, FL, daughter Margaret Johnson of Columbus, Ohio and four grandsons: David, Jeffrey, Christopher and Kyle. She was preceded in death by her husband Norbert E. Lammermeier on Sept. 15, 1998. Visitation will be Monday, October 15, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. with prayers at 6:30 p.m. with Fr. Michael O'Keefe at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Burial will take place on Wednesday, October 17, 2007 in Cleveland, Ohio. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL, (352) 629-7171. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/14/2007 - 10/15/2007.

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1221. MACDONALD, WILLIAM G., (Obituary No. 1221.) 77 Dunnellon - William G. McDonald, 77, of Dunnellon, passed away on October 13, 2007 at his home. A native of Boston, MA, he came here eight years ago from Miramar and was a retired truck driver for Burdines with 30 years of service. Bill was an avid Harley-Davidson enthusiast earlier in life and was a parishioner of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon. He is survived by his wife of 43 years, Marian MacDonald of Dunnellon; daughter Laura Rossi of Dunnellon; daughter Noreen Landolfi of Palm Bay; brothers John MacDonald, Jr. and Peter MacDonald, both of Bradford, MA; brother Robert MacDonald of San Diego, CA; grandchildren Melissa, Tony, Christopher, Felicia, Summer, Nicholas and Anthony. Mass of Christian Burial will be offered from St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon on Wed., Oct. 17th at 10:30 a.m. with Fr. Kevin MacGabhann, Celebrant. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Friends will be received on Mon., Oct. 15th from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon. Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/15/2007 - 10/16/2007.

1222. MCINTYRE, ALICE MARIE, (Obituary No. 1222.) 85 Wildwood - Alice Marie McIntyre, 85, peacefully went to be with the Lord on October 11, 2007. A native of Massachusetts, she was born in Boston on March 17, 1922. Alice served in the US Navy during WW II. She lived in Massillon, Ohio for many years, moved to Florida in 2000, and recently was a resident of Arbor Village Rehab and Nursing Center. Alice had a sweet and gentle spirit and was loved by all who knew her. She is survived by her children Patricia Varble (Reddog) of Ocklawaha, Michael McIntyre (Terri) of Massillon, OH, and she is the sister of Ruth Palmer of Dennisport, MA, and Richard Palmer (Doris) of Port Richey, FL. She has four grandchildren and five grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son James F. McIntyre. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. There will be a Funeral Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Harwick, MA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/15/2007 - 10/16/2007.

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1226. BURNS, JAMES L., (Obituary No. 1226.) 62, Ocala - James L. Burns, age 62, passed away Saturday, October 13, 2007 at his residence. He was born in New Iberia, LA and has been a life resident of Ocala. He retired after 24 years from Seminole Feed Store in Ocala. Mr. Burns was a member of St John's Lutheran Church and enjoyed his hobby of gardening. Survivors include two sisters Donna Pincher and Norma Harvey of Ocala, brother Robert W. Burns of Walterboro, SC an eighteen nieces and nephews. His brother Carl Burns preceded him in death. Graveside services will be 2:00 PM Thursday, October 18, 2007 at Forest Lawn Memory Garden, Ocala, with Pastor Richard Lineberger officiating. Memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County, Box 4860. Ocala, 344784860. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/16/2007 - 10/18/2007.

1227. CURRY, NONNIE C., (Obituary No. 1227.) 79 Ocala - Nonnie Clegg Curry, 79, Media Specialist, born Feb-18, 1928, beloved wife, mother and teacher, passed away on Sunday, Oct. 14, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born in Newberry, FL and moved to Ocala from Gainesville in 1963. She was a teacher for 43 years, serving the children of Florida in Westville, Newberry, Gainesville, Ocala and Sparr. She was a graduate of Berry College, Rome, GA and began teaching in 1950. She was also a Girl Scout Leader, Boy Scout Den Mother, a member of Altrusa, Good Bears of the World, Florida Education Assn. and National Retired Teacher's Assn. After retirement she loved to travel, collect teddy bears and fish. She Is survived by her husband, Max O. Curry of Ocala, her daughter and son-in-law, Janie R. Curry and J. Todd Weaver of Ft. Collins, CO, and her sister, Amanda Westbrook of Jacksonville. She was preceded in death by her son, Shimuel Jackson (Jackie) Curry in 1968. A memorial service will be held on Friday, Oct. 19, 2007 at 2:00 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Please no flowers, please make memorial contributions to interfaith Emergency Services, Hospice of Marion County or CFCC Foundation. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/16/2007 - 10/17/2007.

1228. HOLT, LESTER E., (Obituary No. 1228.) 79 Ocala - Mr. Holt passed away October 4, 2007. He served in the U.S. Navy in the Philippines. He was born in St. Petersburg, FL then moved to Ocala, FL and spent summers in Canada. He is survived by his wife of 17 years, Ruby Manner Holt. He is predeceased in death by his first wife, Barbara Lou Holt, who died in 1989. He is survived by a sister, Maxine Baker, children; Walter "Bucky" Holt, Elizabeth Holt, 2
grandchildren; 3 step children, 4 step grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Memorial Service will be held October 17, 2007 at 4:00 p.m. at St. John Lutheran Church located at 1915 SE Lake Weir Avenue. In lieu of flowers, donations to "Honoring the Father." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/16/2007 - 10/17/2007.

1229. MACDONALD, WILLIAM G., (Obituary No. 1229.) 77 Dunnellon - William G. McDonald, 77, of Dunnellon, passed away on October 13, 2007 at his home. A native of Boston, MA, he came here eight years ago from Miramar and was a retired truck driver for Burdines with 30 years of service. Bill was an avid Harley-Davidson enthusiast earlier in life and was a parishioner of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon. He is survived by his wife of 43 years, Marian MacDonald of Dunnellon; daughter Laura Rossi of Dunnellon; daughter Noreen Landolfi of Palm Bay; brothers John MacDonald, Jr. and Peter MacDonald, both of Bradford, MA; brother Robert MacDonald of San Diego, CA; grandchildren Melissa, Tony, Christopher, Felicia, Summer, Nicholas and Anthony. Mass of Christian Burial will be offered from St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon on Wed., Oct. 17th at 10:30 a.m. with Fr. Kevin MacGabhann, Celebrant. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Friends will be received on Mon., Oct. 15th from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon. Fero Funeral Home, Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/15/2007 - 10/16/2007.

1230. MCINTYRE, ALICE MARIE, (Obituary No. 1230.) 85 Wildwood - Alice Marie McIntyre, 85, peacefully went to be with the Lord on October 11, 2007. A native of Massachusetts, she was born in Boston on March 17, 1922. Alice served in the US Navy during WW II. She lived in Massillon, Ohio for many years, moved to Florida in 2000, and recently was a resident of Arbor Village Rehab and Nursing Center. Alice had a sweet and gentle spirit and was loved by all who knew her. She is survived by her children Patricia Varble (Reddog) of Ocklawaha, Michael McIntyre (Terri) of Massillon, OH, and she is the sister of Ruth Palmer of Dennisport, MA, and Richard Palmer (Doris) of Port Richey, FL. She has four grandchildren and five grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son James F. McIntyre. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL . There will be a Funeral Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Harwick, MA. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/15/2007 - 10/16/2007.

1231. SLOAN, LAURA A., (Obituary No. 1231.) 88 Ocklawaha - Laura A. Sloan, 88, of Ocklawaha, FL died at Sylvia's Hospice House on October 13, 2007. She was born in Baltimore, MD and moved from Jacksonville to this area in 1970. She was a homemaker and attended St. Theresa Catholic Church in Bellevue. She was a member of the Eastern Star in Maryland and Women of the Moose in Ocala. She is survived by her daughter-in-law. Loretta Long, Catonsville, MD; sister, Margaret Samchuck, Towson, MD; brother, Fred Walton, Westminster, MD; grandson, Matt Long, Catonsville, MD, and numerous nieces and nephews. Mrs. Sloan is preceded in death by husband, Richard Long, sons, Robert Richard Long and James Edward Long, and husband, Monroe Sloan. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m., Thursday, October 18, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road. Entombment will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Visitation will be Wednesday from 5-7 p.m. at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/16/2007 - 10/17/2007.

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1234. WENZEL, JR., GEORGE H., (Obituary No. 1234.) 85 Ocala - George H. Wenzel, Jr., 85, died Wednesday, October 10, 2007 at his residence. A longtime resident of Ocala, Mr. Wenzel had retired as Vice-President of Fidelity Federal Savings & Loan. A member of First Untied Methodist Church, his other memberships include the Ocala Elks Lodge #286, the Ocala Kiwanis Club, and he was Past President of the Bonita Fishing Club. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, October 16, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Memorial contributions may be made to the United Way of Marion County, PO Box 1086, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/13/2007 - 10/16/2007.

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1235. BAXTER, SYBIL DORIS (Obituary No. 1235.), 91 Georgetown, SC - Sybil Doris Baxter, 91, a former resident of Gainesville, Florida, died, Monday, October 15, 2007 at Georgetown Memorial Hospital in Georgetown, SC. She was born August 13, 1916 in Dothan, Alabama, a daughter of the late Charlie Baxter and the late Sarah Roberts Baxter. Miss Baxter was a member of the Ocala Primitive Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida. She was a retired ticket agent for Seaboard Coastline Railroad and had lived in the Georgetown area for twelve years. Surviving are; her brother, Robert Baxter of Gainesville, Florida; a sister, Iris Herndon of Tampa, Florida; a niece, Stacy Carter of Chester, South Carolina, and three nephews, Keith Carter, Grayson Carter and Logan Carter, all of Chester, South Carolina. Sign a guest book and send condolences to the family at www.grahamfuneralhome.org. GRAHAM FUNERAL HOME of Georgetown is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/18/2007.

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1240. GAERTNER, LOUISE C., (Obituary No. 1240.) 84 Ocala - Louise C. Gaertner, 84, passed away on Monday, Oct. 15, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehab Center. Mrs. Gaertner moved to Ocala from Fish Lake, Indiana in 1989. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church; a member of the Council of Catholic Women. Mrs. Gaertner was an avid bowler with the church league and OTOW. She is survived by her husband of 61 years Edward F. Gaertner of Ocala, a son Edward F. Gaertner, Jr. of Danville, IL a daughter Lynn Gaertner Johnston of Seattle, WA; two brothers, Norman Mrotek of Elmonte, CA and Donald Mrotek of Spotswood, NJ; 3 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday Oct. 22 from 4 - 7 pm with prayers at 4 pm at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge Chapel. 
Funeral Mass will be Tuesday Oct. 23, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 at 8:30 am with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Committal will be Wednesday October 24, 2007 at 10 am at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/21/2007.

1241. GILES, JACK MCCORMICK, (Obituary No. 1241.) 66 Ocala - Jack McCormick Giles, 66, died while at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, FL on Monday, October 15, 2007. Jack was born on June 6, 1941 in Bristol, Virginia. He is survived by his wife, Tracy. Jack was a wildlife biologist by training and proudly worked for the Pennsylvania Game Commission for over 20 years. His contributions on the Bobcat & Black Bear projects were a source of tremendous personal pride for Jack. He found his special love, his dog Heidi, while on the mountain and is now reunited with her. He was a solitary person preferring nature over the city by far. A simple life brought him few, but fiercely loyal friendships. Jack's final journey will be with Tracy and a close friend to Pennsylvania to honor the places he felt the closest kinship to. His last wishes were to go quietly without services which will be respected. However, a contribution to either the Wildlife Conservancy or the National Wildlife Federation in his name would be fitting. HOKA HEY "it is a good day to die, Native American Indian farewell." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/18/2007.

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1243. PAYNE, WILLIAM (BILL) DAVIS, (Obituary No. 1243.) 80 Tampa - William (Bill) Davis Payne, 80, lifelong resident of Tampa, died October 14, 2007. He is survived by his children, Penny Payne Thompson, Julie Payne Milam and Mike Payne; grandchildren, Amy Meguiar Service, Christopher D. Milam and Beth Milam Calabria; and great granddaughter, Evie Service. Mr. Payne was a WWII veteran, serving as a US Navy Seabee. He also worked for Otis Elevator for 40 years. Gravestones will be held Thursday, October 18, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Garden of Memories Cemetery, 4207 E. Lake Ave., Tampa. Steve Patton of University Church of Christ will be officiating. Words of comfort may be expressed at gardenofmemoriestampa.com/ Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/18/2007.
1244. ROSHONG, HELEN M., (Obituary No. 1244.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Helen M. Roshong 80, passed away in Ocala, Florida on October 13, 2007. She was born in Pennsylvania on April 22, 1927. She was a retired Wire Bonder for the Aerospace industry. She is a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Her loving husband John H. Roshong of 52 years precedes her in death. She is survived by her son Bruce Roshong of Nashua, New Hampshire; two brothers Leonard and Donald Weinsteiger and a sister Mary Strunk all of Bechtelsville, Pennsylvania. She moved to this area in 2001 from Salford, Pennsylvania. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEl 604 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala will be conducting a memorial service Thursday October 18, 2007 at 7:00PM. A burial will be at a later date at the Old Goshenhoppper Cemetery in Pennsylvania. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/18/2007.

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1249. BOERSTLER, JACK R., (Obituary No. 1249.) 70 Belleview - Jack R. Boerstler, 70, passed away on Monday, October 15, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida in Gainesville. Born in Columbia, OH, he moved to Marion County in 1949. He graduated from Lake Weir High School in 1956. He was an active member of St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview. He worked at a wire bound crate manufacturer before retiring In 2003. He was a loving husband, father, and grandfather. He Is survived by his wife of 48 years, Anna Boerstler of Belleview 2 sons Robert Boerstler of Thornton, CO, and David Boerstler of Anderson, IN: daughter Carol A. Grell of Arvada, CO; 8 grandchildren; 2 brothers Deacon Jim Boerstler of Ocala and Bill Boerstler of Palatka; and 2 sisters Roberta Sheffield and Jeanette Downs of Ocklawaha. A funeral mass will be held at 10 AM on Saturday, October 20, 2007 at St- Theresa Catholic Church, 11528 SE Hwy 301, with Father David Vivero officiating. A visitation will be held from 5-7 PM on Friday, October 19, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Road, with a wake service to begin at 7 PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/19/2007.

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1252. DEWESE, CARRIE BELL, (Obituary No. 1252.) 67 Citra - Carrie Bell Dewese, 67, was a former employee of the City of Ocala and was a 1993 graduate of Lake Weir High School. He was a member of many softball leagues, loved to golf, fish and play billiards and was an active and former member of many groups and organizations. Services will be held at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Ocala on October 20th at 12 noon. The family requests donations to a memorial fund to benefit the children in lieu of flowers. An account has been established with Bank of America. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/18/2007.

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1254. FREDERICK, THOMAS JAMES, (Obituary No. 1254.) 75 Ocala - Thomas James Frederick, 75, passed away Saturday October 13, 2007 at Shands Hospital after a long, remarkable challenge with vascular stenosis. Retired from IBM Boca Raton, he moved to Ocala in 1989. His career included a 10 year history on the Apollo program at the Kennedy Space Center, Merritt Island, Fla. and on the development of the first personal computers in Boca Raton, Fla. Born in Reading Pa, moving to Miami Fla. in 1947. He was a Navy veteran during the Korean War, with assignments from Greenland to Panama. An avid salt water fisherman who owned and operated his charter boat the "Audi J" out of Ft. Pierce, Pompano Beach and Boca Raton. When not on the water he preferred to be on the golf course and was a professional golf club maker who took great pride in the building and refinishing of clubs. He later spent his final years assisting his son with the Yancy Blueberry Farm in Silver Springs. He was a gentle man, who laughed a lot, had a big heart and knew only kind words. A true University of Miami fan who endured constant ribbing by his University of Florida and Florida State children. He is survived by his loving wife Audrey Lott Frederick, daughter - Erin Frederick; sons - Daniel Frederick, Andrew Frederick, Todd Cross and Trevor Cross; grandchildren - Thomas Frederick, Jessica Hudgins, Katelyn Frederick and Ethan Hudgins; sisters - Virginia Conrad, Kutztown, Pa.
and JoAnn Valenti, Eureka, Calif.; brother - Michael Frederick, Alaska; in-laws - Ralph and Peg Lott, Annette Frederick, Dawn Cross, and Bonnie Hough. Preceded in death by parents, Joseph and Anna Frederick and sister, Delores Knapp. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Vascular Surgery Department at the University of Florida in Gainesville. A memorial service with military honors will be held at the Veterans Memorial Park on Fort King Street in Ocala on Saturday October 20, 2007 at 10 a.m. with a gathering of friends and family at his home following the service. Pastor John Petrucelli officiating. Internment at the National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida on Wednesday October 24, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/19/2007.

1255. GAERTNER, LOUISE C., (Obituary No. 1255.) 84 Ocala - Louise C. Gaertner, 84, passed away on Monday, Oct. 15, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehab Center. Mrs. Gaertner moved to Ocala from Fish Lake, Indiana in 1989. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church; a member of the Council of Catholic Women. Mrs. Gaertner was an avid bowler with the church league and OTOW. She is survived by her husband of 61 years Edward F. Gaertner of Ocala, a son Edward F. Gaertner, Jr. of Danville, IL a daughter Lynn Gaertner-Johnston of Seattle, WA; two brothers, Norman Mrotek of Elmonte, CA and Donald Mrotek of Spotswood, NJ; 3 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday Oct. 22 from 4 -7 pm with prayers at 4 pm at HIERSBAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge Chapel. Funeral Mass will be Tuesday Oct. 23, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 at 8:30 am with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Committal will be Wednesday October 24, 2007 at 10 am at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/21/2007.

1256. GARAFOLA, JANICE A., (Obituary No. 1256.) 52 Belleview - Garafola, Janice A., 52, of Belleview, died October 16, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in Key West, FL and moved to this area from Long Island, NY in 1972. She was Catholic in faith and worked as a waitress. Mrs. Garafola is survived by her daughter, Alicia Gaither, Belleview; sons, David Barfield and Craig Noble; mother, Anne Marie Garafola, Belleview; brothers, James Garafola, Jr. and John Garafola, both of Belleview; sister Anne Marie Ansbaugh, Belleview, and grandson, Zachary Garafola, Belleview. Funeral services will be at 2 PM, Friday, October 19, 2007, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview with burial at Belleview Cemetery. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/19/2007.

1257. GILES, JACK MCCORMICK, (Obituary No. 1257.) 66 Ocala - Jack McCormick Giles, 66, died while at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, FL on Monday, October 15, 2007. Jack was born on June 6, 1941 in Bristol, Virginia. He is survived by his wife, Tracy. Jack was a wildlife biologist by training and proudly worked for the Pennsylvania Game Commission for over 20 years. His contributions on the Bobcat & Black Bear projects were a source of tremendous personal pride for Jack. He found his special love, his dog Heidi, while on the mountain and is now reunited with her. He was a solitary person preferring nature over the city by far. A simple life brought him few, but fiercely loyal friendships. Jack's final journey will be with Tracy and a close friend to Pennsylvania to honor the places he felt the closest kinship to. His last wishes were to go quietly without services which will be respected. However, a contribution to either the Wildlife Conservancy or the National Wildlife Federation in his name would be fitting. HOKA HEY "it is a good day to die, Native American Indian farewell.” Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/18/2007.
1258. HUDSON, WILLIAM (BILL), (Obituary No. 1258.) 60 Ocala - Mr. William (BILL) Hudson, 60, of Crystal River passed away on Sunday September 29, 2007 at the Citrus County Hospice House in Lecanto, Fl. Born September 30, 1946 in Miami, Fl. He moved to Crystal River in 1999 from Destin, Ft. Walton Beach, Fl. Bill was a Blacksmith for 23 years also an avid fisherman and hunter. He was a member of the Ft. Walton Beach Elks Club. He was a man who loved to spend time with family, friends and taking his grandson fishing and hunting. He is preceded in death by his daughter, Suzanne Hudson Hickox. Survivors include his wife Dona of Crystal River, Fl, three brothers: Chuck and wife Carol of Hudson, Fl., John and wife Susan Hudson of Ocala, Fl. and Mike Hudson of Port Charlotte, Fl. Two sisters Roberta Jenkins of Ocala, Fl. and Fran and husband Wesley Haggard from Hempstead, TX. One grandson Tristan Jenkins and many nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice House of Citrus County. A memorial service will be at ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL an Saturday October 20th at 1:00PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/19/2007.

1259. MCCOLLUM, CHESTER (Obituary No. 1259.), 65 Orlando - Mr. McCollum passed away on October 15, 2007 at Orlando Regional Healthcare. Mr. McCollum is survived by his sons; Shayne McCollum of Orlando, FL, Mike Stell of Orlando, FL, James Stell of NY, NY., Kenneth Bright of NY, NY; daughter; Chestine McCollum of Ny, NY and 17 grandchildren. Services by Tony Tanner Funeral Services, 10195 North Highway 27, Fellowship, FL, 34482, 352-622-2630. Where the name is service in a highly Favored Choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/19/2007.

1260. MORONE, ALBERT (Obituary No. 1260.), 90 Ocala - Albert Morone, 90, passed away on October 15th, 2007. He is the husband of the late Nancy Morone and the father of David Morone, brother of Ernest, Lawrence, and Aldo Morone. He is the grandfather of three and great grandfather on one. Visitation Thursday 6 - 8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 South Pine Ave. with a Mass of Christian burial Friday at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church at 12:00 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/19/2007.

1261. PAYNE, WILLIAM (BILL) DAVIS, (Obituary No. 1261.) 80 Tampa - William (Bill) Davis Payne, 80, lifelong resident of Tampa, died October 14, 2007. He is survived by his children, Penny Payne Thompson, Julie Payne Milam and Mike Payne; grandchildren, Amy Meguiar Service, Christopher D. Milam and Beth Milam Calabria; and great granddaughter, Evie Service. Mr. Payne was a WWII veteran, serving as a US Navy Seabee. He also worked for Otis Elevator for 40 years. Graveside services will be held Thursday, October 18, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Garden of Memories Cemetery, 4207 E. Lake Ave., Tampa. Steve Patton of University Church of Christ will be officiating. Words of comfort may be expressed at gardenofmemoriestampa.com/ Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/18/2007.

1262. RITCH, DORIS M., (Obituary No. 1262.) 82 Ocala - Doris M. Ritch, 82, passed away Monday, October 15, 2007 at Sylvia's House. She was born in Otter Creek, FL and has been a life resident of Ocala. Doris was preceded in death by her husband of 50 years, Harry G. Ritch. She is survived by one son Larry Ritch of Ocala, two grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Graveside services will be 2:00 PM Friday, October 19, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park, with Rev. Bob King officiating. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/20/2007.

1263. ROSSHONG, HELEN M., (Obituary No. 1263.) 80 Ocala - Mrs. Helen M. Roshong 80, passed away in Ocala, Florida on October 13, 2007. She was born in Pennsylvania on April 22,
1927. She was a retired Wire Bonder for the Aerospace industry. She is a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Her loving husband John H. Roshong of 52 years precedes her in death. She is survived by her son Bruce Roshong of Nashua, New Hampshire; two brothers Leonard and Donald Weinsteiger and a sister Mary Strunk all of Bechtelsville, Pennsylvania. She moved to this area in 2001 from Salford, Pennsylvania. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala will be conducting a memorial service Thursday October 18, 2007 at 7:00PM. A burial will be at a later date at the Old Goshenhopper Cemetery in Pennsylvania. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/18/2007.

1264. SIMS, BOBBY TYRONE, (Obituary No. 1264.) 66 Ocala - Bobby Tyrone Sims, 66, Transitioned From earth to Heaven on Tuesday October 9, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, Florida. Mr. Sims was born in Ocala, Florida. Mr. Sims was employed as a Steel Worker at a Steel Factory in New York. He Was a Member of Greater New Bethel Baptist Church Inc., Ocala, Florida. Mr. Sims is Survived By His Children 2 Daughters - Lynette Bryant and Loretta Ford, both of Webster, Florida; 1 Son - Lanza Ford, Webster, Florida; 16 Grandchildren 2 Great-Grandchildren; 2 Sisters - Annie Laura (Deacon Roy Sr.) Coleman, Ocala, Florida, Ida Mae (Elder Leroy) Scott, Ocala, Florida; 2 Brothers- Tommy Lee (Beatrice) Sims Jr., Ocala, Florida, Pastor Leroy (Frankie) Sims, Bradley, Florida, 2 Uncles - John Billings, Ocala, Florida Willie Wade Fisher, Miami, Florida Funeral Services For Mr. Bobby Tyrone Sims will Be held on Saturday October 20, 2007 at 3:00 p.m. at The Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church 515 Northwest 6th Terrace Ocala, Florida 34475 with the Reverend Dr. George W. Lee Sr., Pastor and the Reverend Dr. Dennis Hagins Sr, Pastor of Greater New Bethel Baptist Church Inc. conducting the services, Interment will be in The Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Visitation will be on Friday at the Funeral Home 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday at the Church 2 p.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy. "A SUMMERS FUNERAL SERVICE MAKES THE DIFFERENCE” Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/19/2007.

1265. WILKERSON, VELMA L., (Obituary No. 1265.) 51 Ocala - Velma L. Wilkerson, 51, went home to be with the Lord on October 10, 2007. Funeral Services for Mrs. Wilkerson will be held on Saturday, October 20, 2007 1 p.m. at United Holiness Church of Christ Deliverance Center, Apostle Grant Wilkerson, Pastor. Wake service 7 p.m. Thursday at UHCCDC. Visitation will be Friday, 10 a.m.-7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry, Survivors: Husband Minister Willie Wilkerson; daughters Tawanna Mims, Kayla Wilkerson, Natisha Wilkerson; sons Willie Wilkerson, Jr., Antonio Wilkerson; brothers Albert Rocker, Arthur Armstrong, Walter Jones, Kenneth VanDyke, Sylvester Jones; sisters Cynthia Naylor, Debra Dixon, Shirley VanDyke, Lou VanDyke, Mae VanDyke; 12 grand children. Services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry "Providing a memory that will never fade” Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/20/2007.

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1266. ACOSTA, VIRGINIA(Obituary No. 1266.) 87 Ocala - Virginia Acosta, 87, passed away quietly on Saturday, October 13, 2007. Mrs. Acosta was born on February 28, 1920 in Juana Diaz, Puerto Rico. She moved to New York City at the age of 8, then moved to Hialeah, FL in 1958, Jacksonville, AR in 1990 and then to Ocala in August, 1997. Before her retirement on February, 1985, Mrs. Acosta was a Bookkeeper. Preceded in death by one grandson William DeJesus, survivors include: Son, Mark (Dorothy) DeJesus, Sr., Ocala, FL; grandsons, Mark DeJesus, Jr., N Little Rock, AR; Richard (Brenda) DeJesus, Jacksonville, AR; Great grandson,
Blake DeJesus, Clinton, AR; two sisters, Ana Celia (Jose Luis) Ortega, Carolina, Puerto Rico; and Carmen Acosta, Trujillo Alto, Puerto Rico, and one brother, Angel Luis (Elsa) Acosta, Kissimmee, FL. Cremation arrangements by ICS Cremation. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/19/2007 - 10/20/2007.

1267. BOERSTLER, JACK R., (Obituary No. 1267.) 70 Belleview - Jack R. Boerstler, 70, passed away on Monday, October 15, 2007 at Shands at the University of Florida in Gainesville. Born in Columbia, OH, he moved to Marion County in 1949. He graduated from Lake Weir High School in 1956. He was an active member of St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview. He worked at a wire bound crate manufacturer before retiring in 2003. He was a loving husband, father, and grandfather. He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Anna Boerstler of Belleview; 2 sons Robert Boerstler of Thornton, CO, and David Boerstler of Anderson, IN; daughter Carol A. Grell of Arvada, CO; 8 grandchildren; 2 brothers Deacon Jim Boerstler of Ocala and Bill Boerstler of Palatka; and 2 sisters Roberta Sheffield and Jeanette Downs of Ocklawaha. A funeral mass will be held at 10 AM on Saturday, October 20, 2007 at St. Theresa Catholic Church, 11528 SE Hwy 301, with Father David Vivero officiating. A visitation will be held from 5-7 PM on Friday, October 19, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Road, with a wake service to begin at 7 PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/19/2007.

1268. CRAWFORD, HARRY J., (Obituary No. 1268.) 85 Ocala - Harry J. Crawford, age 85 on 10/16/2007 is the husband of the late Nellie J. Crawford. He is the father of Bonnie David, brother of Ray Crawford and grandfather of Julie Freeman and Jenny David. He is the great grandfather of 3 and great great grandfather of 1 also many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his brother Ray. He is a WWII veteran, life member of VFW Post 4493, DAV, Member of Moose lodge 1199. Visitation Saturday 4-8 pm at THE FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave Ocala, FL. The funeral service is Sunday at 1 pm. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/19/2007 - 10/21/2007.

1269. DEWESE, CARRIE BELL, (Obituary No. 1269.) 67 Citra - Carrie Bell Dewese, 67, Funeral services will be on Saturday, October 20, 2007 at 11 a.m., Church of God by Faith in Righteousness & True Holiness, Citra, FL. Reverend Jacqueline Doby will conduct the words of comfort. A Wake service will be held at Sellers Funeral Home on Thursday at 7 p.m. The family and friends are asked to meet at the Dewese residence (17340 N.E. 16th Terr., Citra, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortège. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mrs. Dewese who was preceded in death by mother: Alma Webb, Father: Dennis Webb, sister: Luvenia Burch and brother: James Webb, a devoted husband of 51 years, John Q. Dewese, Jr., Citra; daughters: Debbie Roundtree, Ocala, Pamela Clinton, Citra, Sekina Roberts, Gainesville; Kanaya Dewese, Citra; sons: John Dewese, Citra, Jimmy Dewese, Ocala, Fabian Dewese, Ocala, Cedrick Dewese, Ocklawaha; 23 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren. Information provided by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME, INC. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/19/2007.

1270. DOBLMEIER, MARILYN A. "LYNNE", (Obituary No. 1270.) 83 Ocala - Marilyn A. Doblmeier, 83, passed away Tuesday, October 16, 2007 at ORMC. She and her husband, Joseph moved to Ocala 5 months ago from Winter Springs, FL to be with their daughter, Deborah. Mrs. Doblmeier retired in 1980 as a recognized buyer of women's fashions for Manhattan retail stores. Her greatest enjoyment in life was her family and holiday gatherings. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Monday, October 22, 2007 at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Ocala.
Visitation will be Sunday from 5-7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Entombment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/19/2007 - 10/20/2007.

1271. FREDERICK, THOMAS JAMES, (Obituary No. 1271.) 75 Ocala - Thomas James Frederick, 75, passed away Saturday October 13, 2007 at Shands Hospital after a long, remarkable challenge with vascular stenosis. Retired from IBM Boca Raton, he moved to Ocala in 1989. His career included a 10 year history on the Apollo program at the Kennedy Space Center, Merritt Island, Fla. and on the development of the first personal computers in Boca Raton, Fla. Born in Reading Pa, moving to Miami Fla. in 1947. He was a Navy veteran during the Korean War, with assignments from Greenland to Panama. An avid salt water fisherman who owned and operated his charter boat the "Audi J" out of Ft. Pierce, Pompano Beach and Boca Raton. When not on the water he preferred to be on the golf course and was a professional golf club maker who took great pride in the building and refinishing of clubs. He later spent his final years assisting his son with the Yancy Blueberry Farm in Silver Springs. He was a gentle man, who laughed a lot, had a big heart and knew only kind words. A true University of Miami fan who endured constant ribbing by his University of Florida and Florida State children. He is survived by his loving wife Audrey Lott Frederick, daughter - Erin Frederick; sons - Daniel Frederick, Andrew Frederick, Todd Cross and Trevor Cross; grandchildren - Thomas Frederick, Jessica Hudgins, Katelyn Frederick and Ethan Hudgins; sisters - Virginia Conrad, Kutztown, Pa. and JoAnn Valenti, Eureka, Calif.; brother - Michael Frederick, Alaska; in-laws - Ralph and Peg Lott, Annette Frederick, Dawn Cross, and Bonnie Hough. Preceded in death by parents, Joseph and Anna Frederick and sister, Delores Knapp. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Vascular Surgery Department at the University of Florida in Gainesville. A memorial service with military honors will be held at the Veterans Memorial Park on Fort King Street in Ocala on Saturday October 20, 2007 at 10 a.m. with a gathering of friends and family at his home following the service. Pastor John Petrucelli officiating. Internment at the National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida on Wednesday October 24, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/19/2007.

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1280. SPERBER, LILLIAN nee SINGER, (Obituary No. 1280.) 92 Ocala - Lillian Sperber nee Singer, 92, passed away October 13th. Funeral services at The Stanetsky Memorial Chapel in Canton, MA. Lillian was born in Boston to the late Nathan and Jennie Singer. She was the beloved wife of the late Milton who passed away in 1976. She is the loving mother of Judy (Richard) Altman of Lake Mary and Cyndy (Ed) Doty of Ocala, cherished grandmother of Jonathan (Gwen), Stacey and Matthew, adoring great grandmother of Joshua and devoted sister of the late Mary Himmelweit, Samuel Singer, and Shirley Yarmaloff. In lieu of flowers memorial donations are requested to the Alzheimer's Assoc. 225 N. Michigan Ave. floor 17 Chicago, IL. 60601. Services entrusted to Beth Shalom Memorial Chapel, 640 Lee Road Orlando, FL. 32810. 407-599-1180. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/19/2007 - 10/20/2007.

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1282. ACOSTA, VIRGINIA(Obituary No. 1282.), 87 Ocala - Virginia Acosta, 87, passed away quietly on Saturday, October 13, 2007. Mrs. Acosta was born on February 28, 1920 in
Juana Diaz, Puerto Rico. She moved to New York City at the age of 8, then moved to Hialeah, FL in 1958, Jacksonville, AR in 1990 and then to Ocala in August, 1997. Before her retirement on February, 1985, Mrs. Acosta was a Bookkeeper. Preceded in death by one grandson William DeJesus, survivors include: Son, Mark (Dorothy) DeJesus, Sr., Ocala, FL; grandsons, Mark DeJesus, Jr., N Little Rock, AR; Richard (Brenda) DeJesus, Jacksonville, AR; Great grandson, Blake DeJesus, Clinton, AR; two sisters, Ana Celia (Jose Luis) Ortega, Carolina, Puerto Rico; and Carmen Acosta, Trujillo Alto, Puerto Rico and one brother, Angel Luis (Elsa) Acosta, Kissimmee, FL. Cremation arrangements by ICS Cremation. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/19/2007 - 10/20/2007.

1283. CRAWFORD, HARRY J., (Obituary No. 1283.) 85 Ocala - Harry J. Crawford, age 85 on 10/16/2007 is the husband of the late Nellie J. Crawford. He is the father of Bonnie David, brother of Ray Crawford and grandfather of Julie Freeman and Jenny David. He is the great grandfather of 3 and great great grandfather of 1 also many nieces and nephews. He is precede in death by his brother Ray. He is a WWII veteran, life member of VFW Post 4493, DAV, Member of Moose lodge 1199. Visitation Saturday 4-8 pm at THE FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave Ocala, FL. The funeral service is Sunday at 1 pm. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/19/2007 - 10/21/2007.

1284. DOBLMEIER, MARILYN A. "LYNNE", (Obituary No. 1284.) 83 Ocala - Marilyn A. Doblmeier, 83, passed away Tuesday, October 16, 2007 at ORMC. She and her husband, Joseph moved to Ocala 5 month's ago from Winter Springs, FL to be with their daughter, Deborah. Mrs. Doblemeier retired in 1980 as a recognized buyer of women's fashions for Manhattan retail stores. Her greatest enjoyment in life was her family and holiday gatherings. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Monday, October 22, 2007 at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Ocala. Visitation will be Sunday from 5-7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Entombment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/19/2007 - 10/20/2007.

1285. GAERTNER, LOUISE C., (Obituary No. 1285.) 84 Ocala - Louise C. Gaertner, 84, passed away on Monday, Oct. 15, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehab Center. Mrs. Gaertner moved to Ocala from Fish Lake, Indiana in 1989. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church; a member of the Council of Catholic Women. Mrs. Gaertner was an avid bowler with the church league and OTOW. She is survived by her husband of 61 years Edward F. Gaertner of Ocala, a son Edward F. Gaertner, Jr. of Danville, IL a daughter Lynn Gaertner-Johnston of Seattle, WA; two brothers, Norman Mrotek of Elmonte, CA and Donald Mrotek of Spotswood, NJ; 3 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday Oct. 22 from 4-7 pm with prayers at 4 pm at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge Chapel. Funeral Mass will be Tuesday Oct. 23, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 at 8:30 am with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Committal will be Wednesday October 24, 2007 at 10 am at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/21/2007.

1286. HOGAN, MARION H., (Obituary No. 1286.) 74 Ocala - Marion H. Hogan, 74, passed away on Wednesday, Oct 17, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Plant City and had been a resident of Ocala most of his lifetime. He was a retired truck driver and a U.S. Navy veteran of the Korean Conflict. Mr. Hogan is survived by his wife Sarah L. Hogan, his daughter, Evelyn Tillis, his sons, Michael, Emmett and John Hogan all of Ocala and nine grandchildren and one great grandchild. Funeral services will be Tuesday, October 23, 2007 at 10 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment will be in Forest Lawn
Memory Gardens. Visitation will be Monday from 5-7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/19/2007 - 10/20/2007.

1287. RITCH, DORIS M., (Obituary No. 1287.) 82 Ocala - Doris M. Ritch, 82, passed away Monday, October 15, 2007 at Sylvia's House. She was born in Otter Creek, FL and has been a life resident of Ocala. Doris was preceded in death by her husband of 50 years, Harry G. Ritch. She is survived by one son Larry Ritch of Ocala, two grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Graveside services will be 2:00 PM Friday, October 19, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park, with Rev. Bob King officiating. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/20/2007.

1288. SPERBER, LILLIAN nee SINGER, (Obituary No. 1288.) 92 Ocala - Lillian Sperber nee Singer, 92, passed away October 13th. Funeral services at The Stanetsky Memorial Chapel in Canton, MA. Lillian was born in Boston to the late Nathan and Jennie Singer. She was the beloved wife of the late Milton who passed away in 1976. She is the loving mother of Judy (Richard) Altman of Lake Mary and Cyndy (Ed) Doty of Ocala, cherished grandmother of Jonathan (Gwen), Stacey and Matthew, adoring great grandmother of Joshua and devoted sister of the late Mary Himmelweit, Samuel Singer, and Shirley Yarmaloff. In lieu of flowers memorial donations are requested to the Alzheimer's Assoc. 225 N. Michigan Ave. floor 17 Chicago, IL. 60601. Services entrusted to Beth Shalom Memorial Chapel, 640 Lee Road Orlando, FL. 32810. 407-599-1180. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/19/2007 - 10/20/2007.

1289. WILKERSON, VELMA L., (Obituary No. 1289.) 51 Ocala - Velma L. Wilkerson, 51, went home to be with the Lord on October 10, 2007. Funeral Services for Mrs. Wilkerson will be held on Saturday, October 20, 2007 1 p.m. at United Holiness Church of Christ Deliverance Center, Apostle Grant Wilkerson, Pastor. Wake service 7 p.m. Thursday at UHCCDC. Visitation will be Friday, 10 a.m.-7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Survivors: Husband Minister Willie Wilkerson; daughters Tawanna Mims, Kayla Wilkerson, Natisha Wilkerson; sons Willie Wilkerson, Jr., Antonio Wilkerson; brothers Albert Rocker, Arthur Armstrong, Walter Jones, Kenneth VanDyke, Sylvester Jones; sisters Cynthia Naylor, Debra Dixon, Shirley VanDyke, Lou VanDyke, Mae VanDyke; 12 grand children. Services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry "Providing a memory that will never fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/18/2007 - 10/20/2007.

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1290. CRAWFORD, HARRY J., (Obituary No. 1290.) 85 Ocala - Harry J. Crawford, age 85 on 10/16/2007 is the husband of the late Nellie J. Crawford. He is the father of Bonnie David, brother of Ray Crawford and grandfather of Julie Freeman and Jenny David. He is the great grandfather of 3 and great great grandfather of 1 also many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his brother Ray. He is a WWII veteran, life member of VFW Post 4493, DAV, Member of Moose lodge 1199. Visitation Saturday 4-8 pm at THE FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave Ocala, FL. The funeral service is Sunday at 1 pm. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/19/2007 - 10/21/2007.

1291. GAERTNER, LOUISE C., (Obituary No. 1291.) 84 Ocala - Louise C. Gaertner, 84, passed away on Monday, Oct. 15, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehab Center. Mrs. Gaertner moved to Ocala from Fish Lake, Indiana in 1989. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church; a member of the Council of Catholic Women. Mrs. Gaertner was an avid bowler with the church league and OTOW. She is survived by her husband of 61 years Edward F. Gaertner of...
Ocala, a son Edward F. Gaertner, Jr. of Danville, IL a daughter Lynn Gaertner-Johnston of Seattle, WA; two brothers, Norman Mrotek of Elmonte, CA and Donald Mrotek of Spotswood, NJ; 3 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday Oct. 22 from 4 -7 pm with prayers at 4 pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge Chapel. Funeral Mass will be Tuesday Oct. 23, 2007 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 at 8:30 am with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Committal will be Wednesday October 24, 2007 at 10 am at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/17/2007 - 10/21/2007.

1292. GROVER, JR., ELMER WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 1292.) 77 Ocala - Elmer William Grover, Jr., 77, died Monday, October 15, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Elmer was born in Waukegan, IL. And came to Ocala 9 years ago from New Berlin, Wis. Elmer retired from the Miller Brewing Co. after 43 years of service. He also enjoyed golf and basketball when he was able. Elmer was a member of St. Luke's Lutheran Church for 30 years in Greendale, Wis. And attended St. Mathew's Lutheran Church here in Ocala. He is survived by his devoted wife of 56 years Jackie Grover of Ocala. 2- sons Kirk Grover of North Port, Fl. and Kevin Grover of Milwaukee, Wis. 4-Granddaughters Stephani Grover of Ocala. Kristian Grover, Courtney Greene and Samantha Grover. 3- grandsons Kory Grover, Brandon Grover, and Dylan Grover. 2- Great Grandchildren Alexander Greene and Kali Greene. His sister precedes him in death Gloria Peter. There will be a memorial service at a later date by the family. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

1293. HARITONOWITZ, FRED(Obituary No. 1293.) 82 Ocala - Fred Haritonowitz, 82, passed away October 12th. Born in Brooklyn, New York, he came to this area 14 years ago from Ft. Myers, FL. He was a retired prototype manufacturer for Grumman Aerospace Corp., Army Veteran of WWII and Orthodox by faith. He was preceded in death by his longtime companion, Lodema Wiese and his sister, Anna Haritonowitz. Funeral Service will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala) on Tuesday (October 23rd) at 11 AM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

1294. HARRISON, ARLIE CLAYTON, (Obituary No. 1294.) 76 Citra - Arlie Clayton Harrison, 76, of Citra, passed away October 19th at his home. Born in Ocala, he was a lifelong resident of the area. He was a Korean War Army Veteran, truck driver, mechanic and farmer. He was Methodist by faith and is survived by his wife of 52 years, Minnie Harrison; daughters, Cynthia Ann Harrison and Shirley Harrison-Adams and granddaughter, Ashley Adams all of Citra; brother, Joe Harrison of Jacksonville, FL; sisters, Muriel DeLaney of Branford, FL, Marjorie Bryden and Mildred Spray, both of Ocala, FL. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141) on Tuesday (October 23rd) from 6-8 p.m. Funeral Services will be held at the Funeral Home on Wednesday (October 24th) at 1 p.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

1295. MOEN, SR., CARLTON ARTHUR, (Obituary No. 1295.) 53 Silver Springs - Carl A. Moen, Sr., age 53, died Monday, October 15, 2007. He has been a life resident of Ocala. Carl was a HVAC installer, and has worked on construction of over 100 Wal-Mart Stores. He is survived by his son Carl A. Moen, Jr. of Auburn, GA and two grandchildren. Memorial services will be 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 23, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs
1296. MORGAN, JAMES C., (Obituary No. 1296.) 95 Ocala - James C. Morgan, 95, died October 14, 2007. He was born in Winder, GA and lived most of his life in Plant City where he was a deacon at the First Presbyterian Church. He retired after 30 years of dedicated service for Union Special Machine Co. He moved to Ocala in 2002. He was a wonderful husband, a great father who loved being outdoors, fishing, and enjoyed all sports. James is survived by his loving wife of 65 years, Mary Lucille Morgan, his four children Jim Morgan, Judy Lins, Jane Fischer, and John Morgan, and his 7 Grandchildren and 6 great Grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

1297. RICKETSON, ZADA MAE, (Obituary No. 1297.) 69 Ocala - Zada M. Ricketson of Ocala passed away on Thursday, October 18, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Dade City, FL, she had made Marion County her home most of her life. She had worked at K-Mart for a number of years and before that worked at Elliot's Restaurant of Ocala. She enjoyed softball, bowling, computer games and most of all travel. She traveled most of the United States. She was preceded in death by husband Beck and a sister Vernice and brother Dennis. Survivors include four sons: Richard A. Ricketson, Ocala, FL, Robert T. Ricketson, Homosassa, FL, Randy D. Ricketson, Ocala, FL, Ronald J. Ricketson, High Springs, FL, four brother: Clyde Nichols, GA, Clifton Nichols, Deltona, GA, Clinton Nichols and Leon, both of Ocala, FL, five grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Services will be held at 1 p.m. on Sunday, October 21, 2007 at HIERs FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34480. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. HIERs FUNERAL HOME in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

1298. SMITH, CELIA(Obituary No. 1298.), 72 Ocala - After fighting a courageous battle with cancer, Celia Smith, age 72, of Ocala, FL crossed the bridge to Paradise on Tuesday, October 16th, 2007. She was surrounded by her loving family. Celia was born in Taunton, MA on August 13, 1935 to Florence and Manton Chambers. She was the loving wife of Joseph Smith for 56 years. She is fondly remembered by her daughters and their spouses; Donna (Bernard) Travers of Temperance, MI, Linda (David) Hartley of Pacheco, CA, Laurie (Tony) Watling of Lambertville, MI and Kathy Smith of Satellite Beach, sons and their spouses; Joseph Smith of Ocala, FL, Daniel (Joy) Smith and Gary (Reena) Smith both of Titusville, FL. Other survivors include her sisters; Joyce Benevides of Ocala, FL, Marinda Amaral of Taunton, MA, and brother; Bruce Chambers of Chino Valley, AZ as well as 11 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Waiting to welcome her home are her parents Manton and Florence Chambers, her daughter Judy Goodman, and her brother Allen Chambers. May we find peace, joy, and comfort knowing that she lives in God's presence. In celebration of her life, a service was held on Saturday, October 20, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. at BEACH FUNERAL HOME EAST CHAPEL in Indian Harbour Beach, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

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1299. DUTT, DR. ANJALI, (Obituary No. 1299.) 78 Ocala- Dr. Anjali Dutt, 78, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Friday, Oct. 19, 2007. Born in Calcutta, India, Anjali was a Physician, received her Doctorate from King George's Medical College, India, she was very much involved in the India Community, loved music, singing and cooking. She was a very warm person, always giving of herself, she loved being with her family as well as opening her home to everyone. Anjali is survive by her husband of 48 years, Dr. Asim K. Dutt, Ocala, son, Dr. Anil K. Duty
Titusville, PA, daughters, Ranjana Sanyal and her husband, Dr. Arun J. Sanyal, Richmond, VA, and Dr. Tina Chandra and her husband, Dr. Ravi Chandra of peals, sisters, Purnima Roy and Madhuri Duty both of Kolkata, India, and six grandchildren, Josh, Joys, Jay, Sheila, Pria, and Rayna. Funeral Services will be held privately. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, PO Box 7023 Merrifield, VA 22116-7023 or the National Kidney Foundation, 1040 Woodcock Rd Ste 119 Orlando, FL 328033510, ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/22/2007 - 10/23/2007.

1300. GROVER, JR., ELMER WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 1300.) 77 Ocala - Elmer William Grover, Jr., 77, died Monday, October 15, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Elmer was born in Waukegan, IL. And came to Ocala 9 years ago from New Berlin, Wis. Elmer retired from the Miller Brewing Co. after 43 years of service. He also enjoyed golf and basketball when he was able. Elmer was a member of St. Luke's Lutheran Church for 30 years in Greendale, Wis. And attended St. Mathew's Lutheran Church here in Ocala. He is survived by his devoted wife of 56 years Jackie Grover of Ocala. 2- sons Kirk Grover of North Port, Fl. and Kevin Grover of Milwaukee, Wis. 4-Granddaughters Stephani Grover of Ocala. Kristian Grover, Courtney Greene and Samantha Grover. 3- grandsons Kory Grover, Brandon Grover, and Dylan Grover. 2- Grandchildren Alexander Greene and Kali Greene. His sister precedes him in death Gloria Peter. There will be a memorial service at a later date by the family. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

1301. HARITONOWITZ, FRED(Obituary No. 1301.) , 82 Ocala - Fred Haritonowitz, 82, passed away October 12th. Born in Brooklyn, New York, he came to this area 14 years ago from Ft. Myers, FL. He was a retired prototype manufacturer for Grumman Aerospace Corp., Army Veteran of WWII and Orthodox by faith. He was preceded in death by his longtime companion, Lodema Wiese and his sister, Anna Haritonowitz. Funeral Service will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala) on Tuesday (October 23rd) at 11 AM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

1302. HARRISON, ARLIE CLAYTON, (Obituary No. 1302.) 76 Citra - Arlie Clayton Harrison, 76, of Citra, passed away October 19th at his home. Born in Ocala, he was a lifelong resident of the area. He was a Korean War Army Veteran, truck driver, mechanic and farmer. He was Methodist by faith and is survived by his wife of 52 years, Minnie Harrison; daughters, Cynthia Ann Harrison and Shirley Harrison-Adams and granddaughter, Ashley Adams all of Citra; brother, Joe Harrison of Jacksonville, FL; sisters, Muriel DeLaney of Branford, FL, Marjorie Bryden and Mildred Spray, both of Ocala, FL. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, 622-4141) on Tuesday (October 23rd) from 6-8 p.m. Funeral Services will be held at the Funeral Home on Wednesday (October 24th) at 1 p.m. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

1303. MOEN, SR., CARLTON ARTHUR, (Obituary No. 1303.) 53 Silver Springs - Carl A. Moen, Sr., age 53, died Monday, October 15, 2007. He has been a life resident of Ocala. Carl was a HVAC installer, and has worked on construction of over 100 Wal-Mart Stores. He is survived by his son Carl A. Moen, Jr. of Auburn, GA and two grandchildren. Memorial services will be 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 23, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs
1304. MORGAN, JAMES C., (Obituary No. 1304.) 95 Ocala - James C. Morgan, 95, died October 14, 2007. He was born in Winder, GA and lived most of his life in Plant City where he was a deacon at the First Presbyterian Church. He retired after 30 years of dedicated service for Union Special Machine Co. He moved to Ocala in 2002. He was a wonderful husband, a great father who loved being outdoors, fishing, and enjoyed all sports. James is survived by his loving wife of 65 years, Mary Lucille Morgan, his four children Jim Morgan, Judy Lins, Jane Fischer, and John Morgan, and his 7 Grandchildren and 6 great Grandchildren. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

1305. RICKETSON, ZADA MAE, (Obituary No. 1305.) 69 Ocala - Zada M. Ricketson of Ocala passed away on Thursday, October 18, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Dade City, FL, she had made Marion County her home most of her life. She had worked at K-Mart for a number of years and before that worked at Elliot's Restaurant of Ocala. She enjoyed softball, bowling, computer games and most of all travel. She traveled most of the United States. She was preceded in death by husband Beck and a sister Vernice and brother Dennis. Survivors include four sons: Richard A. Ricketson, Ocala, FL, Robert T. Ricketson, Homosassa, FL, Randy D. Ricketson, Ocala, FL, Ronald J. Ricketson, High Springs, FL, four brother: Clyde Nichols, GA, Clifton Nichols, Deltona, GA, Clinton Nichols and Leon, both of Ocala, FL, five grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Services will be held at 1 p.m. on Sunday, October 21, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34480. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. HIERS FUNERAL HOME in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

1306. SMITH, CELIA(Obituary No. 1306.), 72 Ocala - After fighting a courageous battle with cancer, Celia Smith, age 72, of Ocala, FL crossed the bridge to Paradise on Tuesday, October 16th, 2007. She was surrounded by her loving family. Celia was born in Taunton, MA on August 13, 1935 to Florence and Manton Chambers. She was the loving wife of Joseph Smith for 56 years. She is fondly remembered by her daughters and their spouses; Donna (Bernard) Travers of Temperance, MI, Linda (David) Hartley of Pacheco, CA, Laurie (Tony) Watling of Lambertville, MI and Kathy Smith of Satellite Beach, sons and their spouses; Joseph Smith of Ocala, FL, Daniel (Joy) Smith and Gary (Reena) Smith both of Titusville, FL. Other survivors include her sisters; Joyce Benevides of Ocala, FL, Marinda Amaral of Taunton, MA, and brother; Bruce Chambers of Chino Valley, AZ as well as 11 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Waiting to welcome her home are her parents Manton and Florence Chambers, her daughter Judy Goodman, and her brother Allen Chambers. May we find peace, joy, and comfort knowing that she lives in God's presence. In celebration of her life, a service was held on Saturday, October 20, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. at BEACH FUNERAL HOME EAST CHAPEL in Indian Harbour Beach, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/21/2007 - 10/22/2007.

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1307. ADAMS, CHARLES K., (Obituary No. 1307.) 87 Lady Lake - Charles K. Adams, 87, died Saturday, October 20, 2007 at The Villages Hospice House - The Villages, Florida. Charles K. Adams was born in Chatsworth, GA, Mr. Adams came to The Villages from Africa and has lived her for six years. He was a Civil Engineer, worked on roads, bridges & dams in Turkey, So. Amer Africa & throughout the world. Mr. Adams was a zero handicap avid golfer who supervised the building of a golf course in Bosni, a former Minor League Baseball Player,

1308. ADAMS, GLORIA P., (Obituary No. 1308.) 80 Ocala - Gloria P. Adams, 80, passed away Sunday, October 21, 2007. She was a lifetime resident of Ocala. Mrs. Adams was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala and a retired bookkeeper for Griffin Insurance and former member of the Ocala Insurance Women's Association and the Ocala Dance Club. Her husband William Herbert Adams preceded her in death November 2003. She is survived by one son Todd Adams (wife Terri) of Ocala and two grandsons William and Christopher. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, October 24, 2007 at the First United Methodist Church, with Dr. John F. Few and Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Visitation will be 5-7 p.m. Tuesday at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1309. ADAMS, LLOYD(Obituary No. 1309.) , 83 Summerfield - Lloyd Adams, 83, died at Tuscany Hospice House October 21, 2007. He was born in Louisa, Kentucky and moved to Marion County in 1984 from Michigan and worked for General Motors as a Line worker. He was a member of the Shriners Club and Free Masons. He was a veteran of WWII serving as an armed guard in the United States Navy. He is survived by his 5 daughters Kim Lunday of Belleview, Carla Manning of Starke, FL, Ladonna Vanbelle, Vauneda Adams and Opal Mikat all of Michigan; 9 grandchildren; and companion of 34 years Reba Adams. A funeral service will be held at 6 PM on Thursday, October 25, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES Bellevue, 5946 SE Robinson Road. with Pastor Garry Cheek officiating. A visitation will be held from 5-7 PM on Wednesday, October 24, 2007 at the funeral home. Inurnment to follow at a later date at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1310. ARCHER, DOROTHY "DOT", (Obituary No. 1310.) 83 Dunnellon - Dorothy "Dot" Archer, 83, passed away October 22nd at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in the Bronx, NY and moved to Ocala in 2004 from Largo, FL. She was a Methodist, and enjoyed writing, cruises, traveling, horses, cats and was a volunteer for the SPCA. She is survived by a daughter Kathleen (David) Hanson of Dunnellon, FL, sons Thomas (Jane) Archer of Spokane, WA, William (Claudia) Archer of Wilmington, NC, 3 grandchildren, 2 step grandchildren, and one step great granddaughter. The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesday, October 24th, with a funeral service at 1 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. Entombment services will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday, October 25th at Memorial Park Cemetery in St. Petersburg, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1311. DUTT, DR. ANJALI, (Obituary No. 1311.) 78 Ocala- Dr. Anjali Dutt, 78, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Friday, Oct. 19, 2007. Born in Calcutta, India, Anjali was a Physician, received
her Doctorate from King George's Medical College, India, she was very much involved in the India Community, loved music, singing and cooking. She was a very warm person, always giving of herself, she loved being with her family as well as opening her home to everyone.

Anjali is survive by her husband of 48 years, Dr. Asim K. Dutt, Ocala, son, Dr. Anil K. Duty Titusville, PA, daughters, Ranjana Sanyal and her husband, Dr. Arun J. Sanyal, Richmond, VA, and Dr. Tina Chandra and her husband, Dr. Ravi Chandra of peals, sisters, Purnima Roy and Madhuri Duty both of Kolkata, India, and six grandchildren, Josh, Joys, Jay, Sheila, Pria, and Rayna. Funeral Services will be held privately. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, PO Box 7023 Merrifield, VA 22116-7023 or the National Kidney Foundation, 1040 Woodcock Rd Ste 119 Orlando, FL 328033510, ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/22/2007 - 10/23/2007.

1312. GALLOWAY, MARTIN N. "MARTY", (Obituary No. 1312.) 49 Ocala - Martin N. "Marty" Galloway, 49, passed away October 20th. Born in Columbia, SC he was a lifelong resident of Ocala. He was a Navy Veteran, real estate broker, and a member of Grace Episcopal Church. He was also a member of the Marion County Board of Realtors and was an avid boater and fisherman. He is survived by his wife, Barbara L. Galloway; sons, Trevor Galloway of Ocala, Martin Galloway Jr. of Silver Spring, MD; daughter, Kathryn S. Galloway of Ocala; father, Gus Galloway and his wife Mary Carolyn of Ocala; mother, Eugenia Benson of Charleston, SC; siblings, Paula Robinson of Hawthorne, FL, Mitchell Kelly of Los Angeles, CA, Shannon Gibb of Ocala, Margaret Paulling of Charleston, SC, Megan Lomel of Ocala and Nolan Galloway III of Ocala. A memorial service will be held at Grace Episcopal Church (503 SE Broadway St. Ocala) on Friday (October 26th) at 3 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Center for Independent Living, Hospice of Marion County, the Salvation Army or the Arnett House. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1313. LARKIN, NORMA(Obituary No. 1313.) 81 Ocala - Norma Larkin, 81, of Ocala, FL passed away October 15, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. Mrs. Larkin was born in Hasbrouck Heights, NJ and resided in Lynnfield, MA for ten years before moving to Cheshire, CT in 1965. She moved to Ocala in 1995 to be with her daughter and grandchildren. She was a homemaker and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star; she was a sponsor for C.A.R.E. (Cheshire Aides Refugee Effort). She also enjoyed traveling, arts and crafts, and playing cards. Mrs. Larkin is survived by her daughter A. Kim Melvin and husband Chris of Ocala; her grandchildren Lindsay and Jaymes of Ocala; a sister Virginia Hertzon of Whiting, NJ; and several nieces and nephews from Oregon to Maine. She was predeceased by her husband John Dermott Larkin (1979). Memorial Service for Mrs. Larkin will be Thursday, October 25, 2007 at 4:00 PM at Grace Episcopal Church, 503 SE Broadway St., Ocala, FL with Pastor Donald J. Curran, Jr. officiating. Arrangements by HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. 34481 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1314. MALLOY, IRMA L., (Obituary No. 1314.) 81 Silver Springs - Irma L. Malloy, 81, passed away on Monday, Oct. 22, 2007. Born in Kandel, Germany, she relocated to Marion County in 1980 from NY. She was a homemaker, a parishioner at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, member of the German Club, AARP and the VFW Aux. She was an all-around "Handy Woman", Carpentry, Plumbing, remodeling. She also enjoyed cooking, gardening and
spending time with her grandchildren. Irma is survived by three sons, Brian (Margie) Malloy, Silver Springs, Lawrence (Robin) Malloy, Wallkill, NY, Daniel (Diane) Malloy, Canandaigua, NY, by her daughter, Barbara (Jerry) Malloy-Morin, Houston, TX, sister, Rosel Bauer, Toronto, Canada, brother, Eckehard Roedel, Germany, and by nine grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Lawrence Malloy. Funeral Services will be held on Thursday, October, 25, 2007 at 12 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. The family will receive friends at the funeral home one hour prior to services. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1315. RICHARDS, DR. LEO O., (Obituary No. 1315.) 78 Ocala - Dr. Leo O. Richards, 78, passed away on October 4, 2007. A celebration of his life and his work on behalf of the animals will be held at the Marion County Animal Center (5707 SE 66th St.) on October 25th at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

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1316. ADAMS, CHARLES (Obituary No. 1316.) K., 87 Lady Lake - Charles K. Adams, 87, died Saturday, October 20, 2007 at The Villages Hospice House - The Villages, Florida. Charles K. Adams was born in Chatsworth, GA, Mr. Adams came to The Villages from Africa and has lived her for six years. He was a Civil Engineer, worked on roads, bridges & dams in Turkey, So. Amer Africa & throughout the world. Mr. Adams was a zero handicap avid golfer who supervised the building of a golf course in Bosni, a former Minor League Baseball Player, Attended Lincoln Memorial, Georgia Tech and Emory Universities. He attended Sunset Harbor Baptist Church. Survivors: Wife Mildred "Millie" Adams, The Villages, brothers Frank Adams, and James Adams, both of Chatsworth, GA., sisters Margaret Adams, Pat Hawkins, Chatsworth, GA., Inez Libernoise, Michigan, and many nieces and nephews. A gathering of family and friends will be held from noon to 1pm Tuesday, October 23, 2007 at Beyers Funeral Home, Lady Lake. Memorial Services at 1 pm, October 23, 2007 at Beyers Funeral Home. Pastor Paul Naylor, officiating. A reception will follow at 2PM at the Orange Blossom Hills Country Club. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY in Lady Lake in charge of arrangements. Donations to Sunset Harbor Baptist Church, 9200 SE Sunset Harbor Rd., Summerfield. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1317. ADAMS, GLORIA P., (Obituary No. 1317.) 80 Ocala - Gloria P. Adams, 80, passed away Sunday, October 21, 2007. She was a lifetime resident of Ocala. Mrs. Adams was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala and a retired bookkeeper for Griffin Insurance and former member of the Ocala Insurance Women's Association and the Ocala Dance Club. Her husband William Herbert Adams preceded her in death November 2003. She is survived by one son Todd Adams (wife Terri) of Ocala and two grandsons William and Christopher. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, October 24, 2007 at the First United Methodist Church, with Dr. John F. Few and Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Visitation will be 5-7 p.m. Tuesday at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1318. ADAMS, LLOYD(Obituary No. 1318.), 83 Summerfield - Lloyd Adams, 83, died at Tuscany Hospice House October 21, 2007. He was born In Louisa, Kentucky and moved to Marion County in 1984 from Michigan and worked for General Motors as a Line worker. He was a member of the Shriners Club and Free Masons. He was a veteran of WWII serving as an
armed guard in the United States Navy. He is survived by his 5 daughters Kim Lunday of Bellevue, Carla Manning of Starke, FL, Ladonna Vanbelle, Vauned Adams and Opal Mikat all of Michigan; 9 grandchildren; and companion of 34 years Reba Adams. A funeral service will be held at 6 PM on Thursday, October 25, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES Bellevue, 5946 SE Robinson Road. with Pastor Garry Cheek officiating. A visitation will be held from 5-7 PM on Wednesday, October 24, 2007 at the funeral home. Inurnment to follow at a later date at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1319. ARCHER, DOROTHY "DOT", (Obituary No. 1319.) 83 Dunnellon - Dorothy "Dot" Archer, 83, passed away October 22nd at the Legacy Hospice House. She was born in the Bronx, NY and moved to Ocala in 2004 from Largo, FL. She was a Methodist, and enjoyed writing, cruises, traveling, horses, cats and was a volunteer for the SPCA. She is survived by a daughter Kathleen (David) Hanson of Dunnellon, FL, sons Thomas (Jane) Archer of Spokane, WA, William (Claudia) Archer of Wilmington, NC, 3 grandchildren, 2 step grandchildren, and one step great granddaughter. The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesday, October 24th, with a funeral service at 1 p.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. Entombment services will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday, October 25th at Memorial Park Cemetery in St. Petersburg, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1320. BRITT, J. LARRY, (Obituary No. 1320.) 64 Ocala - J. Larry Britt, 64, passed October 20, 2007. He was born December 15, 1942 in Arcadia, Florida. He graduated from Ft. Myers High School in 1960. Larry had a degree, Doctorate of Les Paul Guitars, Les Paul University of Music. He worked at Sears and various RV sales in Ft. Myers. For years he entertained people with his great talent playing the guitar and singing in many Ft. Myers area clubs. Larry liked to play golf and fish. He retired to Ocala four years ago. His hobby was making macrame hangings. He was preceeded in death by his parents Euyleth and Martha Britt of Ft. Myers. He is survived by his brother, E. Ben Britt of N. Ft. Myers, son Kevin Britt and daughter-in-law Leslie of Lexington, S. C. Also daughter, Lisa Crow of Gravette, Arkansas. He had four grandchildren. Kaylee and Kyle Crow and Casey and Isabella Britt. A Direct Cremation of Gainesville is handling the arrangements. Memorial may be made to: South Carolina Jr. Golf Association, 7451 Irmo Drive, Irmo S. C. 29212 or The Music Foundation of Southwest Florida, 13300-56 S. Cleveland Ave., PMB-214, Ft. Myers, Fl. 33907. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/25/2007.

1321. CABE, DEVERE H., (Obituary No. 1321.) 85 Ocala - Devere H. Cabe, 85, passed away on Oct. 21, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. Mr. Cabe was the son of Horace Allen Cabe and Marie Mecklenburg. Mr. Cabe was a retired Landscape Supervisor with the Oregon State Department and moved to Ocala from Albany Oregon. Mr. Cabe was a veteran of W.W. II serving in the Merchant Marines. He was Christian by faith. Mr. Cabe enjoyed traveling which included many trips to Hawaii. He also enjoyed riding his motorcycles, dancing and music. Mr. Cabe is survived by his wife of 26 years Lorraine Cabe of Ocala, Fl.; three sons Dewayne Cabe and wife Lynn of Sandy, Oregon; Clifford Cabe and wife Sharon of Tigard, Oregon; Darryl Cabe and wife Tracy of Maui, Hawaii; 9 grandchildren Stuart, Patrick, Holly, Lance, Lynn, Daniel, Aaron, Kory, Rachael; 5 great grandchildren. Also survived by his Sister Georgia Schneider of Inverness, FL two brother-in-laws Frank Donofrio and wife Connie of East Haven, Ct. and Richard Donofrio and wife Joyce of East Hartford, Ct.; His Step Children Dawn Houston of Elmore, Vt.; Cindy Mulvey of Rockville, Ct.; Kelly D'Agostino of Ocala, Fl.; Tim Mulvey of...
Corvallis, Oregon; Step Grandchildren Emily, Joshua, Gregory, Rachel, Nickolas, McKenna, Timothy; 6 step great grandchildren along with many nieces and nephews. Mr. Cabe was predeceased by his brother Noel Cabe. Funeral Service for Mr. Cabe will be Thursday, October 25, 2007 at 9:30 am at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. with Rev. Norman Steele officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday, October 24, 2007 from 4 - 7 p.m. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/26/2007.

1322. DEROLF, RICHARD (DUTCH), (Obituary No. 1322.) , 75 Ocala - Richard (Dutch) DeRolf, 75, died October 22, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Hammond, Ind. Came to Florida in 1941 from Indiana. He was a retired Road Inspector with Marion County, U.S. army Korean, member of Masonic Friendship Lodge #53, Ocala, FL, past president Scottish Rites, Key Largo, FL. Survivors: Wife - Faye, Ocala, FL.; Sister - JoAnn Schubert, Niles, Ohio; 7 nieces and nephews. Think of me and smile. Arrangements by Neptune Society, 34042 US Highway 19 N #B4, Palm Harbor, FL 34684. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/25/2007.

1323. GALLOWAY, MARTIN N. "MARTY", (Obituary No. 1323.), 49 Ocala - Martin N. "Marty" Galloway, 49, passed away October 20th. Born in Columbia, SC he was a lifelong resident of Ocala. He was a Navy Veteran, real estate broker, and a member of Grace Episcopal Church. He was also a member of the Marion County Board of Realtors and was an avid boater and fisherman. He is survived by his wife, Barbara L. Galloway; sons, Trevor Galloway of Ocala, Martin Galloway Jr. of Silver Spring, MD; daughter, Kathryn S. Galloway of Ocala; father, Gus Galloway and his wife Mary Carolyn of Ocala; mother, Eugenia Benson of Charleston, SC; siblings, Paula Robinson of Hawthorne, FL, Mitchell Kelly of Los Angeles, CA, Shannon Gibb of Ocala, Margaret Paulling of Charleston, SC, Megan Lomel of Ocala and Nolan Galloway III of Ocala. A memorial service will be held at Grace Episcopal Church (503 SE Broadway St. Ocala) on Friday (October 26th) at 3 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Center for Independent Living, Hospice of Marion County, the Salvation Army or the Arnett House. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141). Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1324. JOHNSON, ROBERT MASON, (Obituary No. 1324.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Robert mason Johnson, 73, passed away on October 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala after a long illness. He was born in Bliss, NY, on July 20, 1934 to Ephraim and Lucy Johnson. He graduated from Letchworth Central School in Castile, NY. He served in the United States Army in Hammelburg, Germany from 1954 to 1956. He retired from Koppers Co. in West Seneca, NY when he became ill. Bob was a member of Summerfield Baptist Church in Summerfield, Fl. where he served as a Deacon, Sunday school teacher and his favorite a bus ministry for the Senior Citizens each month for a day of shopping and out to either breakfast of lunch. He is survived by his wife Marilyn of 50 years; daughter Linda Johnson Hage of Sanford, Fl.; a son and daughter-in-law Kyle and Tammy Johnson of Summerfield, Fl. Four grandchildren: Erik Hage, Erin Hage, Mason Johnson and Jenna Johnson. Two brothers Hugie and Alberta Johnson of Warsaw, NY., Nels and Dorothy Johnson of Gurley, Al. One brother-in-law Graydon and wife Sandra Schneckenburger of Crystal River, Fl. A cousin Phyllis Redding of Warsaw, NY, And 15 nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother Gordon Johnson of Hume, NY. In lieu of flowers send donations to the Gideon Foundation. A visitation will be held at the ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl.
on Thursday October 25, 2007 from 6-SPM. Services will be Friday the 26th at I p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/25/2007.

1325. LARKIN, NORMA (Obituary No. 1325.) 81 Ocala - Norma Larkin, 81, of Ocala, FL passed away October 15, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. Mrs. Larkin was born in Hasbrouck Heights, NJ and resided in Lynnfield, MA for ten years before moving to Cheshire, CT in 1965. She moved to Ocala in 1995 to be with her daughter and grandchildren. She was a homemaker and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star; she was a sponsor for C.A.R.E. (Cheshire Aides Refugee Effort). She also enjoyed traveling, arts and crafts, and playing cards. Mrs. Larkin is survived by her daughter A. Kim Melvin and husband Chris of Ocala; her grandchildren Lindsay and Jaymes of Ocala; a sister Virginia Hertzon of Whiting, NJ; and several nieces and nephews from Oregon to Maine. She was predeceased by her husband John Dermott Larkin (1979). Memorial Service for Mrs. Larkin will be Thursday, October 25, 2007 at 4:00 PM at Grace Episcopal Church, 503 SE Broadway St., Ocala, FL with Pastor Donald J. Curran, Jr. officiating. Arrangements by HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. 34481 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1326. MALLOY, IRMA L., (Obituary No. 1326.) 81 Silver Springs - Irma L. Malloy, 81, passed away on Monday, Oct. 22, 2007. Born in Kandel, Germany, she relocated to Marion County in 1980 from NY. She was a homemaker, a parishioner at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, member of the German Club, AARP and the VFW Aux. She was an all-around "Handy Woman", Carpentry, Plumbing, remodeling. She also enjoyed cooking, gardening and spending time with her grandchildren. Irma is survived by three sons, Brian (Margie) Malloy, Silver Springs, Lawrence (Robin) Malloy, Wallkill, NY, Daniel (Diane) Malloy, Canandaigua, NY, by her daughter, Barbara (Jerry) Malloy-Morin, Houston, TX, sister, Rosel Bauer, Toronto, Canada, brother, Eckehard Roedel, Germany, and by nine grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Lawrence Malloy. Funeral Services will be held on Thursday, October, 25, 2007 at 12 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. The family will receive friends at the funeral home one hour prior to services. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

1327. MCKEAN, ELIZABETH ANNA, (Obituary No. 1327.) 64 Dunnellon - Elizabeth Anna McKean, 64, "Liz" was born November 5, 1942, in Arvida, Quebec, Canada, the youngest child of the late Elspeth J. and William H. Nixon. The beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and aunt left this life to be with the Lord on Saturday, October 20, 2007 (her mother's birthday) from home in Dunnellon, FL. She is survived by her husband, Clark, two daughters (Valerie and Katherine), one son (Michael), and seven grandchildren. Visitation will be from 2pm to 4pm and 7pm to 9pm on Thursday, October 25, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL. Burial service will be private. A Memorial Service will be held by Pastor Milton D. Smith at St John's UMC, Cottonplant, FL at 2pm, Friday, October 26, 2007. Memorial contributions (in lieu of flowers) may be made to St. John's UMC or Hospice. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/25/2007.

1328. MICHAUD, LINDA LOUISE, (Obituary No. 1328.) 63 Ocala - Mrs. Linda Louise Michaud, age 63, of Ocala, FL passed away Oct. 20, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. Mrs. Michaud was a retired Administrative Assistant with Keyes Fibre Company of Waterville, Maine and moved to Ocala in 1992. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She is
survived by her husband of 40 years Joseph (Roger) Michaud of Ocala; her daughters Michelle L. Michaud of Orlando, Fl. and Lisa A. Michaud of Nashville, Tn.; also survived by her father Howard Scott Elliott of Winslow, Maine. She was predeceased by her mother Marguerite Rose (Proveau) Elliott. Memorial Service for Mrs. Michaud will be Friday Oct. 26, 2007 at 7:00 pm at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TimberRidge Chapel 9695 SW 110" St. Ocala, Fl. with Dr. Raymond Waite officiating. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County P. O. Box 4860 Ocala, Fl. 344784860 or American Cancer Society, Florida Division, Inc., PO Box 13600, Tampa, Florida 33681. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/25/2007.

1329. MOGARDO, KAREN E., (Obituary No. 1329.) 86 Ocala - Mrs. Karen E. Mogardo, 56, passed away October 23rd at her residence. She was born in Brunswick, ME, and moved here one week ago from Raymond, NH. She was Episcopalian. She is survived by a sister Joyce (Raymond) MacNeil of Ocala. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/25/2007.

1330. RICHARDS, DR. LEO O., (Obituary No. 1330.) 78 Ocala - Dr. Leo O. Richards, 78, passed away on October 4, 2007. A celebration of his life and his work on behalf of the animals will be held at the Marion County Animal Center (5707 SE 66th St.) on October 25th at 11 a.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/23/2007 - 10/24/2007.

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1332. Cabe, Devere H., (Obituary No. 1332.) 85 Ocala - Devere H. Cabe, 85, passed away on Oct. 21, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. Mr. Cabe was the son of Horace Allen Cabe and Marie Mecklenburg. Mr. Cabe was a retired Landscape Supervisor with the Oregon State Department and moved to Ocala from Albany Oregon. Mr. Cabe was a veteran of W.W. II serving in the Merchant Marines. He was Christian by faith. Mr. Cabe enjoyed traveling which included many trips to Hawaii. He also enjoyed riding his motorcyycles, dancing and music. Mr. Cabe is survived by his wife of 26 years Lorraine Cabe of Ocala, Fl.; three sons Dewayne Cabe and wife Lynn of Sandy, Oregon; Clifford Cabe and wife Sharon of Tigard, Oregon; Darryl Cabe and wife Tracy of Maui, Hawaii; 9 grandchildren Stuart, Patrick, Holly, Lance, Lynn, Daniel, Aaron, Kory, Rachael; 5 great grandchildren. Also survived by his Sister Georgia Schneider of Inverness, FL two brother-in-laws Frank Donofrio and wife Connie of East Haven, Ct. and Richard Donofrio and wife Joyce of East Hartford, Ct.; His Step Children Dawn Houston of
Elmore, Vt.; Cindy Mulvey of Rockville, Ct.; Kelly D'Agostino of Ocala, Fl.; Tim Mulvey of Corvallis, Oregon; Step Grandchildren Emily, Joshua, Gregory, Rachel, Nickolas, McKenna, Timothy; 6 step great grandchildren along with many nieces and nephews. Mr. Cabe was predeceased by his brother Noel Cabe. Funeral Service for Mr. Cabe will be Thursday, October 25, 2007 at 9:30 am at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. with Rev. Norman Steele officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday, October 24, 2007 from 4 - 7 p.m. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/26/2007.

1333. DEROLF, RICHARD (DUTC

1334. JAMES, DARRIUS JOHNELL, (Obituary No. 1334.) 22, Citra - Darrius Johnell James, 22, Funeral services for Mr. James will be on Saturday, October 27, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the House of God - Keith Dominion Church, 2830 NW 27th Ave. in Ocala, FL., Elder Cleve Butler, Pastor, Rev. Ray Charles Jackson, Eulogist. Survivors Mother: Vivian Jackson, Father: Eddie Jackson, Grandfather: Willie Robinson, Sr., Grandmother: Annie Robinson, 2 Sisters: Deana Davis, Latwanya Wilkerson, 6 Brothers: Andre Jackson, Eddie Jackson, Keron Jackson, Jarvis James, Jacob Wilkerson, Timothy Jackson. Wake: Thursday, October 25, 2007 7pm - 8pm in Citra at The Deliverance Center. Visitation Friday October 26, 2007 at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY, 10 AM until 7PM "Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/25/2007 - 10/26/2007.

1335. JOHNSON, ROBERT MASON, (Obituary No. 1335.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Robert mason Johnson, 73, passed away on October 22, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala after a long illness. He was born in Bliss, NY, on July 20, 1934 to Ephraim and Lucy Johnson. He graduated from Letchworth Central School in Castile, NY. He served in the United States Army in Hammelburg, Germany from 1954 to 1956. He retired from Koppers Co. in West Seneca, NY when he became ill. Bob was a member of Summerfield Baptist Church in Summerfield, Fl. where he served as a Deacon, Sunday school teacher and his favorite a bus ministry for the Senior Citizens each month for a day of shopping and out to either breakfast of lunch. He is survived by his wife Marilyn of 50 years; daughter Linda Johnson Hage of Sanford, Fl.; a son and daughter-in-law Kyle and Tammy Johnson of Summerfield, Fl. Four grandchildren: Erik Hage, Erin Hage, Mason Johnson and Jenna Johnson. Two brothers Hugie and Alberta Johnson of Warsaw, NY., Nels and Dorothy Johnson of Gurley, Al. One brother-in-law Graydon and wife Sandra Schneckenburger of Crystal River, Fl. A cousin Phyllis Redding of Warsaw, NY. And 15 nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother Gordon Johnson of Hume, NY. In lieu of flowers send donations to the Gideon Foundation. A visitation will be held at the ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl. on Thursday October 25, 2007 from 6-SPM. Services will be Friday the 26th at 1 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/25/2007.

1336. KISSINGER, THOMAS(Obituary No. 1336.) 77 Ocala - Thomas Kissinger, 77, passed away on October 20, 2007 in Ocala. He was born on April. 14, 1930 to Thomas E. and Elsie
Kissinger of Klingerstown, PA. He served as a Sergeant in the US Army during the Korean War. He was a produce manager in Vineland, NJ for 25 years. He moved to Ocala, FL in 1982 where he volunteered for the forest service for 20 years. He is survived by his wife, Maryann of Silver Springs, FL; his sister Marbella of Pittsgrove, NJ; son Thomas (Betty) of Bridgeton, NJ; son David (Carol) of Egg Harbor Twp, NJ; 4 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren. Services will be held in New Jersey at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/25/2007 - 10/26/2007.

1337. LOKEN, JR., JACK "ARNOLD", (Obituary No. 1337.) 56 Ocala - "Arnold" Jack Loken Jr. on 10/20/2007 Beloved Son, Father, and Brother died suddenly at his home Saturday morning. He was employed by Gainesville Harley-Davidson. USA retired Staff Sgt that served with honor in Vietnam, Desert Shield and Desert Storm. Upon retiring from the military he became a Harley enthusiast and served with the Patriot Riders for fallen heroes. He was a life member of the VFW, Cootie member and Past Commander of the VFW. He is survived by his mother Inez Loken, son Jack Loken, grandson Ryan Loken, brother of Robert Loken, and Lori Schroeder. Visitations Thursday 4-8 pm at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave Ocala, FL Funeral Service Friday 10 am with the Patriot ride and interment at Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/25/2007 - 10/26/2007.

1338. MCKEAN, ELIZABETH ANNA, (Obituary No. 1338.) 64 Dunnellon - Elizabeth Anna McKean, 64, "Liz" was born November 5, 1942, in Arvida, Quebec, Canada, the youngest child of the late Elspeth J. and William H. Nixon. The beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and aunt left this life to be with the Lord on Saturday, October 20, 2007 (her mother's birthday) from home in Dunnellon, FL. She is survived by her husband, Clark, two daughters (Valerie and Katherine), one son (Michael), and seven grandchildren. Visitation will be from 2pm to 4pm and 7pm to 9pm on Thursday, October 25, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL. Burial service will be private. A Memorial Service will be held by Pastor Milton D. Smith at St John's UMC, Cottonplant, FL at 2pm. Friday, October 26, 2007. Memorial contributions (in lieu of flowers) may be made to St. John's UMC or Hospice. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/25/2007.

1339. MICHAUD, LINDA LOUISE, (Obituary No. 1339.) 63 Ocala - Mrs. Linda Louise Michaud, age 63, of Ocala, FL passed away Oct. 20, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. Mrs. Michaud was a retired Administrative Assistant with Keyes Fibre Company of Waterville, Maine and moved to Ocala in 1992. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She is survived by her husband of 40 years Joseph (Roger) Michaud of Ocala; her daughters Michelle L. Michaud of Orlando, Fl. and Lisa A. Michaud of Nashville, Tn.; also survived by her father Howard Scott Elliott of Winslow, Maine. She was predeceased by her mother Marguerite Rose (Proveau) Elliott. Memorial Service for Mrs. Michaud will be Friday Oct. 26, 2007 at 7:00 pm at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TimberRidge Chapel 9695 SW 110" St. Ocala, Fl. with Dr. Raymond Waite officiating. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County P. O. Box 4860 Ocala, Fl. 344784860 or American Cancer Society, Florida Division, Inc., PO Box 13600, Tampa, Florida 33681. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/25/2007.

1340. MOGARDO, KAREN E., (Obituary No. 1340.) 86 Ocala - Mrs. Karen E. Mogardo, 56, passed away October 23rd at her residence. She was born in Brunswick, ME, and moved here one week ago from Raymond, NH. She was Episcopalian. She is survived by a sister Joyce
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1341. PENNINGTON, ETTA (ROE) (Obituary No. 1341.) , 76 Ocala - Etta (Roe) Pennington, 76, passed away at Pennock Hospital, in Hastings on Saturday October 13, 2007. She was born on April 12, 1931 to Grace (Bailey) and Fred D. Roe. Etta married James Tallent on November 28, 1948 and had 3 children before their divorce. She later married Kenneth Pennington on September 3, 1977 in Hastings. She was employed at Hastings Manufacturing until she retired in 1978 to be with her husband. She was a member of the Thornapple Valley Church until she moved to Florida in 2002. Etta is survived by a beloved friend, Joseph Malandrino of Ocala, FL; three children, James (Winifred) Tallent Jr. of Battle Creek, MI, Robin Tallent of El Paso, TX, Vicki (Rodney) Thomas of Hastings, MI; five step-children, Rick Pennington, Reatha Pennington, Robin Snow, Becky Bass all of Hastings, and Ron Pennington of Freeport; five grandchildren, Shannon Neil, Teshia Walford, Shawn Tallent, J J Tallent and Amanda Thomas; two dear sisters, Bertha Harris of Chester, VA and Anna Lee Ogeltree of Delton, MI. Preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Pennington; sister, Irene Smith; and parents, Fred Roe and Grace Chamberlin. She is at the LAUER FAMILY FUNERAL HOMES-WREN CHAPEL in Hastings, MI where her family will receive friends on Wednesday October 17, 2007 12:00 PM until time of services at 2:00 PM with Rev. Carla Smith officiating. Cremation will follow. Please sign Etta's guest book or leave condolences at www.lauerfh.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/25/2007 - 10/26/2007.

1342. CABE, DEVERE H., (Obituary No. 1342.) 85 Ocala - Devere H. Cabe, 85, passed away on Oct. 21, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. Mr. Cabe was the son of Horace Allen Cabe and Marie Mecklenburg. Mr. Cabe was a retired Landscape Supervisor with the Oregon State Department and moved to Ocala from Albany Oregon. Mr. Cabe was a veteran of W.W. II serving in the Merchant Marines. He was Christian by faith. Mr. Cabe enjoyed traveling which included many trips to Hawaii. He also enjoyed riding his motorcycles, dancing and music. Mr. Cabe is survived by his wife of 26 years Lorraine Cabe of Ocala, Fl.; three sons Dewayne Cabe and wife Lynn of Sandy, Oregon; Clifford Cabe and wife Sharon of Tigard, Oregon; Darryl Cabe and wife Tracy of Maui, Hawaii; 9 grandchildren Stuart, Patrick, Holly, Lance, Lynn, Daniel, Aaron, Kory, Rachael; 5 great grandchildren. Also survived by his Sister Georgia Schneider of Inverness, FL two brother-in-laws Frank Donofrio and wife Connie of East Haven, Ct. and Richard Donofrio and wife Joyce of East Hartford, Ct.; His Step Children Dawn Houston of Elmore, Vt.; Cindy Mulvey of Rockville, Ct.; Kelly D'Agostino of Ocala, Fl.; Tim Mulvey of Corvallis, Oregon; Step Grandchildren Emily, Joshua, Gregory, Rachel, Nickolas, McKenna, Timothy; 6 step grandchildren along with many nieces and nephews. Mr. Cabe was predeceased by his brother Noel Cabe. Funeral Service for Mr. Cabe will be Thursday, October 25, 2007 at 9:30 am at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. with Rev. Norman Steele officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday, October 24, 2007 from 4 - 7 p.m. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/24/2007 - 10/26/2007.

1343. HANSEN, HARRY(Obituary No. 1343.), 84 Ocala - Harry Hansen, 84, passed away on Wednesday, October 24, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. Born in Floral Park, New York he had made Ocala his home since 1981 moving from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Mr. Hansen worked as an engineer for Bell South for 35 years, served in the U.S. Army during WWII and Lutheran in
faith. He enjoyed fishing, woodworking and football. Survivors include; Wife of 54 years, Doris Hansen, daughter; Dahlys Troxel, husband Brad of Bluffton, IN, son, Eric Hansen, wife Sherry of Citra, FL, grandchildren; Brandon wife April, Douglas, and Stacy Troxel all of Bluffton, IN, Eric, Stephanie and Samantha Hansen of Ocala, FL. A Memorial Service will be at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, October 28, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/26/2007 - 10/27/2007.

1344. JAMES, DARRIUS JOHNELL, (Obituary No. 1344.) 22, Citra - Darrius Johnell James, 22, Funeral services for Mr. James will be on Saturday, October 27, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the House of God - Keith Dominion Church, 2830 NW 27th Ave. in Ocala, FL., Elder Cleve Butler, Pastor, Rev. Charles Jackson, Eulogist. Survivors Mother: Vivian Jackson, Father: Eddie Jackson, Grandfather: Willie Robinson, Sr., Grandmother: Annie Robinson, 2 Sisters: Deana Davis, Latwanya Wilkerson, 6 Brothers: Andre Jackson, Eddie Jackson, Kermon Jackson, Jarvis James, Jacob Wilkerson, Timothy Jackson. Wake: Thursday, October 25, 2007 7pm-8pm in Citra at The Deliverance Center. Visitation Friday October 26, 2007 at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY, 10 AM until 7PM "Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/25/2007 - 10/26/2007.

1345. KISSINGER, THOMAS(Obituary No. 1345.) , 77 Ocala - Thomas Kissinger, 77, passed away on October 20, 2007 in Ocala. He was born on April. 14, 1930 to Thomas E. and Elsie Kissinger of Klingerstown, PA. He served as a Sergeant in the US Army during the Korean War. He was a produce manager in Vineland, NJ for 25 years. He moved to Ocala, FL in 1982 where he volunteered for the forest service for 20 years. He is survived by his wife, Maryann of Silver Springs, FL; his sister Marbella of Pittsgrove, NJ; son Thomas (Betty) of Bridgeton, NJ; son David (Carol) of Egg Harbor Twp, NJ; 4 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren. Services will be held in New Jersey at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/25/2007 - 10/26/2007.

1346. LEWIS, GENE FARRELL, (Obituary No. 1346.) 56 Ocala - Gene Farrell Lewis, 56, died Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2007 at M.R.M.C. Gene was born in Pavo, Ga. and was a lifetime resident of Marion Co. Gene was a drywall installer, of the Baptist Faith, as well as an avid outdoors man that loved to hunt and fish with family and friends. He is survived by his devoted companion of 20 years Twila Griffin of Ocala. 2 daughters - LaDoura Frost and Donna Goodwin both of Ocala, Fl. 7 sisters - Marie Lauderdale of Haleyville, Al. Mary Baker, Judy Maruca, Shelia White, Alicia Whitfield, Mona Crouch and Dorothy Stephens all of Ocala, Fl. 3 grandchildren, April, Dalton and Jared and 1 great grandson, Jazmin. The gathering of family, friends and services will be Saturday, Oct. 27, 2007 at the Roberts Funeral Home, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. The viewing will be 11 a.m. until 1 p.m., with the services starting at 1 p.m. The graveside service to follow is at Millwood Cemetery in Reddick, Fl. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/26/2007 - 10/27/2007.

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1350. BRUNTON, JACK(Obituary No. 1350.) , 91 Ocala - Jack Brunton, 91, passed away October 18, 2007. He was born in England, came to America at the age of 7 and became a citizen at 24. He moved to Ocala in 1992, from Plantation, FL. Jack was a retired Officer of Barnett Bank and an Army Veteran of WW II. He was of the Protestant Faith, a member of the Moose Lodge 1199 and Elks Lodge 2730. He is survived by his wife of 69 years, Eleanor, son David, daughter-in-law Susan, and grandson Steven. Services will be held on Tuesday, October 30, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

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1353. LAYTON, ALBERT (Obituary No. 1353.) , 75 Jacksonville, FL - Mr. Albert Layton, 75, passed away October 24, 2007. He was born February 22, 1932 in Naylor, Georgia and moved to Jacksonville, FL in 1999 from Ocala, FL. Mr. Layton was a member of Shepherd of the Woods Lutheran Church and the Elk's Club. Mr. Layton is survived by: daughters Diana and Susan Layton; sister Esther (Smokey) Rowland; and grandson Shayne (Anita) Urbanowski. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Eleanor, in 2004. the family will have a private memorial service. In lieu of flowers the family request donations to Northeast Florida Community Hospice. Arrangements by HARDAGE-GIDDENS MANDARIN FUNERAL HOME, 11801 San Jose Blvd., Jacksonville, FL 32223. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

1354. LEWIS, GENE FARRELL, (Obituary No. 1354.) 56 Ocala - Gene Farrell Lewis, 56, died Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2007 at M.R.M.C. Gene was born in Pavo, Ga. and was a lifetime resident of Marion Co. Gene was a drywall installer, of the Baptist Faith, as well as an avid outdoors man that loved to hunt and fish with family and friends. He is survived by his devoted companion of 20 years Twila Griffin of Ocala. 2 daughters - LaDoura Frost and Donna Goodwin both of Ocala, Fl. 7 sisters - Marie Lauderdale of Haleyville, Al. Mary Baker, Judy Maruca, Shelia White, Alicia Whitfield, Mona Crouch and Dorothy Stephens all of Ocala. Fl. 3 grandchildren, April, Dalton and Jared and 1 great grandchild, Jazmin. The gathering of family, friends and services will be Saturday, Oct. 27, 2007 at the Roberts Funeral Home, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. The viewing will be 11 a.m. until 1 p.m., with the services starting at 1 p.m. The graveside service to follow is at Millwood Cemetery in Reddick, Fl. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/26/2007 - 10/27/2007.

1355. LEWIS, SYBIL (Obituary No. 1355.) , 76 Summerfield - Sybil Lewis, age 76, passed away Thursday October 25, 2007. Mrs. Lewis moved to the area in 1935 from Georgia, she was a retired Bus Driver with the Marion County School District, an avid Bingo player and she loved
the mountains in Cherokee, North Carolina and was a Pentecostal. She is survived by her son, George Stephen Lewis of Summerfield, 4 daughters; Shirley Threet of Ocklawaha, Betty Offenbacker, Brenda L. Brown and Sandra Lewis all of Summerfield, 1 Brother Joseph Tindall of Ocala, and 3 Sisters; Ruth Lewis of Bellevue, Markie Redd and Sharon Hicks of Norfolk, Va, 6 Grandchildren and 6 Great Grandchildren, she is predeceased by her Husband George Lewis. Visitation will be Sunday October 28, 2007 from 3-5 p.m. at Banks/Page-Thesis Funeral Chapel, Funeral Service will be held Monday October 29, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel with interment to follow at Pine Level Cemetery. On line condolence may be left at www.bankspagetheus.com. Arrangements provided by BANKS/PAGE-THESIS FUNERAL HOME, Wildwood, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

1356. PARRISH, HENRY (Obituary No. 1356.) 80 Ocklawaha - Henry Parrish, 80, passed away on Sunday, October 21, 2007. He was a lifetime resident of Ocklawaha. Mr. Parrish was a member of Clearwater Baptist Church of Ocklawaha where he served as a deacon. He retired as a laborer many years ago. His wife Viola Parrish preceded him in death May 2003. He is survived by one sister Susie Gray of Trenton, FL. Two granddaughters Linda Williams and husband James of Ocala, Deborah James and husband Otis of Anthony. Four great grandchildren James Williams III of Ocala, Jorday William of Ocala, George Shannon II of Tallahassee, Bobby Shannon of Anthony, beloved niece and nephew Richard Slater and Margaret Slater-Good, three sisters-in-law Louvenia White of Ocklawaha, Clara Cobb of Tampa, and Mable Hall of Orlando. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Sunday, October 28, 2007 at Clearwater Baptist Church with the Rev. Leonard Scott, and Rev. Julius Beard officiating. Visitation will be 11 a.m. - 7p.m. Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 N.W. 10th Street. "A SUMMERS FUNERAL SERVICE MAKES THE DIFFERENCE" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

1357. PEEBLES, CHARLOTTE D., (Obituary No. 1357.) 78 Silver Springs - Charlotte D. Peebles, 78, went to be with our Lord on Friday, Oct. 26, 2007. She was born in Paterson, NJ and moved to Marion County from Clifton, NJ in 1951. She was a retired RN working at MRMC for 20 years and Marion Community Hospital, now ORMC, for 6 and a half years. She was a member of Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church where she was in the choir and on the WMU Homebound Committee. Other memberships include the Ocala Women's Bowling Assn., Marion Community Hospital Auxiliary, AARP and Woodmen of the World, Lodge 14. She also volunteered at East Marion Elementary School. She is survived by her husband of 55 years, Harold D. Peebles, her daughters, Virginia (Ginny) McCallum and Marilyn (Lyn) Lambert, all of Silver Springs, eight grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Funeral services will be Monday, Oct. 29, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church with Pastor Jimmy Snell officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Visitation will be Sunday from 5-7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

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1359. TOLCSER, THOMAS JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 1359.) 64 Dunnellon - Thomas Joseph Tolcser, 64, of Dunnellon, Florida, died Thursday, October 25 in Ocala, Florida. He was born February 3, 1943 in Bridgeport, Connecticut. He grew up and lived in Miami, FL until moving to Dunnellon in 1994. Occupations: Aircraft Mechanic for 40 years, retiring in 2005. He was a member of St. John The Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon. He loved boating and fishing. Thomas will be best remembered as a devoted husband, proud father, loving grandfather and trusted friend. Thomas is best known for his sense of humor, he had the gift as being a funny guy. His laughter and love will forever echo in our hearts and minds. He is survived by: his wife of 37 years. Mary Tolcser, Dunnellon: Son; Thomas M. Tolcser (Amy), Valrico, FL. Daughters: Angela Tolcser, Miami; Debra Tornabell (Harry), Coral Gables; Robyn Giraldo (Pedro), Miami; and Kathryn Tolcser, Orlando. Granddaughter Alexis, Grandsons; Taygan, Brandon and Collin and his Aunt Barbara "Bob" Eberst, Davie, FL. Also several cousins, nieces and nephews. Viewing will be at St. John The Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon on Saturday, October 27th from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. A Rosary Service will be held at 7:30 p.m. The Funeral Mass will be at Church Sunday, October 28, 2007 at 3 p.m. with Reverend Joseph Pinchock officiating. Following Mass Cremation will be under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon, FL, Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

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1360. BRUNTON, JACK(Obituary No. 1360.) 91 Ocala - Jack Brunton, 91, passed away October 18, 2007. He was born in England, came to America at the age of 7 and became a citizen at 24. He moved to Ocala in 1992, from Plantation, FL. Jack was a retired Officer of Barnett Bank and an Army Veteran of WW II. He was of the Protestant Faith, a member of the Moose Lodge 1199 and Elks Lodge 2730. He is survived by his wife of 69 years, Eleanor, son David, daughter-in-law Susan, and grandson Steven. Services will be held on Tuesday, October 30, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

1361. CLAIR, JR., ROBERT EARL "BOB", (Obituary No. 1361.) 69 Citra, FL - Robert Earl "Bob" Clair, Jr., 69, passed away October 25th at his residence. He was born in Montoursville, PA and moved here in 1972 from Montoursville, PA. He attended the Citra Baptist Church and was a Mason. He is survived by Earline Clair his wife of 25 years, sons Jeff Clair of Jacksonville, FL, Robert E. Clair III, Todd Clair of PA, Jason Clair of Citra, FL, daughters Robin Clair of Citra, FL, Traci Orme, Cathy Balius of Ocala, 10 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren, brother Ron Buck of PA sisters Maxine Starr and Pat Hall of PA. A memorial service will be held Monday October 29, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the 1st Baptist Church of Citra, Fl. with Rev. Craig Jacobs officiating. In lieu of flowers send donations to the 1st Baptist Church of Citra PO Box#216 Citra Fl, 32113. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES DOWNTOWN CHAPEL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/29/2007.

1362. DALTON, ALAN(Obituary No. 1362.) 47 Chelsea, MI - Alan Dalton, 47, passed away Saturday, September 22, 2007. Alan was born October 30, 1959 in Detroit, Michigan the son of William and Jessica (Isrow) Dalton. He had lived in the Chelsea area most of his life, graduating from Chelsea High School in 1977. He was an excellent carpenter, and owned Dalton
Construction Company in Chelsea. Al enjoyed fishing, hunting, boating, and golf. He was a member of the North Lake United Methodist Church, as well as the Inverness Country Club. On July 24, 1982 he married Pamela A. Stephens, and she survives along with their child Cody, his father William (Betty) Dalton of Ocala, FL and his Mother Jessica ((James) Baulinh of Milan, two brothers Scott Dalton of Marysville, MI and Eric (Janette) Dalton of Saline, several nieces and nephews, cousins, as well as many good friends and neighbors. He was preceded in death by one brother Mark Dalton, and his grandparents. A memorial service will be held at a late date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Cody Dalton Educational Fund of the North Lake United Methodist Church. Wake Service for Alan J. Dalton will be held at Queen of Peace Church, 6455 S.W. SR 200, Ocala, FL 34476 Tuesday, October 30, 2007 10L30 a.m. in Mary Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/28/2007 - 10/29/2007.

1363. KULL, TODD(Obituary No. 1363.) , 41 Ocala - Todd Kull, 41, died Wednesday 10/24/2007. He is the beloved husband of Aimee Kull of Ocala, father of Kevin, Kasey, Chloe and Cassidy Kull. The son of David Kull of Catawba, SC and Bernadine Kull of Ocala. He is the brother of Ginger Wofford, Tina Seiler and Trisha Wallace all of Ocala. He has many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and friends. Todd served in the US Navy, as a Gulf War Veteran and also served proudly in the Florida National Guard and serving his country in Afghanistan during Operation Enduring Freedom. He will be greatly missed and always loved. Visitation at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave Ocala Fl. Sunday 6-8 p.m. and funeral service Monday 10 a.m. to be followed by a graveside service at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/29/2007.

1364. LAYTON, ALBERT(Obituary No. 1364.) , 75 Jacksonville, FL - Mr. Albert Layton, 75, passed away October 24, 2007. He was born February 22, 1932 in Naylor, Georgia and moved to Jacksonville, FL in 1999 from Ocala, FL. Mr. Layton was a member of Shepherd of the Woods Lutheran Church and the Elk's Club. Mr. Layton is survived by: daughters Diana and Susan Layton; sister Esther (Smokey) Rowland; and grandson Shayne (Anita) Urbanowski. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Eleanor, in 2004. the family will have a private memorial service. In lieu of flowers the family request donations to Northeast Florida Community Hospice. Arrangements by HARDAGE-GIDDENS MANDARIN FUNERAL HOME, 11801 San Jose Blvd., Jacksonville, FL 32223. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

1365. LECHNER, RICHARD H., (Obituary No. 1365.) 59 Tampa - Richard H. Lechner, 59, passed away on October 25, 2007, after a brief illness with cancer. He was born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin relocating to Tampa in 1962. Richie retired from Busch Gardens in 2004 after a successful and entertaining career working with animals. There he was known as the "Tiger Man". He owned and operated Plant A Tree - A Shady Enterprise in Wesley Chapel. He is survived by his beloved mother, Morella Rose Lechner of Tampa, his three brothers and their wives: Gerald and Dinah Lechner of Ocala, Howie and Nancy Lechner of Brandon, David and Gayle Lechner of Tampa. Richard served in the US Navy and was a member of the Tampa Jaycees. A Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday at 7 p.m. LOYLESS FUNERAL HOME in Land O' Lakes. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. His final interment will be at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. You may view and sign the guest book at www.loylessfuneralhome.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/28/2007 - 10/29/2007.

1366. LEWIS, SYBIL(Obituary No. 1366.), 76 Summerfield - Sybil Lewis, age 76, passed away Thursday October 25, 2007. Mrs. Lewis moved to the area in 1935 from Georgia, she was
a retired Bus Driver with the Marion County School District, an avid Bingo player and she loved the mountains in Cherokee, North Carolina and was a Pentecostal. She is survived by her son, George Stephen Lewis of Summerfield, 4 daughters; Shirley Threet of Ocklawaha, Betty Offenbacker, Brenda L. Brown and Sandra Lewis all of Summerfield, 1 Brother Joseph Tindall of Ocala, and 3 Sisters; Ruth Lewis of Belleview, Markie Redd and Sharon Hicks of Norfolk, Va, 6 Grandchildren and 6 Great Grandchildren, she is predeceased by her Husband George Lewis. Visitation will be Sunday October 28, 2007 from 3-5 p.m. at Banks/Page-Thesis Funeral Chapel, Funeral Service will be held Monday October 29, 2007 at 2 p.m. at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Chapel with interment to follow at Pine Level Cemetery. On line condolence may be left at www.bankspagetheus.com. Arrangements provided by BANKS/PAGE-THESIS FUNERAL HOME, Wildwood, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

1367. MALONE, VERNDELL D., (Obituary No. 1367.) 85 Summerfield - Verndell D. Malone, 85, passed away at Munroe Regional Medical Center October 26, 2007. Born in Echo, PA, she moved from Maryland to Summerfield in 1976. She enjoyed working as a beautician before retiring, and singing with Sweet Adelines. She also attended Sunset Harbor Baptist Church. Survivors include daughter, Patricia Kohler, Belleview; granddaughter, Colleen House, Ocala and great grandson, Salvatore House; sisters, Dolores Saintz and Urla Cupitt, both of Johnstown, PA. A funeral service will be held at 12 PM on Monday, October 29, 2007, at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES BELLEVIEW, 5946 SE Robinson Road. Interment will follow at the Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/28/2007 - 10/29/2007.

1368. PARRISH, HENRY (Obituary No. 1368.) 80 Ocklawaha - Henry Parrish, 80, passed away on Sunday, October 21, 2007. He was a lifetime resident of Ocklawaha. Mr. Parrish was a member of Clearwater Baptist Church of Ocklawaha where he served as a deacon. He retired as a laborer many years ago. His wife Viola Parrish preceded him in death May 2003. He is survived by one sister Susie Gray of Trenton, FL. Two granddaughters Linda Williams and husband James of Ocala, Deborah James and husband Otis of Anthony. Four great grandchildren James Williams III of Ocala, Jorday William of Ocala, George Shannon II of Tallahassee, Bobby Shannon of Anthony, beloved niece and nephew Richard Slater and Margaret Slater-Good, three sisters-in-law Louvenia White of Ocklawaha, Clara Cobb of Tampa, and Mable Hall of Orlando. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Sunday, October 28, 2007 at Clearwater Baptist Church with the Rev. Leonard Scott, and Rev. Julius Beard officiating. Visitation will be 11 a.m. - 7p.m. Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, 2238 N.W. 10th Street. "A SUMMERS FUNERAL SERVICE MAKES THE DIFFERENCE" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

1369. PEEBLES, CHARLOTTE D., (Obituary No. 1369.) 78 Silver Springs - Charlotte D. Peebles, 78, went to be with our Lord on Friday, Oct. 26, 2007. She was born in Paterson, NJ and moved to Marion County from Clifton, NJ in 1951. She was a retired RN working at MRMC for 20 years and Marion Community Hospital, now ORMC, for 6 and a half years. She was a member of Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church where she was in the choir and on the WMU Homebound Committee. Other memberships include the Ocala Women's Bowling Assn., Marion Community Hospital Auxiliary, AARP and Woodmen of the World, Lodge 14. She also volunteered at East Marion Elementary School. She is survived by her husband of 55 years, Harold D. Peebles, her daughters, Virginia (Ginny) McCallum and Marilyn (Lyn) Lambert, all of Silver Springs, eight grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Funeral services will be Monday, Oct. 29, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church with Pastor Jimmy Snell
Thomas Joseph Tolcser, 64, of Dunnellon, Florida, died Thursday, October 25 in Ocala, Florida. He was born February 3, 1943 in Bridgeport, Connecticut. He grew up and lived in Miami, FL until moving to Dunnellon in 1994. Occupations: Aircraft Mechanic for 40 years, retiring in 2005. He was a member of St. John The Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon. He loved boating and fishing. Thomas will be best remembered as a devoted husband, proud father, loving grandfather and trusted friend. Thomas is best known for his sense of humor, he had the gift as being a funny guy. His laughter and love will forever echo in our hearts and minds. He is survived by: his wife of 37 years. Mary Tolcser, Dunnellon; Son; Thomas M. Tolcser (Amy), Valrico, FL. Daughters: Angela Tolcser, Miami; Debra Tornabell (Harry), Coral Gables; Robyn Giraldo (Pedro), Miami; and Kathryn Tolcser, Orlando. Granddaughter Alexis, Grandsons; Taygan, Brandon and Collin and his Aunt Barbara "Bob" Eberst, Davie, FL. Also several cousins, nieces and nephews. Viewing will be at St. John The Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon on Saturday, October 27th from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. A Rosary Service will be held at 7:30 p.m. The Funeral Mass will be at Church Sunday, October 28, 2007 at 3 p.m. with Reverend Joseph Pinchock officiating. Following Mass Cremation will be under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon, FL, Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/27/2007 - 10/28/2007.

JoAnn Linda Williams, 88, wife of the late Lester F. (Hank) Williams, passed away on Saturday, Oct. 27, 2007. She was born Jan. 25, 1919 in Monongah, WV and moved to Marion County in 1969 from Quakertown, PA. She was the daughter of the late Felix and Constance Colosino. She was a lifetime member of the Ft. McCoy. - Eureka Volunteer Fire Dept. and had served as president of the Ladies Auxiliary. She was also a lifetime member of the Community Center and was honored with the community Service Award for her volunteer services to the Ft. McCoy community. She is survived by her daughter, Linda Williams of Jacksonville, her sons, Elton Williams and life partner Florence Riley of Franklin, NC and Martin Williams and wife Sibyl of Albemarle, NC, her brothers, Louis Colosino, Michael Colosino and Felix Colosino, Jr., five grandchildren, Michael, Martin, Steve, Stacey and Dina, nine great grandchildren and Kathleen Ellinger, friend and caregiver- She was preceded in death by 3 sisters and 2 brothers. A memorial service will be held on Monday, Oct. 29, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. William D. Terrell officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorials to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/28/2007 - 10/29/2007.

1372. BERRY, LORETTA RUTH, (Obituary No. 1372.) 84 Ocala - Loretta R. Berry, 84, died Thursday at her home in Oak Run. She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Bruce and Margaret Berry of Newberry, two grandsons and 5 great-grandchildren. Memorial Services will be held at 10 a.m. on Monday, November 5th, 2007 at Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW State Highway 200, Ocala, FL with the Rev. Gary O. Marshall conducting the services. The family will receive friends at the church immediately following the Memorial Service. Burial will be in the Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the
Hospice of Marion County or to the Alzheimer’s Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/29/2007 - 10/30/2007.

1373. CLAIR, JR., ROBERT EARL "BOB", (Obituary No. 1373.) 69 Citra, FL - Robert Earl "Bob" Clair, Jr., 69, passed away October 25th at his residence. He was born in Montoursville, PA and moved here in 1972 from Montoursville, PA. He attended the Citra Baptist Church and was a Mason. He is survived by Earline Clair his wife of 25 years, sons Jeff Clair of Jacksonville, FL, Robert E. Clair III, Todd Clair of PA, Jason Clair of Citra, FL, daughters Robin Clair of Citra, FL, Traci Orme, Cathy Balius of Ocala, 10 grandchildren, 6 great grandchildren, brother Ron Buck of PA sisters Maxine Starr and Pat Hall of PA. A memorial service will be held Monday October 29, 2007 at 11 a.m. at the 1st Baptist Church of Citra, Fl. with Rev. Craig Jacobs officiating. In lieu of flowers send donations to the 1st Baptist Church of Citra PO Box#216 Citra Fl, 32113. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES DOWNTOWN CHAPEL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/28/2007 - 10/29/2007.

1374. DALTON, ALAN(Obituary No. 1374.) , 47 Chelsea, MI - Alan Dalton, 47, passed away Saturday, September 22, 2007. Alan was born October 30, 1959 in Detroit, Michigan the son of William and Jessica (Isrow) Dalton. . He had lived in the Chelsea area most of his life, graduating from Chelsea High School in 1977. He was an excellent carpenter, and owned Dalton Construction Company in Chelsea. Al enjoyed fishing, hunting, boating, and golf. He was a member of the North Lake United Methodist Church, as well as the Inverness Country Club. On July 24, 1982 he married Pamela A. Stephens, and she survives along with their child Cody, his father William (Betty) Dalton of Ocala, FL and his Mother Jessica ((James) Baughn of Milan, two brothers Scott Dalton of Marysville, MI and Eric (Janette) Dalton of Saline, several nieces and nephews, cousins, as well as many good friends and neighbors. He was preceded in death by one brother Mark Dalton, and his grandparents. A memorial service will be held at a late date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Cody Dalton Educational Fund of the North Lake United Methodist Church. Wake Service for Alan J. Dalton will be held at Queen of Peace Church, 6455 S.W. SR 200, Ocala, FL 34476 Tuesday, October 30, 2007 10L30 a.m. in Mary Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/28/2007 - 10/29/2007.

1375. FORD, TONIA SUE, (Obituary No. 1375.) 36 Hawthorne - Tonia Sue Ford, died Thursday, October 25, 2007. Born in Newport News, Virginia she spent most of her life in Sarasota, FL. before moving back to Marion County eight months ago, from Buford, SC. Survivors include her parents, Thomas and Sue Ford, Hawthorne, FL. children; Christopher and Jessica LeMaster, Bradenton, FL Faith and Anthony Parsick, Buford, SC., sister April Johnson, Ft. Campbell, KY., brother; Thomas Ford, Jr., Sumterville, grandfather; James Cheshire, Hawthorne. Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, October 30, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Visitation Monday, 5-7 p.m. at the Funeral Home. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/29/2007 - 10/30/2007.

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1379. ROWLES, HELEN M., (Obituary No. 1379.) 74 Ocala - Helen M. Rowles, 74, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, October 28, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Summerfield, FL. She was born in Saratoga, IN on November 9, 1932. Mrs. Rowles was a Registered Nurse and homemaker. She was a Methodist. Her hobbies included reading, cross word puzzles, crocheting and cooking. She moved to the Ocala area from St. Cloud, FL in 1987. She is survived by a daughter Deborah and Paul Ragsdale of Coral Springs, FL; son Jeffrey and Vique Rowles of Margate, FL; daughter Denise Rowles of North Lauderdale, FL; son Kurt Rowles of Ocala, FL; sister Janice Sipe of Winchester, IN; brother Kenneth Fraze of Inverness, FL and 4 grandchildren Joshua, Andrea, Matthew and Christina. She was preceded in death by her husband of 50 years Robert who passed away in 2003. A funeral service and celebration of her life will take place on Tuesday, October 30, 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERIDGE, Ocala, FL. Visitation will take place at the funeral home on Monday, October 29, 6-8 p.m. Interment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/28/2007 - 10/29/2007.

1380. WILLIAMS, JOANN LINDA, (Obituary No. 1380.) 88 Ft. McCoy - JoAnn Linda Williams, 88, wife of the late Lester F. (Hank) Williams, passed away on Saturday, Oct. 27, 2007. She was born Jan. 25, 1919 in Monongah, WV and moved to Marion County in 1969 from Quakertown, PA. She was the daughter of the late Felix and Constance Colosino. She was a lifetime member of the Ft. McCoy. - Eureka Volunteer Fire Dept. and had served as president of the Ladies Auxiliary. She was also a lifetime member of the Community Center and was honored with the community Service Award for her volunteer services to the Ft. McCoy community. She
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1382. BOYER, WAYNE ELLIOT, (Obituary No. 1382.) 57 Ocala - "Rick" Wayne Elliot Boyer, 57, died Wednesday October 24, 2007, following a long illness. He was born June 23, 1950 in Washington, D.C. and lived in Ocala approximately 25 years. He was employed in sales and transportation driving. He attended St. Paul's United Methodist Church of Ocala. He is survived by his friend Dr. Larry A. Barnes of the home. by a brother, Terry Boyer of Port Orange, Florida, and a brother Dale Boyer of San Francisco, California. Internment will be made at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 800 SE 41st Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34471. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1383. BROWN, VIRGINIA H., (Obituary No. 1383.) 106 Pittsburgh, Pa., Virginia H. Brown, Age 106, of Asbury Heights, Pittsburgh, formerly of Ocala, FL and Cleveland, OH. Beloved wife of the late Francis P. Brown; loving mother of the late Orgain Edward McCullough and Lucia McCullough Albrecht; sister of the late Donald L. Harbaugh; grandmother of Virginia McCullough Filippelli of Greenwich, CT, Orgain E. McCullough, III of Golden, CO, Susan Albrecht Burke of Ann Arbor, MI and Lucy Albrecht of Mt. Lebanon, PA. Also survived by six great grandchildren. Virginia attended Hathaway Brown School in Cleveland, OH and attended Columbia Teachers College in New York. She was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Union Club of Cleveland, OH and the Weirsdale Presbyterian Church, Weirsdale, FL. No public visitation. A graveside service will be held Tuesday, October 30, 2007 at Noon in Lakeview cemetery, Cleveland, OH. Family suggests memorial contributions to the American Cancer Society, ALS Association or Asbury Heights Foundation. Arrangements by BEINHAUERS 412-531-4000. Please add or view tributes at www.beinhauer.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

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1385. HANKINSON, SR. JOHN H., (Obituary No. 1385.) 92 Ocala - John H. Hankinson, Sr., 92, died on October 27, 2007. John was born to John and Marjorie Hankinson on February 27, 1915 in Trenton, New Jersey. He moved to Ocala in 1951. John is survived by his wife of 60 years, Shirley, a former teacher and school system administrator. Their legacy includes four children John H. Hankinson, Jr. (Gail) of St. Augustine, Jimmy Hankinson (Allison) of Tallahassee, Margaret Spontak (Vince) and Mary Dingman (Russel) of Ocala; and eight grandchildren Clay, Marnie, Jenny, John Henry, and Sam Hankinson; Rusty and Christopher Dingman; and Michael Spontak. He has one surviving sister, Mary Rembe of Georgetown, ME. He was preceded in death by his brother, Sam Hankinson, and his sister, Peggy Walker. John served the community in many ways. He taught 24 years in Marion County at Ocala High School, Vanguard High School and Howard High School. As a teacher, he served as a faculty advisor to many student groups and spearheaded the first voter registration effort for high school students throughout the county. He continued his service to education as a member and President of Marion County Retired Teachers, Tusculum College Pioneers Member, and the University of Florida Alumni Organization Member. A charter member and elder of the Fort King Presbyterian church, he sang in the choir, taught Sunday School and volunteered for juvenile ministry with Church without Walls. He was a member of the Florida Defenders of the Environment and supported many state and local environmental efforts. John graduated from Tusculum College (BA) in 1939. His educational pursuits were interrupted by World War II, and in 1942 he joined the United States Army. During World War II, he served four years with the 14th Armored Division in the European Theatre. After his military service, he graduated from State Teachers College of Trenton, NJ (13S) and University of Florida (MEd). John was inducted into the Tusculum Sports Hall of Fame in 1993. A memorial service will be held on Friday, Nov. 2 at 2 p.m. in the Fort King Presbyterian Church located at13 N.E. 36th Ave., Ocala. An informal reception will follow in the church fellowship hall. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations to Church without Walls, 13 N.E. 36th Ave., Ocala, FL. 34470 or Fort King Presbyterian Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1386. JACKSON, WILLIAM L., (Obituary No. 1386.) 82 Ocala - William L. Jackson, age 82, died on Sunday, October 28, 2007. He was born in Grinnell, Iowa on September 9, 1925, the son of Margery McLain Jackson and Wallace G. Jackson. His mother passed away when he was eight days old and he and his father then lived with his grandparents William and Laura Jackson for the next eight years, until his father married Fonda Hester. He then made his home with his new stepmother and father. He was educated in the Earlham, Iowa schools from kindergarten through high school. He enlisted in a special Army program before his graduation from high school in 1943, but was not called to duty until after graduation. He served in the US Army until April 1946, during which time he saw action in Europe with the 86th Infantry Division, and was redeployed, to the Philippine Islands in preparation for the invasion of Japan, which proved to be an unnecessary redeployment. Upon discharge from the army he attended the University of Iowa
graduating in 1949. He later passed the Certified Public Accountants exam. In 1947, he married his high school sweetheart Margery Imboden, a marriage that has been a very happy union for 60 years. This marriage has been blessed with four children who survive him: Ann Jackson, Phoenix, NY, Stephen W. Jackson (wife Nancy) of Westport, CT, Marilyn Lane (husband Kenny) of Jacksonville, FL, and Richard A. Jackson (wife Wendy) of Ft Myers, FL. There are five grandchildren that survive him: Kelsey Jackson of Nashville, TN, Ross and Carly Jackson of Ft. Myers, FL, and Danny and Erika Lane of Jacksonville, FL. Two half sisters also survive him namely Janet Joyner (husband David) of Carmel, IN and Jane Drury of Fairport, NY. He spent twenty-five years in the Chicago area serving as chief financial officer of three different manufacturing corporations. In 1975, the family relocated to Ft. Lauderdale, FL where with the help of his wife he opened a small business accounting practice, which he operated for over twenty years before selling the practice to his niece who is also a CPA. He continued to work with her for five years aiding in the orderly transfer of clients to the new owners. Services and interment will be in Earlham, Iowa Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1387. JAMES SR. WILSON L., (Obituary No. 1387.) 79 Ocala - James L. Wilson Sr. age 79, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, October 26, 2007 at Harbor Chase ALF Home of Gainesville, Fl. Mr. Wilson was a native of Montgomery, Al. and moved to Ocala in 1975 from Hialeah, Fl. He was a Manager with Southern Bell Telephone Company with 30 years of service. Mr. Wilson was a member of Living Waters Wesleyan Church; a Life member of V.F.W. Post #8083 of belleview, Fl.; Mr. Wilson was a veteran during the Korean Conflict serving in the Air Force. He is survived by two Grandsons Judson Hayes of Gainesville, Fl. and James Wilson, III of West Palm Beach, Fl.; 3 great grandchildren. He is also survived by a sister Lois Conrad of Hialeah, Fl. Predeceased by his wife Bernice Wilson (2006) and son James L. Wilson, Jr. Funeral Service for Mr. Wilson will be Wednesday, October 31, 2007 at HIERS BAXLEY FUNERAL Services TimberRidge Chapel 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl, with pastor Dale Travis officiating. Military Honors will be provided by Angela Santos Post #4781 of Ocala, Fl. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion or Alachua County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1388. KIESGEN, EARL ROLAND, (Obituary No. 1388.) 79, Ocala - Earl Kiesgen, age 79, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, October 29, 2007 at Legacy House. Mr. Kiesgen was a native of Chicago, IL and moved to Ocala in 1993 from Palatine, IL. Mr. Kiesgen was a retired Truck Driver for the lumber industry. He was an Army Veteran during the Korean Conflict serving in the Air Force. He is survived by two Grandsons Judson Hayes of Gainesville, Fl. and James Wilson, III of West Palm Beach, Fl.; 3 great grandchildren. He is also survived by a son Kirby G. Kiesgen and wife (Mary) of Schaumburg, IL; and a daughter Georgi A. Rand and husband (Craig) of Crystal Lake, IL; his grandchildren Rachel and Austin; a sister Gloria Limbers of Chicago, IL. Memorial Service for Mr. Kiesgen will be Wednesday October 31, 2007 from 3:00 - 4:00 pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge Chapel 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL with Military Honors at 4:00 pm provided by Angela Santos Post #4781 of Ocala, FL. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County or VFW Post #4781 of Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1389. LINZMAIER, DAVID A., (Obituary No. 1389.) 44 Summerfield - Mr. David A. Linzmaier, 44, passed away in Ocala on October 28, 2007. He was born in Detroit, MI on June 18, 1963. He was a Corrections Officer from Marion Correctional Institution. He moved to Florida in 1983 and came from Dearborn, MI. He was a member of St. Marks Catholic Church in
Summerfield, FL. His father David Linzmaier predeceases him. He is survived by his wife Vida of 16 years. A daughter Megan and a son Ryan both of Summerfield. A brother John Linzmaier of Pointe Verda, FL and a sister Diane Chauvin of Windsor, Ontario. His mother Caroline Linzmaier of South Lyon, MI. A gathering of friends will be at the Roberts Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave Ocala, FL. on Tuesday October 30th from 5-8 pm and Wednesday from 10-2 pm. A memorial service will be at a later date at the Marks Catholic Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1390. MANNING, JAMES EDWARD, (Obituary No. 1390.) 50 Ocala - James Edward Manning, 50, passed away on Saturday, October 27, 2007 at his residence. He was a lifetime resident of Ocala and was owner-operator of Salon 209. He was a member of Unity Church, Downtown Development, H.O.P.S., Leadership Ocala and Downtown Business Alliance. He is survived by his parents, Georgia and L.T. Manning of Ocala, step-mother, Laird Manning of Ocala, sisters. Gale Amorginos and Vicky Stephens both of Ocala and Susan Edwards of Florence, SC, brothers, Bruce Manning and Danny Sumner both of Ocala and David Sumner of Lakeland, his partner, Rob Black and his children Kyle and Katie Black all of Ocala. He was preceded in death by a sister, Diane Manning. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 31, 2007 at 3:00 P.M. at First Baptist Church of Ocala with Dr. Edward D. Johnson and Rev. Bill Dodd officiating, Visitiation will be Tuesday from 5-7 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Those who wish may make contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1391. MUSGRAVE, MORRIS C., (Obituary No. 1391.) 90 Port Charlotte, Fl - Morris C. Musgrave, 90, Born July 7, 1917, Niagara Falls, NY - Died September 7, 2007, Port Charlotte, Fl. Surrounded and supported by his loving children and grandchildren, Morris Charles Musgrave, 90, formerly of Ocala, died September 7, 2007. "Morrie" had many fond memories of friends in Ocala. Survivors include his daughter Barbara Chomko and her husband Ronald of Port Charlotte; daughter Pamela Thrift and her husband Emery of Gainesville; FL; his son James Musgrave and his wife Toots of Barrington, IL; son Dennis Ward of Port Charlotte; 10 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. on November 9th at the Veteran's Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to Hospice of Marion County for the excellent, care they provided his wife, Lorraine, who proceeded him in death in 1996 and where he volunteered for two years. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1392. PARSONS, PAMELA ANN, (Obituary No. 1392.) 58 Pamela A. (Morris) Parsons 58, of Citra, FL, wife of retired Marine Lt Col. Gregory W. Parsons, passed away on October 27 after a valiant 41/2 year battle with cancer. To her credit she beat the cancer by living much longer than thought possible and doing it with class, never giving in, never complaining, and never ceasing to enjoy life. Pam was the daughter of Captain (United States Navy) Kyle H. Morris of Valley Mills, TX and Sally O. (Webb) Morris of Manifest, LA. She was born in Newport, RI on July 18, 1949 and grew up at various naval installations. After her father was killed in a plane crash while the Commanding Officer of the Navy's test pilot squadron at NAS Albuquerque, NM she moved with her mother and brother Kyle to Baker, LA where she graduated from Baker High School in 1967. She then attended Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge graduating in 1971. While there she was a member of the Delta Zeta Sorority and named Sigma of the Year in 1970. After graduation she and her mother moved to Gulf Breeze, FL where she was employed by the Gulf Power Company. While there she met her future husband who was a U. S. Marine aviator assigned to instructor duty at Pensacola, FL. They married on January 4, 1979 and she spent the
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1393. ROWLES, HELEN M., (Obituary No. 1393.) 74 Ocala - Helen M. Rowles, 74, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, October 28, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Summerfield, FL. She was born in Saratoga, IN on November 9, 1932. Mrs. Rowles was a Registered Nurse and homemaker. She was a Methodist. Her hobbies included reading, cross word puzzles, crocheting and cooking. She moved to the Ocala area from St. Cloud, FL in 1987. She is survived by a daughter Deborah and Paul Ragsdale of Coral Springs, FL; son Jeffrey and Vique Rowles of Margate, FL; daughter Denise Rowles of North Lauderdale, FL; son Kurt Rowles of Ocala, FL; sister Janice Sipe of Winchester, IN; brother Kenneth Fraze of Inverness, FL and 4 grandchildren Joshua, Andrea, Matthew and Christina. She was preceded in death by her husband of 50 years Robert who passed away in 2003. A funeral service and celebration of her life will take place on Tuesday, October 30, 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - TIMBERIDGE, Ocala, FL. Visitation will take place at the funeral home on Monday, October 29, 6-8 p.m. Interment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/29/2007 - 10/30/2007.

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1394. ALDERMAN, VIRGINIA(Obituary No. 1394.), 81 Ocala - Virginia Alderman, 81, passed away on October 29, 2007. She is the wife of the late Frank Alderman, mother of Joe (Alene) Bass, Cheryl Bass, Allon (Sandra) Bass and the late Bonnie Abney. She has 13 grandchildren and many great great-grandchildren. She is the sister of Faye Alderman. Visitations are Thursday, 10 a.m. - 12 with services at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/1/2007.

1395. BOYER, WAYNE ELLIOT, (Obituary No. 1395.) 57 Ocala - "Rick" Wayne Elliot Boyer, 57, died Wednesday October 24, 2007, following a long illness. He was born June 23, 1950 in Washington, D.C. and lived in Ocala approximately 25 years. He was employed in sales and transportation driving. He attended St. Paul's United Methodist Church of Ocala. He is survived by his friend Dr. Larry A. Barnes of the home. by a brother, Terry Boyer of Port Orange, Florida, and a brother Dale Boyer of San Francisco, California. Internment will be made at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 800 SE 41st Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34471. Arrangements by ROBERTS
FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1396. BROWN, VIRGINIA H., (Obituary No. 1396.) 106 Pittsburgh, Pa., Virginia H. Brown, Age 106, of Asbury Heights, Pittsburgh, formerly of Ocala, FL and Cleveland, OH. Beloved wife of the late Francis P. Brown; loving mother of the late Orgain Edward McCullough and Lucia McCullough Albrecht; sister of the late Donald L. Harbaugh; grandmother of Virginia McCullough Filippelli of Greenwich, CT, Orgain E. McCullough, III of Golden, CO, Susan Albrecht Burke of Ann Arbor, MI and Lucy Albrecht of Mt. Lebanon, PA. Also survived by six great grandchildren. Virginia attended Hathaway Brown School in Cleveland, OH and attended Columbia Teachers College in New York. She was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Union Club of Cleveland, OH and the Weirsdale Presbyterian Church, Weirsdale, FL. No public visitation. A graveside service will be held Tuesday, October 30, 2007 at Noon in Lakeview cemetery, Cleveland, OH. Family suggests memorial contributions to the American Cancer Society, ALS Association or Asbury Heights Foundation. Arrangements by BEINHAUERS 412-531-4000. Please add or view tributes at www.beinhauer.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1397. COOPER, FRANK J., (Obituary No. 1397.) 64 Orange Lake - Frank J. Cooper, 64, passed away Sunday, October 28, 2007. Born In Mariemount, Ohio on May 26, 1943 to Edna and Joseph Cooper. He has a sister Eleanor. He was an airman in the 6th Maintenance Squadron, Strategic Air Command, USAF 1960-1964. Married Linda Jo Laub on April 23, 1966. Frank was a horse Farrier for nearly 35 years, a life member of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and past Exalted Ruler (2006) of the Order of Protective and Benevolent Elks Lodge in Gainesville Florida. Frank enjoyed horses, motorcycle riding, his loving family and most of all, helping others. He Is survived by his wife Linda and two children Joe Cooper and Shelia Cooper Cox, two grandchildren, Alexandra and Bo Cooper and has a grandchild on the way. He will be forever remembered and loved by them. A list of those he considered a friend would go on for a mile. A casual celebration of Frank's life will be held at Rohara Arabians, 9300 NW 193 Street, Orange Lake, Fl. 32681, 352-591-4661 at 3 p.m., Thursday, November 1st, 2007. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations in Frank's name to Elks Youth Camp, P.O. Box 49, Umatilla, Fl. 32784-0049. Services Entrusted to O.B. SAMUEL FUNERAL HOME. "Dedicated to those we serve " Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/1/2007.

1398. FRANKLIN, HELGA K., (Obituary No. 1398.) 77 Ocala - Mrs. Helga K. Franklin, 77, died Monday October 29, 2007 at The Legacy House Hospice. She was 77. Mrs. Franklin was born in Germany and moved to Ocala in 1988. She was a retired Restaurant Manger. Survivors include her husband Reginald A. Franklin of Ocala; sons Reginald A. Franklin Jr. (Sharell) of Erial N.J. and Bernard C. Franklin (Doris) of Allen Texas: 3 grandsons Reginald A Franklin III, Gerald T. Franklin and Ivory Needum. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/1/2007.

1399. HANKINSON, SR. JOHN H., (Obituary No. 1399.) 92 Ocala - John H. Hankinson, Sr., 92, died on October 27, 2007. John was born to John and Marjorie Hankinson on February 27, 1915 in Trenton, New Jersey. He moved to Ocala in 1951. John is survived by his wife of 60 years, Shirley, a former teacher and school system administrator. Their legacy includes four children John H. Hankinson, Jr. (Gail) of St. Augustine, Jimmy Hankinson (Allison) of Tallahassee, Margaret Spontak (Vince) and Mary Dingman (Russel) of Ocala; and eight grandchildren Clay, Marnie, Jenny, John Henry, and Sam Hankinson; Rusty and Christopher Dingman; and Michael Spontak. He has one surviving sister, Mary Rembe of Georgetown, ME.
He was preceded in death by his brother, Sam Hankinson, and his sister, Peggy Walker. John served the community in many ways. He taught 24 years in Marion County at Ocala High School, Vanguard High School and Howard High School. As a teacher, he served as a faculty advisor to many student groups and spearheaded the first voter registration effort for high school students throughout the county. He continued his service to education as a member and President of Marion County Retired Teachers, Tusculum College Pioneers Member, and the University of Florida Alumni Organization Member. A charter member and elder of the Fort King Presbyterian church, he sang in the choir, taught Sunday School and volunteered for juvenile ministry with Church without Walls. He was a member of the Florida Defenders of the Environment and supported many state and local environmental efforts. John graduated from Tusculum College (BA) in 1939. His educational pursuits were interrupted by World War II, and in 1942 he joined the United States Army. During World War II, he served four years with the 14th Armored Division in the European Theatre. After his military service, he graduated from State Teachers College of Trenton, NJ (13S) and University of Florida (MEd). John was inducted into the Tusculum Sports Hall of Fame in 1993. A memorial service will be held on Friday, Nov. 2 at 2 p.m. in the Fort King Presbyterian Church located at 13 N.E. 36th Ave., Ocala. An informal reception will follow in the church fellowship hall. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations to Church without Walls, 13 N.E. 36th Ave., Ocala, FL. 34470 or Fort King Presbyterian Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1400. JACKSON, WILLIAM L., (Obituary No. 1400.) 82 Ocala - William L. Jackson, age 82, died on Sunday, October 28, 2007. He was born in Grinnell, Iowa on September 9, 1925, the son of Margery McLain Jackson and Wallace G. Jackson. His mother passed away when he was eight days old and he and his father then lived with his grandparents William and Laura Jackson for the next eight years, until his father married Fonda Hester. He then made his home with his new stepmother and father. He was educated in the Earlham, Iowa schools from kindergarten through high school. He enlisted in a special Army program before his graduation from high school in 1943, but was not called to duty until after graduation. He served in the US Army until April 1946, during which time he saw action in Europe with the 86th Infantry Division, and was redeployed, to the Philippine Islands in preparation for the invasion of Japan, which proved to be an unnecessary redeployment. Upon discharge from the army he attended the University of Iowa graduating in 1949. He later passed the Certified Public Accountants exam. In 1947, he married his high school sweetheart Margery Imboden, a marriage that has been a very happy union for 60 years. This marriage has been blessed with four children who survive him: Ann Jackson, Phoenix, NY, Stephen W. Jackson (wife Nancy) of Westport, CT, Marilyn Lane (husband Kenny) of Jacksonville, FL, and Richard A. Jackson (wife Wendy) of Ft Myers, FL. There are five grandchildren that survive him: Kelsey Jackson of Nashville, TN, Ross and Carly Jackson of Ft. Myers, FL, and Danny and Erika Lane of Jacksonville, FL. Two half sisters also survive him namely Janet Joyner (husband David) of Carmel, IN and Jane Drury of Fairport, NY. He spent twenty-five years in the Chicago area serving as chief financial officer of three different manufacturing corporations. In 1975, the family relocated to Ft. Lauderdale, FL where with the help of his wife he opened a small business accounting practice, which he operated for over twenty years before selling the practice to his niece who is also a CPA. He continued to work with her for five years aiding in the orderly transfer of clients to the new owners. Services and interment will be in Earlham, Iowa Arrangements by HIER S FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.
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1403. LENHART, ROBERT EUGENE, (Obituary No. 1403.) 84 Ocala - Robert Eugene Lenhart, 84, passed away on Saturday, October 27, 2007 at Legacy House. Mr. Lenhart was a native of Madison, S.D. and moved to Ocala in 1987 from Clinton, Ohio. He was a retired Manager with several paper companies. Mr. Lenhart was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He was a Navy Veteran serving during W.W. II. He is survived by his daughters Janice Soucy of Lisbon Falls, Maine and Charlene Griffith of Milford, N.J.; two brothers William Lenhart of West Palm Beach, Fl.; Merle Lenhart of Michigan; a sister Joyce Lenhart of Oklahoma City, Ok.; and several grandchildren; Mr. Lenhart was predeceased by his wife Winniefred Lenhart (2006). Memorial Mass for Mr. Lenhart will be Friday, November 2, 2007 at 8:30 am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County or American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/1/2007.

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1406. MCGAW, ERNEST PHILLIP "PHIL", (Obituary No. 1406.) 53 Rutherfordton, NC - Ernest Phillip "Phil" McGaw, 53, formerly of Ocala, FL, died October 27, 2007 at his home. Survivors: Wife-Sandra (Drouin) McGaw of Rutherfordton, NC; Daughter - Angela Brown & husband Chris of Florida, step daughters - Monica Miller & Husband Larry of Florida and Amy del Collado of Florida; Grandsons - Wesley Dumont of Rutherfordton, NC, Chris Brown of Florida and William Brown of Florida, sister - Sherry Norred & husband Fred of Brevard, NC; Parents - Ernest Forrest McGaw & Dolores (Hodges) McGaw of Rutherfordton, NC. He was preceded in death by: Brother - Paul McGaw. Visitation will be held at CROWE'S FUNERAL CHAPEL on Thursday, November 1, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Service will be held at CROWE'S FUNERAL CHAPEL on Thursday, November 1, 2007 at 2 p.m. Interment: Sunset Memorial Park, Forest City, NC. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 11/1/2007.

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1408. PARSONS, PAMELA ANN, (Obituary No. 1408.) 58 Pamela A. (Morris) Parsons 58, of Citra, FL, wife of retired Marine Lt Col. Gregory W. Parsons, passed away on October 27 after a valiant 41/2 year battle with cancer. To her credit she beat the cancer by living much longer than thought possible and doing it with class, never giving in, never complaining, and never ceasing
to enjoy life. Pam was the daughter of Captain (United States Navy) Kyle H. Morris of Valley Mills, TX and Sally O. (Webb) Morris of Manifest, LA. She was born in Newport, RI on July 18, 1949 and grew up at various naval installations. After her father was killed in a plane crash while the Commanding Officer of the Navy's test pilot squadron at NAS Albuquerque, NM she moved with her mother and brother Kyle to Baker, LA where she graduated from Baker High School in 1967. She then attended Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge graduating in 1971. While there she was a member of the Delta Zeta Sorority and named Sigma of the Year in 1970. After graduation she and her mother moved to Gulf Breeze, FL where she was employed by the Gulf Power Company. While there she met her future husband who was a U. S. Marine aviator assigned to instructor duty at Pensacola, FL. They married on January 4, 1979 and she spent the next 28 plus years dedicated to supporting her family. She was a magnificent lady and will be greatly missed. Besides her parents she was predeceased by her brother Kyle who was murdered in Baton Rouge while trying to stop a thief after witnessing a robbery. She is survived by her husband and son's Tom and Christopher all of Citra, FL, sister-in-law Cynthia Morris and nephew Will Morris both of Baton Rouge, LA, niece Laura Goodsen of Niceville, FL and cousin, close friend, end confidant Susan Yeomans of New Orleans, LA as well as several uncles and aunts. A viewing will be held at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL HOME 910 S.E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL on Thursday November 1st from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. In lieu of cards or flowers it is requested that a donation be made to St Jude Children's Research Hospital or your local animal shelter. In memory of Pam, the Parsons family would like to tell everyone that colon cancer can be prevented and urge all to follow the medical recommendation to have a colonoscopy at age 50, or sooner if there is a history of cancer in the family. Think about what your loss would mean to family and friends. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/30/2007 - 10/31/2007.

1409. WILSON SR. JAMES L., (Obituary No. 1409.) 79 Ocala - James L. Wilson Sr. age 79, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, October 26, 2007 at Harbor Chase ALF Home of Gainesville, Fl. Mr. Wilson was a native of Montgomery, Al. and moved to Ocala in 1975 from Hialeah, Fl. He was a Manager with Southern Bell Telephone Company with 30 years of service. Mr. Wilson was a member of Living Waters Wesleyan Church; a Life member of V.F.W. Post #8083 of Belleview, Fl.; Mr. Wilson was a veteran during the Korean Conflict serving in the Air Force. He is survived by two Grandsons Judson Hayes of Gainesville, Ff. and James Wilson, III of West Palm Beach, Fl.; 3 great grandchildren. He is also survived by a sister Lois Conrad of Hialeah, Fl. Predeceased by his wife Bernice Wilson (2006) and son James L. Wilson, Jr. Funeral Service for Mr. Wilson will be Wednesday, October 31, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at HIERS BAXLEY FUNERAL Services TimberRidge Chapel 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl, with pastor Dale Travis officiating. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to the service. Military Honors will be provided by Angela Santos Post #4781 of Ocala, Fl. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion or Alachua County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/1/2007.

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1410. ALDERMAN, VIRGINIA(Obituary No. 1410.) 81 Ocala - Virginia Alderman, 81, passed away on October 29, 2007. She is the wife of the late Frank Alderman, mother of Joe (Alene) Bass, Cheryl Bass, Allan (Sandra) Bass and the late Bonnie Abney. She has 13 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren. She is the sister of Faye Alderman. Visitations are Thursday, 10 a.m. - 12p.m. with services at 12 p.m. at FOREST

1411. BROWN, A. D. (Obituary No. 1411.) 78 Ft. McCoy - A. D. Brown, 78, passed away on Tuesday, Oct. 30, 2007. He was a worm farmer and a member of Cedar Creek Baptist Church. He is survived by his daughters, Sheila Merry of Ft. McCoy, Barbara Sauls of Anthony, Annette Baxley of Citra, Johnnie Mac Smith of St. Augustine, and Carla Kay Gebhardt of St. Augustine and grandchildren Rachael Sauls, Michael Smith, Rebecca Sauls and Blake Merry. He was preceded in death by his wife Betty Brown and his daughter, Diana Allen. Funeral services will be held on Friday, Nov. 2, 2007 at 10 a.m. at Unity Baptist Church in Anthony with Rev. Samuel W. Clements and Brother Mike Kikendall officiating. Burial will be in Orange Springs Cemetery. Visitation will be Thursday from 6-8 p.m. at HIER S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1412. CARR, DR. ROBERT W., (Obituary No. 1412.) 72 Ocala - Dr. Robert W. Carr, 72, passed away on Monday, October 29, 2007 in Ocala. A Pediatrician, he practiced emergency medicine in Ocala for many years. He is survived by his wife, Sherry, of Ocala. Funeral services will be held on Friday, November 2, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. at HIER S FUNERAL HOME, 910 se Silver Springs Blvd. with Father Francis X. J. Smith officiating. memorial contributions may be made to the Florida Sheriff's Boys Ranch, P. O. Box 2000, Boys Ranch, FL 32064. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1413. COOPER, FRANK J., (Obituary No. 1413.) 64 Orange Lake - Frank J. Cooper, 64, passed away Sunday, October 28, 2007. Born in Mariemount, Ohio on May 26, 1943 to Edna and Joseph Cooper. He has a sister Eleanor. He was an airman in the 6th Maintenance Squadron, Strategic Air Command, USAF 1960-1964. Married Linda Jo Laub on April 23, 1966. Frank was a horse Farrier for nearly 35 years, a life member of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and past Exalted Ruler (2006) of the Order of Protective and Benevolent Elks Lodge in Gainesville Florida. Frank enjoyed horses, motorcycle riding, his loving family and most of all, helping others. He is survived by his wife Linda and two children Joe Cooper and Shelia Cooper Cox, two grandchildren, Alexandra and Bo Cooper and has a grandchild on the way. He will be forever remembered and loved by them. A list of those he considered a friend would go on for a mile. A casual celebration of Frank's life will be held at Rohara Arabians, 9300 NW 193 Street, Orange Lake, Fl. 32681, 352-591-4661 at 3 p.m., Thursday, November 1st, 2007. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations in Frank's name to Elks Youth Camp, P.O. Box 49, Umatilla, Fl. 32784-0049. Services Entrusted to O.B. SAMUEL FUNERAL HOME. "Dedicated to those we serve " Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/1/2007.

1414. DIOLORDI, ROSE(Obituary No. 1414.), 80 Monrovia, CA. - Rose Diolordi, 80, passed away Saturday, in Monrovia, CA. She was born in Detroit, MI, December 3, 1926. A former resident of Ocala, she attended Ocala First Assembly of God. Rose enjoyed cooking and loved spending time with her grandchildren. She is survived by one daughter Penny Huntzinger of Monrovia, CA, brother John Bastianelli and sister Lily Maletech both of the Detroit, MI area, and two grandchildren David and Charissa. Services will be 10 a.m. Friday, November 2, 2007 at HIER S FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be Thursday from 6-8 p.m. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1415. FRANKLIN, HELGA K., (Obituary No. 1415.) 77 Ocala - Mrs. Helga K. Franklin, 77, died Monday October 29, 2007 at The Legacy House Hospice. She was 77. Mrs. Franklin was born in Germany and moved to Ocala in 1988. She was a retired Restaurant Manager. Survivors
include her husband Reginald A. Franklin of Ocala; sons Reginald A. Franklin Jr. (Sharell) of Erial N.J. and Bernard C. Franklin (Doris) of Allen Texas; 3 grandsons Reginald A Franklin III, Gerald T. Franklin and Ivory Needum. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/1/2007.

1416. LENHART, ROBERT EUGENE, (Obituary No. 1416.) 84 Ocala - Robert Eugene Lenhart, 84, passed away on Saturday, October 27, 2007 at Legacy House. Mr. Lenhart was a native of Madison, S.D. and moved to Ocala in 1987 from Clinton, Ohio. He was a retired Manager with several paper companies. Mr. Lenhart was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He was a Navy Veteran serving during W.W. II. He is survived by his daughters Janice Soucy of Lisbon Falls, Maine and Charlene Griffith of Milford, N.J.; two brothers William Lenhart of West Palm Beach, Fl.; Merle Lenhart of Michigan; a sister Joyce Lenhart of Oklahoma City, Ok.; and several grandchildren; Mr. Lenhart was predeceased by his wife Winniefred Lenhart (2006). Memorial Mass for Mr. Lenhart will be Friday, November 2, 2007 at 8:30 am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County or American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/1/2007.

1417. MARZIALI, SR., DANDE A., (Obituary No. 1417.) 80 Ocala, FL died October 28, 2007 at his home under the loving care of his family and Hospice of Marion County. A native of Perth Amboy, NJ he relocated to Ocala from Port Monmouth, NJ in 1976. As a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, he was a devout Catholic who loved the Lord, a dedicated family man and a caring, humble humanitarian. A WWII U.S. Navy veteran, he was awarded the Victory Medal, the American Theatre Medal, the Asiatic Pacific Medal with 3 stars and the Philippine Liberation Ribbon with 1 star. He was a self-employed residential contractor and master plumber. Survivors include daughters Donna Anderson and her husband Brian, Tabernacle, NJ and Deborah Marziali, Denver, CO; son Dande F. Marziali, Jr., Grand daughters Eden and Joy Marziali, sister Ann Kluska, and his friend and ex-wife, Martha Marziali, all of Ocala. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church at 10 AM November 2, 2007. A reception will follow at the Church. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1418. MCGAW, ERNEST PHILLIP "PHIL", (Obituary No. 1418.) 53 Rutherfordton, NC - Ernest Phillip "Phil" McGaw, 53, formerly of Ocala, FL, died October 27, 2007 at his home. Survivors: Wife-Sandra (Drouin) McGaw of Rutherfordton, NC; Daughter - Angela Brown & husban Chris of Florida, step daughters - Monica Miller & Husband Larry of Florida and Amy del Collado of Florida; Grandsons - Wesley Dumont of Rutherfordton, NC, Chris Brown of Florida and William Brown of Florida, sister - Sherry Norred & husband Fred of Brevard, NC; Parents - Ernest Forrest McGaw & Dolores (Hodges) McGaw of Rutherfordton, NC. He was preceded in death by: Brother - Paul McGaw. Visitation will be held at CROWE'S FUNERAL CHAPEL on Thursday, November 1, 2007 from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Service will be held at CROWE'S FUNERAL CHAPEL on Thursday, November 1, 2007 at 2 p.m. Interment: Sunset Memorial Park, Forest City, NC. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/1/2007.

1419. MOTT, RUBY LEE, (Obituary No. 1419.) 84 Ocala - Ruby Lee Mott, 84, passed away on Monday, 10/29/07, at Estelle's House. She is survived by sons Dale Sorrow, Forsythe, GA & Jerry Sorrow, Covington, GA, 4 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren, sisters Darlene Miller,
Elaine Efird, Beth Jones and brothers John Williams and Eugene Williams. Memorial service will be held at Living Waters Worship Center Saturday, Nov. 3rd at 2 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1420. REBHAN, Verna Irene, (Obituary No. 1420.) 90 Ocala - Verna I. Rebhan, age 90, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, October 29, 2007. Mrs. Rebhan was born in Waterbury, CT. and moved to Ocala in 2002 from Bethel, CT. Mrs. Rebhan was a retired bookkeeper. "Mom" loved to laugh, tell stories and go out to eat with her friends and family. She loved Florida and all her new friends in Ocala. Mrs. Rebhan was also a member of the Red Hat Society; and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She is survived by her daughter Carla A. Ricci and husband (Sylvester) of Ocala; a son John (Jay) and wife (Rita) of Brookfield, CT.; her grandchildren Marla Rebhan, Jennifer Rebhan. Johnny Ricci all of Florida; and Sylvester Ricci, Jr. of Connecticut; two great grandchildren; a brother Ralph Gallagher and wife (Karthene) of Danbury, CT.; and several nieces and nephews. Mrs. Rebhan was predeceased by her husband John L. Rebhan (1991); and her sisters Doris Gallagher and Elaine Keane. Memorial Mass for Mrs. Rebhan will be Friday, November 2, 2007 at 10:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 9695 SW 110th St, Ocala, FL. Memorials may be made to the local Hospice of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1421. SHIPLEY, William L., (Obituary No. 1421.) 70 Ft. McCoy - Mr. William L. Shipley, 70, died Tuesday, October 30, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. A native of Maryland, Mr. Shipley came to this area in 2002, coming here from Orlando. Mr. Shipley is survived by his son Brian of Ft. McCoy, brothers Marvin and Thomas Shipley, sister Mary Eleanor Parker, and 2 grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, November 2, 2007, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Dr. Donald W. Jones officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1422. SIMMONS, Dorothy P., (Obituary No. 1422.) 83 Reddick - Mrs. Dorothy P. Simmons 83, Cottage Parent for Sunland Center, retired. Funeral Service will be held Saturday, Nov. 3, 2007 at 1 p.m. at the Church of God, Reddick, FL with Bishop James Russell, Jr., Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Simmons was born in Ocala, FL to the late Edgar Parker and Doretha Steplight Green August 27, 1924. She attended public school in Ocala, Marion County. A member of the Mothers Board. Survivor: 1 son, James Brown, Jr., Tampa, FL, 5 daughters, Barbara A. Harris, Emma L. Thomas, Sharon L. Brown, Janice D. Wise-Harris, all of Reddick, FL and Debra L. Jones, Ocala, FL. 26 grandchildren, 40 great-grandchildren, 5 great-great-grandchildren, 3 sisters, Helen P. Bargeron, Jacksonville, FL, Alice Johnson and Doretha A. Stewart, Ocala, FL. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday, November 2, 2007 from 9 - 5:30 p.m. Wake from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. in CUNNINGHAM'S CHAPEL. Saturday at the church from 12 noon until service hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1423. VANDEURSEN, III, Charles "Capt. Chuck", (Obituary No. 1423.) 70 Ocala - Charles "Capt. Chuck" VanDeursen III, of Ocala, FL, passed away Oct. 30, 2007 at his home. He was born in Scottsbluff, Nebraska and relocated to Marion County in 1987, Item Boynton Beach, FL. Chuck was a Professional Yacht Captain, Presbyterian in faith, a US Marine Carps veteran, a member of the VFW in Belleview, Key West and Boynton Beach. His passion was boating/pleasure cruising. He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Jodie VanDeursen, Ocala,
daughter, Janine M. Gil of West Palm Beach, FL, son Douglas A. VanDeursen, Charles A. VanDeursen IV, Georgia, daughter, Dawn M. Kuss, West Palm Beach, daughter, Michelle Rodberg, Lake Worth, FL, and 9 grandchildren. A Memorial Gathering will be held on Friday, November 2 between the hours of 1:00 - 5:00 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Heart Assoc. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1424. WILSON SR. JAMES L., (Obituary No. 1424.) 79 Ocala - James L. Wilson Sr. age 79, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, October 26, 2007 at Harbor Chase ALF Home of Gainesville, Fl. Mr. Wilson was a native of Montgomery, Al. and moved to Ocala in 1975 from Hialeah, Fl. He was a Manager with Southern Bell Telephone Company with 30 years of service. Mr. Wilson was a member of Living Waters Wesleyan Church; a Life member of V.F.W. Post #8083 of Belleview, Fl.; Mr. Wilson was a veteran during the Korean Conflict serving in the Air Force. He is survived by two Grandsons Judson Hayes of Gainesville, Ff. and James Wilson, III of West Palm Beach, Fl.; 3 great grandchildren. He is also survived by a sister Lois Conrad of Hialeah, Fl. Predeceased by his wife Bernice Wilson (2006) and son James L. Wilson, Jr. Funeral Service for Mr. Wilson will be Wednesday, October 31, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at HIERS BAXLEY FUNERAL Services TimberRidge Chapel 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl, with pastor Dale Travis officiating. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to the service. Military Honors will be provided by Angela Santos Post #4781 of Ocala, Fl. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion or Alachua County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/1/2007.

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1425. ALDERMAN, VIRGINIA(Obituary No. 1425.) , 81 Ocala - Virginia Alderman, 81, passed away on October 29, 2007. She is the wife of the late Frank Alderman, mother of Joe (Alene) Bass, Cheryl Bass, Allan (Sandra) Bass and the late Bonnie Abney. She has 13 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren. She is the sister of Faye Alderman. Visitations are Thursday, 10 a.m. - 12p.m. with services at 12 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/3/2007.

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1428. DIMARTINO, JUDY A., (Obituary No. 1428.) 62 Ocala - Mrs. Judy A. DiMartino, 62, of Ocala, Florida passed away Tuesday, October 30, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Astoria, Queens, New York she came to the area 11 months ago from Long Island, New York. She was a loving wife, mother and grandmother who enjoyed quilting, sewing, needlepoint, golfing, swimming, cheerleading for SummerGlen softball team. She was of Roman Catholic faith. Survived by her loving husband Douglas; her son Douglas Jr.; 2 daughters, Terriann Ruisi and Denise Goodson; 3 brothers, Anthony, Pat and Michael Vessa and 12 adoring grandchildren. Friends may pay respects at Turner Funeral Home, Spring Hill, Thursday & Friday evenings from 5-7 p.m. A Mass of the Resurrection will be held Saturday 12:30 p.m. at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, Spring Hill, Fl. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/2/2007 - 11/3/2007.

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1430. JOHNSON, SHELIA L., (Obituary No. 1430.) 61 Ocklawaha - Shelia L. Johnson, 61, passed away October 31, 2007. Born in Mason, WV, she came to this area in 1990 from East Liverpool, Ohio. She was a homemaker and attended the New Covenant Worship Center. She was also the Queen Mother of the Ocklawaha Ruby Raiders, Red Hat Club. She is survived by her siblings, Bernard Stewart of Wellsville, OH, Ruth Carroll of Ocala, FL, James Stewart of Columbus, OH and Tammy Smith of East Liverpool, OH; companion, Charles Young of Ocklawaha; nieces, Lisa Rhodes, Melissa Hawk and Teresa Minor all of East Liverpool, OH, Christie Young and Stephenie Butscher of Ocala; nephew, Jonathan Smith of East Liverpool, OH; 4 great nephews and 3 great nieces. She was preceded in death by her parents, Bernard and Olga Stewart and brother, John Stewart. A memorial service will be held at New Covenant Worship Center (600 SE 58th Ave. Ocala 624-1621) on Saturday (Nov. 3rd) at 2 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the National Breast Cancer Foundation. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/2/2007 - 11/3/2007.

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1433. O'DONNELL, JOSEPH F., (Obituary No. 1433.) 36 Summerfield - Joseph "Joe" O'Donnell, of Summerfield, FL, passed away Oct. 30, 2007 at his home. He was born in Bay Shore, New York and relocated to Marion County in 1985, from L.I., NY. Joe was a Custom Service Rep. Enjoyed fishing, spending time with family and friends, was an animal lover, and had a great sense of humor. He is survived by his wife of 18 years, Gretchen O'Donnell, Summerfield, daughter, Alexandria O'Donnell, Ocala, son, Sean O'Donnell, Summerfield, father, James O'Donnell, St. Petersburg, FL, mother, Julia O'Donnell, Ocala, sisters, Jamie O'Donnell, Ocala, and Jennifer Engstrom, Orlando, FL, maternal grandmother, Eleanor Miller, Ocala, and paternal grandmother, Muriel O'Donnell, St. Petersburg, a granddaughter, Aurora Vealey. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, Joseph Miller. A Memorial Gathering will be held on Saturday, November 3 between the hours of 1 - 4 PM, with services at 3 PM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/2/2007 - 11/3/2007.

1434. REBHAN, Verna Irene, (Obituary No. 1434.) 90 Ocala - Verna I. Rebhan, age 90, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, October 29, 2007. Mrs. Rebhan was born in Waterbury, CT. and moved to Ocala in 2002 from Bethel, CT. Mrs. Rebhan was a retired bookkeeper. "Mom" loved to laugh, tell stories and go out to eat with her friends and family. She loved Florida and all her new friends in Ocala. Mrs. Rebhan was also a member of the Red Hat Society; and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She is survived by her daughter Carla A. Ricci and husband (Sylvester) of Ocala; a son John (Jay) and wife (Rita) of Brookfield, CT.; her grandchildren Marla Rebhan, Jennifer Rebhan. Johnny Ricci all of Florida; and Sylvester Ricci, Jr. of Connecticut; two great grandchildren; a brother Ralph Gallagher and wife (Karlene) of Danbury, CT.; and several nieces and nephews. Mrs. Rebhan was predeceased by her husband John L. Rebhan (1991); and her sisters Doris Gallagher and Elaine Keane. Memorial Mass for Mrs. Rebhan will be Friday, November 2. 2007 at 10:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Arrangement's by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICE TIMBERIDGE Chapel 9695 SW 110th St, Ocala, FL. Memorials may be made to the local Hospice of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1435. SHIPLEY, William L., (Obituary No. 1435.) 70 Ft. McCoy - Mr. William L. Shipley, 70, died Tuesday, October 30, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House. A native of Maryland, Mr. Shipley came to this area in 2002, coming here from Orlando. Mr. Shipley is survived by his son Brian of Ft. McCoy, brothers Marvin and Thomas Shipley, sister Mary Eleanor Parker, and 2 grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, November 2, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Dr. Donald W. Jones officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.
1436. SIMMONS, DOROTHY P., (Obituary No. 1436.) 83 Reddick - Mrs. Dorothy P. Simmons 83, Cottage Parent for Sunland Center, retired. Funeral Service will be held Saturday, Nov. 3, 2007 at 1 p.m. at the Church of God, Reddick, FL with Bishop James Russell, Jr., Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Simmons was born in Ocala, FL to the late Edgar Parker and Doretha Steplight Green August 27, 1924. She attended public school in Ocala, Marion County. A member of the Mothers Board. Survivor: 1 son, James Brown, Jr., Tampa, FL, 5 daughters, Barbara A. Harris, Emma L. Thomas, Sharon L. Brown, Janice D. Wise-Harris, all of Reddick, FL and Debra L. Jones, Ocala, FL. 26 grandchildren, 40 great-grandchildren, 5 great-great-grandchildren, 3 sisters, Helen P. Bargeron, Jacksonville, FL, Alice Johnson and Doretha A. Stewart, Ocala, FL. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday, November 2, 2007 from 9 - 5:30 p.m. Wake from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. in CUNNINGHAM'S CHAPEL. Saturday at the church from 12 noon until service hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

1437. VANDERUREN, III, CHARLES "CAPT. CHUCK", (Obituary No. 1437.) 70 Ocala - Charles "Capt. Chuck" VanDeursen Ill, of Ocala, FL, passed away Oct. 30, 2007 at his home. He was born in Scottsbluff, Nebraska and relocated to Marion County in 1987, Item Boynton Beach, FL. Chuck was a Professional Yacht Captain, Presbyterian in faith, a US Marine Carps veteran, a member of the VFW in Belleview, Key West and Boynton Beach. His passion was boating/pleasure cruising. He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Jodie VanDeursen, Ocala, daughter, Janine M. Gil of West Palm Reach, FL, son Douglas A. VanDeursen, Charles A. VanDeursen IV, Georgia, daughter, Dawn M. Kuss, West Palm Beach, daughter, Michelle Rodberg, Lake Worth, FL, and 9 grandchildren. A Memorial Gathering will be held on Friday, November 2 between the hours of 1:00 - 5:00 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Heart Assoc. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/1/2007 - 11/2/2007.

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1438. ALDERMAN, VIRGINIA(Obituary No. 1438.), 81 Ocala - Virginia Alderman, 81, passed away on October 29, 2007. She is the wife of the late Frank Alderman, mother of Joe (Alene) Bass, Cheryl Bass, Allan (Sandra) Bass and the late Bonnie Abney. She has 13 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren. She is the sister of Faye Alderman. Visitations are Thursday, 10 a.m. - 12p.m. with services at 12 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 10/31/2007 - 11/3/2007.

1439. DEmEOLA, JOSEPH THOMAS (TOM), (Obituary No. 1439.) 80 Ocala - Joseph Thomas (Tom) Demeola passed away Wednesday, October 31, 2007 in Summerfield FL. He was born in Manhattan, NY. He came to this area from St. Petersburg and lived here for 28 years. He is survived by his daughters; Mary Jo Williamson of Concord, NC, Janet Churchill of Ocala FL., sons; John DeMeola of Ocala FL, Robert DeMeola of Oviedo FL, sister; Barbara Cahill of Kentucky, nine grandchildren, three great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife, Therese DeMeola and his son, David DeMeola. Tom was a retired administrator for Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church. He was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church and a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Services will be held at 11 am Thursday, November 8, 2007 at Our Lady Of The Springs Catholic Church with Father Andrew Mallock
officiating. Burial will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell FL. In Lieu of flowers donations may be made to your favorite charity. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME in Lady Lake is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/3/2007 - 11/4/2007.

1440. DIMARTINO, JUDY A., (Obituary No. 1440.) 62 Ocala - Mrs. Judy A. DiMartino, 62, of Ocala, Florida passed away Tuesday, October 30, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Astoria, Queens, New York she came to the area 11 months ago from Long Island, New York. She was a loving wife, mother and grandmother who enjoyed quilting, sewing, needlepoint, golfing, swimming, cheerleading for SummerGlen softball team. She was of Roman Catholic faith. Survived by her loving husband Douglas; her son Douglas Jr.; 2 daughters, Terriann Ruisi and Denise Goodson; 3 brothers, Anthony, Pat and Michael Vessa and 12 adoring grandchildren. Friends may pay respects at Turner Funeral Home, Spring Hill, Thursday & Friday evenings from 5-7 p.m. A Mass of the Resurrection will be held Saturday 12:30 p.m. at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, Spring Hill, Fl. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/2/2007 - 11/3/2007.

1441. JOHNSON, SHELIA L., (Obituary No. 1441.) 61 Ocklawaha - Shelia L. Johnson, 61, passed away October 31, 2007. Born in Mason, WV, she came to this area in 1990 from East Liverpool, Ohio. She was a homemaker and attended the New Covenant Worship Center. She was also the Queen Mother of the Ocklawaha Ruby Raiders, Red Hat Club. She is survived by her siblings, Bernard Stewart of Wellsville, OH, Ruth Carroll of Ocala, FL, James Stewart of Columbus, OH and Tammy Smith of East Liverpool, OH; companion, Charles Young of Ocklawaha; nieces, Lisa Rhodes, Melissa Hawk and Teresa Minor all of East Liverpool, OH, Christie Young and Stephenie Butcher of Ocala; nephew, Jonathan Smith of East Liverpool, OH; 4 great nephews and 3 great nieces. She was preceded in death by her parents, Bernard and Olga Stewart and brother, John Stewart. A memorial service will be held at New Covenant Worship Center (600 SE 58th Ave. Ocala 624-1621) on Saturday (Nov. 3rd) at 2 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the National Breast Cancer Foundation. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/2/2007 - 11/3/2007.

1442. KAAY, MARY ELLEN STOFFER, (Obituary No. 1442.) 90 Denver, CO - Mary Ellen Stoffer Kaay, 90, former Ocala resident, passed away on October 24, 2007, in Denver, CO, at 90 years of age. Mary Ellen was a loving wife, mother, who will be dearly missed. She was one of the original Navy WAVES. She is survived by two brothers, Ward and Von Stoffer; three children, John Kaay, Lucinda Verchot, and Gretchen Sickler, eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Services were held in Denver. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/3/2007 - 11/4/2007.

1443. KELL, JEAN(Obituary No. 1443.) 83 Ocala - Jean Kell, 83, passed away October 31st at her residence in Meadow Wood Farms. She was born in San Francisco, CA and moved to Ocala in 1981 from Miami. She enjoyed gardening, playing the organ, was a seamstress, a former member of MENSA, a member of the Starlighters and AF EW. She is Survived by James R. Kell her husband of 64 years, sons Andrew B. Kell of Babson Park, FL and Matthew C. Kell of Gainesville, FL, 2 grandchildren, 2 great grandchildren, a brother Donald Holt of Lovell, WY, and a sister Barbara Sue Linssen of San Rafael, CA. A memorial service will be held at St. Johns United Methodist Church in Cotton Plant on Monday, November 5th at 2:30 p.m. with Rev. Milton Smith officiating. The family will receive friends from 1 to 2 p.m. in the church fellowship hall. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34480 or the Alzheimer's Research 22512 Gateway Center Drive, PO Box 1950,

1444. O’DONNELL, JOSEPH F., (Obituary No. 1444.) 36 Summerfield - Joseph "Joe" O'Donnell, of Summerfield, FL, passed away Oct. 30, 2007 at his home. He was born in Bay Shore, New York and relocated to Marion County in 1985, from L.I., NY. Joe was a Custom Service Rep. Enjoyed fishing, spending time with family and friends, was an animal lover, and had a great sense of humor. He is survived by his wife of 18 years, Gretchen O'Donnell, Summerfield, daughter, Alexandria O'Donnell, Ocala, son, Sean O'Donnell, Summerfield, father, James O'Donnell, St. Petersburg, FL, mother, Julia O'Donnell, Ocala, sisters, Jamie O'Donnell, Ocala, and Jennifer Engstrom, Orlando, FL, maternal grandmother, Eleanor Miller, Ocala, and paternal grandmother, Muriel O'Donnell, St. Petersburg, a granddaughter, Aurora Vealey. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, Joseph Miller. A Memorial Gathering will be held on Saturday, November 3 between the hours of 1 - 4 PM, with services at 3 PM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/2/2007 - 11/3/2007.

1445. SMITH, LOIS(Obituary No. 1445.) , 64 Orange Springs - Smith, Lois, 64, passed away October 22, 2007 at Hospice Sylvia House in Ocala, Florida. She was preceded in death by her parents Harry Ray Stevenson and Grace Barker Stevenson. She is survived by her husband, Walter Gray Smith, Sr.; Daughter, Sharon R. Tysinger and Son, Thomas R. Tysinger. Brothers, Dan Stevenson & wife Pat, and Richard Stevenson & wife Mary, and three grandchildren, Zachary S. Tysinger, Tyler Smith and Jayden Smith. Memorial Service will be held for Mrs. Smith at First Baptist Church of Orange Springs on November 3, 2007 at 1 pm. Donations may be made in her honor at Hospice of Marion County and The American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/3/2007 - 11/4/2007.

1446. SUMMERVILLE, LINDA(Obituary No. 1446.) , 64 Ocala - Linda Summerville, 64, passed away on Wednesday, October 31, 2007. She was born in Copenhagen, Denmark and moved to the Untied States in 1951. Linda lived in Nashville for over 30 years where she raised her family and served as District Director for several years for M.D.A. She was a caring daughter, fantastic mother, loving grandmother and beloved friend. She is survived by her mother Elly Thomas of Ocala, brother Kim Anderson of Tallahassee, daughters Laurel Houpt of Ocala and Leigh Andersen of Los Angeles, and two grandchildren Kirstine and Thomas. Details will be forthcoming for a celebration of her life. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Lung Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/3/2007 - 11/4/2007.

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1447. DEMEOILA, JOSEPH THOMAS (TOM), (Obituary No. 1447.) 80 Ocala - Joseph Thomas (Tom) DeMeola passed away Wednesday, October 31, 2007 in Summerfield FL. He was born in Manhattan, NY. He came to this area from St. Petersburg and lived here for 28 years. He is survived by his daughters; Mary Jo Williamson of Concord, NC, Janet Churchill of Ocala FL., sons; John DeMeola of Ocala FL, Robert DeMeola of Oviedo FL, sister; Barbara Cahill of Kentucky, nine grandchildren, three great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife, Therese DeMeola and his son, David DeMeola. Tom was a retired administrator for Our Lady of The Springs Catholic Church. He was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church and a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Services will be held at 11 am Thursday, November 8, 2007 at Our Lady Of The Springs Catholic Church with Father Andrew Mallock
 officiating. Burial will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell FL. In Lieu of flowers
donations may be made to your favorite charity. BEYERS FUNERAL HOME in Lady Lake is in

**1448. GRECO, RAE** *(Obituary No. 1448.)*, 90 Ocala - Rae Greco, 90, of Ocala, FL, passed
away Thursday, Nov. 1, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House, Ocala. She was a native of New York,
NY. Rea is survived by two daughters and two sons, two brothers, a sister, ten grandchildren and
17 great-grandchildren. Service will be held on Monday, Nov. 5 at 2:00 p.m. at ROBERTS
FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East. The family will receive friends at the funeral home one
hour prior to services. Interment will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Donations
may be made to Hospice of Marion County. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East

**1449. HALL, THELMA J.,** *(Obituary No. 1449.)* 77 Ocala - Mrs. Thelma J. Hall, 77, of Ocala,
passed away November 2, 2007. Born in Defuniak Springs, she came to this area 60 years ago.
She was a retired hotel house keeper and a Baptist by faith. She is survived by her daughter,
Doris Bennett and her husband Gary of Ocala; sons, Wallace Hall and his wife, Becki of Ocala
and Wayne Hall of Palm Springs, CA; brothers, Clarence Johnson of Defuniak Springs, FL and
James Johnson of Ocala; four grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. A Graveside Service
will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala) on Wednesday
(November 7th) at 11 a.m. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown

**1450. KAAY, MARY ELLEN STOFFER,** *(Obituary No. 1450.)* 90 Denver, CO - Mary Ellen
Stoffer Kaay, 90, former Ocala resident, passed away on October 24, 2007, in Denver, CO, at 90
years of age. Mary Ellen was a loving wife, mother, who will be dearly missed. She was one of
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R. Kell her husband of 64 years, sons Andrew B. Kell of Babson Park, FL and Matthew C. Kell
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and a sister Barbara Sue Linssen of San Rafael, CA. A memorial service will be held at St. Johns
United Methodist Church in Cotton Plant on Monday, November 5th at 2:30 p.m. with Rev.
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4860, Ocala, FL 34480 or the Alzheimer's Research 22512 Gateway Center Drive, PO Box 1950,
Clarksburg, Maryland 20871-1950. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST

**1452. LEE, ROBERT E.,** *(Obituary No. 1452.)* 93 Kaukauna, WI - Robert E. Lee, 93, died
October 22, 2007, at St Paul Home, Kaukauna, WI. He was born March 18, 1914, in DePere, WI.
He attended St. Norbert College, the University of Wisconsin - Madison and the Eastman School
of Music in Rochester, NY. He served in the US Army during World War II. On July 10, 1942,
Robert married Joyce A. Enstrom who preceded him in death in 2004. Bob and Joyce lived for
many years in Appleton, WI where Bob worked in the printing business. They moved to Ocala,
Robert was survived by five sons: Michael, Santa Cruz, CA; David (Susan), Appleton, WI; Thomas, Vernon Hills, IL; Richard (Colleen) Portola Valley, CA; and Brian (Mary Sue), Appleton, WI; eleven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Besides his wife, Joyce, Robert was preceded in death by his sister Lorraine Lee Larson. A memorial service for Robert will be held on Saturday, November 10, 2007, at 4:30 p.m. at the First Congregational United Church of Christ, 724 E. South River St., Appleton, WI. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner on 11/4/2007.


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1456. BORDAK, MARY LOU, (Obituary No. 1456.) 78 Leesburg - Mrs. Mary Lou Bordak died November 3, 2007. Mrs. Bordak was a retired day care worker at First Baptist Church of Leesburg. She moved to Belleview, FL in 1956 from Johnstown, NY. She is survived by her two daughters and sons-in-law; Gene and Linda Armbister of Fruitland Park, FL., Randy and Sandy Jones of Yalaha, FL., two sisters; Marie Krieger of Miami FL., Ila Greco, of Johnstown, NY., grandchildren; Melissa Armbister, Candi Harper and Randy Jones, great grandchildren; Madelyn Harper, Bethany Jones and Brock Jones. Private services will be held at a later date. Arrangements are made by BEYERS FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY of Leesburg, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/5/2007 - 11/6/2007.

1457. MCINTIRE, JUNE(Obituary No. 1457.) , 91 Austell, GA - Mrs. June McIntire, 91 passed away on Friday, November 2, 2007 in Austell GA. A native of Lorain, Ohio. Mrs. McIntire moved to Ocala and resided here for 41 years before moving to Douglasville, Georgia in 2002 to be near her family. She was a homemaker and Baptist in faith. Mrs. McIntire was
involved in the Women's Auxiliary American Legion. She is survived by her son Tom Allen McIntire of Douglasville, Georgia, three grandchildren and eighteen great grandchildren. Mrs. McIntire was preceded in death by her husband, Glenn Allen McIntire in 2002. A graveside service will be held Tuesday, November 6, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery at 1 p.m. with the Reverend Dwayne Terry officiating. Visitations will be Monday from 5 to 7 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME located at 910 SE Silver Springs Boulevard. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/5/2007 - 11/6/2007.

1458. RICHARDS, DR. LEO O., (Obituary No. 1458.) 78 Ocala - Dr. Leo O. Richards, 78, passed away on October 4, 2007. A memorial service will be held at the Shocker Field Softball Complex, S.E. 24th Street at 9:15 a.m. on November 7, 2007. Information provided by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/4/2007 - 11/7/2007.

1459. STEWART, REVEREND DR. JON, (Obituary No. 1459.) 69 Dunnellon - Reverend Dr. Jon S. Stewart died November 2, 2007. He was born in West Chester, PA and resided in Dunnellon for 7 years. Dr. Stewart served 30 years as a Minister in Indiana, Virginia and was currently serving at Rainbow Lakes United Methodist Church in Dunnellon. He served his country in the US Army, Air National Guard, Air Force Reserves and currently serving as Chaplin in the Civil Air Patrol in the Ocala Region. Dr. Stewart earned his Batchelor of Arts degree from Ohio State University, his Masters degree from University of Southern California., Masters of Divinity inDayton Ohio, Education Specialist Degree from Peabody, Vanderbilt and his Doctorate of Ministry from Drew University. He loved sports especially the Philadelphia teams, acting and writing. His survivors include his wife Fern E. Stewart, son; timothy Loche Stewart of Dunnellon, sister; Delores Henton and her husband Robert of Dunnellon, 11 nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m on Thursday at the Rainbow Lakes United Methodist Church. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the church from 10:30 to 11 a.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME of Dunnellon, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue in Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/5/2007 - 11/6/2007.

1460. TREADWAY, RICHARD DALE, (Obituary No. 1460.) 60 Ocala - Mr. Richard Dale Treadway died November 3, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center Emergency Center at Timber Ridge in Ocala. He was born in Beckley West Virginia. He moved to Ocala and has lived here 4 years. He retired from Key Scales Ford in Leesburg. He also worked for Ocala Ford and Bozard Ford in St. Augustine, FL. He was a Vietnam Veteran in the US Marine Corps. He was a member of the VFW Post in Belleview. Mr. Treadway was an avid golfer. He is survived by his wife, Linda Treadway of Ocala FL., children; Tom Cohen of Sparks, NV., Lori Rasley of Belleview FL., Carol Lee Treadway of Beckley W. VA., Tommy Treadway Beckley W. VA., Rebecca Peake of Johnsonsburg, TN., Kenneth Ewan of Wildwood FL., two great grandchildren; Skyler and Aleah Reed, sister; Norma Belcher of Beckley, W. VA., brothers; Ron Treadway of Beckley W. VA and Rick Treadway of Ft. Payne, AL.Visitations are Tuesday November 6 from 5 to 8 p.m. Services will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, November 7 at BEYERS FUNERAL HOME with Dr. Alan Holden officiating. The burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/5/2007 - 11/6/2007.

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1462. ELLISOR, JACQUELINE(Obituary No. 1462.), 78 Ocala - Jacqueline "Jackie" Ellisor, 78, passed away on Sunday, November 4, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Chiefland, she moved to Marion County in 1948. She was a member of Northside Missionary Baptist Church, as well as Woodman of the World. She is survived by her sons Henry Slaughter of Perry and Jason Ellisor of Ocala; sisters Cordele Allen of Chiefland, Cora Lee Ward of Ocala, Mary Lou Mitchell of Tyler, TX, and Jennie Duncan of Ocala. She was preceded in death by her daughter Glenda Gale Slaughter, brother Johnnie Cason and sister Marie Lamb. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, November 9, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., with Pastor Wayne Hunter officiating. A visitation will be held from 5-7 pm on Thursday, November 8, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/6/2007 - 11/7/2007.

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1465. STEWART, REVEREND DR. JON, (Obituary No. 1465.) 69 Dunnellon - Reverend Dr. Jon S. Stewart died November 2, 2007. He was born in West Chester, PA and resided in Dunnellon for 7 years. Dr. Stewart served 30 years as a Minister in Indiana, Virginia and was currently serving at Rainbow Lakes United Methodist Church in Dunnellon. He served his country in the US Army, Air National Guard, Air Force Reserves and currently serving as Chaplin in the Civil Air Patrol in the Ocala Region. Dr. Stewart earned his Batchelor of Arts degree from Ohio State University, his Masters degree from University of Southern California, Masters of Divinity inDayton Ohio, Education Specialist Degree from Peabody, Vanderbilt and his Doctorate of Ministry from Drew University. He loved sports especially the Philadelphia teams, acting and writing. His survivors include his wife Fern E. Stewart, son; timothy Loche Stewart of Dunnellon, sister; Delores Henton and her husband Robert of Dunnellon, 11 nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m on Thursday at the Rainbow Lakes United
Methodist Church. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the church from 10:30 to 11 a.m. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME of Dunnellon, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue in Dunnellon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/5/2007 - 11/6/2007.

1466. TREADWAY, RICHARD DALE, (Obituary No. 1466.) 60 Ocala - Mr. Richard Dale Treadway died November 3, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center Emergency Center at Timber Ridge in Ocala. He was born in Beckley West Virginia. He moved to Ocala and has lived here 4 years. He retired from Key Scales Ford in Leesburg. He also worked for Ocala Ford and Bozard Ford in St. Augustine, FL. He was a Vietnam Veteran in the US Marine Corps. He was a member of the VFW Post in Belleview. Mr. Treadway was an avid golfer. He is survived by his wife, Linda Treadway of Ocala FL., children; Tom Cohen of Sparks, NV., Lori Rasley of Belleview FL., Carol Lee Treadway of Beckley W. VA., Tommy Treadway Beckley W. VA., Rebecca Peake of Johnsonsburg, TN., Kenneth Ewan of Wildwood FL., two great grandchildren; Skyler and Aleah Reed, sister; Norma Belcher of Beckley, W. VA., brothers; Ron Treadway of Beckley W. VA and Rick Treadway of Ft. Payne, AL. Visitations are Tuesday November 6 from 5 to 8 p.m. Services will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, November 7 at BEYERS FUNERAL HOME with Dr. Alan Holden officiating. The burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/5/2007 - 11/6/2007.

1467. TREADWAY, ROGER DALE, (Obituary No. 1467.) 60 Ocala - Mr. Roger Dale Treadway died November 3, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center Emergency Center at Timber Ridge in Ocala. He was born in Beckley West Virginia. He moved to Ocala and has lived here 4 years. He retired from Key Scales Ford in Leesburg. He also worked for Ocala Ford and Bozard Ford in St. Augustine, FL. He was a Vietnam Veteran in the US Marine Corps. He was a member of the VFW Post in Belleview. Mr. Treadway was an avid golfer. He is survived by his wife, Linda Treadway of Ocala FL., children; Tom Cohen of Sparks, NV., Lori Rasley of Belleview FL., Carol Lee Treadway of Beckley W. VA., Tommy Treadway Beckley W. VA., Rebecca Peake of Johnsonsburg, TN., Kenneth Ewan of Wildwood FL., 13 grandchildren, two great grandchildren; Skyler and Aleah Reed, sister; Norma Belcher of Beckley, W. VA., brothers; Roy Treadway of Beckley W. VA and Rick Treadway of Ft. Payne, AL. Visitations are Tuesday November 6 from 5 to 8 p.m. Services will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, November 7 at BEYERS FUNERAL HOME with Dr. Alan Holden officiating. The burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/6/2007 - 11/7/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, November 7, 2007

1468. DAVIS, RUTH(Obituary No. 1468.), 89 Ocala - Ruth E. Davis, 89, died on 11/5, 2007. Wife of the late Joseph B. Davis Mother of Beverly Correia and Larry Burton. Ruth is the grandmother of 5, great grandmother of 10, and has 1 great great grandchild. She is the sister of Pauline Willis of Schaumburg, IL and Mary Warren of Bedford IN. Visitations 11 a.m. - 12 noon with services at 12:30 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/8/2007.

1469. ELLISOR, JACQUELINE(Obituary No. 1469.), 78 Ocala - Jacqueline "Jackie" Ellisor, 78, passed away on Sunday, November 4, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Chiefland, she moved to Marion County in 1948. She was a member of Northside Missionary Baptist Church, as well as Woodman of the World. She is survived by her sons Henry Slaughter of Perry and Jason Ellisor of Ocala; sisters Cordele Allen of Chiefland, Cora Lee Ward of Ocala,
Mary Lou Mitchell of Tyler, TX, and Jennie Duncan of Ocala. She was preceded in death by her
daughter Glenda Gale Slaughter, brother Johnnie Cason and sister Marie Lamb. A funeral
service will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, November 9, 2007 at HIER S FUNERAL HOME, 910
SE Silver Springs Blvd., with Pastor Wayne Hunter officiating. A visitation will be held from 5-
7 pm on Thursday, November 8, 2007 at HIER S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala

1470. HORTON, HOWARD EDWIN, (Obituary No. 1470.) 79 Dunnellon - Howard Edwin
Horton, 79, passed way on, November 3, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehabilitation Center.
Mr. Horton was the son of Howard M. Horton and Reba E. (Osborne) Horton of Gadsden,
Alabama. Mr. Horton was a retired Drywall Contractor, and moved to Dunnellon in 1980 from
Orlando, Fl. Mr. Horton was a veteran serving in the US Air Force. He was a life member of the
American Legion Post #19 of Orlando, Fl. He was Protestant by faith. Mr. Horton is survived by
his sons Jimmy Horton of Orlando, Fl. and Jerry Horton and wife Angela of Shelby, N.C.; a
sister Christine Giles of Boaz, Ala.; and a brother Jack Horton of Louisville, Ky. 5
Grandchildren; and 1 Great Granddaughter. Mr. Horton was predeceased by his sons Joe and
James Horton, and a brother Bobby Horton. Funeral Service for Mr. Horton will be Friday,
November 9, 2007 at 12 p.m. at HIER S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIDGE
CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. with Rev. Robert Loring officiating. Visitation will be 1
hour before the service. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, Fl. with honors
provided by Angela Santos Post #4781 of Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from

1471. JORDAN, JR., ALLEN IRWIN, (Obituary No. 1471.) 84 Ocala - Allen Irwin Jordan,
Jr., 84, passed away on Saturday, October 27 at Hospice Legacy House in Ocala, FL. He was
born in Norfolk, VA on September 1, 1923. He was the son of Allen Irwin Jordan, Sr and
Thelma Jean "Winfire" of Norfolk, VA. Mr. Jordan is survived by his beloved wife of 60 years
Patricia Ann "Witherow" Jordan of Ocala, and formerly of Santa Ana, CA.; daughter Rebecca
Ann and husband Hugh Allen Scott of Ocala; daughter Susan Lannette O'Brien and friend (John
Rowan) of Ocala; grandsons Buzzy C. Patrick Lovell of Newport News, VA and Trent Kyne
Kinnaird of Ocala; great granddaughters Jordan Lovell and Cortney Lovell both of Newport
News, VA; an adopted and mentored son Clarence Mackey of Reddick, FL and his beloved
French Poodle Poo Pae. Mr. Jordan was predeceased by his grandson Gregory Allen Lovell
(1997) and his sister Thelma Jean Woolard (1989). Mr. Jordan spent 10 years in the US Navy
and 20 years in the US Air Force serving in places such as Tokyo, Japan; Woodbridge, England
and Wiesbaden, Germany. His specialty was Civil Engineering. He traveled with the Inspector
General of the Air Force doing inspections of military bases in Europe. He was the Executive
Director of Maintenance for the Newport News, VA Housing Authority for 10 years. He was
also the Executive Director of Maintenance for the Gainesville, FL Housing Authority. He was a
lifetime member of the VFW and Moose Lodge of Norfolk VA. His hobby was raising and
growing all colors of Azaleas and rare varieties of Impatiens. One of the great highlights of
Allen's life was attending the 1960 Olympics in Tokyo, Japan and with his wife and daughters
and also attending a banquet in honor of the Swim Team. In Japan he also attended the royal
wedding of the Prince of Tokyo, Japan. Throughout Allen's life he was a mentor to many young
men who went on to have successful careers and to this day stay in touch. Allen was a big
supporter and provider to Asian orphanages. He was an avid sponsor of Mr. and Mrs. Phong
Buoy from Vietnam. Allen was an exceptional man who lived an exceptional life and was a
loving husband and father. He will be greatly missed and always loved by his wife and
daughters. A celebration of his life will be held by his family and friends on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Clubhouse of Foxwood Farms in Ocala. His final resting place will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to the Florida Center for The Blind in honor of Allen I. Jordan, 7325 SW 32nd St, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/8/2007.

1472. KRISER, DOROTHY E., (Obituary No. 1472.) 98 Gilbert, AZ - Dorothy E. Kriser, 98, of Gilbert, AZ passed away on Wednesday, October 31, 2007 at her daughter's home. Born and raised in Otsego, MI, she later moved to Ocala, where she resided for 30 years. She then moved to Chipley, FL before moving to Arizona 4 years ago. She was a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Chipley, FL. She loved reading her bible and was a prayer warrior for her church, as well as her family. She enjoyed volunteering as a Pink Lady at MRMC and in the hospitals in Chipley. She also tutored adults and students in a reading program. She leaves behind a legacy of 253 decedents, which Include her 9 children, Benjamin Kriser of Bonifay, FL, Hal Kriser of Silver Springs, FL, Ann Hunt of Ocala, FL, Charles Kriser of Chipley, FL, Kay Clark of Morristown, FL, John Kriser of Florence, AZ, Philip Kriser of Sacramento, CA, Joan Kriser of Gilbert, AZ, and Mark Kriser of Chipley, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband of 50 years, Clair Vincent Kriser. A funeral service will be held at 2 PM on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at HIER S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs, with a gathering of family and friends to begin at 1 PM. Entombment to follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be to Tri-County Pregnancy Center. P.O. Box 743 Williston, FL 32696. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1473. MESNICK, CHARLOTTE EDITH, (Obituary No. 1473.) 89 Ocala - Charlotte Edith Mesnick, 89, died Saturday at her residence. Born in Shenandoah, PA, Mrs. Mesnick was a resident of Princeton, NJ, over thirty years before moving to Ocala. She attended Penn State University and was a real estate broker for Henderson Realty in Princeton, before retiring. Wife of the late Elliot I Mesnick she is survived by a daughter Leslie Gallery-Dilworth of Glauseo, New Mexico, a son Gary Mesnick of Ocala, Florida and five grandchildren. Funeral Services are Thursday 11 a.m. at ORLAND'S EWING MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1534 Pennington Road, Ewing Township, NJ. Burial will follow at Ewing Cemetery. The family respectfully requests memorial contributions be offered to the American Cancer Society or Humane Society of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/8/2007.


1475. ROWE, MARY ALDERMAN, (Obituary No. 1475.) 73 Ocala - Mary Alderman "Libby" Rowe, 73, passed away November 6th at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in Jennings, FL and moved to Ocala in 1960. She was a member of the First Christian Church of Ocala, and was a past president of the Junior League, (formerly the Children's Service League). She is survived by her husband Charles K. Rowe of Ocala, sons Mark and Keith Brandies of Ocala, grandchildren Evan, Ryan, Andrew "Drew" Brandies and Devin Simonson. Brothers, Russell Alderman of Jennings, FL, Herbert Alderman of Monks Corner, SC, and sisters Rita Griffin of Manchester, GA, and Inez Sanderfur of Palatka, FL. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Monday, November 12th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL where funeral services will be held at 10
a.m. on Tuesday, November 13th. Interment will be in the Burnham Christian Church Cemetery in Jennings, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/8/2007.

1476. SITES, IRENE B., (Obituary No. 1476.) 89 Ocala - Irene B. Sites, 89, formerly of Chesapeake, OH went to be with the Lord, Saturday evening, November 3, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala, Florida. Graveside Funeral Service will be at 2 p.m., Friday, November 9, 2007 at Rome Cemetery, Proctorville, OH with Pastor Jerry Galloway officiating. Irene was born October 24, 1918 in Gallia County, Ohio, a daughter of the late George Oscar and Lottie Mae Lewis Halley. She was a member of Rockwood Baptist Church, Chesapeake, Ohio. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Raymond Sites; her seven sisters, Gladys Sites, Ruby Hall, Goldie Jordan, Bertha Sites, Effie Archer, twin Justine Hager and Gertrude Stanley; and one brother, Jim Halley. She is survived by a daughter and son-in-law, JoAnn and Foster Steele of Ocala, Florida; one granddaughter, Terry Steele of Ocala, Florida; one grandson, John Steele and his partner, Mike Sargent of Ocala, Florida; one great grandson, Raymond Edward Fowler of Williston, Florida; one sister, Pauline Curry of South Point, Ohio; and a host of nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Rockwood Baptist Church, PO Box 294, Chesapeake, Ohio 45619. SCHNEIDER-GRIFFIN FUNERAL HOME, Chesapeake, OH is in charge of arrangements. Condolences may be expressed at www.schneidergriffin.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/8/2007.

1477. TREADWAY, ROGER DALE, (Obituary No. 1477.) 60 Ocala - Mr. Roger Dale Treadway died November 3, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center Emergency Center at Timber Ridge in Ocala. He was born in Beckley West Virginia. He moved to Ocala and has lived here 4 years. He retired from Key Scales Ford in Leesburg. He also worked for Ocala Ford and Bozard Ford in St. Augustine, FL. He was a Vietnam Veteran in the US Marine Corps. He was a member of the VFW Post in Belleview. Mr. Treadway was an avid golfer. He is survived by his wife, Linda Treadway of Ocala FL., children; Tom Cohen of Sparks, NV., Lori Rasley of Belleview FL., Carol Lee Treadway of Beckley W. VA., Tommy Treadway Beckley W. VA., Rebecca Peake of Johnsonsburg, TN., Kenneth Ewan of Wildwood, FL., 13 grandchildren, two great grandchildren; Skyler and Aleah Reed, sister; Norma Belcher of Beckley, W. VA., brothers; Roy Treadway of Beckley W. VA and Rick Treadway of Ft. Payne, AL. Visitations are Tuesday November 6 from 5 to 8 p.m. Services will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, November 7 at BEYERS FUNERAL HOME with Dr. Alan Holden officiating. The burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/6/2007 - 11/7/2007.

1478. WAUGAMAN, JOSEPHINE FAY, (Obituary No. 1478.) 86 Dunnellon - Josephine Fay Waugaman, 86, passed away on, November 6, 2007 at Hampton Manor Gardens. Mrs. Waugaman was the daughter of Harry T. Beighley and Ethel Louise Flickenger of Beaver Falls, Pa. Mrs. Waugaman was a retired Sorter in the Pottery Industry, and moved to Ocala from Beaver Falls, Pa. in 2000. Mrs. Waugaman was a member of the Order of Eastern Star, and the Disabled American Veterans in Pennsylvania. She was a veteran of W.W. II serving in the Army. She was Methodist by faith. Mrs. Waugaman is survived by her step-daughter Sally and husband Gerald Pollock of Ocala; a brother Harry W. Beighley of Beaver Falls, Pa.; and many nieces and nephews. Funeral Service for Mrs. Waugaman will be Thursday, November 8, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL with Rev. Dr. Ken Kleckner, III officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday, November 7, 2007 from 3 - 5 p.m. Entombment will be at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery with Military Honors provided by Angela Santos Post #4781 of Ocala. Memorials may be made
Obituary Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, November 8, 2007

1479. BAILLE, CURTISS D., (Obituary No. 1479.) 91 Pedro - Mrs. Curtiss D. Baillie, 91, of Pedro, died November 6, 2007, at Tuscany House. She was born in Mitchell County, GA on December 29, 1915 and moved to Marion County in 1932. She lived on the Curt-D-Farm in Pedro and raised cattle. Mrs. Baillie worked for the Marion County School Board from 1955 through Dec. 1956, and in Jan. 1957 she started to work at the Marion County Sheriff's Office as Civil Deputy for the late F. L. McGehee. She wrote the Florida Sheriff's Simplified Civil Process Handbook, first, second and third editions, that was used for training purposes in Sheriff's Offices throughout the state. She served on the Advisory Board for the compiling of the Florida Sheriff's Manual and donated her material in the Handbook for the Sheriff's Manual for use in seminars. She was the first woman to become Chief Civil Deputy In the state. Mrs. Baillie was a member of Pedro Baptist Church, Eastern Star, Chapter 122, Belleview, Marion County Farm Bureau, Florida Council on Crime and Delinquency, a lifetime member of the Florida Sheriff's Association, Ocala Pilot Club and Pilot International and in 2007 was named Ocala Pilot Club International Foundation Sweetheart. She served on the Democratic Executive Committee, was a charter member of the National Secretary's Association, Marion County Cattlewomen, National Cattlewomen's Association, charter member of Southeastern Youth Fair Alumni Club, and a volunteer for Senior Services. She Is an honorary member of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. Mrs. Baillie is survived by daughters, Kaye (Bud) Boyer, Weirsdale, Vivian (Buddy) Guinn, Pedro; stepson, Russell (Jaye) Baillie, Ocala; 7 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be hold at 10 a.m. on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Pedro Baptist Church with Pastor Rudy Williams and Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Interment will be in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Visitation will be Friday evening from 6-8 p.m. at HIEBAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Memorial Contributions may be made to Operation Shoebox, 6675 SE 110th St., Belleview, FL 34420. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1480. DAVIS, RUTH (Obituary No. 1480.) 89 Ocala - Ruth E. Davis, 89, died on 11/5, 2007. Wife of the late Joseph B. Davis Mother of Beverly Correia and Larry Burton. Ruth is the grandmother of 5, great grandmother of 10, and has 1 great great grandchild. She is the sister of Pauline Willis of Schaumburg, IL and Mary Warren of Bedford IN. Visitations 11 a.m. - 12 noon with services at 12:30 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/8/2007.

1481. GLOVER, YVONNE (Obituary No. 1481.) 62 Ocala - Yvonne Glover, 62, died on October 31, 2007 in Bedford, Ohio. Funeral Services will be held on Sat. Nov. 10, 2007 at 3 pm at Living Waters Worship Center, 3801 NW Hwy 441 with Rev. Kenneth Brown conducting. She will be forever loved and missed by (4) daughters Robin Ruthledge, Sybil McCray, April Peoples, Michelle Schackleford, (2) sons Tracy Glover, Taree Glover, 14 grandchildren, 1 great grandson, 1 God-daughter. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1482. HONOR, JR., REVEREND WILLIE LEE, (Obituary No. 1482.) 53 Ocala - Reverend Willie Lee Honor, Jr. passed away on November 2, 2007. A wake service will be Friday, November 9th at Ebenezer UMC Williston from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Funeral Services will be held
Horton, Howard Edwin, (Obituary No. 1483.) 79 Dunnellon - Howard Edwin Horton, 79, passed way on, November 3, 2007 at TimberRidge Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. Mr. Horton was the son of Howard M. Horton and Reba E. (Osborne) Horton of Gadsden, Alabama. Mr. Horton was a retired Drywall Contractor, and moved to Dunnellon in 1980 from Orlando, Fl. Mr. Horton was a veteran serving in the US Air Force. He was a life member of the American Legion Post #19 of Orlando, Fl. He was Protestant by faith. Mr. Horton is survived by his sons Jimmy Horton of Orlando, Fl. and Jerry Horton and wife Angela of Shelby, N.C.; a sister Christine Giles of Boaz, Ala.; and a brother Jack Horton of Louisville, Ky. 5 Grandchildren; and 1 Great Granddaughter. Mr. Horton was predeceased by his sons Joe and James Horton, and a brother Bobby Horton. Funeral Service for Mr. Horton will be Friday, November 9, 2007 at 12 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERRIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. with Rev. Robert Loring officiating. Visitation will be 1 hour before the service. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, Fl. with honors provided by Angela Santos Post #4781 of Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/8/2007.

Jordon, Jr., Allen Irwin, (Obituary No. 1484.) 84 Ocala - Allen Irwin Jordan, Jr., 84, passed away on Saturday, October 27 at Hospice Legacy House in Ocala, FL. He was born in Norfolk, VA on September 1, 1923. He was the son of Allen Irwin Jordan, Sr and Thelma Jean "Winfire" of Norfolk, VA. Mr. Jordan is survived by his beloved wife of 60 years Patricia Ann "Witherow" Jordan of Ocala, and formerly of Santa Ana, CA.; daughter Rebecca Ann and husband Hugh Allen Scott of Ocala; daughter Susan Lannette O'Brien and friend (John Rowan) of Ocala; grandsons Buzzy C. Patrick Lovell of Newport News, VA and Trent Kyne Kinnaird of Ocala; great granddaughters Jordan Lovell and Cortney Lovell both of Newport News, VA; an adopted and mentored son Clarence Mackey of Redick, FL and his beloved French Poodle Poo Pae. Mr. Jordan was predeceased by his grandson Gregory Allen Lovell (1997) and his sister Thelma Jean Woolard (1989). Mr. Jordan spent 10 years in the US Navy and 20 years in the US Air Force serving in places such as Tokyo, Japan; Woodbridge, England and Wiesbaden, Germany. His specialty was Civil Engineering. He traveled with the Inspector General of the Air Force doing inspections of military bases in Europe. He was the Executive Director of Maintenance for the Newport News, VA Housing Authority for 10 years. He was also the Executive Director of Maintenance for the Gainesville, FL Housing Authority. He was a lifetime member of the VFW and Moose Lodge of Norfolk VA. His hobby was raising and growing all colors of Azaleas and rare varieties of Impatiens. One of the great highlights of Allen's life was attending the 1960 Olympics in Tokyo, Japan and with his wife and daughters and also attending a banquet in honor of the Swim Team. In Japan he also attended the royal wedding of the Prince of Tokyo, Japan. Throughout Allen's life he was a mentor to many young men who went on to have successful careers and to this day stay in touch. Allen was a big supporter and provider to Asian orphanages. He was an avid sponsor of Mr. and Mrs. Phong Buoy from Vietnam. Allen was an exceptional man who lived an exceptional life and was a loving husband and father. He will be greatly missed and always loved by his wife and daughters. A celebration of his life will be held by his family and friends on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at 2 p.m. at the Clubhouse of Foxwood Farms in Ocala. His final resting place will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to the Florida
1485. **KEMP, JACK MILTON, (Obituary No. 1485.)** 82 Kemp, Jack Milton. 82 of Ocala, Died Monday, Nov. 5, 2007 at his home. Jack was born in Culbert, Ga. and came to the Ocala area in 1941 from Climax Ga. He was a retired Supervisor for a Nursery/landscaping Co. He was a Navy veteran, and a member of the Church of Latter day Saints in Belleview. He is proceeded in death by his daughter Donna Mare’a Yarbrough. He is survived by his wife Charlotte Kemp of Ocala, Fl son- Hal Milton Kemp of Ft. McCoy, Fl. Daughter- Connie Kemp Ford of Ocala, Fl. step-son- Brian Kuhn of Ocala, Fl step-daughter- Sonya Young of Ocala, Fl. sister Marthasu Britton of Hay Market, Va. Son in law Richard Yarbrough of Weirsdae, Fl. 9 grandchildren and 1 great grand child. 4 nieces and nephews. There will be a gathering Friday, Nov. 9, 2007 at the Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, from 6:00 PM till 8:00 PM. Funeral services will be Saturday, Nov. 10, 2007 at the Church of Latter day Saint, 1831 SE 18th Ave, Ocala at 9:30 AM with the burial to follow. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1486. **KRISER, DOROTHY E., (Obituary No. 1486.)** 98 Gilbert, AZ - Dorothy E. Kriser, 98, of Gilbert, AZ passed away on Wednesday, October 31, 2007 at her daughter's home. Born and raised in Otsego, MI, she later moved to Ocala, where she resided for 30 years. She then moved to Chipley, FL before moving to Arizona 4 years ago. She was a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Chipley, FL. She loved reading her bible and was a prayer warrior for her church, as well as her family. She enjoyed volunteering as a Pink Lady at MRMC and in the hospitals in Chipley. She also tutored adults and students in a reading program. She leaves behind a legacy of 253 decedents, which Include her 9 children, Benjamin Kriser of Bonifay, FL, Hal Kriser of Sliver Springs, FL, Ann Hunt of Ocala, FL, Charles Kriser of Chipley, FL, Kay Clark of Morristown, FL, John Kriser of Florence, AZ, Philip Kriser of Sacramento, CA, Joan Kriser of Gilbert, AZ, and Mark Kriser of Chipley, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband of 50 years, Clair Vincent Kriser. A funeral service will be held at 2 PM on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs, with a gathering of family and friends to begin at 1 PM. Entombment to follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be to Tri-County Pregnancy Center. P.O. Box 743 Williston, FL 32696. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1487. **MCCANDLESS, JOEY LEIGH "JAKE", (Obituary No. 1487.)** 77 Ocala - Joey Leigh "Jake" McCandless, 77, passed away in Ocala, Fla., on November 5, after a long illness. Jake's commitment to athletics, in general, and football, in particular, was unwavering. He attended Princeton University from 1947-1951 where he formed an association with the football program that spanned four years as a player and 15 as a coach. After graduating from Princeton, Jake taught and coached football, first at the St. Mark's School in Southborough, Ma., and then at the Kent School in Connecticut. He returned to Princeton to coach football in 1958, and moved up to head coach in 1969. He replaced the single wing formation with the T-formation and went on to win a share of the Ivy League title in 1969. After his career at Princeton ended, Jake spent 10 years as vice president of Manufacturer's Hanover Trust in New York, and 10 as senior vice president of The Trust Company of the West in Los Angeles. He retired in 1994, and had been a resident of Ocala for eight years. Jake is survived by his loving wife of 17 years, Sharon, his children Linda, Peter, and Susan, and five grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at the Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala on November 17, 2007, at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made to Princeton University, c/o the Jake McCandless '51
1488. MESNICK, CHAROLOTTE EDITH, (Obituary No. 1488.) 89 Ocala - Charlotte Edith Mesnick, 89, died Saturday at her residence. Born in Shenandoah, PA, Mrs. Mesnick was a resident of Princeton, NJ, over thirty years before moving to Ocala. She attended Penn State University and was a real estate broker for Henderson Realty in Princeton, before retiring. Wife of the late Elliot I Mesnick she is survived by a daughter Leslie Gallery-Dilworth of Glaisteo, New Mexico, a son Gary Mesnick of Ocala, Florida and five grandchildren. Funeral Services are Thursday 11 a.m. at ORLAND'S EWING MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 1534 Pennington Road, Ewing Township, NJ. Burial will follow at Ewing Cemetery. The family respectfully requests memorial contributions be offered to the American Cancer Society or Humane Society of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/8/2007.

1489. ROBERTS, ISAAC "BUDDY" GOVENOR, (Obituary No. 1489.) 74 Ocala - Mr. Issac "Buddy" Govenor Roberts, 74, passed away on November 6, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mr. Roberts was born in Barney, Georgia. He leaves to cherish his memories (4) Sons: Jerome Wright (Hampton, VA), Isaac "Pete" Roberts, Jr., (Ocala, FI), Antion Roberts (Ocala, Fl) Lemonte Morand (Pittsburgh, PA), (3) Daughters: Cynthia Roberts (Dallas, TX)., Lashawn Roberts (Ocala, Fl), (18) Grandchildren, (14) Great-Grandchildren, Brother: Prince Roberts (Ocala, Fl), (3) Sisters: Cora Williams, Betty Kinkade, Ella Mae Ponder (all of Ocala, Fl), Erma Newbold (Hollywood, Fl). Funeral service will be held 3:00 PM on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. George W. Lee, Pastor. Dr. Dennis Hagins, Eulogist. Interment will follow in Lincoln Memorial Gardens. Wake service for Mr. Isaac will be held 5:00 PM on Thursday, November 8, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. Dennis Hagins, Pastor. Visitation will be on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 12:00 PM until 6:00 PM. "A Summers service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1490. ROBSON, FRANCES J., (Obituary No. 1490.) 91 Ocala - Frances J. Robson (Kalan), 91, passed away on Saturday, November 3, 2007, in Ocala, FL. Born in Ely, Minnesota on May 19, 1916 she made her home in Ocala since 1981 where she had retired with her husband Roy. Frances was preceded in death by husband Roy, parents Frances and Joseph Kalan, brothers, Joseph (Spokes), Frank (Cir), Rudolph and John. Survived by nephews and nieces in MN, CA, CO, and FL. A memorial mass is pending at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala with burial in Good Shepherd Cemetery, Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICE, 910 se Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1491. ROWE, MARY ALDERMAN, (Obituary No. 1491.) 73 Ocala - Mary Alderman "Libby" Rowe, 73, passed away November 6th at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in Jennings, FL and moved to Ocala in 1960. She was a member of the First Christian Church of Ocala, and was a past president of the Junior League, (formerly the Children's Service League). She is survived by her husband Charles K. Rowe of Ocala, sons Mark and Keith Brandies of Ocala, grandchildren Evan, Ryan, Andrew "Drew" Brandies and Devin Simonson. Brothers, Russell Alderman of Jennings, FL, Herbert Alderman of Monks Corner, SC, and sisters Rita Griffin of Manchester, GA, and Inez Sanderfur of Palatka, FL. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. on Monday, November 12th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL where funeral services will be held at 10
a.m. on Tuesday, November 13th. Interment will be in the Burnham Christian Church Cemetery in Jennings, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/8/2007.

1492. SITES, IRENE B., (Obituary No. 1492.) 89 Ocala - Irene B. Sites, 89, formerly of Chesapeake, OH went to be with the Lord, Saturday evening, November 3, 2007 at Life Care Center of Ocala, Florida. Graveside Funeral Service will be at 2 p.m., Friday, November 9, 2007 at Rome Cemetery, Proctorville, OH with Pastor Jerry Galloway officiating. Irene was born October 24, 1918 in Gallia County, Ohio, a daughter of the late George Oscar and Lottie Mae Lewis Halley. She was a member of Rockwood Baptist Church, Chesapeake, Ohio. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Raymond Sites; her seven sisters, Gladys Sites, Ruby Hall, Goldie Jordan, Effie Archer, twin Justine Hager and Gertrude Stanley; and one brother, Jim Halley. She is survived by a daughter and son-in-law, JoAnn and Foster Steele of Ocala, Florida; one granddaughter, Terry Steele of Ocala, Florida; one grandson, John Steele and his partner, Mike Sargent of Ocala, Florida; one great grandson, Raymond Edward Fowler of Williston, Florida; one sister, Pauline Curry of South Point, Ohio; and a host of nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Rockwood Baptist Church, PO Box 294, Chesapeake, Ohio 45619. SCHNEIDER-GRiffin FUNERAL HOME, Chesapeake, OH is in charge of arrangements. Condolences may be expressed at www.schneidergriffin.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/8/2007.

1493. SWITZER, VELINDA (LINDA), (Obituary No. 1493.) 57 Ocala - Velinda "Linda" Switzer died Tuesday, November 6, 2007 at her residence under the care of her family and Hospice of Marion County. She was born on January 12, 1950 in Ashland, Kentucky. She moved to Ocala in 1971 from Ashland, Kentucky. She work as a waitress. She was of the Baptist faith, loved knitting, crocheting and reading. She spent her life caring for her family. She is survived by her husband of 35 years, James Switzer of Ocala; son James Switzer, Jr. of Ocala: daughter Rebecca Switzer of Raleigh, NC; two brothers, Gerald Stewart, Ashland, KY and Barry Stewart of Ocala; four sisters, Norma Bowling of Argillite, KY, Carol Engle of Ocala, Janice Crisp of Ocala and Regina Haase of Austinburg, OH; one granddaughter, Alexandra Switzer and many nieces, nephews and cousins. She was preceded in death by her sister, Leola Whitt. The celebration of life, memorial services will be held today, Thursday, November 8, 2007 at 7 p.m. in the Chapel of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME located at 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue in Dunnellon FL. Cremation arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME of Dunnellon, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1494. WAUGAMAN, JOSEPHINE FAY, (Obituary No. 1494.) 86 Dunnellon - Josephine Fay Waugaman, 86, passed away on, November 6, 2007 at Hampton Manor Gardens. Mrs. Waugaman was the daughter of Harry T. Beighley and Ethel Louise Fickenger of Beaver Falls, Pa. Mrs. Waugaman was a retired Sorter in the Pottery Industry, and moved to Ocala from Beaver Falls, Pa. in 2000. Mrs. Waugaman was a member of the Order of Eastern Star, and the Disabled American Veterans in Pennsylvania. She was a veteran of W.W. II serving in the Army. She was Methodist by faith. Mrs. Waugaman is survived by her step-daughter Sally and husband Gerald Pollock of Ocala; a brother Harry W. Beighley of Beaver Falls, Pa.; and many nieces and nephews. Funeral Service for Mrs. Waugaman will be Thursday, November 8, 2007 at 11 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL with Rev. Dr. Ken Kleckner, III officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday, November 7, 2007 from 3 - 5 p.m. Entombment will be at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery with Military Honors provided by Angela Santos Post #4781 of Ocala. Memorials may be made
WEBER, MARTIN FREDERICK "FRED", (Obituary No. 1495.) 78 Ocala - Martin Frederick "Fred" Weber, 78, was born May 3, 1929, in Newburgh, NY, and moved in November 1989 from Fishkill, NY to Ocala, FL, where he passed away on November 3, 2007. A Master Industrial Electrician, Mr. Weber had been a member of IBEW, was in business for himself, did government contracting and private consulting work and retired from Engineering Service at Castle Point VAH, NY. During WWII he proudly served in the Pacific theater in the United States Army, in both the Artillery and the Military Police. Mr. Weber was an avid and accomplished outdoorsman and a collector of antique guns and historical documents of the American Revolution and Civil War eras. He was considered an expert in coins of the American Colonial period and was featured as an accomplished collector in the authoritative journal, "Coin World." He was also featured in the "American Rifleman" as a Civil War antique gun expert. His passions were his family, learning, reading, gardening, the outdoors and the history of the United States. An avid golfer, he made three "holes-in-one" at three different golf courses. He was gifted at working with his hands and could build and fix anything put before him. He was inventive and was particularly expert at electrical trouble-shooting and problem-solving. He was especially fond of classical music and encouraged his family in the Arts. Mr. Weber enjoyed traveling with his wife focusing on historical areas of our country. They also enjoyed visiting Italy, Austria, the Vatican, the Caribbean, Puerto Rico, Hawaii and Australia. He was a life member of the VFW as well as the NRA. Prior to moving to Florida he was a member of the Cornwall Continentals, Cornwall, NY, the National Camping and Hiking Association, Black Rock Fish and Game Club, American Fisherman's Association, Ducks Unlimited, Knights Templar F&AM, Fishkill Historical Society, Southern Dutchess Golf and Country Club and the First Presbyterian Church, Beacon, NY. Arriving in Florida, Mr. Weber continued to enjoy golfing, his historical interests and working around his house and yard. He continued his commitment to public service as a member of Kiwanis and was especially active in its "Meals on Wheels" program and volunteered at the Ocala Civic Theater building stage sets. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, followed by Countryside Presbyterian Church in Ocala. He was a man of enormous dignity who was close to God throughout his life. With a sense of humor and compassion he was a wise man with a profound respect for others and a deep and abiding devotion to his family and country. For him, a handshake and his word were his bond. He is the son of Martin F. Weber and Amelia Sindik and was baptized at the St. Thomas of Canterbury Catholic Church in Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY. Upon the death of his parents he was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Ray P. Fulton of Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY. He had a brother, Brother Thomas P. Weber, OMI and two sisters, Bertha Weber and Martha Reeves, all who pre-deceased Mr. Weber. Mr. Weber is survived by his wife of 35 years, Charlotte L. Rondeau Weber, a son, Martin F. Weber III and daughters Vice Admiral Ann E. Rondeau and Janis Rondeau Scherer (husband John) and four grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, November 10, 3:00pm, at Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Highway 200, Rev. Gary O. Marshall officiating, followed by a reception at the church. Internment will be at Arlington National Cemetery at the convenience of the family. Memorial contributions may be made to the Countryside Presbyterian Church Pipe Organ Fund or Building Fund. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/10/2007.
1496. BAILLE, CURTISS D., (Obituary No. 1496.) 91 Pedro - Mrs. Curtiss D. Baillie, 91, of Pedro, died November 6, 2007, at Tuscany House. She was born in Mitchell County, GA on December 29, 1915 and moved to Marion County in 1932. She lived on the Curt-D-Farm in Pedro and raised cattle. Mrs. Baillie worked for the Marion County School Board from 1955 through Dec. 1956, and in Jan. 1957 she started to work at the Marion County Sheriff's Office as Civil Deputy for the late F. L. McGehee. She wrote the Florida Sheriff's Simplified Civil Process Handbook, first, second and third editions, that was used for training purposes in Sheriff's Offices throughout the state. She served on the Advisory Board for the compiling of the Florida Sheriff's Manual and donated her material in the Handbook for the Sheriff's Manual for use in seminars. She was the first woman to become Chief Civil Deputy In the state. Mrs. Baillie was a member of Pedro Baptist Church, Eastern Star, Chapter 122, Belleview, Marion County Farm Bureau, Florida Council on Crime and Delinquency, a lifetime member of the Florida Sheriff's Association, Ocala Pilot Club and Pilot International and in 2007 was named Ocala Pilot Club International Foundation Sweetheart. She served on the Democratic Executive Committee, was a charter member of the National Secretary's Association, Marion County Cattlewomen, National Cattlewomen's Association, charter member of Southeastern Youth Fair Alumni Club, and a volunteer for Senior Services. She Is an honorary member of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. Mrs. Baillie is survived by daughters, Kaye (Bud) Boyer, Weirsdale, Vivian (Buddy) Guinn, Pedro; stepson, Russell (Jaye) Baillie, Ocala; 7 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Pedro Baptist Church with Pastor Rudy Williams and Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Interment will be in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Visitation will be Friday evening from 6-8 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Memorial Contributions may be made to Operation Shoebox, 6675 SE 110th St., Belleview, FL 34420. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1497. BROOME, DESSIE S., (Obituary No. 1497.) 84 Ocala - Dessie S. Broome, 84, retired dry cleaners owner, passed away October 28, 2007. Funeral service will be held Saturday, November 10, 2007 at St. Paul A.M.E. Church at 11 a.m. with Rev. Joy Gallmon, Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Broom was born November 10, 1922 in Lake City, FL. to the Late William Smith and Bessie Farmer. Survivors: one step daughter, Willie J. Thompson, Ocala, FL and two grandchildren. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the directions of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday November 9, 2007 from 9 a.m.-7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the Church from 9 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/11/2007.

1498. BRYANT, WESTLEY SR., (Obituary No. 1498.) 72 Ocala - Retired SFC Vietnam Army Veteran Westley Bryant Sr., passed away on Tuesday, Nov. 6, 2007 at his home. A native of Clearwater, he was a self-employed mechanic and a lifelong resident of Ocala. Mr. Bryant is survived by his wife, Grandvera Bryant, Ocala; son, Westley Bryant Jr., Ocala; daughters, SFC Vanessa (Eddie) Arnold, Toni (Larry) Gordon, Monica Bryant, all of Ocala and Maj. Federica (Ronald) King, Triangle, Va.; brother, Alfred (Edna) Bryant, Blitchton; 11 grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends. In lieu of flowers, family requests donations be made, in his name, to New St. John Baptist Church, 2251 NW 2nd St. Ocala, FL 34475. Funeral service will be held on Saturday, Nov. 10, at 11 a.m., at New St. John Baptist Church Rev. Tommy L. Brooks, Eulogist. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Wake service for Mr. Bryant will be held Friday, Nov. 9, at 6:30 p.m. at
Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th St. Visitation will be held on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1499. GLOVER, YVONNE (Obituary No. 1499.), 62 Ocala - Yvonne Glover, 62, died on October 31, 2007 in Bedford, Ohio. Funeral Services will be held on Sat. Nov. 10, 2007 at 3 pm at Living Waters Worship Center, 3801 NW Hwy 441 with Rev. Kenneth Brown conducting. She will be forever loved and missed by (4) daughters Robin Ruthledge, Sybil McCray, April Peoples, Michelle Schackleford, (2) sons Tracy Glover, Taree Glover, 14 grandchildren, 1 great grandson, 1 God-daughter. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1500. HONOR, JR., REVEREND WILLIE LEE, (Obituary No. 1500.) 53 Ocala - Reverend Willie Lee Honor, Jr. passed away on November 2, 2007. A wake service will be Friday, November 9th at Ebenezer UMC Williston from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, November 10th at 11 a.m. at Jones Temple, Williston, FL. Arrangements by O.B. SAMUEL FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1501. KEMP, JACK MILTON, (Obituary No. 1501.) 82 Kemp, Jack Milton. 82 of Ocala, Died Monday, Nov. 5, 2007 at his home. Jack was born in Culbert, Ga. and came to the Ocala area in 1941 from Climax Ga. He was a retired Supervisor for a Nursery/landscaping Co. He was a Navy veteran, and a member of the Church of Latter day Saints in Belleview. He is proceeded in death by his daughter Donna Mare'a Yarbrough. He is survived by his wife Charlotte Kemp of Ocala, Fl son- Hal Milton Kemp of Ft. McCoy, Fl. Daughter- Connie Kemp Ford of Ocala, Fl. step-son- Brian Kuhn of Ocala, Fl step-daughter- Sonya Young of Ocala, Fl. sister Marthasu Britton of Hay Market, Va. Son in law Richard Yarbrough of Weirsdale, Fl. 9 grandchildren and 1 great grand child. 4 nieces and nephews. There will be a gathering Friday, Nov. 9, 2007 at the Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, from 6:00 PM till 8:00 PM. Funeral services will be Saturday, Nov. 10, 2007 at the Church of Latter day Saint, 1831 SE 18th Ave, Ocala at 9:30 AM with the burial to follow. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1502. KRISER, DOROTHY E., (Obituary No. 1502.) 98 Gilbert, AZ - Dorothy E. Kriser, 98, of Gilbert, AZ passed away on Wednesday, October 31, 2007 at her daughter's home. Born and raised in Otsego, MI, she later moved to Ocala, where she resided for 30 years. She then moved to Chipley, FL before moving to Arizona 4 years ago. She was a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Chipley, FL. She loved reading her bible and was a prayer warrior for her church, as well as her family. She enjoyed volunteering as a Pink Lady at MRMC and in the hospitals in Chipley. She also tutored adults and students in a reading program. She leaves behind a legacy of 253 decedents, which include her 9 children, Benjamin Kriser of Bonifay, FL, Hal Kriser of Silver Springs, FL, Ann Hunt of Ocala, FL, Charles Kriser of Chipley, FL, Kay Clark of Morristown, FL, John Kriser of Florence, AZ, Philip Kriser of Sacramento, CA, Joan Kriser of Gilbert, AZ, and Mark Kriser of Chipley, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband of 50 years, Clair Vincent Kriser. A funeral service will be held at 2 PM on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs, with a gathering of family and friends to begin at 1 PM. Entombment to follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be to Tri-County Pregnancy Center. P.O. Box 743 Williston, FL 32696. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1503. MATHIS, FREDDIE (Obituary No. 1503.), 75 Ocala. - Mr. Freddie Mathis, age 75, passed away on Tuesday, November 6, 2007. He served in the U.S. Army for (6) years. He was
employed by J.W.J., INC. for 15 yeah. Mr. Mathis is survived by: Carne Wood (Devoted Companion) Ocala, FL., Daughters: Laceta Mathis Leonard (Orlando, Fl), Angela Mathis, (Atlanta, GA), Shirley Brown (Ocala, Fl). Sons: Derrick Mathis (Atlanta, GA), Anthony Mathis (Ocala, Fl). Funeral service for Mr. Mathis will be held 10:00 AM on Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 2238 N.W. 100 Street. Interment will immediately follow at the National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL after the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1504. MCCANDLESS, JOEY LEIGH "JAKE", (Obituary No. 1504.) 77 Ocala - Joey Leigh "Jake" McCandless, 77, passed away in Ocala, Fla., on November 5, after a long illness. Jake's commitment to athletics, in general, and football, in particular, was unwavering. He attended Princeton University from 1947-1951 where he formed an association with the football program that spanned four years as a player and 15 as a coach. After graduating from Princeton, Jake taught and coached football, first at the St. Mark's School in Southborough, Ma., and then at the Kent School in Connecticut. He returned to Princeton to coach football in 1958, and moved up to head coach in 1969. He replaced the single wing formation with the T-formation and went on to win a share of the Ivy League title in 1969. After his career at Princeton ended, Jake spent 10 years as vice president of Manufacturer's Hanover Trust in New York, and 10 as senior vice president of The Trust Company of the West in Los Angeles. He retired in 1994, and had been a resident of Ocala for eight years. Jake is survived by his loving wife of 17 years, Sharon, his children Linda, Peter, and Susan, and five grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at the Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala on November 17, 2007, at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made to Princeton University, c/o the Jake McCandless '51 Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 5357, Princeton, NJ, 08543-5357, or, in his name, to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1505. ROBERTS, ISAAC "BUDDY" GOVENOR, (Obituary No. 1505.) 74 Ocala - Mr. Issac "Buddy" Govenor Roberts, 74, passed away on November 6, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mr. Roberts was born in Barney, Georgia. He leaves to cherish his memories (4) Sons: Jerome Wright (Hampton, VA), Isaac "Pete" Roberts, Jr., (Ocala, Fl), Antion Roberts (Ocala, Fl) Lemonte Morand (Pittsburgh, PA), (3) Daughters: Cynthia Roberts (Dallas, TX)., Lashawn Roberts (Ocala, Fl), (18) Grandchildren, (14) Great-Grandchildren, Brother: Prince Roberts (Ocala, Fl), (3) Sisters: Cora Williams, Betty Kinkade, Ella Mae Ponder (all of Ocala, Fl), Erma Newbold (Hollywood, Fl). Funeral service will be held 3:00 PM on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. George W. Lee, Pastor. Dr. Dennis Hagins, Eulogist. Interment will follow in Lincoln Memorial Gardens. Wake service for Mr. Issac will be held 5:00 PM on Thursday, November 8, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. Dennis Hagins, Pastor. Visitation will be on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME from 12:00 PM until 6:00 PM. "A Summers service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1506. ROBSON, FRANCES J., (Obituary No. 1506.) 91 Ocala - Frances J. Robson (Kalan), 91, passed away on Saturday, November 3, 2007, in Ocala, FL. Born in Ely, Minnesota on May 19, 1916 she made her home in Ocala since 1981 where she had retired with her husband Roy. Frances was preceded in death by husband Roy, parents Frances and Joseph Kalan, brothers, Joseph (Spokes), Frank (Cir), Rudolph and John. Survived by nephews and nieces in MN, CA, CO, and FL. A memorial mass is pending at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala with burial in Good Shepherd Cemetery, Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL
1507. SWITZER, VELINDA (LINDA), (Obituary No. 1507.) 57 Ocala - Velinda "Linda" Switzer died Tuesday, November 6, 2007 at her residence under the care of her family and Hospice of Marion County. She was born on January 12, 1950 in Ashland, Kentucky. She moved to Ocala in 1971 from Ashland, Kentucky. She worked as a waitress. She was of the Baptist faith, loved knitting, crocheting and reading. She spent her life caring for her family. She is survived by her husband of 35 years, James Switzer of Ocala; son James Switzer, Jr. of Ocala; daughter Rebecca Switzer of Raleigh, NC; two brothers, Gerald Stewart, Ashland, KY and Barry Stewart of Ocala; four sisters, Norma Bowling of Argillite, KY, Carol Engle of Ocala, Janice Crisp of Ocala and Regina Haase of Austinburg, OH; one granddaughter, Alexandra Switzer and many nieces, nephews and cousins. She was preceded in death by her sister, Leola Whitt. The celebration of life, memorial services will be held today, Thursday, November 8, 2007 at 7 p.m. in the Chapel of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME located at 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue in Dunnellon FL. Cremation arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME of Dunnellon, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/9/2007.

1508. TURNER, EDSIL D., (Obituary No. 1508.) 74 Ocala - Mr. Edsil D. Turner, 74, died Tuesday, Nov. 6, 2007 at Hospice of Marion County's "Legacy House". He was 74 years old. Born in Bristol, Ga., he moved to Marion County in 1955 upon being discharged from the U.S. Army. He is a veteran of the Korean War as a member of the 101st Airborne. Mr. Turner retired from his job as Highway Maintenance Foreman with State of Florida Department of Transportation in 1993, then worked as a School Bus Aide with the Marion County School Transportation Department for 6 years. Survivors include his wife of 51 years, Carol J. Turner, two daughters; Carolyn M. Wade of Ocala and Terri L. Slider of Riverview, FL, one brother; J. Daniel Turner of Oneco, FL, three grandchildren; Rhonda Williams, Christopher Carter, Joshua Carter, and six great grandchildren. Services will be held at 2:00 PM on Saturday, Nov. 10, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. The family will receive friends from 12:00 Noon till 2:00 PM prior to the service at the funeral home on Saturday. The family asks that in lieu of flowers friends and family may donate to Hospice of Marion County in honor of Edsil Turner. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1509. WEBER, MARTIN FREDERICK "FRED", (Obituary No. 1509.) 78 Ocala - Martin Frederick "Fred" Weber, 78, was born May 3, 1929, in Newburgh, NY, and moved in November 1989 from Fishkill, NY to Ocala, FL, where he passed away on November 3, 2007. A Master Industrial Electrician, Mr. Weber had been a member of IBEW, was in business for himself, did government contracting and private consulting work and retired from Engineering Service at Castle Point VAH, NY. During WWII he proudly served in the Pacific theater in the United States Army, in both the Artillery and the Military Police. Mr. Weber was an avid and accomplished outdoorsman and a collector of antique guns and historical documents of the American Revolution and Civil War eras. He was considered an expert in coins of the American Colonial period and was featured as an accomplished collector in the authoritative journal, "Coin World." He was also featured in the "American Rifleman" as a Civil War antique gun expert. His passions were his family, learning, reading, gardening, the outdoors and the history of the United States. An avid golfer, he made three "holes-in-one" at three different golf courses. He was gifted at working with his hands and could build and fix anything put before him. He was inventive and
was particularly expert at electrical trouble-shooting and problem-solving. He was especially fond of classical music and encouraged his family in the Arts. Mr. Weber enjoyed traveling with his wife focusing on historical areas of our country. They also enjoyed visiting Italy, Austria, the Vatican, the Caribbean, Puerto Rico, Hawaii and Australia. He was a life member of the VFW as well as the NRA. Prior to moving to Florida he was a member of the Cornwall Continentals, Cornwall, NY, the National Camping and Hiking Association, Black Rock Fish and Game Club, American Fisherman’s Association, Ducks Unlimited, Knights Templar F&AM, Fishkill Historical Society, Southern Dutchess Golf and Country Club and the First Presbyterian Church, Beacon, NY. Arriving in Florida, Mr. Weber continued to enjoy golfing, his historical interests and working around his house and yard. He continued his commitment to public service as a member of Kiwanis and was especially active in its "Meals on Wheels" program and volunteered at the Ocala Civic Theater building stage sets. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, followed by Countryside Presbyterian Church in Ocala. He was a man of enormous dignity who was close to God throughout his life. With a sense of humor and compassion he was a wise man with a profound respect for others and a deep and abiding devotion to his family and country. For him, a handshake and his word were his bond. He is the son of Martin F. Weber and Amelia Sindik and was baptized at the St. Thomas of Canterbury Catholic Church in Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY. Upon the death of his parents he was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Ray P. Fulton of Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY. He had a brother, Brother Thomas P. Weber, OMI and two sisters, Bertha Weber and Martha Reeves, all who pre-deceased Mr. Weber. Mr. Weber is survived by his wife of 35 years, Charlotte L. Rondeau Weber, a son, Martin F. Fulton of Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY. He had a brother, Brother Thomas P. Weber, OMI and two sisters, Bertha Weber and Martha Reeves, all who pre-deceased Mr. Weber. Mr. Weber is survived by his wife of 35 years, Charlotte L. Rondeau Weber, a son, Martin F. Weber III and daughters Vice Admiral Ann E. Rondeau and Janis Rondeau Scherer (husband John) and four grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, November 10, 3:00pm, at Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Highway 200, Rev. Gary O. Marshall officiating, followed by a reception at the church. Internment will be at Arlington National Cemetery at the convenience of the family. Memorial contributions may be made to the Countryside Presbyterian Church Pipe Organ Fund or Building Fund. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1510. WILKERSON, DREYTON RAMON, (Obituary No. 1510.) 20 Ocala - Dreyton Ramon Wilkerson, 20, student/distributor for Coca Cola Industry. Services will be held Sunday, November 11, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Shiloh 7-Day Adventist Church with Pastor Paul Goodrich officiating. Dreyton was a 2006 graduate of West Port High School and was attending CFCC. He was a member of Shiloh 7-Day Adventist Church. Dreyton was a lover of Rap music and his goal was to become a Rapper/Producer. He was born November 2, 1987 in Ocala, FL to Garriett Wilkerson, Jr. and Sheila Cogdell. Survivors: Mother/step father Sheila and Charlie Patterson, Ocala, FL; Father, Garriett Wilkerson, Jr., Ocala, FL, Two brothers, Adrian Jones & Alex Jackson, Ocala, FL, sister Shantovia Patterson, Gainesville, FL. Maternal Grandmother, Marilyn Lett, Ocala, FL, Maternal great grandmother Albertha Taylor, Ocala, FL, Paternal Grand parents, Garriett & Marie Wilkerson, Sr. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Wake Service Friday November 9, 2007 from 4-7p.m. in CUNNINGHAM'S CHAPEL OF FAITH, Saturday from 9-7:30 p.m. at the funeral home. Sunday at the church from 12 noon until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/10/2007.

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1511. BROOME, DESSIE S., (Obituary No. 1511.) 84 Ocala - Dessie S. Broome, 84, retired dry cleaners owner, passed away October 28, 2007. Funeral service will be held Saturday,
November 10, 2007 at St. Paul A.M.E. Church at 11 a.m. with Rev. Joy Gallmon, Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Broom was born November 10, 1922 in Lake City, FL. to the Late William Smith and Bessie Farmer. Survivors: one step daughter, Willie J. Thompson, Ocala, FL and two grandchildren. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the directions of “Your Friends Who Care” CUNNINGHAM’S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday November 9, 2007 from 9 a.m.-7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the Church from 9 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/11/2007.

1512. BRYANT, WESTLEY SR., (Obituary No. 1512.) 72 Ocala - Retired SFC Vietnam Army Veteran Westley Bryant Sr., passed away on Tuesday, Nov. 6, 2007 at his home. A native of Clearwater, he was a self-employed mechanic and a lifelong resident of Ocala. Mr. Bryant is survived by his wife, Grandvera Bryant, Ocala; son, Westley Bryant Jr., Ocala; daughters, SFC Vanessa (Eddie) Arnold, Toni (Larry) Gordon, Monica Bryant, all of Ocala and Maj. Federica (Ronald) King, Triangle, Va.; brother, Alfred (Edna) Bryant, Blitchton; 11 grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends. In lieu of flowers, family requests donations be made, in his name, to New St. John Baptist Church, 2251 NW 2nd St. Ocala, FL 34475. Funeral service will be held on Saturday, Nov. 10, at 11 a.m., at New St. John Baptist Church Rev. Tommy L. Brooks, Eulogist. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Wake service for Mr. Bryant will be held Friday, Nov. 9, at 6:30 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th St. Visitation will be held on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1513. HAINES, BARBARA (Obituary No. 1513.) , 65 Ocala - Barbara Haines. 65, died on November 8, 2007 is the beloved wife of Jack R. Haines Sr., Mother of Jack Jr., Kim Greene and stepmother of John and Mark. She is the grandmother of 12. Visitations are Sunday 4-6pm at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. Graveside interment service Monday 1 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/10/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1514. KEMP, JACK MILTON, (Obituary No. 1514.) 82 Kemp, Jack Milton. 82 of Ocala, Died Monday, Nov. 5, 2007 at his home. Jack was born in Culbert, Ga. and came to the Ocala area in 1941 from Climax Ga. He was a retired Supervisor for a Nursery/landscaping Co. He was a Navy veteran, and a member of the Church of Latter day Saints in Belleview. He is proceeded in death by his daughter Donna Mare’a Yarbrough. He is survived by his wife Charlotte Kemp of Ocala, Fl son- Hal Milton Kemp of Ft. McCoy, Fl. Daughter- Connie Kemp Ford of Ocala, Fl. step-son- Brian Kuhn of Ocala, Fl step-daughter- Sonya Young of Ocala, Fl. sister Marthasu Britton of Hay Market, Va. Son in law Richard Yarbrough of Weirsdale, Fl. 9 grandchildren and 1 great grand child. 4 nieces and nephews. There will be a gathering Friday, Nov. 9, 2007 at the Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, from 6:00 PM till 8:00 PM. Funeral services will be Saturday, Nov. 10, 2007 at the Church of Latter day Saint, 1831 SE 18th Ave, Ocala at 9:30 AM with the burial to follow. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1515. KRISER, DOROTHY E., (Obituary No. 1515.) 98 Gilbert, AZ - Dorothy E. Kriser, 98, of Gilbert, AZ passed away on Wednesday, October 31, 2007 at her daughter's home. Born and raised in Otsego, MI, she later moved to Ocala, where she resided for 30 years. She then moved to Chipley, FL before moving to Arizona 4 years ago. She was a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Chipley, FL. She loved reading her bible and was a prayer warrior for her church, as well as her family. She enjoyed volunteering as a Pink Lady at MRMC and in the
hospitals in Chipley. She also tutored adults and students in a reading program. She leaves behind a legacy of 253 decedents, which include her 9 children, Benjamin Kriser of Bonifay, FL, Hal Kriser of Sliver Springs, FL, Ann Hunt of Ocala, FL, Charles Kriser of Chipley, FL, Kay Clark of Morristown, FL, John Kriser of Florence, AZ, Philip Kriser of Sacramento, CA, Joan Kriser of Gilbert, AZ, and Mark Kriser of Chipley, FL. She was preceded in death by her husband of 50 years, Clair Vincent Kriser. A funeral service will be held at 2 PM on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs, with a gathering of family and friends to begin at 1 PM. Entombment to follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be to Tri-County Pregnancy Center. P.O. Box 743 Williston, FL 32696. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/7/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1516. MATHIS, FREDDIE (Obituary No. 1516.), 75 Ocala. - Mr. Freddie Mathis, age 75, passed away on Tuesday, November 6, 2007. He served in the U.S. Army for (6) years. He was employed by J.W.J., INC. for 15 yeah. Mr. Mathis is survived by: Carne Wood (Devoted Companion) Ocala, FL., Daughters: Laceta Mathis Leonard (Orlando, Fl), Angela Mathis, (Atlanta, GA), Shirley Brown (Ocala, FL). Sons: Derrick Mathis (Atlanta, GA), Anthony Mathis (Ocala, Fl). Funeral service for Mr. Mathis will be held 10:00 AM on Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 2238 N.W. 100 Street. Interment will immediately follow at the National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL after the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1517. SCHEER, ANDREW "ANDY", (Obituary No. 1517.) 83 Clermont - Andrew "Andy" Scheer, 83, passed away Tuesday, November 6, 2007 at Orlando Regional Health Care. Mr. Scheer was born in New York City, NY on January 24, 1924 and has been a Florida resident since 1947. He was a veteran of World War II serving with the U.S. Navy. He was a retired land developer, loved people, avid fisherman, golfer and world traveler. He is survived by his beloved wife of 51 years Mary Scheer of Clermont; daughters, Brenda Hudson of Ocala, FL and Karen Lynn of Zephyrhills, FL; 4 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with military honors. The family requests in lieu of flowers memorials to the South Lake Animal League, www.slal.org. A quest book is available at www.beckerfamilyfuneral.com. BECKER FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, 806 W. Minneola Ave., Clermont, FL, (352) 394-7121, is serving the family. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/10/2007 - 11/11/2007.

1518. ST. PIERRE, GERARD W. "GERRY", (Obituary No. 1518.) 63 Citrus Springs - Gerard W. "Gerry" St. Pierre, 63, of Citrus Springs, Florida, died Thursday, November 8 in Lecanto, Florida. He was born February 9, 1944 in Salem, Massachusetts. He moved to Florida in 1995 and to Citrus Springs in 2005. He was currently employed at Lowe's of Ocala and prior was owner and operator of Acorn Cabinets, Yarmouth, MA. He was of the Catholic faith, and was an avid Jimmie Johnson Nascar and Red Sox fan. He is survived by: Wife of 27 years: Diane St. Pierre of Citrus Springs, Florida; Son Daryn St. Pierre of Citrus Springs, Florida; Son Eric James of Lynn, Mass; Son Mark James of Revere, Mass; Brother Paul St. Pierre of New Milford, Ct.; Brother Conrad St. Pierre of Holliston, Mass; Granddaughter Katelyn James of Amesbury, Mass. Viewing will be Sunday, November 11, 2007 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. in the Chapel of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL The Funeral Service will begin at 6 p.m. with Deacon Eric Makoid officiating. Donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, High Plains Division, Inc., Attn: June Downey 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue Kansas City MO 64105. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/10/2007 - 11/11/2007.
1519. TURNER, EDSIL D., (Obituary No. 1519.) 74 Ocala - Mr. Edsil D. Turner, 74, died Tuesday, Nov. 6, 2007 at Hospice of Marion County's "Legacy House". He was 74 years old. Born in Bristol, Ga., he moved to Marion County in 1955 upon being discharged from the U.S. Army. He is a veteran of the Korean War as a member of the 101st Airborne. Mr. Turner retired from his job as Highway Maintenance Foreman with State of Florida Department of Transportation in 1993, then worked as a School Bus Aide with the Marion County School Transportation Department for 6 years. Survivors include his wife of 51 years, Carol J. Turner, two daughters; Carolyn M. Wade of Ocala and Terri L. Slider of Riverview, FL, one brother; J. Daniel Turner of Oneco, FL, three grandchildren; Rhonda Williams, Christopher Carter, Joshua Carter, and six great grandchildren. Services will be held at 2:00 PM on Saturday, Nov. 10, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. The family will receive friends from 12:00 Noon till 2:00 PM prior to the service at the funeral home on Saturday. The family asks that in lieu of flowers friends and family may donate to Hospice of Marion County in honor of Edsil Turner. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1520. WALLACE, PHYLLIS "MAMA", (Obituary No. 1520.) 81 New York, NY - Phyllis "Mama" Wallace, 81, passed away November 7, 2007. She was born inn Alston District Jamaica, West Indies and came to Ocala in 2003 from New York, NY. She was a member of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church in New York, NY, and she enjoyed cooking, sewing, reading and religious music. She is survived by daughters Laxine Squire of Ocala, Yvonne Wallace of NC, Romana Catoe of NJ, Julane Lowe- Hamilton of Hartsdale, NY, grandchildren Michael, Nadia, Natasha, Alinca, Kenneth, Amber, Lyssa, and Austin, great grandchildren Michael Jr, Steven and Isaiah, extended family Lincoln, Squire, James, Kenneth Sr, Chuck, Bigby, Junior and Myrna. Funeral services and interment will be in New York, NY. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/10/2007 - 11/11/2007.

1521. WEBER, MARTIN FREDERICK "FRED", (Obituary No. 1521.) 78 Ocala - Martin Fredericke "Fred" Weber, 78, was born May 3, 1929, in Newburgh, NY, and moved in November 1989 from Fishkill, NY to Ocala, FL, where he passed away on November 3, 2007. A Master Industrial Electrician, Mr. Weber had been a member of IBEW, was in business for himself, did government contracting and private consulting work and retired from Engineering Service at Castle Point VAH, NY. During WWII he proudly served in the Pacific theater in the United States Army, in both the Artillery and the Military Police. Mr. Weber was an avid and accomplished outdoorsman and a collector of antique guns and historical documents of the American Revolution and Civil War eras. He was considered an expert in coins of the American Colonial period and was featured as an accomplished collector in the authoritative journal, "Coin World." He was also featured in the "American Rifleman" as a Civil War antique gun expert. His passions were his family, learning, reading, gardening, the outdoors and the history of the United States. An avid golfer, he made three "holes-in-one" at three different golf courses. He was gifted at working with his hands and could build and fix anything put before him. He was inventive and was particularly expert at electrical trouble-shooting and problem-solving. He was especially fond of classical music and encouraged his family in the Arts. Mr. Weber enjoyed traveling with his wife focusing on historical areas of our country. They also enjoyed visiting Italy, Austria, the Vatican, the Caribbean, Puerto Rico, Hawaii and Australia. He was a life member of the VFW as well as the NRA. Prior to moving to Florida he was a member of the Cornwall Continentials, Cornwall, NY, the National Camping and Hiking Association, Black Rock Fish and Game Club,
American Fisherman's Association, Ducks Unlimited, Knights Templar F&AM, Fishkill Historical Society, Southern Dutchess Golf and Country Club and the First Presbyterian Church, Beacon, NY. Arriving in Florida, Mr. Weber continued to enjoy golfing, his historical interests and working around his house and yard. He continued his commitment to public service as a member of Kiwanis and was especially active in its "Meals on Wheels" program and volunteered at the Ocala Civic Theater building stage sets. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, followed by Countryside Presbyterian Church in Ocala. He was a man of enormous dignity who was close to God throughout his life. With a sense of humor and compassion he was a wise man with a profound respect for others and a deep and abiding devotion to his family and country. For him, a handshake and his word were his bond. He is the son of Martin F. Weber and Amelia Sindik and was baptized at the St. Thomas of Canterbury Catholic Church in Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY. Upon the death of his parents he was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Ray P. Fulton of Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY. He had a brother, Brother Thomas P. Weber, OMI and two sisters, Bertha Weber and Martha Reeves, all who pre-deceased Mr. Weber. Mr. Weber is survived by his wife of 35 years, Charlotte L. Rondeau Weber, a son, Martin F. Weber III and daughters Vice Admiral Ann E. Rondeau and Janis Rondeau Scherer (husband John) and four grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, November 10, 3:00pm, at Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Highway 200, Rev. Gary O. Marshall officiating, followed by a reception at the church. Internment will be at Arlington National Cemetery at the convenience of the family. Memorial contributions may be made to the Countryside Presbyterian Church Pipe Organ Fund or Building Fund. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/8/2007 - 11/10/2007.

1522. WILKERSON, DREYTON RAMON, (Obituary No. 1522.) 20 Ocala - Dreyton Ramon Wilkerson, 20, student/distributor for Coca Cola Industry. Services will be held Sunday, November 11, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Shiloh 7-Day Adventist Church with Pastor Paul Goodrich officiating. Dreyton was a 2006 graduate of West Port High School and was attending CFCC. He was a member of Shiloh 7-Day Adventist Church. Dreyton was a lover of Rap music and his goal was to become a Rapper/Producer. He was born November 2, 1987 in Ocala, FL to Garriett Wilkerson, Jr. and Sheila Cogdell. Survivors: Mother/step father Sheila and Charlie Patterson, Ocala, FL; Father, Garriett Wilkerson, Jr., Ocala, FL, Two brothers, Adrian Jones & Alex Jackson, Ocala, FL, sister Shantovia Patterson, Gainesville, FL. Maternal Grandmother, Marilyn Lett, Ocala, FL, Maternal great grandmother Albertha Taylor, Ocala, FL, Paternal Grand parents, Garriett & Marie Wilkerson, Sr. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Wake Service Friday November 9, 2007 from 4-7p.m. in CUNNINGHAM'S CHAPEL OF FAITH, Saturday from 9-7:30 p.m. at the funeral home. Sunday at the church from 12 noon until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/10/2007.

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1523. BOVAIRD, LESLIE EUGENE, (Obituary No. 1523.) 67 Ocala (formerly) - Leslie Eugene Bovaird, 67, formerly of Ocala, died Tuesday, November 6, 2007, at MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston, Texas. A native of Brockway, PA, he lived in Ocala for 40 years, where he retired as Chief of Staff/Commander for the Ocala Police Department. He was a member of the Inverness Elks Lodge. Mr. Bovaird is survived by his wife Linda of Bayou Vista, Texas, son Terry Bovaird and wife Pam of Ocala, sister Betty Tanner and Margaret Bovaird, brother Keith Bovaird, and five grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, November 14, 2007, at First United Methodist Church, 1126 E. Silver Springs
Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Inurnment services will be conducted at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to the Florida Sheriff's Youth Ranches, P.O. Box 2000, Boys Ranch, Florida 32604. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/11/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1524. BROOME, DESSIE S., (Obituary No. 1524.) 84 Ocala - Dessie S. Broome, 84, retired dry cleaners owner, passed away October 28, 2007. Funeral service will be held Saturday, November 10, 2007 at St. Paul A.M.E. Church at 11 a.m. with Rev. Joy Gallmon, Pastor conducting the service. Mrs. Broom was born November 10, 1922 in Lake City, FL. to the Late William Smith and Bessie Farmer. Survivors: one step daughter, Willie J. Thompson, Ocala, FL and two grandchildren. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens under the directions of "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Visitation: Friday November 9, 2007 from 9 a.m.-7:30 p.m. at the funeral home, Saturday at the Church from 9 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/11/2007.

1525. EWER, STEPHEN E., (Obituary No. 1525.) 58 Williston - Mr. Stephen E. Ewer, 58, of Williston, died Friday, November 9, 2007, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Philadelphia, PA, he moved to this area in 2006, coming here from Palm Coast, Florida. Mr. Ewer was a building contractor, and was a member of the Flagler County Corvette Club. He is survived by his wife Linda Bice-Ewer, and his son Andrew Bice, both of Williston, mother Marjory M. Ewer of Hainesport, NJ, brothers and sister-in-law Thomas Ewer of Hainesport and Michael and Mary Ewer of Columbus, NJ, Aunt Norma Glassmire of Philadelphia, niece and nephew Makenzie and Mason Ewer of Columbus, NJ, and numerous friends. Information provided by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/11/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1526. HAINES, BARBARA(Obituary No. 1526.) , 65 Ocala - Barbara Haines, 65, died on November 8, 2007 is the beloved wife of Jack R. Haines Sr., Mother of Jack Jr., Kim Greene and stepmother of John and Mark. She is the grandmother of 12. Visitations are Sunday 4-6pm at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. Graveside interment service Monday 1 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/10/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1527. LINN, ALTON A., (Obituary No. 1527.) 85 Ocala - Alton A. Linn, age 85, Ocala, former Floral City resident, died at home on Oct. 29, 2007. A native of Stoughton, Wisconsin, he was born on March 28, 1922 to the late Anton and Gaila Linn and came to Citrus County in 1975 from Ft. Lauderdale, later moving to Ocala in 1987. He retired from Southern Bell Telephone System as a Traffic Manager and served our country in the US Navy. Mr. Linn was very active in the First Lutheran Church of Inverness for many years, having chaired the building committee when the new sanctuary was constructed. After moving to Ocala, he joined the Redeemer Lutheran Church where he became an active member and committee person as well. He is survived by: one son, Alton A. Linn, Jr. of Ft. Lauderdale, one daughter, Debra Solomon of Tallahassee, one sister, Marjorie Martin, three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Patty Linn, on Dec. 10, 1998 and a sister, Gail Lansbury. Memorial services will be conducted on Saturday, Nov. 17th at 10:30 a.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church of Ocala with Pastor Ron Mueller officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials are being accepted by Redeemer Lutheran Church. Information provided by CHAS E. DAVIS FUNERAL HOME WITH CREMATORY, Inverness. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/11/2007 - 11/12/2007.
1528. MATHIS, FREDDIE (Obituary No. 1528.), 75 Ocala. - Mr. Freddie Mathis, age 75, passed away on Tuesday, November 6, 2007. He served in the U.S. Army for (6) years. He was employed by J.W.J., INC. for 15 yeah. Mr. Mathis is survived by: Carne Ward (Devoted Companion) Ocala, FL., Daughters: Laceta Mathis Leonard (Orlando, Fl), Angela Mathis, (Atlanta, GA), Shirley Brown (Ocala, Fl). Sons: Derrick Mathis (Atlanta, GA), Anthony Mathis (Ocala, Fl). Funeral service for Mr. Mathis will be held 10:00 AM on Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 2238 N.W. 100 Street. Interment will immediately follow at the National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL after the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/13/2007.

1529. ROZZELL, ROBERT J. (BOB), (Obituary No. 1529.) 76 Spruce Creek South - Robert J. Rozzell, 76, died Friday, Nov. 9, 2007. Mr. Rozzell was born in Amherstdele, WV. A former Marine and US Army veteran of the Korean and Vietnam wars, he was a highly decorated soldier and a recipient of the Purple Heart. Upon retirement from the Army, he continued to work for the government and in 1992 moved to Spruce Creek South, Summerfield, FL. He was an avid golfer, a member of the Creakers Golf Assn. and VFW. Survivors include his wife, Loretta, brother Jerry, sisters Patricia, Jean and Brenda. Mr. Rozzell requested no services upon his departure. Burial will be at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, “Tuscan House”, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Information provided by BECKER FUNERAL HOME. Online guestbook at beckerfamilyfuneral.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/11/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1530. SCHEER, ANDREW "ANDY", (Obituary No. 1530.) 83 Clermont - Andrew "Andy" Scheer, 83, passed away Tuesday, November 6, 2007 at Orlando Regional Health Care. Mr. Scheer was born in New York City, NY on January 24, 1924 and has been a Florida resident since 1947. He was a veteran of World War II serving with the U.S. Navy. He was a retired land developer, loved people, avid fisherman, golfer and world traveler. He is survived by his beloved wife of 51 years Mary Scheer of Clermont; daughters, Brenda Hudson of Ocala, FL and Karen Lynn of Zephyrhills, FL; 4 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with military honors. The family requests in lieu of flowers memorials to the South Lake Animal League, www.slal.org. A quest book is available at www.beckerfamilyfuneral.com. BECKER FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, 806 W. Minneola Ave., Clermont, FL, (352) 394-7121, is serving the family. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/10/2007 - 11/11/2007.

1531. ST. PIERRE, GERARD W. (Obituary No. 1531.) "GERRY", 63 Citrus Springs - Gerard W. "Gerry" St. Pierre, 63, of Citrus Springs, Florida, died Thursday, November 8 in Lecanto, Florida. He was born February 9, 1944 in Salem, Massachusetts. He moved to Florida in 1995 and to Citrus Springs in 2005. He was currently employed at Lowe's of Ocala and prior was owner and operator of Acorn Cabinets, Yarmouth, MA. He was of the Catholic faith, and was an avid Jimmie Johnson Nascar and Red Sox fan. He is survived by: Wife of 27 years; Diane St. Pierre of Citrus Springs, Florida; Son Daryn St. Pierre of Citrus Springs, Florida; Son Eric James of Lynn, Mass; Son Mark James of Revere, Mass; Brother Paul St. Pierre of New Milford, Ct.; Brother Conrad St. Pierre of Holliston, Mass; Granddaughter Katelyn James of Amesbury, Mass. Viewing will be Sunday, November 11, 2007 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. in the Chapel of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL The Funeral Service will begin at 6 p.m. with Deacon Eric Makoid officiating. Donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, High Plains Division, Inc., Attn: June Downey 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue Kansas City MO 64105. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/10/2007 - 11/11/2007.
1532. VRANIAK, EVELYN RUTH, (Obituary No. 1532.) 78 Ocala - Evelyn Ruth Vraniak, 78, God called her name, Evelyn Ruth Vraniak. She took his hand on November 6, 2007, at the age of 78. She was in the loving care of Hospice Legacy House. She was born December 21, 1928, in St. Clair, Mo. Her father and mother were Charles Jack Messex and Maude Pearl McDowell. Her brother Russell Messex lives in Washington Mo. Preceded in death by her sister Ethel Schmuke and three brothers, James Robert Messex, William Albert Messex and Woodrow Wilson Messex. Preceded in death by Raymond G. Ifland Sr. Father to Raymond "Butch" Ifland Jr. of New Melle, Mo. Michael Dennis Ifland of Union Mo. and Patricia Marie Ifland of Ocala, Fl. Preceded in death by Leonard Joseph Vraniak Sr. father to Leonard Joseph Vraniak Jr. of Falls Church Va. and Katherine Louise Naranjo of Seminole Fl. Evelyn had 6 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. She worked for Angels in Arms Daycare for over 20 years and took care of a lot of wonderful children. Above all she cherished wonderful friends she met and worked with. Evelyn was truly our Angel here on earth. In Lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County, in her Honor. Memorial services will be November 17, 2007 11 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Church. Published in the Ocala Star Banner from 11/11/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1533. WALDRON, NELLIE NADINE, (Obituary No. 1533.) 88 Dunnellon - Nellie Nadine Waldron, 88, of Dunnellon, Florida, died Thursday, November 8, 2007 in Dunnellon, FL. She was born on October 30, 1919, in Hazlehurst, Georgia, daughter of Ivy and Lizzie Belle (McDonald) Wood. She moved here in 1970 from Ft. Lauderdale. She was a homemaker and was a member of Romeo Baptist Church. She spent her life caring for her family. Mrs. Waldron was preceded in death by her husband Walter Waldron in 2002. She is survived by: two sons, Don Waldron and Gary Waldron, both of Crystal River; two sisters, Ailene Johnson, Adel, GA and Maxine Wood, Ft. Lauderdale, six grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. Viewing will be on Saturday, November 17, 2007 from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. at the Chapel of Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon. The Funeral Service will begin at 11:00 a.m. with Pastor Shawn Cutshall of Romeo Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow at Hickory Springs Cemetery, Romeo, FL. Memorial contributions in her memory may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or Mayo Clinic of Jacksonville, 4500 San Pablo Road, Jacksonville, FL 32224. Arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME of Dunnellon, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/11/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1534. WALLACE, PHYLLIS "MAMA", (Obituary No. 1534.) 81 New York, NY - Phyllis "Mama" Wallace, 81, passed away November 7, 2007. She was born inn Alston District Jamaica, West Indies and came to Ocala in 2003 from New York, NY. She was a member of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church in New York, NY, and she enjoyed cooking, sewing, reading and religious music. She is survived by daughters Laxine Squire of Ocala, Yvonne Wallace of NC, Romana Catoe of NJ, Julane Lowe- Hamilton of Hartsdale, NY, grandchildren Michael, Nadia, Natasha, Alinca, Kenneth, Amber, Lyssa, and Austin, great grandchildren Michael Jr, Steven and Isaiah, extended family Lincoln, Squire, James, Kenneth Sr, Chuck, Bigby, Junior and Myrna. Funeral services and interment will be in New York, NY. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/10/2007 - 11/12/2007.

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1535. BOVAIRD, LESLIE EUGENE, (Obituary No. 1535.) 67 Ocala (formerly) - Leslie Eugene Bovaird, 67, formerly of Ocala, died Tuesday, November 6, 2007, at MD Anderson
Cancer Center in Houston, Texas. A native of Brockway, PA, he lived in Ocala for 40 years, where he retired as Chief of Staff/Commander for the Ocala Police Department. He was a member of the Inverness Elks Lodge. Mr. Bovaird is survived by his wife Linda of Bayou Vista, Texas, son Terry Bovaird and wife Pam of Ocala, sister Betty Tanner and Margaret Bovaird, brother Keith Bovaird, and five grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, November 14, 2007, at First United Methodist Church, 1126 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Edward Kellum officiating. Inurnment services will be conducted at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to the Florida Sheriff's Youth Ranches, P.O. Box 2000, Boys Ranch, Florida 32604. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., is handling arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/11/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1536. EWER, STEPHEN E., (Obituary No. 1536.) 58 Williston - Mr. Stephen E. Ewer, 58, of Williston, died Friday, November 9, 2007, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Philadelphia, PA, he moved to this area in 2006, coming here from Palm Coast, Florida. Mr. Ewer was a building contractor, and was a member of the Flagler County Corvette Club. He is survived by his wife Linda Bice-Ewer, and his son Andrew Bice, both of Williston, mother Marjory M. Ewer of Hainesport, NJ, brothers and sister-in-law Thomas Ewer of Hainesport and Michael and Mary Ewer of Columbus, NJ, Aunt Norma Glassmire of Philadelphia, niece and nephew Makenzie and Mason Ewer of Columbus, NJ, and numerous friends. Information provided by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/11/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1537. GOULARD, JR. DR. ALEXANDER (Obituary No. 1537.) Ocala - Dr. Alexander Goulard, Jr., age 86, passed away November 9, 2007. He was born in Westfield, NJ October 1, 1921, and a Navy veteran serving as corpsman in WWII, and then served during the Korea War as a doctor. He came to Ocala in 1959 from Long Island, NY. Dr. Goulard was a pillar in the medical community and founder of Radiology Associates of Ocala. He was an active member of the Marion Medical Society, a Fellow in The American College of Radiology, an avid fisherman and long time member of the Bonita Club. He is survived by one son Philip Goulard, two daughters Bonnie Goulard and Susan Goulard Mehaffey all of Ocala, four grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Preceded in death by his wife of 53 years Carolyn Driver Goulard, and two sons Alexander "Alex" Goulard, III and Russell Broadwater. Funeral services will be 2:00 pm Wednesday, November 14, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be Tuesday from 5:00-7:00 PM. Interment in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/11/2007 - 11/14/2007.

1538. HAINES, BARBARA(Obituary No. 1538.) 65 Ocala - Barbara Haines, 65, died on November 8, 2007 is the beloved wife of Jack R. Haines Sr., Mother of Jack Jr., Kim Greene and stepmother of John and Mark. She is the grandmother of 12. Visitations are Sunday 4-6pm at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL. Graveside interment service Monday 1 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/10/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1539. LIDDELL, DONALD RUSSELL, (Obituary No. 1539.) 97 Ocklawaha - Donald Russell Liddell, 97, passed away at the Masonic Home in St. Petersburg, Florida under the care of Hospice. He was born in Granville, Illinois. He later moved to Detroit to work in the Ford Bomber plant during WWII. His passion was baseball, fishing, and dancing. He retired from the Tecumseh Products in Tecumseh, Michigan in 1978 and relocated to Ocklawaha, Florida, where he was active in the Forest Methodist Church. He was a dedicated 60 year member of the
Masons in Michigan and Florida. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 49 years and two brothers. He is survived by one stepson, John Ladd of Clermont, Florida; one stepdaughter, Shirley Taylor of Largo, Florida; two grandchildren, Bryan Ambrose of Cleveland and Kay Smith of Tulsa, Oklahoma; two great grandchildren, Chad and Eric Ambrose of Cleveland. A memorial service will be held at the Masonic Home Nov. 14 at 2:00. A graveside service will be performed in Tecumseh Nov. 16 at 3:00. Anderson-Mcqueen Funeral Homes, NE St. Petersburg Chapel 727-822-2059. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/12/2007 - 11/13/2007.

1540. LINN, ALTON A., (Obituary No. 1540.) 85 Ocala - Alton A. Linn, age 85, Ocala, former Floral City resident, died at home on Oct. 29, 2007. A native of Stoughton, Wisconsin, he was born on March 28, 1922 to the late Anton and Gaila Linn and came to Citrus County in 1975 from Ft. Lauderdale, later moving to Ocala in 1987. He retired from Southern Bell Telephone System as a Traffic Manager and served our country in the US Navy. Mr. Linn was very active in the First Lutheran Church of Inverness for many years, having chaired the building committee when the new sanctuary was constructed. After moving to Ocala, he joined the Redeemer Lutheran Church where he became an active member and committee person as well. He is survived by: one son, Alton A. Linn, Jr. of Ft. Lauderdale, one daughter, Debra Solomon of Tallahassee, one sister, Marjorie Martin, three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Patty Linn, on Dec. 10, 1998 and a sister, Gail Lansbury. Memorial services will be conducted on Saturday, Nov. 17th at 10:30 a.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church of Ocala with Pastor Ron Mueller officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials are being accepted by Redeemer Lutheran Church. Information provided by CHAS E. DAVIS FUNERAL HOME WITH CREMATORY, Inverness. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/11/2007 - 11/12/2007.

1541. LOYD, WILLIAM CLYDE, (Obituary No. 1541.) 93 St. Augustine - William Clyde Loyd - a long time resident of St. Augustine passed away Friday, November 9, 2007. Born in Jasper, FL March 16, 1914, he grew up in Lake City, FL. He joined the US Air Force from which he retired after 21 years as a Master Sargeant and a veteran of World War II. After retiring from the Air Force, he went to work for the city. He was a member of the American Legion and a member of Ancient City Squares. In 1947, he married Dorothy Mae Davis and after celebrating 52 years of marriage, she passed away in 1999. He is survived by three children, Jean Carolyn Shugart, Roderick Clyde Loyd (Edie) of St. Augustine and Shirly Elaine Buchkovich (Paul) of Ocala, FL; seven grandchildren - Kim Lane, Michael Shugart, Dean, Christian and Adam Cubbedge, Joseph and Mark Roberts and 16 great-grandchildren, John Lane Jr, Kayla Lane, Katelin and Joshua Shugart, TJ Murphy, Kailyn, Kelsey, Zion, Kristen, Megan, Ryan and Arielle Cubbedge, Katie, Allison, Christopher, and Destiney Roberts. The visitation will be Tuesday, November 13 from 5:00 p.m. TILL 7:00 pm. The funeral service will be at 11 am, Wednesday, November 14 at Craig Funeral Home. Flowers will be accepted or in lieu of flowers a donation may be made to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/12/2007 - 11/13/2007.

1542. MATHIS, FREDDIE(Obituary No. 1542.), 75 Ocala. - Mr. Freddie Mathis, age 75, passed away on Tuesday, November 6, 2007. He served in the U.S. Army for (6) years. He was employed by J.W.J., INC. for 15 yeah. Mr. Mathis is survived by: Carne Ward (Devoted Companion) Ocala, FL, Daughters: Laceta Mathis Leonard (Orlando, Fl), Angela Mathis, (Atlanta, GA), Shirley Brown (Ocala, Fl). Sons: Derrick Mathis (Atlanta, GA), Anthony Mathis (Ocala, Fl). Funeral service for Mr. Mathis will be held 10:00 AM on Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 2238 N.W. 100 Street. Interment will
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1544. SMITH, SARA T., (Obituary No. 1544.) 87 Ocala - Sara T. Smith, 87, passed away on Friday, November 9th, 2007 in Jacksonville. She was a long time resident of Ocala, after moving from Miami in 1976. Sara was a member of St. John's United Methodist Church in Cotton Plant. She is survived by her daughters, Becky Davy, Kathy Tiemeier (husband Terry), son John T. Smith (wife Shelley), five grandchildren, and 2 great-grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Community Hospice Foundation, 4114 Sunbeam Rd. Suite 101, Jacksonville, FL 32257. Hiers Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/12/2007 - 11/13/2007.

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1547. BARBA, ANTHONY "TONY", (Obituary No. 1547.) 91 Ocala- Anthony "Tony" Barba, 91, passed away Nov. 10, 2007 at Hampton Manor, Ocala. He was born in Brooklyn, NY. and moved to Ocala in 1978 from there. He was a parishioner at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, the Moose Lodge, the Bocci Club, the Democratic Club, the New Yorkers Club, and SAFE. He is survived by, Jennie Barba, his wife of 66 years, daughter, Lois (Joseph) Roberto, Little Rock, AR, son, Anthony (Adele) Barba, Brooklyn, NY, brother, Joe Barba of PA, 5 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. The Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Wed., Nov. 14th at 10 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. The family will receive friends on Tues., Nov. 13th at ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala from 6-8 PM. Interment will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.

1548. DANIELSEN, ROBERT W., (Obituary No. 1548.) 83 Ocala - Robert W. Danielsen, 83, passed away November 11, 2007 at Timberridge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. He was born in the Bronx, NY and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Leisuretown, NJ. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church and, was an avid golfer. He was a US Army veteran of WWII. He is survived by a son Robert M. Danielsen of Ocala, a daughter Karen (Victor) Jones of Stow, MA, three grandchildren, and a brother Raymond Danielsen of New York. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8pm on Wednesday, November 14th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. A funeral service will be held at the funeral home at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, November 15th with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/13/2007 - 11/15/2007.

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1550. JENKINS, LISA REGINA, (Obituary No. 1550.) 33 El Paso, TX - Lisa Regina Jenkins, 33, passed away November 6, 2007 at her home. Born in North Miami Beach, FL, she was a
resident of El Paso for about 4 years. She was a computer and communications specialist. She is survived by her parents, George and Wauvette Jenkins of Ocala, FL; sons, Bradley Scott Johnson of St. Cloud, FL and August Zuanich of El Paso, TX; sister, Cindy Slater, her husband, Mike and their daughter Mickala of Jacksonville, TX; Cindy's sons, Robbie Pucillo of Phoenix, AZ and Brian Vauk of Cocoa, FL; uncle, Gary Lovell, his wife Kathy and their children Kim, Karrie, Kelly and Kalie all of Talbottton, GA; and uncle Bob Lovell and his wife Sandy of Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200 Ocala 854-2266. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/13/2007 - 11/14/2007.

1551. LAPIERRE, ARTHUR ROLAND, (Obituary No. 1551.) 81 Ocala - Arthur Roland LaPierre, 81, died Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. Mr. LaPierre was born on November 12, 1925, in Attleboro MA. and moved to Ocala seven years ago from Alton Bay, N. H. He was a retired jeweler and served his country in WWII in the U.S. Navy. Survivors are a son Paul LaPierre, three daughters: Theresa LaPierre, of N. Attleboro MA., Linda Dugas of N. Attleboro MA., and Andrea Bonda of Attleboro MA., and a stepson Wayne Kirylo of Mansfield MA., and his companion Faye Macchiarella. He is also survived by six grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Interment will be at the Florida National Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Ave., Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/13/2007 - 11/14/2007.

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1554. MATHIS, FREDDIE (Obituary No. 1554.) 75 Ocala. - Mr. Freddie Mathis, age 75, passed away on Tuesday, November 6, 2007. He served in the U.S. Army for (6) years. He was employed by J.W.J., INC. for 15 yeah. Mr. Mathis is survived by: Carne Ward (Devoted Companion) Ocala, FL., Daughters: Laceta Mathis Leonard (Orlando, Fl), Angela Mathis, (Atlanta, GA), Shirley Brown (Ocala, Fl). Sons: Derrick Mathis (Atlanta, GA), Anthony Mathis (Ocala, Fl). Funeral service for Mr. Mathis will be held 10:00 AM on Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 2238 N.W. 100 Street. Interment will immediately follow at the National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL after the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/9/2007 - 11/13/2007.

1555. SMITH, SARA T., (Obituary No. 1555.) 87 Ocala - Sara T. Smith, 87, passed away on Friday, November 9th, 2007 in Jacksonville. She was a long time resident of Ocala, after moving from Miami in 1976. Sara was a member of St. John's United Methodist Church in Cotton Plant. She is survived by her daughters, Becky Davy, Kathy Tiemeier (husband Terry), son John T. Smith (wife Shelley), five grandchildren, and 2 great-grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Community Hospice Foundation, 4114 Sunbeam Rd. Suite 101, Jacksonville, FL 32257. Hiers Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/12/2007 - 11/13/2007.

1556. BARBA, ANTHONY "TONY" (Obituary No. 1556.) 91 Ocala- Anthony "Tony" Barba, 91, passed away Nov. 10, 2007 at Hampton Manor, Ocala. He was born in Brooklyn, NY. and moved to Ocala in 1978 from there. He was a parishioner at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, the Moose Lodge, the Bocci Club, the Democratic Club, the New Yorkers Club, and SAFE. He is survived by, Jennie Barba, his wife of 66 years, daughter, Lois (Joseph) Roberto, Little Rock, AR, son, Anthony (Adele) Barba, Brooklyn, NY, brother, Joe Barba of PA, 5 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. The Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Wed., Nov. 14th at 10 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. The family will receive friends on Tues., Nov. 13th at ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala from 6-8 PM. Interment will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/13/2007 - 11/14/2007.

1557. BURNS, SR., ROBERT LEWIS, (Obituary No. 1557.) 76 Ocala- Robert Lewis Burns, age 76, of Ocala passed away at his residence on November 10, 2007. He was born October 14, 1931 in Mt. Sterling, KY. His family moved to Dayton, OH, and then later to Opa Locka, FL during the WW II, where he sold newspapers at the Opa Locka Airport. Mr. Burns attended Mt. Sterling High School, where he played football for the Trojans. He joined the Navy in 1951 as a boiler operator, at the age of 18, and earned his GED on December 20, 1951, then went back to school and graduated with his class on June 6, 1952. Later in 1952 he served on the oiler ship USS Ashtabula, (AO-51) during the Korean War. The ship boiler exploded destroying half of the ship front deck, but he was not injured, because he had just walked in the opposite direction of the half that was destroyed. He served in Japan, Taiwan, and Formosa. Mr. Burns received the following commendations: Good Conduct Medal, Japanese Occupation Service Medal, National Defense Medal, Korean Service Medal with six stars, United Nations Service Medal, Asiatic Pacific Service Medal, and the China Service Medal. He entered the US Air Force Reserves.
October 1, 1961, and was called to active duty during the Berlin Crisis. He received the following commendations: Presidential Unit Citation and the Air Force Longevity Ribbon, with Oak Leaf Cluster. He married Edna Sybil Frow, his wife of 43 years, on February 11, 1955, and they lived in Hialeah, FL. He became a Christian in the early 1960's at a Billy Graham crusade. Mr. Burns retired at age 55, with 26 years of service with Southern Bell. He was a member of The Telecom Pioneers. He and his wife retired to Deltona, FL in 1982. Mr. Burns moved to Ocala in 1998 and became a member of Central Christian Church. Survivors included his son, Robert L. Burns, Jr. of Ocala, daughter Patricia B. Marshall of Santa Fe, TN, brother Russell Burns of Winter Park, FL, sister Joanne Kille of Tampa, FL, and three grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife Edna F. Burns and sister Cathy Horton. Visitation will be 5:00-7:00 pm Friday, at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be 11:00 AM Saturday, November 17, 2007 at Central Christian Church, 3010 NE 14th Street, Ocala, with graveside services and interment at 3:00 PM Saturday in Deltona Memorial Gardens, Deltona, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/15/2007.

1558. DANIELSEN, ROBERT W., (Obituary No. 1558.) 83 Ocala - Robert W. Danielsen, 83, passed away November 11, 2007 at Timberridge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. He was born in the Bronx, NY and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Leisuretown, NJ. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church and, was an avid golfer. He was a US Army veteran of WWII. He is survived by a son Robert M. Danielsen of Ocala, a daughter Karen (Victor) Jones of Stow, MA, three grandchildren, and a brother Raymond Danielsen of New York. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8pm on Wednesday, November 14th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. A funeral service will be held at the funeral home at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, November 15th with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/13/2007 - 11/15/2007.

1559. GOULARD, JR. DR. ALEXANDER (Obituary No. 1559.) Ocala - Dr. Alexander Goulard, Jr., age 86, passed away November 9, 2007. He was born in Westfield, NJ October 1, 1921, and a Navy veteran serving as corpsman in WWII, and then served during the Korea War as a doctor. He came to Ocala in 1959 from Long Island, NY. Dr. Goulard was a pillar in the medical community and founder of Radiology Associates of Ocala. He was an active member of the Marion Medical Society, a Fellow in The American College of Radiology, an avid fisherman and long time member of the Bonita Club. He is survived by one son Philip Goulard, two daughters Bonnie Goulard and Susan Goulard Mehaffey all of Ocala, four grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Preceded in death by his wife of 53 years Carolyn Driver Goulard, and two sons Alexander "Alex" Goulard, III and Russell Broadwater. Funeral services will be 2:00 pm Wednesday, November 14, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be Tuesday from 5:00-7:00 PM. Interment in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/12/2007 - 11/14/2007.

1560. JENKINS, LISA REGINA, (Obituary No. 1560.) 33 El Paso, TX - Lisa Regina Jenkins, 33, passed away November 6, 2007 at her home. Born in North Miami Beach, FL, she was a resident of El Paso for about 4 years. She was a computer and communications specialist. She is survived by her parents, George and Waunette Jenkins of Ocala, FL; sons, Bradley Scott Johnson of St. Cloud, FL and August Zuanich of El Paso, TX; sister, Cindy Slater, her husband, Mike and their daughter Mickala of Jacksonville, TX; Cindy's sons, Robbie Pucillo of Phoenix, AZ and
Brian Vauk of Cocoa, FL; uncle, Gary Lovell, his wife Kathy and their children Kim, Karrie, Kelly and Kalie all of Talbotton, GA; and uncle Bob Lovell and his wife Sandy of Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200 Ocala 854-2266. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/13/2007 - 11/14/2007.

1561. KOSKY, MARY (Obituary No. 1561.) , 78 Dunnellon - Mary Kosky, 78, passed away on November 7, 2007 at her home. She came here from her native Bethel Park, PA 22 years ago and was a lifelong homemaker. Mary was a parishioner of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon and was an avid golfer and member of Rainbow's End Golf Club, also in Dunnellon. Mrs. Kosky is survived by her daughter Diane Kosky of Finleyville, PA; son David Kosky of Valencia PA; grandson Brandon Ryan Kosby of Ft Benning GA; brothers John, Joe, and Ed Marnik, all of Bethel Park, PA; brother Frank Marnik of Castle Shannon, PA. Mary was preceded in death by her husband of nearly 50 years, Edward Kosky (Dec. 1999) and three brothers: Bob, Martin and Leo Marnik. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Sat., Nov. 17th at 10 a.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon with Fr. Joseph Pinchock, Celebrant. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Friends will be received on Fri., Nov. 16th from 2-4 and 6-8 P.M. at Fero Funeral Home, 5955 N. Lecanto Highway, Beverly Hills, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1562. LAPIERRE, ARTHUR ROLAND, (Obituary No. 1562.) 81 Ocala - Arthur Roland LaPierre, 81, died Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. Mr. LaPierre was born on November 12, 1925, in Attleboro MA. and moved to Ocala seven years ago from Alton Bay, N. H. He was a retired jeweler and served his country in WWII in the U.S. Navy. Survivors are a son Paul LaPierre, three daughters: Theresa LaPierre, of N. Attleboro MA., Linda Dugas of N. Attleboro MA., and Andrea Bonda of Attleboro MA., and a stepson Wayne Kirylo of Mansfield MA., and his companion Faye Macchiarella. He is also survived by six grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Interment will be at the Florida National Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Ave., Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/13/2007 - 11/14/2007.

1563. PELKOWSKI, CARL (Obituary No. 1563.) , 89 Ocala - Mr. Carl Pelkowski, age 89, passed away on November 12, 2007. He moved to Ocala in 1987 and was originally from Syracuse, New York. He was a member of the Syracuse Fire Department for thirty (30) years. He was a Navy Veteran. He is survived by his wife, Anne, a son David and wife Grace from Dallas, Texas, a sister Sally Prusinowski and two grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a daughter Carol Pelkowski. Services will be private. Burial will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/15/2007.

1564. ROSE, URSULA M., (Obituary No. 1564.) 92 Belleview - Ursula M. Rose, 92, died November 12, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House. She was born in Newark, NJ and moved to this area from Ft. Pierce, FL In 1998. She attended St. Theresa Catholic Church and was a purchasing agent for AT&T. Mrs. Rose is survived by daughters, Mary Rose, Ft. Pierce, Andrea Clifford, Summerfield, and Donna Rose, Chicago, IL; grandchildren, Mari Watson, Belleview, John E. Clifford III, Belleview, Jim Hayward, West Palm Beach. Russell Nittel, Chicago, Brett Nittel, Oldwick, NJ, great-grandchildren JC Clifford, Kirstin Holly, Ryan Clifford, Andrea Wellen all of Belleview and a great great-granddaughter Alyssa Clifford of Belleview. Call Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services at 352-245-2424 for service times. Burial will be In Hillcrest Memorial Gardens, Ft. Pierce. Visitation will be Wednesday from 6 - 8 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY
FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/15/2007.

**1565. YODER, GLADYS M., (Obituary No. 1565.)** 93 Ocala - Mrs. Gladys Yoder, 93, passed away on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Hampton Manor - 24th Road in Ocala, FL. She was born in Elkhart, IN and moves to Ocala in 1968. She was preceded in death by a son, Gary and her Husband of 64 years, Walter J. Yoder. She is survived by two daughters, Gail Adams and Linda Bickel, 8 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. A graveside service and burial will take place in Elkhart, In at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/15/2007.

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**1566. ALEKSIE, STANLEY (Obituary No. 1566.)**, 85 Belleview - Stanley Aleksie, 85, died November 13, 2007 at Sylvia's House. He was born in Boston, MA and moved to this area from South Bend, IN in 1957. Mr. Aleksie was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. He was a veteran of WW II serving in the United States Navy. He was an air conditioning sales engineer and a fern farmer along with his wife, Margaret A. "Peg" Aleksie, Belleview, a loving brother to Wanda Aleks, Benny Aleksiejewicz, and Tony Aleksiejewicz, all from Boston, Sophie Laine, South Yarmouth, MA, and Hedy Flambruis, Boston, and uncle to numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral Mass will be held at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview at 10 a.m., Thursday, November 15, 2007. Burial will be with honors at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Family request in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4680, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

**1567. BERNARD, JUANITA WILSON, (Obituary No. 1567.)** 60 Ocala - Juanita Wilson Bernard, 60, funeral services will be on Saturday, November 17, 2007 at 11 a.m., New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL., Evangelist Stephanie "Gail" Walker will conduct the words of comfort. Reverend T. L. Brooks, Pastor. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 to 7 pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Bernard's Residence (2109 S.W. 5th PL, Ocala, FL) on Sat. at 10:15 a.m. to form the Cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mrs. Bernard; who was preceded in death by parents Thomas & Elizabeth Wilson, two sisters: Nancy A. Martin and Florence Wilson. A devoted husband Rev. Johnnie C. Bernard, Jr., Ocala, FL; daughters: Cynthia Graham, Terri Walker, both of Ocala, FL; Gwendolyn Jones, Atlanta, GA., and Evangelist Stephanie "Gail" Walker, Columbia, SC; son Lemuel Walker, Jr., Charleston, SC; Grandmother Evelyn Valentine, Ocala, FL; Step-mother Venola Clark, Spartanburg, SC; sister Rosena Miller, Spartanburg, SC; brothers: Thomas Wilson, Jr., Spartanburg, SC and Douglas Copeland, Spartanburg, SC, 16 grandchildren, 3 great grandchildren. Information provided by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/17/2007.

**1568. BURNS, SR., ROBERT LEWIS, (Obituary No. 1568.)** 76 Ocala- Robert Lewis Burns, age 76, of Ocala passed away at his residence on November 10, 2007. He was born October 14, 1931 in Mt. Sterling, KY. His family moved to Dayton, OH, and then later to Opa Locka, FL during the WW II, where he sold newspapers at the Opa Locka Airport. Mr. Burns attended Mt. Sterling High School, where he played football for the Trojans. He joined the Navy in 1951 as a boiler operator, at the age of 18, and earned his GED on December 20, 1951, then went back to school and graduated with his class on June 6, 1952. Later in 1952 he served on the oiler ship
USS Ashtabula, (AO-51) during the Korean War. The ship boiler exploded destroying half of the ship front deck, but he was not injured, because he had just walked in the opposite direction of the half that was destroyed. He served in Japan, Taiwan, and Formosa. Mr. Burns received the following commendations: Good Conduct Medal, Japanese Occupation Service Medal, National Defense Medal, Korean Service Medal with six stars, United Nations Service Medal, Asiatic Pacific Service Medal, and the China Service Medal. He entered the US Air Force Reserves October 1, 1961, and was called to active duty during the Berlin Crisis. He received the following commendations: Presidential Unit Citation and the Air Force Longevity Ribbon, with Oak Leaf Cluster. He married Edna Sybil Frow, his wife of 43 years, on February 11, 1955, and they lived in Hialeah, FL. He became a Christian in the early 1960's at a Billy Graham crusade. Mr. Burns retired at age 55, with 26 years of service with Southern Bell. He was a member of The Telecom Pioneers. He and his wife retired to Deltona, FL in 1982. Mr. Burns moved to Ocala in 1998 and became a member of Central Christian Church. Survivors included his son, Robert L. Burns, Jr. of Ocala, daughter Patricia B. Marshall of Santa Fe, TN, brother Russell Burns of Winter Park, FL, sister Joanne Kille of Tampa, FL, and three grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife Edna F. Burns and sister Cathy Horton. Visitation will be 5:00-7:00 pm Friday, at Hier's Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be 11:00 AM Saturday, November 17, 2007 at Central Christian Church, 3010 NE 14th Street, Ocala, with graveside services and interment at 3:00 PM Saturday in Deltona Memorial Gardens, Deltona, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/15/2007.

1569. BURRY, REBECCA ANN, (Obituary No. 1569.) 55 Denver, CO - Rebecca Ann Burry, 55, homemaker, passed away on Nov. 14, 2007. She was a graduate of the University of Florida and a volunteer of the Denver Botanical Gardens. She loved her dogs. She is survived by her three children, Chris Hardin, Andrew Hardin and Lauren Hardin, her father, Henry T. Burry, Sr., her sisters, Jennifer Winders and Marjorie M. Medina and her brother, Henry T. Burry, Jr. A graveside service will be held on Monday, Nov. 19, 2007 at 11:00 AM at the McIntosh Cemetery, McIntosh FL with Rev. Alan Bryan officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to McIntosh United Methodist Church or your favorite charity. Arrangements by Hier's Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1570. CATTO, WILLIAM E. "BILL" (Obituary No. 1570.) 57 Ocala, Florida- Bill Catto, 57, passed away Monday, November 12, 2007. He had three great loves - family, friends, and fishing. He is survived by his wife of 33 years Lorena "Lori" Catto of Ocala; grandchildren Hunter Frisbie, Dalton Catto, and Cassidy Catto, all of Ocala; sister Lynnette Wassmann of Dyer, IN; mother Virginia Gyger of IL; mother-in-law Violet Dearth of Sidney, Ohio; brother-in-law Leslie Dearth of Flint, MI; brother-in-law Andy Dearth (and wife Andrea) of Tecumseh, 0K; daughter-in-law Prisila Catto of Ocala; and many nieces and nephews who he loved dearly. He is preceded in death by his son Will Catto, daughter Cassie Catto, father William G. Catto, and father-in-law Robert Dearth. Services will be held Saturday, November 17, 2007, 10am, New Testament Baptist Church, with pastor Duane Hoffman officiating. Visitation will be held Friday, 6pm-8pm, HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1571. CROSS, ALENE E., (Obituary No. 1571.) 85, Ocala - Mrs. Alene E. Cross, 85, of Ocala, Fl. passed away on November 13, 2007. She was born In Fordyce, Pa. on January 31, 1922. She
moved to the area in 1980 from Barrington, Ill. She graduated from Warwood High School in Wheeling, W.Va. and worked as a telephone operator during WWII. She was a member of the Aliquippa, Pa. Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star and a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She was a member of the Golden Hills Country Club for over 25 years. She was a Methodist. She was the daughter of Elizabeth Haines Husk and Furman Husk. She is survived by her loving husband of 62 years, Clarence Cross, a son Charles Cross of Winnetka, Ill., a daughter Lucinda Cross of Halkis, Greece, three grandchildren and a sister, Wretha Linn of San Antonio, TX. She was predeceased by her brother Herschel Husk. In lieu of flowers send donations to Hospice of Marion County or the Centers of Marion County. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl. made the arrangement. A memorial service will be at the Legacy House 9505 SW 110th St. Ocala. at 11am Saturday November 17, 2007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1572. DANIELSEN, ROBERT W., (Obituary No. 1572.) 83 Ocala - Robert W. Danielsen, 83, passed away November 11, 2007 at Timberridge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. He was born in the Bronx, NY and moved to Ocala in 1989 from Leisurertown, NJ. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church and, was an avid golfer. He was a US Army veteran of WWII. He is survived by a son Robert M. Danielsen of Ocala, a daughter Karen (Victor) Jones of Stow, MA, three grandchildren, and a brother Raymond Danielsen of New York. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8pm on Wednesday, November 14th at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL. A funeral service will be held at the funeral home at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, November 15th with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/13/2007 - 11/15/2007.

1573. EVANS, SR., GEORGE 'BUCK', (Obituary No. 1573.) 78 Flemington - Mr. George 'Buck' Evans, Sr., 78, transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest at 8:10 pm on Tuesday, November 6, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born and raised in Flemington, FL and was a member of Canaan Missionary Baptist Church, Inc. Mr. Evans survived by his five sons: Larry Evans (Gladys) of Flemington, FL, George Evans, Jr. (Ann) of Fairfield, FL, Gerald Evans (Altheria) and Samuel Evans (Barbara) both of Flemington, FL, Marion Evans (Aarie) of Wildwood, FL. Two daughters: Donnella Bullard (Obie) and Marion Evans both of Flemington, FL. One brother: Lindburgh Evans (Thelma) of Flemingto n, FL. Mr. Evans had 23 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Visitation will be held at TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. at 10195 N. Hwy 27, Fellowship, FL. on Friday, November 16, 2007 from 10:00 am until 7:00 pm. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 am Saturday, November 17, 2007 at Unity Temple of Deliverance Outreach Center, 2351 NE 200th Avenue, Williston, FL, with Apostle Willie A. Battles, Eulogist and Elder Freddie P. Oats III, Officiating. The Interment will be held at Canaan Missionary Baptist Church, Inc. Cemetery, 10749 W. Hwy 318, Flemington, FL. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a highly favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1574. GAINES, EDNA LOUISE, (Obituary No. 1574.) 76 Summerfield - Edna Louise Gaines, 76, died November 12, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Polk County and moved to this area from Waverly, FL in 1975. She was of Baptist faith and a homemaker. Mrs. Gaines is survived by daughters, Linda Darlene Miller, Summerfield and JoyAn Bridge, Oregon; sons, David Crawford, Summerfield and Don Crawford, Alabama; sisters Marceline Henry, Waverly and Marybeth Bevins, Winter Haven, FL; brother, George Churchwell, Winter Haven; 16

1575. GIBSON, HAROLD GILBERT, (Obituary No. 1575.) 81 Tampa - Harold Gilbert Gibson, 81, died at his home November 11, 2007. Born in Lady Lake, FL, on February 6, 1926, he was raised in Weirsdale, FL. Upon high school graduation, he joined the Air Force during WWII. After the war, he graduated in accounting from the University of Florida and moved to Tampa in 1952, where he joined Rex Meighen Co as a CPA, ultimately becoming a senior partner of the firm. He joined the Merrymakers Club in 1952 and Ye Mystic Krewe of Gasparilla in 1960. He was voted Bachelor of the Year in 1963 by the Spinsters Club. A confirmed bachelor, he fell in love in 1971 and married at 45 years of age. Harold was a long-standing member of the University Club, Tampa Yacht & Country Club, Sertoma Club, Exchange Club, and was an emeritus member of Merrymakers, and senior emeritus member of Ye Mystic Krewe of Gasparilla. He served as president of the west coast chapter of the Florida Institute of CPAs, president of the University Club, treasurer of Merrymakers, board member of TYCC, treasurer of the Tampa Bay Arts Center. He was a founding member and officer of the Tampa Museum of Art, and was a long-time member of St. John's Episcopal Church. Upon leaving Rex Meighen Co., he joined Hendry Corp as comptroller, where he served more than ten years before retiring. The last few years of his life, he served as Papaw to his two adoring grandchildren. He was a passionate but superstitious Gator fan, who could be found during games listening to the radio in his car or workshop, as he feared the team would lose if he watched the plays on television. Harold is survived by his wife of thirty-six years, Mary Jean, and two daughters, April Gibson, and Dr. Marlet Bazemore and husband Dr. Andrew Bazemore; two grandchildren, Emma and Jacob Bazemore; Sister Hazel Feill; brother-in-law Fred Dobbins and wife Lesley. A visitation will take place 6-8 pm, Friday, November 16 at BLOUNT & CURRY FUNERAL HOME on MacDill Ave. Memorial service will be held at St. John's Episcopal Church on Orleans, Saturday at 10 am. He will be laid to rest in the Gibson family plot in Weirsdale. Please sign the online guestbook at www.blountcurry.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.  

1576. KOSKY, MARY(Obituary No. 1576.) , 78 Dunnellon - Mary Kosky, 78, passed away on November 7, 2007 at her home. She came here from her native Bethel Park, PA 22 years ago and was a lifelong homemaker. Mary was a parishioner of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon and was an avid golfer and member of Rainbow's End Golf Club, also in Dunnellon. Mrs. Kosky is survived by her daughter Diane Kosky of Finleyville, PA; son David Kosky of Valencia PA; grandson Brandon Ryan Kosby of Ft Benning GA; brothers John, Joe, and Ed Marnik, all of Bethel Park, PA; brother Frank Marnik of Castle Shannon, PA. Mary was preceded in death by her husband of nearly 50 years, Edward Kosky (Dec. 1999) and three brothers: Bob, Martin and Leo Marnik. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Sat., Nov. 17th at 10 a.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon with Fr. Joseph Pinchock, Celebrant. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Friends will be received on Fri., Nov. 16th from 2-4 and 6-8 P.M. at Fero Funeral Home, 5955 N. Lecanto Highway, Beverly Hills, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/16/2007.  

1577. O'CONNELL, MARILYN M., (Obituary No. 1577.) 63 Summerfield - Marilyn M. O'Connell, 63, died Monday, November 12, 2007. Mrs. O'Connell was born in Pottsville, PA and moved to Summerfield from Denny, N.H. In 2002. She was a homemaker who enjoyed dancing and listening to music. Survivors Include her husband, Robert, Summerfield, mother, Margaret Demers, Colebrook, N.H., step-daughter, Kelly Bouras, Foxboro, MA., sisters Patricia
Wenworth, Hampstead, N.H., Cheryl Demers, Tucson, AR. A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m., Saturday, November 17, at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd, The Villages. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1578. PELKOWSKI, CARL (Obituary No. 1578.), 89 Ocala - Mr. Carl Pelkowski, age 89, passed away on November 12, 2007. He moved to Ocala in 1987 and was originally from Syracuse, New York. He was a member of the Syracuse Fire Department for thirty (30) years. He was a Navy Veteran. He is survived by his wife, Anne, a son David and wife Grace from Dallas, Texas, a sister Sally Prusinowski and two grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a daughter Carol Pelkowski. Services will be private. Burial will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/15/2007.

1579. ROSE, URSULA M., (Obituary No. 1579.) 92 Belleview - Ursula M. Rose, 92, died November 12, 2007 at Tuscany Hospice House. She was born in Newark, NJ and moved to this area from Ft. Pierce, FL in 1998. She attended St. Theresa Catholic Church and was a purchasing agent for AT&T. Mrs. Rose is survived by daughters, Mary Rose, Ft. Pierce, Andrea Clifford, Summerfield, and Donna Rose, Chicago, IL; grandchildren, Mari Watson, Bellevue, John E. Clifford III, Belleview, Jim Hayward, West Palm Beach. Russell Nittel, Chicago, Brett Nittel, Oldwick, NJ, great-grandchildren JC Clifford, Kirstin Holly, Ryan Clifford, Andrea Wellen all of Belleview and a great great-granddaughter Alyssa Clifford of Belleview. Call Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services at 352-245-2424 for service times. Burial will be In Hillcrest Memorial Gardens, Ft. Pierce. Visitation will be Wednesday from 6 - 8 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/15/2007.

1580. ROTZ, WALTER (Obituary No. 1580.), 75 Ocala - Mr. Walter Rotz, passed away Monday, November 12, 2007. A native of Benton Harbor, MI, he retired to Dunedin, FL in 1980 from St Joseph, MI before moving to Ocala in 1995. Mr. Rotz was a Korean Veteran serving in the USAF from 1950-1954. A retired sales representative in the building industry, Walter enjoyed many sports including Tennis, Golf and his special joy was bowling. Walter is survived by his brother Richard Rotz and three nephews, Victor, Doug and Randy and their families.

Visitation will be 3:00 pm Saturday, November 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with visitation beginning at 1:00 pm till service time.


1581. URBAN, ANN MARIE, (Obituary No. 1581.) 91 Ocala - Anne M. Urban, age 91, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, November 12, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. Mrs. Urban was a native of Bedford, NY. She was the daughter of John Bodnar and Katy (Samilia) Bodnar of Bedford. Mrs. Urban was a retired Executive Secretary for an Advertising and Surgical Company in New York City. Mrs. Urban was very active in fund raising for her children's schools. She spent eleven years in Dayton, Ohio with her husband and later moved to Ocala in 1984. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church; the ladies Council of Catholic Women; past member of the Ocala Royal Dames for cancer research; O.T.O.W. Ladies Nine Hole League; the New York Club; the Great Lakers Club; and Monday Bridge Group. She is survived by her husband of 67 years Michael R. Urban of Ocala; sons Richard M. Urban of Londonderry, New Hampshire; and Kenneth J. Urban of Rochester Hills, Michigan; her Grand Daughters Nikki Urban Friedman and Paula Urban; two brothers John Bodnar of St. Louis, MO and Harry Bodnar of Shelter Island, NY; she is also survived by many nieces and nephews. Funeral Mass for Mrs. Urban will be Saturday, November 17, 2007 at 8:30
am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 with Father Patrick J. O'Dohtery officiating. Visitation will be Friday, November 16, 2007 from 2:00 - 4:00 & 6:00 - 8:00 pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge Chapel 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Memorials may be made to the St. Maria Goretti Home c/o Queen of Peace Catholic Church or Legacy House c/o Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1582. VAZQUEZ, JUANITA MARTINEZ, (Obituary No. 1582.) 78 Ocala - Juanita Martinez Vazquez, age 78, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Vazquez was a native of Puerto Rico and moved to Ocala from New Haven, Connecticut in 2003. She was a homemaker. Juanita loved Summer Picnics, Cooking, Fishing, and Traveling. Mrs. Vazquez was a member of the Ebenezer Church of God of Marion Oaks. She is survived by her sons Noel Vazquez of New Haven, CT; Miguel Vazquez of Bronx, N.Y.; Julio Vazquez of Tampa, FL.; Carlos Vazquez of Winter Haven, FL.; Cesar Vazquez of Ocala, FL.; Cruz Antonio Vazquez of New Haven, CT.; Isaias Vazquez of New Haven, CT.; Orlando Vazquez of New Haven, CT.; her daughters America Vidro of Ocala, FL.; Sandra Strother of New Haven, CT.; Mayra Gonzalez of Ocala, FL.; Martinia Vazquez of Puerto Rico; and a sister Leida Torres of Bronx, N.Y. many sons and daughters in law., 43 Grandchildren and 57 Great-Grandchildren 22 Great, Great Grandchildren. Funeral Service for Mrs. Vazquez will be Friday, November 16, 2007 at Ebenezer Church of God 119 Marion Oaks Blvd. at 10:00 AM. Visitation will be Thursday, November 15, 2007 at the church from 6:00 - 9:00 PM. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery in Ocala. Arrangements by HIERs-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1583. VISNESKI, THEODORE L., (Obituary No. 1583.) 52 Ocala - Mr. Theodore L. Visneski 52, passed away in Ocala, Fl. on November 11, 2007. He was a mechanic for Big D roofing in Ocala. He moved to this area in 1984 from Ft. Lauderdale, Fl. He is survived by his wife Maureen Visneski of Ocala. Four sons: Stephen Visneski of Ocala; Ryan Visneski of Williston; Jim Gary of Ocala; Evan Cornwell of Ocala. Three daughters: Karen Gary of Belleview; Nicole Visneski of Ocala and Ashley Moon of Ocala. A grandson Hunter Visneski. Two sisters Laverne Vincent of LaBelle and Sherry Zenovia of Coconut Creek. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl. is handling services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1584. YODER, GLADYS M., (Obituary No. 1584.) 93 Ocala - Mrs. Gladys Yoder, 93, padded away on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Hampton Manor - 24th Road in Ocala, FL. She was born in Elkhart, IN and moves to Ocala in 1968. She was preceded in death by a son, Cary and her Husband of 64 years, Walter J. Yoder. She is survived by two daughters, Gail Adams and Linda Bickel, 8 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. A graveside service and burial will take place in Elkhart, In at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/15/2007.

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1585. ALEKSIE, STANLEY(Obituary No. 1585.) , 85 Belleview - Stanley Aleksie, 85, died November 13, 2007 at Sylvia's House. He was born in Boston, MA and moved to this area from South Bend, IN in 1957. Mr. Aleksie was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. He was a veteran of WW II serving in the United States Navy. He was an air conditioning sales engineer and a fern farmer along with his wife, Margaret A. "Peg" Aleksie, Belleview, a loving brother to
Wanda Aleks, Benny Aleksiejewicz, and Tony Aleksiejewicz, all from Boston, Sophie Laine, South Yarmouth, MA, and Hedy Flamburis, Boston, and uncle to numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral Mass will be held at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview at 10 a.m., Thursday, November 15, 2007. Burial will be with honors at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Family request in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4680, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements under the direction of HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1586. BERNARD, JUANITA WILSON, (Obituary No. 1586.) 60 cala - Juanita Wilson Bernard, 60, Funeral services will be on Saturday, November 17, 2007 at 11 a.m., New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL., Evangelist Stephanie "Gail" Walker will conduct the words of comfort. Reverend T. L. Brooks, Pastor. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 to 7 pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Bernard's Residence (2109 S.W. 5th PL, Ocala, FL) on Sat. at 10:15 a.m. to form the Cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mrs. Bernard; who was preceded in death by parents Thomas & Elizabeth Wilson, two sisters: Nancy A. Martin and Florence Wilson. A devoted husband Rev. Johnnie C. Bernard, Jr., Ocala, FL; daughters: Cynthia Graham, Terri Walker, both of Ocala, FL; Gwendolyn Jones, Atlanta, GA., and Evangelist Stephanie "Gail" Walker, Columbia, SC; son Lemuel Walker, Jr., Charleston, SC; Grandmother Evelyn Valentine, Ocala, FL; Step-mother Venola Clark, Spartanburg, SC; sister Rosena Miller, Spartanburg, SC; brothers: Thomas Wilson, Jr., Spartanburg, SC and Douglas Copeland, Spartanburg, SC, 16 grandchildren, 3 great grandchildren. Information provided by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1587. BURRY, REBECCA ANN, (Obituary No. 1587.) 55 Denver, CO - Rebecca Ann Burry, 55, homemaker, passed away on Nov. 14, 2007. She was a graduate of the University of Florida and a volunteer of the Denver Botanical Gardens. She loved her dogs. She is survived by her three children, Chris Hardin, Andrew Hardin and Lauren Hardin, her father, Henry T. Burry, Sr., her sisters, Jennifer Winders and Marjorie M. Medina and her brother, Henry T. Burry, Jr. A graveside service will be held on Monday, Nov. 19, 2007 at 11:00 AM at the McIntosh Cemetery, McIntosh FL with Rev. Alan Bryan officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to McIntosh United Methodist Church or your favorite charity. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1588. CATTO, WILLIAM E. "BILL" (Obituary No. 1588.) 57 Ocala, Florida- Bill Catto, 57, passed away Monday, November 12, 2007. He had three great loves - family, friends, and fishing. He is survived by his wife of 33 years Lorena "Lori" Catto of Ocala; grandchildren Hunter Frisbie, Dalton Catto, and Cassidy Catto, all of Ocala; sister Lynnette Wassmann of Dyer, IN; mother Virginia Gyger of IL; mother-in-law Violet Dearth of Sidney, Ohio; brother-in-law Leslie Dearth of Flint, MI; brother-in-law Andy Dearth (and wife Andrea) of Tecumseh, 0K; daughter-in-law Prisila Catto of Ocala; and many nieces and nephews who he loved dearly. He is preceded in death by his son Will Catto, daughter Cassie Catto, father William G. Catto, and father-in-law Robert Dearth. Services will be held Saturday, November 17, 2007, 10am, New Testament Baptist Church, with pastor Duane Hoffman officiating., Visitation will be held Friday, 6pm-8pm, HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/17/2007.
1589. CROSS, ALENE E., (Obituary No. 1589.) 85, Ocala - Mrs. Alene E. Cross, 85, of Ocala, Fl. passed away on November 13, 2007. She was born in Fordyce, Pa. on January 31, 1922. She moved to the area in 1980 from Barrington, Ill. She graduated from Warwood High School in Wheeling, W.Va. and worked as a telephone operator during WWII. She was a member of the Aliquippa, Pa. Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star and a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She was a member of the Golden Hills Country Club for over 25 years. She was a Methodist. She was the daughter of Elizabeth Haines Husk and Furman Husk. She is survived by her loving husband of 62 years, Clarence Cross, a son Charles Cross of Winnetka, Ill., a daughter Lucinda Cross of Halkis, Greece, three grandchildren and a sister, Wretha Linn of San Antonio, TX. She was predeceased by her brother Herschel Husk. In lieu of flowers send donations to Hospice of Marion County or the Centers of Marion County. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, Fl. made the arrangement. A memorial service will be at the Legacy House 9505 SW 110th St. Ocala. at 11am Saturday November 17, 2007. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1590. EVANS, SR., GEORGE ‘BUCK’, (Obituary No. 1590.) 78, Flemington - Mr. George 'Buck' Evans, Sr., 78, transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest at 8:10 pm on Tuesday, November 6, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born and raised in Flemington, FL and was a member of Canaan Missionary Baptist Church, Inc. Mr. Evans survived by his five sons: Larry Evans (Gladys) of Flemington, FL, George Evans, Jr. (Ann) of Fairfield, FL, Gerald Evans (Altheria) and Samuel Evans (Barbara) both of Flemington, FL, Marion Evans (Aarie) of Wildwood, FL. Two daughters: Donnella Bullard (Obie) and Marion Evans both of Flemington, FL. One brother: Lindburgh Evans (Thelma) of Flemington, FL. Mr. Evans had 23 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Visitation will be held at TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. at 10195 N. Hwy 27, Fellowship, FL. on Friday, November 16, 2007 from 10:00 am until 7:00 pm. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 am Saturday, November 17, 2007 at Unity Temple of Deliverance Outreach Center, 2351 NE 200th Avenue, Williston, FL, with Apostle Willie A. Battles, Eulogist and Elder Freddie P. Oats III, Officiating. The Interment will be held at Canaan Missionary Baptist Church, Inc. Cemetery, 10749 W. Hwy 318, Flemington, FL. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a highly favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1591. GAINES, EDNA LOUISE, (Obituary No. 1591.) 76, Summerfield - Edna Louise Gaines, 76, died November 12, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Polk County and moved to this area from Waverly, FL in 1975. She was of Baptist faith and a homemaker. Mrs. Gaines is survived by daughters, Linda Darlene Miller, Summerfield and JoyAn Bridge, Oregon; sons, David Crawford, Summerfield and Don Crawford, Alabama; sisters Marceline Henry, Waverly and Marybeth Bevins, Winter Haven, FL; brother, George Churchwell, Winter Haven; 16 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Bellevue. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1592. GIBSON, HAROLD GILBERT, (Obituary No. 1592.) 81, Tampa - Harold Gilbert Gibson, 81, died at his home November 11, 2007. Born in Lady Lake, FL, on February 6, 1926, he was raised in Weirsdale, FL. Upon high school graduation, he joined the Air Force during WWII. After the war, he graduated in accounting from the University of Florida and moved to Tampa in 1952, where he joined Rex Meighen Co as a CPA, ultimately becoming a senior partner of the firm. He joined the Merrymakers Club in 1952 and Ye Mystic Krewe of Gasparilla in 1960. He was voted Bachelor of the Year in 1963 by the Spinsters Club. A confirmed
bachelor, he fell in love in 1971 and married at 45 years of age. Harold was a long-standing member of the University Club, Tampa Yacht & Country Club, Sertoma Club, Exchange Club, and was an emeritus member of Merrymakers, and senior emeritus member of Ye Mystic Krewe of Gasparilla. He served as president of the west coast chapter of the Florida Institute of CPAs, president of the University Club, treasurer of Merrymakers, board member of TYCC, treasurer of the Tampa Bay Arts Center. He was a founding member and officer of the Tampa Museum of Art, and was a long-time member of St. John's Episcopal Church. Upon leaving Rex Meighen Co., he joined Hendry Corp as comptroller, where he served more than ten years before retiring. The last few years of his life, he served as Papaw to his two adoring grandchildren. He was a passionate but superstitious Gator fan, who could be found during games listening to the radio in his car or workshop, as he feared the team would lose if he watched the plays on television.

Harold is survived by his wife of thirty-six years, Mary Jean, and two daughters, April Gibson, and Dr. Marlet Bazemore and husband Dr. Andrew Bazemore; two grandchildren, Emma and Jacob Bazemore; Sister Hazel Feill; brother-in-law Fred Dobbins and wife Lesley. A visitation will take place 6-8 pm, Friday, November 16 at BLOUNT & CURRY FUNERAL HOME on MacDill Ave. Memorial service will be held at St. John's Episcopal Church on Orleans, Saturday at 10 am. He will be laid to rest in the Gibson family plot in Weirsdale. Please sign the online guestbook at www.blountcurry.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1593. JOHNS, DORIS R., (Obituary No. 1593.) 83 Ocala -- Doris R. Johns, 83, passed away on Thursday, November 15, 2007 at Estelle's House in Ocala. She was a lifetime resident of Ocala. She was an active member of First Baptist Church in Ocala. Before retiring, she worked as a banker with Commercial Bank and Trust Company, which later became SunTrust. She is survived by her husband of 43 years, George Johns of Ocklawaha; brother-in-law Darrell Johns (wife Audrey) of Ocala, 2 sisters Joyce Riesdorph of Ocala and Margaret White of Brooksville; and numerous nieces and nephews. A funeral service will be held at 1 pm on Saturday, November 17, 2007 at the First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Road., with Dr. Edward Johnson officiating. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. A visitation will be held from 10-11:30 am on Saturday, November 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1594. KOSKY, MARY(Obituary No. 1594.) , 78 Dunnellon - Mary Kosky, 78, passed away on November 7, 2007 at her home. She came here from her native Bethel Park, PA 22 years ago and was a lifelong homemaker. Mary was a parishioner of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon and was an avid golfer and member of Rainbow's End Golf Club, also in Dunnellon. Mrs. Kosky is survived by her daughter Diane Kosky of Finleyville. PA; son David Kosky of Valencia PA; grandson Brandon Ryan Kosby of Ft Benning GA; brothers John, Joe, and Ed Marnik, all of Bethel Park, PA; brother Frank Marnik of Castle Shannon, PA. Mary was preceded in death by her husband of nearly 50 years, Edward Kosky (Dec. 1999) and three brothers: Bob, Martin and Leo Marnik. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Sat., Nov. 17th at 10 a.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon with Fr. Joseph Pinchock, Celebrant. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Friends will be received on Fri., Nov. 16th from 2-4 and 6-8 P.M. at Fero Funeral Home, 5955 N. Lecanto Highway, Beverly Hills, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/16/2007.
1595. LATONA, ANNETTE S., (Obituary No. 1595.) 80 Dunkirk, NY - Annette S. Latona, 80, died Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Brooks Memorial Hospital, Dunkirk, NY. Born October 29, 1927 in West Seneca, NY, the daughter of the late Harry and Lovisa Shearer. Wife of Joseph whom she married in Buffalo, NY, July 5, 1947. Mrs. Latona was a tax consultant and sales rep for various companies. She was a member of the Holy Trinity Church of Dunkirk, NY, the St. Theresa Church of Belleview, FL, the St. Theresa Rosary Society, the St. Theresa Lady Guild, the Ladies Auxiliary of Knights of Columbus in Belleview, FL, and a life member of the Frank Ac-quavia Post 1344, Dunkirk, NY. In addition to her husband, Joseph Latona, she is survived by two sons, Vincent Latona of East Bethany, NY, Charles (Kathy) Latona of Pasadena, Maryland, 6 daughters, JoAnne (James) Gettings and Mary Lou (Bernard) Bille both of Fredonia, Annette (Waymond) Gibson of Moultrie, GA, Jodi (William) Czarnecki of Dunkirk, Tricia (Michael) Flippello of Canadaguia, NY, and Lisa (Robert) Schrader of Kissimmee, FL. Also survived by 10 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held Wednesday, November 14, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. at Holy Trinity Church where a Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated by the Rev. David Bellittiere, pastor. Arrangements by FANTAUZZI FUNERAL HOME, 82 E. Main St., Fredonia, NY. Donations to the Lou Gehrig's Foundation may be made in her memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1596. LEWIS, KEITH G., (Obituary No. 1596.) 64 Ocala - Keith G. Lewis, 64, passed away on Thursday, November 15, 2007 at Hospice Legacy House in Ocala. Mr. Lewis was born in Martins Ferry, OH on August 22, 1943. He served in the US Marines during the Cuban Missile Crisis. He was a Catholic and member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He was employed as a Counselor and Consultant in the field of Alcoholism and Drug Treatment. His hobbies included making rosaries and golfing. He is survived by his wife Julia Wallace Lewis; daughters Kellie Hutchinson and Kimberley Melton; 4 grandchildren; 6 brothers; 3 sisters; and several nieces and nephews. A visitation will be held on Sunday from 3 to 5 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE, Ocala, FL. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated Monday, 8:30 am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Cremation will follow. Memorial contributions may be made to Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1597. O'CONNELL, MARILYN M., (Obituary No. 1597.) 63 Summerfield - Marilyn M. O'Connell, 63, died Monday, November 12, 2007. Mrs. O'Connell was born in Pottsville, PA and moved to Summerfield from Denny, N.H. In 2002. She was a homemaker who enjoyed dancing and listening to music. Survivors Include her husband, Robert, Summerfield, mother, Margaret Demers, Colebrook, N.H., step-daughter, Kelly Bouras, Foxboro, MA., sisters Patricia Wenworth, Hampstead, N.H., Cheryl Demers, Tucson, AR. A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m., Saturday, November 17, at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd, The Villages. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1598. PRANCZKE, EDWARD G. "ED", (Obituary No. 1598.) 90 Ocala - Edward G. "Ed" Pranczke, 90, (OTOW) passed away on Tuesday, November 14, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Pranczke was born in Chicago, IL on August 12, 1917. He was employed as an Assistant Regional Commissioner with the Internal Revenue Service. He was a Catholic. Mr. Pranczke was a Captain in the US Army during WWII and served in Okinawa. He came to the Ocala area from Atlanta, GA in 1976. While in Atlanta he was employed as the Second Commissioner for the City of Atlanta. He is survived by a niece Donna Kraus of Orlando Park, IL; nephews Dennis and Mark Pranczke both of Illinois; niece Naureen Swasman of Illinois and several friends at On
1599. REDD, SR., KING CURTIS (Obituary No. 1599.) "K.C.", 77 Ocala - Deacon King Curtis "K.C.", 77, passed away November 9, 2007. Native of Motrose, Georgia. Moved to Marion County at an early age. Joined Mt. Canaan Missionary Baptist Church. He was converted and baptized at Milville Baptist Church, Motrose, GA. He was employed by Pioneer as an Industrial worker. He leaves to cherish his memories a devoted wife, Lillian Redd, three sons, King Curtis Redd, Jr., Henry Hamilton, Jr., Ronald Hamilton, Sr., all of Ocala, FL; two daughters, Patricia Robinson, Atlanta, GA. and Pamela Butler, Ocala, FL; 2 sisters, grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, very devoted friends Mary Jones and Mr. & Mrs. Brown and many loving relatives and friends. Arrangements by BROWN'S MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATION SERVICE, 706 SW martin Luther King Ave., Ocala, 352-840-0820. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1600. ROTZ, WALTER (Obituary No. 1600.) , 75 Ocala - Mr. Walter Rotz, passed away Monday, November 12, 2007. A native of Benton Harbor, MI , he retired to Dunedin, FL in 1980 from St Joseph, MI before moving to Ocala in 1995. Mr. Rotz was a Korean Veteran serving in the USAF from 1950-1954. A retired sales representative in the building industry, Walter enjoyed many sports including Tennis, Golf and his special joy was bowling. Walter is survived by his brother Richard Rotz and three nephews, Victor, Doug and Randy and their families. Funeral services will be 3:00 pm Saturday, November 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with visitation beginning at 1:00 pm till service time. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1601. URBAN, ANN MARIE, (Obituary No. 1601.) 91 Ocala - Anne M. Urban, age 91, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, November 12, 2007 at Legacy Hospice House. Mrs. Urban was a native of Bedford, NY. She was the daughter of John Bodnar and Katy (Samilia) Bodnar of Bedford. Mrs. Urban was a retired Executive Secretary for an Advertising and Surgical Company in New York City. Anne grew up in Yonkers, NY where she attended schools. In her early years she was employed in the publishing and fashion industry. Anne was very active in fund raising for her children's schools. She spent eleven years in Dayton, Ohio with her husband and later moved to Ocala in 1984. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church; the ladies Council of Catholic Women; past member of the Ocala Royal Dames for cancer research; O.T.O.W. Ladies Nine Hole League; the New York Club; the Great Lakers Club; and Monday Bridge Group. She is survived by her husband of 67 years Michael R. Urban of Ocala; sons Richard M. Urban of Londonderry, New Hampshire; and Kenneth J. Urban of Rochester Hills, Michigan; her Grand Daughters Nikki Urban Friedman and Paula Urban; two brothers John Bodnar of St. Louis, MO and Harry Bodnar of Shelter Island, NY; she is also survived by many nieces and nephews. Funeral Mass for Mrs. Urban will be Saturday, November 17, 2007 at 8:30 am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church SR 200 with Father Patrick J. O'Dohtery officiating. Visitation will be Friday, November 16, 2007 from 2:00 - 4:00 & 6:00 - 8:00 pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services TimberRidge Chapel 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL. Memorials may be made to the St. Maria Goretti Home c/o Queen of Peace Catholic Church or Legacy House c/o Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1602. VAZQUEZ, JUANITA MARTINEZ, (Obituary No. 1602.) 78 Ocala - Juanita Martinez Vazquez, age 78, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Vazquez was a native of Puerto Rico and moved to Ocala from New Haven, Connecticut in
2003. She was a homemaker. Juanita loved Summer Picnics, Cooking, Fishing, and Traveling. Mrs. Vazquez was a member of the Ebenezer Church of God of Marion Oaks. She is survived by her sons Noel Vazquez of New Haven, CT; Miguel Vazquez of Bronx, N.Y.; Julio Vazquez of Tampa, FL.; Carlos Vazquez of Winter Haven, FL.; Cesar Vazquez of Ocala, FL.; Cruz Antonio Vazquez of New Haven, CT.; Isaia Vazquez of New Haven, CT.; Orlando Vazquez of New Haven, CT.; her daughters America Vidro of Ocala, FL.; Sandra Strother of New Haven, CT.; Mayra Gonzalez of Ocala, FL.; Martinia Vazquez of Puerto Rico; and a sister Leida Torres of Bronx, N.Y. many sons and daughters in law. 43 Grandchildren and 57 Great-Grandchildren. Funeral Service for Mrs. Vazquez will be Friday, November 16, 2007 at Ebenezer Church of God 119 Marion Oaks Blvd. at 10:00 AM. Visitation will be Thursday, November 15, 2007 at the church from 6:00 - 9:00 PM. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery in Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/16/2007.

1604. VIGNERI, ANN MUNGER, (Obituary No. 1604.) 60 Ocala _ Ann M. Vigneri, 60, passed away on Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Vigneri was a native of Warsaw, N.Y. and moved from Hollywood, Fl. to Ocala. Mrs. Vigneri was a retired School Teacher for Broward County School System for 32 years. She is survived by her husband of 38 years Phillip Vigneri of Ocala, Fl.; her son Shawn Vigneri and wife Angie of Richmond, Va.; three grandchildren Nathan, Carter, and Lindsey; her mother Avis Munger of Warsaw, New York; and a brother James B. Munger and wife Debbie of Warsaw, N.Y.; Predeceased by her father Alton D. Munger. Visitation will be Saturday, November 17, 2007 from 2 - 3 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society Florida Division Inc. P.O. Box 13600 Tampa, Fl. 33681-3600 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1605. VISNESKI, THEODORE L., (Obituary No. 1605.) 52 Ocala - Mr. Theodore L. Visneski 52, passed away in Ocala, Fl. on November 11, 2007. He was a mechanic for Big D roofing in Ocala. He moved to this area in 1984 from Ft. Lauderdale, Fl. He is survived by his

1606. YODER, GLADYS M., (Obituary No. 1606.) 93 Ocala - Mrs. Gladys Yoder, 93, passed away on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Hampton Manor - 24th Road in Ocala, FL. She was born in Elkhart, IN and moved to Ocala in 1968. She was preceded in death by a son, Gary and her Husband of 64 years, Walter J. Yoder. She is survived by two daughters, Gail Adams and Linda Bickel, 8 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. A graveside service and burial will take place in Elkhart, IN at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/19/2007.

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BAILEY, CLAIRE LEO "RED", (Obituary No. 1607.) 77 Ocala - Claire Le o "Red" Bailey, age 77, died on Thursday, November 15, 2007 following a courageous battle with cancer. He was born Nov. 19, 1929 in Toledo. OH to the late Anna Mac Hecht Bailey and Claire Leo Bailey. Sr. He attended St. Agnes Grade School and Central Catholic High School in Toledo. He graduated from Southern Illinois University in Carbondale, IL. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He was extremely proud of his Irish heritage and enjoyed a trip to Ireland with his two sons Patrick and Michael in 1998. Red has been a resident of Ocala since 1978. He retired from Munroe Regional Medical Center in Jan. 1998 as Director of Patient Accounting. He has served many years on the Board of Directors for ARC Marion County. Red swam competitively in the YMCA Masters Games and the Big Sun Senior Games, winning medals in several events. He also enjoyed Many years of membership of Lifetime Fitness. Red has been a loving husband, terrific father and loyal friend. He will be greatly missed. Surviving him are his wife and best friend of 38 years, Carol (Cherchio) and his children, Kathleen LeBeouf, Michael (Michele) Bailey. Patrick (Stacy) Bailey all Of St Louis. MO, Robin (Butch) Bailey of Raleigh, NC. Dana Meyer of Idaho Falls, ID and Lou-Ann Fox of Ocala. Also surviving are his sister, Jo-Ann (Jim) Stelzer and brother. Merl (Peggy) Bailey both of Toledo. Grandchildren, Jessica and Jacob LeBeouf, Brooke and Sean Bailey, Scamus and Shanna Claire Bailey, Jessica and Brent Bailey, Michael Meyer, two grandchildren and also nieces and nephews and extended family. A funeral mass will be held Monday, Nov. 19, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church with Father Michael O'Keeffe officiating. Visitation will be on Sunday from 5-7P.M. with a rosary at 7P.M. at HIER FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In Lieu of flowers, please make donations to ARC Marion County or Hospice of Marion County. The family would like to thank all of the staff at Hospice of Marion County for their help and support during the last months. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007.

1608. BERNARD, JUANITA WILSON, (Obituary No. 1608.) 60 Ocala - Juanita Wilson Bernard, 60, Funeral services will be on Saturday, November 17, 2007 at 11 a.m., New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL., Evangelist Stephanie "Gail" Walker will conduct the words of comfort. Reverend T. L. Brooks, Pastor. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 to 7 pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Bernard's Residence (2109 S.W. 5th PL, Ocala, FL) on Sat. at 10:15 a.m. to form the Cortege. No viewing
following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mrs. Bernard; who was preceded in death by parents Thomas & Elizabeth Wilson, two sisters: Nancy A. Martin and Florence Wilson. A devoted husband Rev. Johnnie C. Bernard, Jr., Ocala, FL; daughters: Cynthia Graham, Terri Walker, both of Ocala, FL; Gwendolyn Jones, Atlanta, GA., and Evangelist Stephanie "Gail" Walker, Columbia, SC; son Lemuel Walker, Jr., Charleston, SC; Grandmother Evelyn Valentine, Ocala, FL; Step-mother Venola Clark, Spartanburg, SC; sister Rosena Miller, Spartanburg, SC; brothers: Thomas Wilson, Jr., Spartanburg, SC and Douglas Copeland, Spartanburg, SC; 16 grandchildren, 3 great grandchildren. Information provided by SELLERS FUNERAL HOME "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1609. BORRE, EDWARD JOSEPH "ED", (Obituary No. 1609.) 83 Ocala - Edward Joseph "Ed" Borre, 83, died on Tuesday, November 14, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in St. Paul, Minnesota and moved to Ocala in 1989 from the Villages. He retired as a Supervisor with 14 years service with Square D. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during W.W. II. He is Catholic by faith and loved fishing and playing golf. He is survived by his wife of (24) years, Sarah L. Borre of Ocala, FL., his (3) sons, Dante M. Borre of Roanoke Rapids, N.C.; Barry L. Borre of Middlesex, N.C. and Dean Borre of Seattle, Washington; his brother, Richard Borre of St. Paul, Minnesota, his (2) sisters, Sally Sarracco of St. Paul, Minnesota and Dana Steele of California. Private services and burial will be in Zubulon, N.C. at a late date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007.

1610. CATTO, WILLIAM E. "BILL" (Obituary No. 1610.) 57 Ocala, Florida- Bill Catto, 57, passed away Monday, November 12, 2007. He had three great loves - family, friends, and fishing. He is survived by his wife of 33 years Lorena "Lori" Catto of Ocala; grandchildren Hunter Frisbie, Dalton Catto, and Cassidy Catto, all of Ocala; sister Lynnette Wassmann of Dyer, IN; mother Virginia Gyger of IL: mother-in-law Violet Dearth of Sidney, Ohio; brother-in-law Leslie Dearth of Flint, MI; brother-in-law Andy Dearth (and wife Andrea) of Tecumseh, OK; daughter-in-law Prisila Catto of Ocala; and many nieces and nephews who he loved dearly. He is preceded in death by his son Will Catto, daughter Cassie Catto, father William G. Catto, and father-in-law Robert Dearth. Services will be held Saturday, November 17, 2007, 10am, New Testament Baptist Church, with pastor Duane Hoffman officiating., Visitation will be held Friday, 6pm-8pm, HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1611. CRENSHAW, FREIDA DAVIS, (Obituary No. 1611.) 96 Ocala - Mrs. Freida Davis Crenshaw, 96. passed away on Nov. 15, 2007- A native of Fitzgerald, GA, she and her husband, Edward Crenshaw, moved to North Miami in the 1940's where they raised their two sons, Bobby and Teddo. Upon retirement in 1966, she and her husband moved to Inverness where she lived until 2004 when she moved to Ocala and lived at Camelot Chateau. Mrs. Crenshaw was a homemaker, a librarian, very active in the Fulford Memorial Methodist Church in North Miami, where she served on many committees and was the parliamentarian for all business meetings. She was a member of First Baptist Church while she resided in Inverness. She was preceded in death by her son Robert Edward (Bob) Crenshaw in 1957, her husband Edward Crenshaw in 1999 and her other son, Ted O'Neal Crenshaw in 1996. She is survived by her brother, Arthur W. Davis of Seattle, WA, his son and daughter, Alan and Suzi Davis of Seattle and by her niece, Anna Davis Moody of Ocala. Graveside services will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 20, 2007 at 11:00 A.M. at the Oak Ridge Cemetery in Inverness with Rev. Ross Lehman officiating.
1612. DUSH, MICHAEL ALAN, (Obituary No. 1612.) 5 Months Silver Spring - Michael Alan Dush of Silver Springs went to Heaven on November 13, 2007, he was 5 months old. He is survived by his parents Richard and Gail Dush, a brother Andrew Dush and a sister Ashley Dush all of Silver Springs, FL. Also his grandparents: Lisa Hardeman, Lynda Eicher, Fred and Tracy Dush. A gathering of friends will take place on Sunday November 18th from 4p.m. - 7 p.m. and services November 19th at 1:00 p.m. at the River of Life Church 3201 NE 25th Ave, Ocala, FL. Roberts Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. will conduct the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007.

1613. JOHNS, DORIS R., (Obituary No. 1613.) 83 Ocala -- Doris R. Johns, 83, passed away on Thursday, November 15, 2007 at Estelle's House in Ocala. She was a lifetime resident of Ocala. She was an active member of First Baptist Church in Ocala. Before retiring, she worked as a banker with Commercial Bank and Trust Company, which later became SunTrust. She is survived by her husband of 43 years, George Johns of Ocklawaha; brother-in-law Darrell Johns (wife Audrey) of Ocala, 2 sisters Joyce Riesdorph of Ocala and Margaret White of Brooksville; and numerous nieces and nephews. A funeral service will be held at 1 pm on Saturday, November 17, 2007 at the First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Road., with Dr. Edward Johnson officiating. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. A visitation will be held from 10-11:30 am on Saturday, November 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1614. LATONA, ANNETTE S., (Obituary No. 1614.) 80 Dunkirk, NY - Annette S. Latona, 80, died Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Brooks Memorial Hospital, Dunkirk, NY. Born October 29, 1927 in West Seneca, NY, the daughter of the late Harry and Lovisa Shearer. Wife of Joseph whom she married in Buffalo, NY, July 5, 1947. Mrs. Latona was a tax consultant and sales rep for various companies. She was a member of the Holy Trinity Church of Dunkirk, NY, the St. Theresa Church of Belleview, FL, the St. Theresa Rosary Society, the St. Theresa Lady Guild, the Ladies Auxiliary of Knights of Columbus in Belleview, FL., and a life member of the Frank Ac-quavia Post 1344, Dunkirk, NY. In addition to her husband, Joseph Latona, she is survived by two sons, Vincent Latona of East Bethany, NY, Charles (Kathy) Latona of Pasadena, Maryland, 6 daughters, JoAnne (James) Gettings and Mary Lou (Bernard) Bille both of Fredonia, Annette (Waymond) Gibson of Moultrie, GA, Jodi (William) Czarnecki of Dunkirk, Tricia (Michael) Flippello of Canadigua, NY, and Lisa (Robert) Schrader of Kissimmee, FL. Also survived by 10 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren and several nieces ad nephews. Funeral services were held Wednesday, November 14, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. at Holy Trinity Church where a Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated by the Rev. David Bellittiere, pastor. Arrangements by FANTAUZZI FUNERAL HOME, 82 E. Main St., Fredonia, NY. Donations to the Lou Gehrig's Foundation may be made in her memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1615. LEWIS, KEITH G., (Obituary No. 1615.) 64 Ocala - Keith G. Lewis, 64, passed away on Thursday, November 15, 2007 at Hospice Legacy House in Ocala. Mr. Lewis was born in Martins Ferry, OH on August 22, 1943. He served in the US Marines during the Cuban Missile Crisis. He was a Catholic and member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He was employed as a Counselor and Consultant in the field of Alcoholism and Drug Treatment. His hobbies included
making rosaries and golfing. He is survived by his wife Julia Wallace Lewis; daughters Kellie Hutchinson and Kimberley Melton; 4 grandchildren; 6 brothers; 3 sisters; and several nieces and nephews. A visitation will be held on Sunday from 3 to 5 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timberridge, Ocala, FL. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated Monday, 8:30am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Cremation will follow. Memorial contributions may be made to Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007. 

1616. MOSTELLO, SR., LEONARD, (Obituary No. 1616.) 94 Ocala - Leonard Mostello, Sr., 94, passed away Saturday November 10, 2007. Mr. Mostello was born in Conneaut, Ohio. He lived and worked in Ashtabula, Ohio. He retired from Union Carbide as a crane operator. Upon retirement, he moved to Englewood, Florida, residing there until moving to Ocala, Florida in 2006. Preceded in death by his wife, Ona; parents Daniel and Theresa Mostello; brothers Mike, Joe and Tony; sister Carmel. Survivors include his son Leonard (Lenny) Mostello, Jr. of The Villages, Florida; brother Ned of Englewood, Florida; John of Orlando, FL; several nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to The Bridge of Ocala, Assisted Living, 2800 SW 41st St., Building 200, Ocala, Florida 34474. He resided there the last 18 months of his life. FOREST LAWN FUnERAL HOME AND CEMETERY is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007. 

1617. PRANCZKE, EDWARD G. "ED", (Obituary No. 1617.) 90 Ocala - Edward G. "Ed" Pranczke, 90, (OTOW) passed away on Tuesday, November 14, 2007 at his residence. Mr. Pranczke was born in Chicago, IL on August 12, 1917. He was employed as an Assistant Regional Commissioner with the Internal Revenue Service. He was a Catholic. Mr. Pranczke was a Captain in the US Army during WWII and served in Okinawa. He came to the Ocala area from Atlanta, GA in 1976. While in Atlanta he was employed as the Second Commissioner for the City of Atlanta. He is survived by a niece Donna Kraus of Orlando Park, IL; nephews Dennis and Mark Pranczke both of Illinois; niece Naureen Swasman of Illinois and several friends at On Top Of The World. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timberridge, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007. 

1618. REDD, SR., KING CURTIS "K.C.", (Obituary No. 1618.) 77 Ocala - Deacon King Curtis "K.C.", 77, passed away November 9, 2007. Native of Motrose, Georgia. Moved to Marion County at an early age. Joined Mt. Canaan Missionary Baptist Church. He was converted and baptized at Milville Baptist Church, Motrose, GA. He was employed by Pioneer as an Industrial worker. He leaves to cherish his memories a devoted wife, Lillian Redd, three sons, King Curtis Redd, Jr., Henry Hamilton, Jr., Donald Hamilton, Sr., all of Ocala, FL; two daughters, Patricia Robinson, Atlanta, GA. and Pamela Butler, Ocala, FL; 2 sisters, grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, very devoted friends Mary Jones and Mr. & Mrs. Brown and many loving relatives and friends. Arrangements by Brown's Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Service, 706 SW Martin Luther King Ave., Ocala, 352-840-0820. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007. 

1619. ROTZ, WALTER(Obituary No. 1619.) 75 Ocala - Mr. Walter Rotz, passed away Monday, November 12, 2007. A native of Benton Harbor, MI, he retired to Dunedin, FL in 1980 from St Joseph, MI before moving to Ocala in 1995. Mr. Rotz was a Korean Veteran serving in the USAF from 1950-1954. A retired sales representative in the building industry, Walter enjoyed many sports including Tennis, Golf and his special joy was bowling. Walter is survived by his brother Richard Rotz and three nephews, Victor, Doug and Randy and their families.
Funeral services will be 3:00 pm Saturday, November 17, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with visitation beginning at 1:00 pm till service time. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/15/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1620. VAZQUEZ, JUANITA MARTINEZ, (Obituary No. 1620.) 78 Ocala - Juanita Martinez Vazquez, age 78, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Vazquez was a native of Puerto Rico and moved to Ocala from New Haven, Connecticut in 2003. She was a homemaker. Juanita loved Summer Picnics, Cooking, Fishing, and Traveling. Mrs. Vazquez was a member of the Ebenezer Church of God of Marion Oaks. She is survived by her sons Noel Vazquez of New Haven, CT; Miguel Vazquez of Bronx, N.Y.; Julio Vazquez of Tampa, FL.; Carlos Vazquez of Winter Haven, FL.; Cesar Vazquez of Ocala, FL.; Cruz Antonio Vazquez of New Haven, CT.; Isaias Vazquez of New Haven, CT.; Orlando Vazquez of New Haven, CT.; her daughters America Vidro of Ocala, FL.; Sandra Strother of New Haven, CT.; Mayra Gonzalez of Ocala, FL.; Martinia Vazquez of Puerto Rico; and a sister Leida Torres of Bronx, N.Y. many sons and daughters in law., 43 Grandchildren and 57 Great-Grandchildren 22 Great, Great Grandchildren. Funeral Service for Mrs. Vazquez will be Friday, November 16, 2007 at Ebenezer Church of God of Marion Oaks Blvd. at 10:00 AM. Visitation will be Thursday, November 15, 2007 at the church from 6:00 - 9:00 PM. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery in Ocala. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1621. VIGNERI, ANN MUNGER, (Obituary No. 1621.) 60 Ocala - Ann M. Vigneri, 60, passed away on Tuesday, November 13, 2007 at her residence. Mrs. Vigneri was a native of Warsaw, N.Y. and moved from Hollywood, Fl. to Ocala. Mrs. Vigneri was a retired School Teacher for Broward County School System for 32 years. She is survived by her husband of 38 years Phillip Vigneri of Ocala, Fl.; her son Shawn Vigneri and wife Angie of Richmond, Va.; three grandchildren Nathan, Carter, and Lindsey; her mother Avis Munger of Warsaw, New York; and a brother James B. Munger and wife Debbie of Warsaw, N.Y.; Predeceased by her father Alton D. Munger. Visitation will be Saturday, November 17, 2007 from 2 - 3 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society Florida Division Inc. P.O. Box 13600 Tampa, Fl. 33681-3600 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/16/2007 - 11/17/2007.

1622. WALDRUP, JULIE ANN, (Obituary No. 1622.) 37 Gadsden - Julie Ann Waldrup, 37, graveside services was held at 11 a.m. Monday at Forrest Cemetery, Gadsden, AL., who died Friday, November 9, 2007. The Rev. Ken Casey OFFICIATED. COLLIER-BUTLER FUNERAL HOME directed. Mrs. Waldrup was raised in Ocala, FL, and was resident of Gadsden, AL for 15 years. She was a graduate of Auburn University with a B.S. degree in economics. Julie was active in many charities. She was the founder and co-partner of Venture Marketing Group, LLC. Julie was a loving and dedicated mother. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Gadsden and was preceded in death by her mother, Pat Rogers. Survivors include her husband, Scott D. Waldrup; daughter, Rachel Elizabeth Waldrup; father, John Rogers, Ocala, FL; sisters, Laurie Czechowski, Jacksonville, FL, Tricia (David) Steffey, Ocala, FL. The family would like to express their thanks and gratitude to the staff of the 6th floor MICU at UAB Hospital. Special thanks to Linda Waldrup and Liz Rutherford for their love and support during Julie’s illness. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the American Lung Association of "The Rachel Beth Fund" at Compass Bank, Gadsden, AL. The family did receive
friends at the funeral home on Sunday, November 11 from 4 until 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007.

1623. YODER, GLADYS M., (Obituary No. 1623.) 93 Ocala - Mrs. Gladys Yoder, 93, passed away on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Hampton Manor - 24th Road in Ocala, FL. She was born in Elkhart, IN and moved to Ocala in 1968. She was preceded in death by a son, Gary and her Husband of 64 years, Walter J. Yoder. She is survived by two daughters, Gail Adams and Linda Bickel, 8 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. A graveside service and burial will take place in Elkhart, IN at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/19/2007.

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1624. BAILEY, CLAIRE LEO "RED", (Obituary No. 1624.) 77 Ocala - Claire Leo "Red" Bailey, age 77, died on Thursday, November 15, 2007 following a courageous battle with cancer. He was born Nov. 19, 1929 in Toledo, OH to the late Anna Mac Hecht Bailey and Claire Leo Bailey, Sr. He attended St. Agnes Grade School and Central Catholic High School in Toledo. He graduated from Southern Illinois University in Carbondale, IL. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He was extremely proud of his Irish heritage and enjoyed a trip to Ireland with his two sons Patrick and Michael in 1998. Red has been a resident of Ocala since 1978. He retired from Munroe Regional Medical Center in Jan. 1998 as Director of Patient Accounting. He has served many years on the Board of Directors for ARC Marion County. Red swam competitively in the YMCA Masters Games and the Big Sun Senior Games, winning medals in several events. He also enjoyed Many years of membership of Lifetime Fitness. Red has been a loving husband, terrific father and loyal friend. He will be greatly missed. Surviving him are his wife and best friend of 38 years, Carol (Cherchio) and his children, Kathleen LeBeouf, Michael (Michele) Bailey, Patrick (Stacy) Bailey all Of St Louis, MO, Robin (Butch) Bailey of Raleigh, NC. Dana Meyer of Idaho Falls, ID and Lou-Ann Fox of Ocala. Also surviving are his sister, Jo-Ann (Jim) Stelzer and brother. Merl (Peggy) Bailey both of Toledo. Grandchildren, Jessica and Jacob LeBeouf, Brooke and Sean Bailey, Scamus and Shanna Claire Bailey, Jessica and Brent Bailey, Michael Meyer, two grandchildren and also nieces and nephews and extended family. A funeral mass will be held Monday, Nov. 19, 2007 at 11 A.M. at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church with Father Michael O'Keeffe officiating. Visitation will be on Sunday from 5-7P.M. with a rosary at 7P.M. at HIER FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In Lieu of flowers, please make donations to ARC Marion County or Hospice of Marion County. The family would like to thank all of the staff at Hospice of Marion County for their help and support during the last months. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007.

1625. BORRE, EDWARD JOSEPH "ED", (Obituary No. 1625.) 83 Ocala - Edward Joseph "Ed" Borre, 83, died on Tuesday, November 14, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in St. Paul, Minnesota and moved to Ocala in 1989 from the Villages. He retired as a Supervisor with 14 years service with Square D. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during W.W. II. He is Catholic by faith and loved fishing and playing golf. He is survived by his wife of (24) years, Sarah L. Borre of Ocala, FL., his (3) sons, Dante M. Borre of Roanoke Rapids, N.C.; Barry L. Borre of Middlesex, N.C. and Dean Borre of Seattle, Washington; his brother, Richard Borre of St. Paul, Minnesota, his (2) sisters, Sally Sarracco of St. Paul, Minnesota and Dana Steele of California. Private services and burial will be in Zubulon, N.C. at a late date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007.
1626. CRENSHAW, FREIDA DAVIS, (Obituary No. 1626.) 96 Ocala - Mrs. Freida Davis Crenshaw, 96, passed away on Nov. 15, 2007 - A native of Fitzgerald, GA, she and her husband, Edward Crenshaw, moved to North Miami in the 1940's where they raised their two sons, Bobby and Teddo. Upon retirement in 1966, she and her husband moved to Inverness where she lived until 2004 when she moved to Ocala and lived at Camelot Chateau. Mrs. Crenshaw was a homemaker, a librarian, very active in the Fulford Memorial Methodist Church in North Miami, where she served on many committees and was the parliamentarian for all business meetings. She was a member of First Baptist Church while she resided in Inverness. She was preceded in death by her son Robert Edward (Bob) Crenshaw in 1957, her husband Edward Crenshaw in 1999 and her other son, Ted O'Neal Crenshaw in 1996. She is survived by her brother, Arthur W. Davis of Seattle, WA, his son and daughter, Alan and Suzi Davis of Seattle and by her niece, Anna Davis Moody of Ocala. Graveside services will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 20, 2007 at 11:00 A.M. at the Oak Ridge Cemetery in Inverness with Rev. Ross Lehman officiating. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007.

1627. DUSH, MICHAEL ALAN, (Obituary No. 1627.) 5 Months Silver Spring - Michael Alan Dush of Silver Springs went to Heaven on November 13, 2007, he was 5 months old. He is survived by his parents Richard and Gail Dush, a brother Andrew Dush and a sister Ashley Dush all of Silver Springs, FL. Also his grandparents: Lisa Hardeman, Lynda Eicher, Fred and Tracy Dush. A gathering of friends will take place on Sunday November 18th from 4p.m. - 7 p.m. and services November 19th at 1:00 p.m. at the River of Life Church 3201 NE 25th Ave, Ocala, FL. Roberts Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. will conduct the services. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007.

1628. HRBEK, SR., JOSEPH WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 1628.) 86 Austin - Joseph William Hrbek, Sr., 86, formerly of East Greenbush, NY and Ocala, FL, passed away peacefully on September 12, 2007, at Hearthstone Health Center near Austin, TX. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife of fifty-seven years, Bertie. Born September 1, 1921, in New York City to immigrant Czech parents, Josef and Josephine Hrbek, Joe remained fluently bilingual throughout his lifetime, and was proud of both his American and Czech heritages. Growing up in NYC and Highland Falls, NY, Joe attended City College of NY until he enlisted in the Navy Civil Engineer Corps (SEABEES) during WWII. While in the Navy, Joe received his commission as an ensign and saw action in the Pacific Theater on Saipan, as well as completed his Professional Engineering degree as a member of the first class to graduate from the U of SC - Columbia. Later, Joe returned to active duty during the Korean conflict and subsequently served in the active reserves until his retirement as a Commander. After WWII, Joe returned to NYC, married Bertha "Bertie" Sladovnik and worked as a professional engineer for the NYS Dept. of Mental Hygiene in Institutional Services until his retirement. The Hrbeks lived in East Greenbush, NY, for forty years, raising two sons and a daughter. In 1986, Joe and Bertie retired to Ocala, FL where they enjoyed another 17 years together in peaceful Silver Springs Shores. Joe enjoyed fishing, gardening, and also shared his wife's passions for flea marketing and crossword puzzles. Following Bertie's death in 2003, Joe moved to Tulsa, OK for several years to be near Joe Jr. and his wife, Mary, and subsequently moved with them to the San Diego, CA, and Austin, TX areas. Joe is survived by his brother Jerry, his son, Joe, and wife, Mary, of Georgetown, TX; daughter, Jana Brucker, and husband, Brian, of the Chicago area, son, Jon, and wife, Robyn, of N. Balwyn, Australia, plus eight grandchildren and one great grandson. Joe will be remembered for his warm smile, generous heart and sense of humor. A private family memorial is planned. Those wishing
to honor Joe's memory are encouraged to make donations to the American Cancer Society or the American Heart Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/18/2007 - 11/19/2007.

1629. JOHNSTON, LISA ANN (EMMA ANN ALBRITTON), (Obituary No. 1629.) 53 Ocala - Lisa Ann Johnston (Emma Ann Albritton) age 53, of Ocala passed away at her residence November 13th, 2007. She was born in Immokalee, Florida and raised in Cumming, Georgia. She retired from Printing and was an avid woodworker. A very proud mother with a heart of gold. She will be dearly missed, but never forgotten. She is survived by her daughter, Crystal Johnston of Ocala. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, Florida 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/18/2007 - 11/19/2007.

1630. LAMBERT, VIVIAN L., (Obituary No. 1630.) 82 Wildwood - Vivian L. Lambert, 82, of Wildwood, FL, died Friday, 11/16/07 in Wildwood. Born in Cabell County, WV, she was a homemaker. She is survived by, daughter, Dee (Tommy) Hurst of Oxford, son, H. Kenton (Sandy) Lambert of Floral City, grandchildren, Ken (Melanie) Hurst, Amie (Billy) Sellner, Nonie Rose Lambert, Ricky Best, James (Tami) Lambert, Jesse B. (Amber) Lambert, great grandchildren, Garrett and Jarrod Hurst, and Kaitlyn and Clayton Sellner. Services for Mrs. Lambert are to be held Monday, 11/19/07 in the Florida National Cemetery at 10:00 a.m. with Pastor Jim Hubbard officiating. PURCELL FUNERAL HOME entrusted with arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/18/2007 - 11/19/2007.

1631. MOSTELLO, SR., LEONARD, (Obituary No. 1631.) 94 Ocala - Leonard Mostello, Sr., 94, passed away Saturday November 10, 2007. Mr. Mostello was born in Conneaut, Ohio. He lived and worked in Ashtabula, Ohio. He retired from Union Carbide as a crane operator. Upon retirement, he moved to Englewood, Florida, residing there until moving to Ocala, Florida in 2006. Preceded in death by his wife, Ona; parents Daniel and Theresa Mostello; brothers Mike, Joe and Tony; sister Carmel. Survivors include his son Leonard (Lenny) Mostello, Jr. of The Villages, Florida; brother Ned of Englewood, Florida; John of Orlando, FL; several nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to The Bridge of Ocala, Assisted Living, 2800 SW 41st St., Building 200, Ocala, Florida 34474. He resided there the last 18 months of his life. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME AND CEMETARY is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007.

1632. TODD, DORIS MAE, (Obituary No. 1632.) 87 Lutz - Doris M. Todd, 87, passed away on Thursday, November 15, 2007 at University Community Hospital in Tampa. A current resident of Lutz, she was born in Hernando before moving to Ocala where she lived for almost 60 years. She was an active member of North Tampa Church of Christ. During her life, she worked as a beautician. She is survived by her daughter Diane Moore (husband Ron) of Lutz; son Leonard Dover of Ocala; three grandchildren, Kim Moore of Lutz, Brian Moore of Lutz, and Tonya Siernes of Ocala; and two great-grandchildren. A graveside service will be held at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, November 20, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, with Neal Pharr officiating. A visitation will be held from 2-3:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 20, 2007 at HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the North Tampa Church of Christ Building Fund, P.O. Box 748, Lutz, FL 33548. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/18/2007 - 11/19/2007.

1633. WALDRUP, JULIE ANN, (Obituary No. 1633.) 37 Gadsden - Julie Ann Waldrup, 37, graveside services was held at 11 a.m. Monday at Forrest Cemetery, Gadsden, AL., who died
Friday, November 9, 2007. The Rev. Ken Casey OFFICIATED. COLLIER-BUTLER FUNERAL HOME directed. Mrs. Waldrup was raised in Ocala, FL, and was resident of Gadsden, AL for 15 years. She was a graduate of Auburn University with a B.S. degree in economics. Julie was active in many charities. She was the founder and co-partner of Venture Marketing Group, LLC. Julie was a loving and dedicated mother. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Gadsden and was preceded in death by her mother, Pat Rogers. Survivors include her husband, Scott D. Waldrup; daughter, Rachel Elizabeth Waldrup; father, John Rogers, Ocala, FL; sisters, Laurie Czechowski, Jacksonville, FL, Tricia (David) Steffey, Ocala, FL. The family would like to express their thanks and gratitude to the staff of the 6th floor MICU at UAB Hospital. Special thanks to Linda Waldrup and Liz Rutherford for their love and support during Julie's illness. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the American Lung Association of "The Rachel Beth Fund" at Compass Bank, Gadsden, AL. The family did receive friends at the funeral home on Sunday, November 11 from 4 until 7 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/17/2007 - 11/18/2007.

1634. YODER, GLADYS M., (Obituary No. 1634.) 93 Ocala - Mrs. Gladys Yoder, 93, passed away on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Hampton Manor - 24th Road in Ocala, FL. She was born in Elkhart, IN and moved to Ocala in 1968. She was preceded in death by a son, Gary and her Husband of 64 years, Walter J. Yoder. She is survived by two daughters, Gail Adams and Linda Bickel, 8 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. A graveside service and burial will take place in Elkhart, IN at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/19/2007.

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1635. BOYLSTON, CAROLINE(Obituary No. 1635.) , 94 Ocala - Mrs. Caroline Boylston of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, November 14, 2007. Born in Medford, Massachusetts she had made Ocala her home for the past 20 years moving from Stuart, FL before that Long Island, NY. She was a Social Worker for the city of Boston after graduating from Bradford Jr. College. She was a member of Unity Church of Ocala and DAR (Daughters of the Revolution), Red Hats Society and a past member of the Ocala Garden Club. She enjoyed volunteer reading for the residents of Life Care while she lived at Bridge., boating with her husband painting and also volunteered for the Veterans. She was Preceded in death by her husband John W. Boylston. Survivors include; daughter Ann Violi of Putnam Valley, NY and son John W. Boylston of Dresden, MN. Arrangements BY HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, Fl 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/19/2007 - 11/20/2007.

1636. GRAVERSON, BONIBELL J., "BONNIE"(Obituary No. 1636.), 84 Ocala - Bonibell J. Graverson died peacefully, surrounded by her family, on Friday, November 16, 2007, at Sylvia's House, Hospice of Marion County, Ocala, Florida. Born June 4, 1923, in Neenah, Wisconsin, she was the daughter of the late John Hansen and Emma Frank Hansen. Known as "Bonnie" to many and "Nana" to all, she and her late husband Harold W. Graverson moved to Ocala in 1980. A lifelong horse lover, she felt at home in the rolling hills of Ocala's horse country, and loved to attend exhibitions and shows. She worked in private nursing for many years, devoting herself to ensuring the best possible patient care while serving as a mentor to others. Nana's motto - "If you aren't having fun, it's your own fault" - wasn't just a catchphrase. She truly meant it, and she truly lived it. Unknown people weren't strangers, just friends she hadn't yet met. "Nana's Cantina" was painted on her back porch as a reminder that good times were just steps away. She loved nothing more than entertaining and visiting with friends and
family. She had a wicked sense of humor, a gleeful stubborn streak, and the uncommon ability to connect with absolutely anyone. She loved the Central Florida Community College and attending its many events, and was proudly inducted in March 2007, as a Charter Member of the Foundation's Heritage Society. She was thrilled when her family honored her by creating an endowed scholarship in her name to celebrate her many years of and passion for private nursing. She is survived by two daughters and sons-in-law, Randi and Jack Culver of Kaukauna, Wisconsin, and Gloria and Jim Block of Austin, Texas; grandchildren John Culver of Kansas City, Kansas, Carolyn Brown of Appleton, Wisconsin, Bonny Block Edwards of Orlando, Florida, and Mindy Block Bacchus of Georgetown, Texas. Emma, Jack, and Robbie Brown and Ian and Blake Bacchus are her five great-grandchildren. Other members of her extended family include her brother and lifelong sidekick, John Hansen, Jr. of Ocala, and her devoted niece and nephew-in-taw, June and Sal Cianciola of Ocala and Neenah, with whom she loved to root for the Green Bay Packers, as well as many other relations and friends. Nana will truly be missed. The family extends best wishes and many thanks to the staff at Chambrel at Pinecastle and the Hospice of Marion County for providing such exceptional care and quality of life over the past few months, as well as the gracious kindness shown by members of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church. A private graveside service will be held in her memory at a later date in Neenah, Wisconsin. Family and friends wishing to honor her memory may make a donation to the Bonibell J. Graverson Endowed Scholarship in Nursing, Central Florida Community College Foundation, 3001 SW College Road, Ocala, Florida, 34474. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/19/2007 - 11/20/2007.

1637. HRBEK, SR., JOSEPH WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 1637.) 86 Austin - Joseph William Hrbek, Sr., 86, formerly of East Greenbush, NY and Ocala, FL, passed away peacefully on September 12, 2007, at Hearthstone Health Center near Austin, TX. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife of fifty-seven years, Bertie. Born September 1, 1921, in New York City to immigrant Czech parents, Josef and Josephine Hrbek, Joe remained fluently bilingual throughout his lifetime, and was proud of both his American and Czech heritages. Growing up in NYC and Highland Falls, NY, Joe attended City College of NY until he enlisted in the Navy Civil Engineer Corps (SEABEES) during WWII. While in the Navy, Joe received his commission as an ensign and saw action in the Pacific Theater on Saipan, as well as completed his Professional Engineering degree as a member of the first class to graduate from the U of SC - Columbia. Later, Joe returned to active duty during the Korean conflict and subsequently served in the active reserves until his retirement as a Commander. After WWII, Joe returned to NYC, married Bertha "Bertie" Sladovnik and worked as a professional engineer for the NYS Dept. of Mental Hygiene in Institutional Services until his retirement. The Hrbeks lived in East Greenbush, NY, for forty years, raising two sons and a daughter. In 1986, Joe and Bertie retired to Ocala, FL where they enjoyed another 17 years together in peaceful Silver Springs Shores. Joe enjoyed fishing, gardening, and also shared his wife's passions for flea marketing and crossword puzzles. Following Bertie's death in 2003, Joe moved to Tulsa, OK for several years to be near Joe Jr. and his wife, Mary, and subsequently moved with them to the San Diego, CA, and Austin, TX areas. Joe is survived by his brother Jerry, his son, Joe, and wife, Mary, of Georgetown, TX; daughter, Jana Brucker, and husband, Brian, of the Chicago area, son, Jon, and wife, Robyn, of N. Balwyn, Australia, plus eight grandchildren and one great grandson. Joe will be remembered for his warm smile, generous heart and sense of humor. A private family memorial is planned. Those wishing to honor Joe's memory are encouraged to make donations to the American Cancer Society or the American Heart Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/18/2007 - 11/19/2007.
1638. JOHNSTON, LISA ANN (EMMA ANN ALBRITTON) (Obituary No. 1638.) 53 Ocala - Lisa Ann Johnston (Emma Ann Albritton) age 53, of Ocala passed away at her residence November 13th, 2007. She was born in Immokalee, Florida and raised in Cumming, Georgia. She retired from Printing and was an avid woodworker. A very proud mother with a heart of gold. She will be dearly missed, but never forgotten. She is survived by her daughter, Crystal Johnston of Ocala. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, Florida 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/18/2007 - 11/19/2007.

1639. LAMBERT, VIVIAN L., (Obituary No. 1639.) 82 Wildwood - Vivian L. Lambert, 82, of Wildwood, FL, died Friday, 11/16/07 in Wildwood. Born in Cabell County, WV, she was a homemaker. She is survived by, daughter, Dee (Tommy) Hurst of Oxford, son, H. Kenton (Sandy) Lambert of Inglis, grandchildren, Ken (Melanie) Hurst, Amie (Billy) Sellner, Nonie Rose Lambert, Ricky Best, James (Tami) Lambert, Jesse B. (Amber) Lambert, great grandchildren, Garrett and Jarrod Hurst, and Kaitlyn and Clayton Sellner. Services for Mrs. Lambert are to be held Monday, 11/19/07 in the Florida National Cemetery at 10:00 a.m. with Pastor Jim Hubbard officiating. PURCELL FUNERAL HOME entrusted with arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/18/2007 - 11/19/2007.

1640. PRIEST, ROSA MAE, (Obituary No. 1640.) 97 Williston - Rosa Mae Priest of Williston passed away on Saturday, November 17, 2007 at her home in Williston, she was 97. Born in Savannah, Georgia she lived in the Williston Morriston are all her life. She was the postmistress in Morriston as well as homemaker. She was the oldest living graduate of Williston High School. She was a member of and the first woman elder to elected to the First Presbyterian Church in Williston, where she taught Sunday School and played the piano. She belonged to the Piecemakers Quilters Club. She loves reading and crossword puzzles, she also enjoyed hooking rugs. She loved spending time at her place on Blue Run with her family and friends. She was loved by all who knew her, she will be greatly missed. She was preceded in death by her husband: F.W. Priest and a Son: Edward Johnson Priest. Survivors include: three sons Daniel Willis Priest, Reginald Turner (Diane) Priest, Hallie Eugene (Karen) Priest, two daughters: Patricia Ann (Duane) Fugate, Barbara Rose (Billy) Weeks. One sister: Laverne Maycie (Hugo) Legler, 23 Grandchildren, 30 Great Grandchildren & 1 Great Great Grandchild. Funeral Service for Mrs. Priest will be held on Wednesday 21, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at The First Presbyterian Church in Williston, Burial will follow in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery Morriston, FL. A visitation will be held on Tuesday, November 20, 2007 form 6-8 p.m. at the KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME, Williston, Fl. In Lieu of flowers donations may be made to the First Presbyterian Church of Williston, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/19/2007 - 11/20/2007.

1641. RODGERS, JASON ROY, (Obituary No. 1641.) 36 Panama City, Jason Roy Rodgers, age 36, of Panama City, formerly of Ocala passed away Friday, November 16, 2007 in Panama City. He was born in Union City, PA then came to Ocala 10 years ago from St. Cloud. He graduated from high school with honors, graduated from the University of Florida with a BA Degree with honors in political science, attended Oxford University in England as an exchange student, graduated Florida State University with a Law Degree and passed the Florida Bar. Worked on several political campaigns for candidates that shared his same conservative values. Member of the Human Civil Rights Association, the Ocala Elks Club, treasurer of the Law Student Golf Association, president of Equity Staff Leasing, Inc., president and CEO of Equity Risk Management, Inc. Jason enjoyed playing golf, bowling, gin rummy, playing pool, riding his
Harley, cooking, and his animals - He is survived by his parents Linda and Robert Rodgers, Sr. of Lady Lake, FL, brother Robert Rodgers, Jr. (wife Linda), nephew and Godson Jack Rodgers all of Deltona, FL, paternal grandparents Frank and Betty Rodgers of Titusville, FL, and his life partner Wesley Butler, of Ocala, FL. Preceded in death by his grandparents Roy and Helen Ehrhart. Funeral services will be 6:00 PM, Tuesday, November 20, 2007, at Hiers FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/19/2007 - 11/20/2007.

1642. TODD, DORIS MAE, (Obituary No. 1642.) 87 Lutz - Doris M. Todd, 87, passed away on Thursday, November 15, 2007 at University Community Hospital in Tampa. A current resident of Lutz, she was born in Hernando before moving to Ocala where she lived for almost 60 years. She was an active member of North Tampa Church of Christ. During her life, she worked as a beautician. She is survived by her daughter Diane Moore (husband Ron) of Lutz; son Leonard Dover of Ocala; three grandchildren, Kim Moore of Lutz, Brian Moore of Lutz, and Tonya Siernes of Ocala; and three great-grandchildren. A graveside service will be held at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, November 20, 2007 at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, with Neal Pharr officiating. A visitation will be held from 2-3:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 20, 2007 at Hiers FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the North Tampa Church of Christ Building Fund, P.O. Box 748, Lutz, FL 33548. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/18/2007 - 11/19/2007.

1643. YODER, GLADYS M., (Obituary No. 1643.) 93 Ocala - Mrs. Gladys Yoder, 93, passed away on Saturday, November 10, 2007 at Hampton Manor - 24th Road in Ocala, FL. She was born in Elkhart, IN and moved to Ocala in 1968. She was preceded in death by a son, Gary and her Husband of 64 years, Walter J. Yoder. She is survived by two daughters, Gail Adams and Linda Bickel, 8 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren. A graveside service and burial will take place in Elkhart, IN at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/14/2007 - 11/19/2007.

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1644. BOYLSTON, CAROLINE (Obituary No. 1644.), 94 Ocala- Mrs. Caroline Boylston of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, November 14, 2007. Born in Medford, Massachusetts she had made Ocala her home for the past 20 years moving from Stuart, FL before that Long Island, NY. She was a Social Worker for the city of Boston after graduating from Bradford Jr. College. She was a member of Unity Church of Ocala and DAR (Daughters of the Revolution), Red Hats Society and a past member of the Ocala Garden Club. She enjoyed volunteer reading for the residents of Life Care while she lived at Bridge, boating with her husband painting and also volunteered for the Veterans. She was Preceded in death by her husband John W. Boylston. Survivors include; daughter Ann Violi of Putnam Valley, NY and son John W. Boylston of Dresden, MN. Arrangements BY HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/19/2007 - 11/20/2007.

1645. DANIELSON, DAVID E., (Obituary No. 1645.) 41 Ocala - David Edward Danielson, 41, passed away on Thursday, November 15, 2007 at Shands at University of Florida. Born in Jamestown, NY, he moved to Ocala in 1993. For the last 15 years, he worked as the Pro Desk Supervisor for Home Depot. He was an avid NASCAR fan, and a follower of Tony Stewart. He loved racing, fishing, bowling, and riding his motorcycle. He is survived by his wife Cindy Danielson of Ocala; 3 sons Geoffrey Danielson, Richard Danielson, and David E. Danielson Jr.; mother Cynthia Odom (husband George) of Ocklawaha; father Richard Danielson (wife
Kathleen) of Ocala; sister Dianne Mitchell (husband Mark) of Anthony; 2 nieces, 3 nephews, grandparents; numerous aunts and uncles; and countless friends. A funeral service will be held at 2 pm on Sunday, December 2, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Interment to follow at Anthony Cemetery. A visitation will be held from 10 am - 12 pm on Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Following the committal service, a reception will follow at the Ocala Speedway. The family has requested casual dress for the service. NASCAR attire encouraged. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Wachovia, where a trust fund has been set up for David's children, 109 W. Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/20/2007 - 11/21/2007.

1646. GRAVERSON, BONIBELL J., "BONNIE"(Obituary No. 1646.), 84 Ocala - Bonibell J. Graverson died peacefully, surrounded by her family, on Friday, November 16, 2007, at Sylvia's House, Hospice of Marion County, Ocala, Florida. Born June 4, 1923, in Neenah, Wisconsin, she was the daughter of the late John Hansen and Emma Frank Hansen. Known as "Bonnie" to many and "Nana" to all, she and her late husband Harold W. Graverson moved to Ocala in 1980. A lifelong horse lover, she felt at home in the rolling hills of Ocala's horse country, and loved to attend exhibitions and shows. She worked in private nursing for many years, devoting herself to ensuring the best possible patient care while serving as a mentor to others. Nana's motto - "If you aren't having fun, it's your own fault" - wasn't just a catchphrase. She truly meant it, and she truly lived it. Unknown people weren't strangers, just friends she hadn't yet met. "Nana's Cantina" was painted on her back porch as a reminder that good times were just steps away. She loved nothing more than entertaining and visiting with friends and family. She had a wicked sense of humor, a gleeeful stubborn streak, and the uncommon ability to connect with absolutely anyone. She loved the Central Florida Community College and attending its many events, and was proudly inducted in March 2007, as a Charter Member of the Foundation's Heritage Society. She was thrilled when her family honored her by creating an endowed scholarship in her name to celebrate her many years of and passion for private nursing. She is survived by two daughters and sons-in-law, Randi and Jack Culver of Kaukauna, Wisconsin, and Gloria and Jim Block of Austin, Texas; grandchildren John Culver of Kansas City, Kansas, Carolyn Brown of Appleton, Wisconsin, Bonny Block Edwards of Orlando, Florida, and Mindy Block Bacchus of Georgetown, Texas. Emma, Jack, and Robbie Brown and Ian and Blake Bacchus are her five great-grandchildren. Other members of her extended family include her brother and lifelong sidekick, John Hansen, Jr. of Ocala, and her devoted niece and nephew-in-taw, June and Sal Cianciola of Ocala and Neenah, with whom she loved to root for the Green Bay Packers, as well as many other relations and friends. Nana will truly be missed. The family extends best wishes and many thanks to the staff at Chambrel at Pinecastle and the Hospice of Marion County for providing such exceptional care and quality of life over the past few months, as well as the gracious kindness shown by members of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church. A private graveside service will be held in her memory at a later date in Neenah, Wisconsin. Family and friends wishing to honor her memory may make a donation to the Bonibell J. Graverson Endowed Scholarship in Nursing, Central Florida Community College Foundation, 3001 SW College Road, Ocala, Florida, 34474. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/19/2007 - 11/20/2007.

1647. JUDGE, ARTHUR L. JR., (Obituary No. 1647.), 88, Ocala - Arthur L. Judge, Jr., age 88, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, November 18, 2007 in Ocala. He was born in Pittsburgh, PA on October 16, 1919. Mr. Judge served in the US Navy and the US Marines Medical Corp. Arthur was a life member of the D.A.V. He worked as an Administrative
Assistant for the US Navy Aqueduct Project in Key West, FL. He was a Catholic and member of St. Jude Catholic Community of Marion Oaks, FL. His hobbies included woodworking and photography. He moved to Ocala from Clearwater, FL 13 years ago. Prior to living in Clearwater, he lived in Key West for 60 years. He is survived by his wife of 64 years Theresa Judge of Ocala; son Richard Judge of Fayetteville, NC; daughter Catherine Betancourt of Ocala, FL; sister Ruth A. Judge of Clearwater, FL; 3 grandchildren David, Raymond and James; 1 great granddaughter Jessica. A memorial service will be announced at a later date. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/20/2007 - 11/21/2007.

1648. MAHER, ELIZABETH JUNE, (Obituary No. 1648.) 82 Conway, AR - Elizabeth June Maher, 82, formerly of Ocala, passed away Sunday, October 28, 2007 after a short illness. She was born August 1, 1925 at Wilkes-Barre, PA to Frank and Vida Mae Barney. Mrs. Maher moved to Conway, Arkansas to be with her daughter and family after the death of Mrs. Maher's husband. This gave Betty the opportunity to spoil her grandson, Nathan, who was the apple of her eye. Betty became active at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, running their food pantry where she was affectionately known as "Ms. Betty" to her co-workers, fellow parishioners, and clients. Betty had a wonderful, quirky sense of humor that made those around her laugh; she spent many happy moments discussing Seinfeld reruns with her friends. Her daughter, Beth, will miss her Mom the most since they shared many secrets, many laughs and many shopping trips. The two always said that when they headed out in the morning on a shopping trip, they never knew where they'd end up. Beth's Mom taught her to use the good china every day because every day was special, that the only use for money was to make others happy and that no day was complete without laughter. Betty was predeceased by her husband, Rev. William T. Maher and her son, William T. Maher, Jr. She is survived by her daughter, Beth M. Knife and husband, Chris Knife; much adored grandson, Nathan; and five surrogate grandchildren, Jayden Knife, Will Shepard, Lindsay Shepard, Christina Shepard, and Jim Shepard. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Peter's Episcopal Church Food Pantry, 925 Mitchell Street, Conway AR 72034 or the Arkansas Sheriffs' Youth Ranches, PO Box 3964, Batesville, AR 72503. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/20/2007 - 11/21/2007.

1649. OLSON, JAROLD D. "Jerry", (Obituary No. 1649.) 79 Ocala - Jerry D. Olson, age 79, of Ocala, passed away Sunday, November 18, 2007 at ORMC. He was born in Ellsworth, Iowa, March 9, 1928, and came to Ocala 13 years ago from Des Moines, IA. Mr. Olson was an Army veteran. He was a retired sheet metal worker and a member of the Masonic Lodge, Shriners, Elks, Moose, and American Legion. Survivors include his son Dwane Olson of Ocala, two brothers Dean Olson of Huxley, IA, and Ricky Olson of Valrico, FL, step-children Wade, Jhanell, Glenda, Brenda, Terry, and many grand and great grandchildren. Preceded in death by daughter Janice Olson-Pratt, sister Deloris and brother Howard. Memorial services will be 10:00 a.m., Monday, November 26, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Inurnment will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/20/2007 - 11/21/2007.

1650. PRIEST, ROSA MAE, (Obituary No. 1650.) 97 Williston - Rosa Mae Priest of Williston passed away on Saturday, November 17, 2007 at her home in Williston, she was 97. Born in Savannah, Georgia she lived in the Williston Morriston are all her life. She was the postmistress in Morriston as well as homemaker. She was the oldest living graduate of Williston High School. She was a member of and the first woman elder to elected to the First Presbyterian Church in Williston, where she taught Sunday School and played the piano. She belonged to the
Piecemakers Quilters Club. She loves reading and crossword puzzles, she also enjoyed hooking rugs. She loved spending time at her place on Blue Run with her family and friends. She was loved by all who knew her, she will be greatly missed. She was preceded in death by her husband: F.W. Priest and a Son: Edward Johnson Priest. Survivors include: three sons Daniel Willis Priest, Reginald Turner (Diane) Priest, Hallie Eugene (Karen) Priest, two daughters: Patricia Ann (Duane) Fugate, Barbara Rose (Billy) Weeks. One sister: Laverne Maycie (Hugo) Legler, 23 Grandchildren, 30 Great Grandchildren & 1 Great Great Grandchild. Funeral Service for Mrs. Priest will be held on Wednesday 21, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at The First Presbyterian Church in Williston, Burial will follow in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery Morriston, FL. A visitation will be held on Tuesday, November 20, 2007 form 6-8 p.m. at the KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME, Williston, Fl. In Lieu of flowers donations may be made to the First Presbyterian Church of Williston, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/19/2007 - 11/20/2007.

1651. RODGERS, JASON ROY, (Obituary No. 1651.) 36 Panama City, Jason Roy Rodgers, age 36, of Panama City, formerly of Ocala passed away Friday, November 16, 2007 in Panama City. He was born in Union City, PA then came to Ocala 10 years ago from St. Cloud. He graduated from high school with honors, graduated from the University of Florida with a BA Degree with honors in political science, attended Oxford University in England as an exchange student, graduated Florida State University with a Law Degree and passed the Florida Bar. Worked on several political campaigns for candidates that shared his same conservative values. Member of the Human Civil Rights Association, the Ocala Elks Club, treasurer of the Law Student Golf Association, president of Equity Staff Leasing, Inc., president and CEO of Equity Risk Management, Inc. Jason enjoyed playing golf, bowling, gin rummy, playing pool, riding his Harley, cooking, and his animals- He is survived by his parents Linda and Robert Rodgers, Sr. of Lady Lake, FL, brother Robert Rodgers, Jr. (wife Linda), nephew and Godson Jack Rodgers all of Deltona, FL, paternal grandparents Frank and Betty Rodgers of Titusville, FL, and his life partner Wesley Butler, of Ocala, FL. Preceded in death by his grandparents Roy and Helen Ehrhart. Funeral services will be 6:00 PM, Tuesday, November 20, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/19/2007 - 11/20/2007.

1652. SCHaub, BARON GEORGE, (Obituary No. 1652.) 79 Ocala - Baron George Schaub, of Ocala, Florida passed away Monday, November 12, 2007. He was born in Des Moines, Iowa on October 12, 1928 to Ellis G. Schaub and Mary Ann Cline Schaub. Baron graduated from Orlando High School (Orlando, Florida) in 1946, Parsons College (Fairfield, Iowa) in 1952 with a BA, and from Roosevelt University (Chicago, IL) in 1970 with an MBA. He served in the US Army from 1946-1948. Baron was a retired accountant/controller and was a member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Ocala, FL. He is survived by his wife of 57 years. Carol Schaub; daughters, Peggy Johnson of Lafayette, IN, Nancy (Sherwin) Gilbert of Batavia, IL, and Sandra (Jeff) Anderson of Keokuk, Iowa; six grandchildren, Seth (Elizabeth) Anderson, Megan Anderson, Nicole Gilbert, Gregory Gilbert, Alex Gilbert, and Nichols Johnson; sister, Jeri Ann Dryer of Fairhope, AL; one niece; and two nephews. A memorial service will be held Friday, November 23, 2007 at 11 AM at the Keokuk National Cemetery in Keokuk, Iowa. Memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association. Arrangements entrusted to A.R.N. Cremation Services in Indianapolis, IN (317)846-6501. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/20/2007 - 11/21/2007.

1653. TANNER, ANNA MAE, (Obituary No. 1653.) 88 Ocala - Mrs. Anna Mae Tanner, 88, of Ocala, died Sunday, November 18, 2007 at Hawthorne Village in Ocala. A native of Miami, she
moved here with her family in 1996. Mrs. Tanner is survived by her son Edward F. Tanner, Jr. and his wife Marilyn, of Ocala, 2 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, November 21, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Rev. Warren Thompson officiating. Visitation will be from 10-11 a.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/20/2007 - 11/21/2007.

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1654. AMBROSE, RUSSELL LEE, (Obituary No. 1654.) 68 Ocala - Mr. Russell Lee Ambrose, 68, passed away on November 18, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House, Ocala, Fla. He was born in Paint Lick, Kentucky and lived in Miami for 19 years before coming to Ocala in 1979. He was a horseman, truck driver and a U.S. Air Force Veteran. He bred, raised and showed National Champion Quarter horses and Appaloosas. Russell is survived by Lenore, Kimberly and Mark Ambrose. He is also survived by four sisters, Rosaland, Dana, Pam and Renee, four granddaughters, Courtney, Jenna, Chelsea, and Onica. He was preceded in death by one granddaughter, Gabrielle Ambrose Garibaldi. A memorial Service will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

1655. BASTRESS, ARLENE E., (Obituary No. 1655.) 89 Ocala - Arlene E. Bastress, 89, of Ocala, Florida, died Saturday, November 17, at her home. She was born March 3, 1918 in Sunbury, Pennsylvania. She moved to Dunnellon, FL from Northumberland, Pennsylvania in 1978. In 1996, she moved to Ocala. Occupations: Registered Nurse with Danville State Hospital, Danville, PA where she worked after graduating from the Danville State Nursing School in the 1930's until retiring in 1976. She was a member of Family of God Fellowship of Ocala and former member of the Methodist Church of Dunnellon and the Rainbow Springs Village Church of Dunnellon. She was an avid reader who donated many books to the Church Library. She was preceded in death by her husband William H. Bastress in 1979. She is survived by: 2 Daughters: Darlene Winn, Ocala and Connie Heil, Summerfield; 5 Grandchildren: Mark Heil (Melissa), Dunnellon; Susan Ling, (John), Philadelphia, PA; Glen Heil (Lee), Summerfield; Eric Winn, Ocala and Alisa Welsch (Mike), Pakistan, And 12 Great Grandchildren. Viewing will be at Family of God Fellowship Church of Ocala, 1471 Pine Road, Silver Springs Shores on Saturday, November 24, 2007 from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. The Funeral Service will be at 10:30 a.m. with Reverend James L. Snyder officiating. Burial will follow at 1:00 p.m. at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Dunnellon. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or to Family of God Fellowship Church, Ocala. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

1656. BOOTH, VIRGINIA, 90 (Obituary No. 1656.) Ocala - Mrs. Virginia Booth, 90, passed away November 17th at TimberRidge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. She was born in the Republic of Panama and moved to Ocala in 1978 from there. She was a retired food service worker for the Marion County School System. She was a Catholic and was a member of the Panama Canal Society. She is survived by a daughter Patricia Booth of Ocala, sons George Booth of Ocala, Richard Booth of Ft. Lauderdale, FL, and sisters Carmen Elena of CA, Rosita of Panama, and Rosario Van Dyke of Georgia. Graveside services will be held at 2:00pm on Friday, November 23rd at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Fr. Rick Hugli officiating. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Assoc. or American Cancer Assoc.
ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements.


1657. DANIELSON, DAVID E., (Obituary No. 1657.) 41 Ocala - David Edward Danielson, 41, passed away on Thursday, November 15, 2007 at Shands at University of Florida. Born in Jamestown, NY, he moved to Ocala in 1993. For the last 15 years, he worked as the Pro Desk Supervisor for Home Depot. He was an avid NASCAR fan, and a follower of Tony Stewart. He loved racing, fishing, bowling, and riding his motorcycle. He is survived by his wife Cindy Danielson of Ocala; 3 sons Geoffrey Danielson, Richard Danielson, and David E. Danielson Jr.; mother Cynthia Odom (husband George) of Ocklawaha; father Richard Danielson (wife Kathleen) of Ocala; sister Dianne Mitchell (husband Mark) of Anthony; 2 nieces, 3 nephews, grandparents; numerous aunts and uncles; and countless friends. A funeral service will be held at 2 pm on Sunday, December 2, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Internment to follow at Anthony Cemetery. A visitation will be held from 10 am - 12 pm on Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Following the committal service, a reception will follow at the Ocala Speedway. The family has requested casual dress for the service. NASCAR attire encouraged. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Wachovia, where a trust fund has been set up for David's children, 109 W. Silver Springs Blvd.


1658. JUDGE, ARTHUR L. JR., (Obituary No. 1658.) 88, Ocala - Arthur L. Judge, Jr., age 88, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, November 18, 2007 in Ocala. He was born in Pittsburgh, PA on October 16, 1919. Mr. Judge served in the US Navy and the US Marines Medical Corp. Arthur was a life member of the D.A.V. He worked as an Administrative Assistant for the US Navy Aqueduct Project in Key West, FL. He was a Catholic and member of St. Jude Catholic Community of Marion Oaks, FL. His hobbies included woodworking and photography. He moved to Ocala from Clearwater, FL 13 years ago. Prior to living in Clearwater, he lived in Key West for 60 years. He is survived by his wife of 64 years Theresa Judge of Ocala; son Richard Judge of Fayetteville, NC; daughter Catherine Betancourt of Ocala, FL; sister Ruth A. Judge of Clearwater, FL; 3 grandchildren David, Raymond and James; 1 great granddaughter Jessica. A memorial service will be announced at a later date. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge, Ocala, FL.


1659. MAHER, ELIZABETH JUNE, (Obituary No. 1659.) 82 Conway, AR - Elizabeth June Maher, 82, formerly of Ocala, passed away Sunday, October 28, 2007 after a short illness. She was born August 1, 1925 at Wilkes-Barre, PA to Frank and Vida Mae Barney. Mrs. Maher moved to Conway, Arkansas to be with her daughter and family after the death of Mrs. Maher's husband. This gave Betty the opportunity to spoil her grandson, Nathan, who was the apple of her eye. Betty became active at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, running their food pantry where she was affectionately known as "Ms. Betty" to her co-workers, fellow parishioners, and clients. Betty had a wonderful, quirky sense of humor that made those around her laugh; she spent many happy moments discussing Seinfeld reruns with her friends. Her daughter, Beth, will miss her Mom the most since they shared many secrets, many laughs and many shopping trips. The two always said that when they headed out in the morning on a shopping trip, they never knew where they'd end up. Beth's Mom taught her to use the good china every day because every day was special, that the only use for money was to make others happy and that no day was complete without laughter. Betty was predeceased by her husband, Rev. William T. Maher and her son, William T. Maher, Jr. She is survived by her daughter, Beth M. Knife and husband, Chris Knife;
much adored grandson, Nathan; and five surrogate grandchildren, Jayden Knife, Will Shepard, Lindsay Shepard, Christina Shepard, and Jim Shepard. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Peter's Episcopal Church Food Pantry, 925 Mitchell Street, Conway AR 72034 or the Arkansas Sheriffs' Youth Ranches, PO Box 3964, Batesville, AR 72503. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/20/2007 - 11/21/2007.

1660. OLSON, JAROLD D. "JERRY", (Obituary No. 1660.) 79 Ocala - Jerry D. Olson, age 79, of Ocala, passed away Sunday, November 18, 2007 at ORMC. He was born in Ellsworth, Iowa. March 9, 1928, and came to Ocala 13 years ago from Des Moines, IA. Mr. Olson was an Army veteran. He was a retired sheet metal worker and a member of the Masonic Lodge, Shriners, Elks, Moose, and American Legion. Survivors include his son Dwane Olson of Ocala, two brothers Dean Olson of Huxley, IA, and Ricky Olson of Valrico, FL, step-children Wade, Jhanell, Glenda, Brenda, Terry, and many grand and great grandchildren. Preceded in death by daughter Janice Olson-Pratt, sister Deloris and brother Howard. Memorial services will be 10:00 a.m., Monday, November 26, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Inurnment will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements by Hiers Funeral Home, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/20/2007 - 11/21/2007.

1661. ONORI, DOMINICK(Obituary No. 1661.), 83 Macungie, Pa. - Dominick Onori, 83, of Macungie, Pennsylvania, formerly of Holmdel, New Jersey and Ocala, Florida, passed away peacefully on October 27th at the Hospice Center in Lehigh Valley Hospital, Allentown, Pennsylvania. He was born in Elizabeth, New Jersey and had previously lived in Newark, NJ with his brothers Albert Onori, Patrick Onori and Michael Mongiello. He also lived in Plainfield, NJ; Marshall Islands; Randolph, NJ; Salisbury, NC; and Coopersburg, PA. before moving to the Top of the World retirement community in Ocala, FL 17 years ago. He retired as a Group Supervisor at Bell Labs in 1982 after 40 years of service. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. At the Top of the World he was very active in line dancing, square dancing, bridge, and ping pong. He will always be remembered by his many friends in Florida by his cowboy hat. He was a Master Mason. He showed great courage in caring for his late wife Mary Courtney Onori while she battled Alzheimer's. He is remembered as a loving husband, father, grandfather, and friend to all who knew him. He was the husband for 52 years to the late Mary Courtney Onori who died in March, 2001. He is survived by his sons and their spouses: Craig & Karen Onori of Allentown, PA, and Jeff and Joan Onori of Middletown, NJ; his 7 grandchildren: Kristina, Jeffrey, Michelle, Matthew and Michael Onori and Jaclynn and David Heefner; and his sister-in-laws Charlotte Kroeschel of Hazlet and Margaret Asbury, Sebring, Florida; and nieces and nephews. Arrangements were handled by the HOLMDEL FUNERAL HOME, Holmdel, New Jersey. To send online condolences, please visit www.holmdelfuneralhome.com In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Alzheimer's Foundation of America (www.alzfdn.org) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

1662. SCHAUB, BARON GEORGE, (Obituary No. 1662.) 79 Ocala - Baron George Schaub, of Ocala, Florida passed away Monday, November 12, 2007. He was born in Des Moines, Iowa on October 12, 1928 to Ellis G. Schaub and Mary Ann Cline Schaub. Baron graduated from Orlando High School (Orlando, Florida) in 1946, Parsons College (Fairfield, Iowa) in 1952 with a BA, and from Roosevelt University (Chicago, IL) in 1970 with an MBA. He served in the US Army from 1946-1948. Baron was a retired accountant/controller and was a member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Ocala, FL. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Carol Schaub; daughters, Peggy Johnson of Lafayette, IN, Nancy (Sherwin) Gilbert of Batavia, IL, and Sandra (Jeff) Anderson of Keokuk, Iowa; six grandchildren, Seth (Elizabeth) Anderson, Megan
Anderson, Nicole Gilbert, Gregory Gilbert, Alex Gilbert, and Nichols Johnson; sister, Jeri Ann Dryer of Fairhope, AL; one niece; and two nephews. A memorial service will be held Friday, November 23, 2007 at 11 AM at the Keokuk National Cemetery in Keokuk, Iowa. Memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association. Arrangements entrusted to A.R.N. Cremation Services in Indianapolis, IN (317)846-6501. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/20/2007 - 11/21/2007.

1663. TANNER, ANNA MAE, (Obituary No. 1663.) 88 Ocala - Mrs. Anna Mae Tanner, 88, of Ocala, died Sunday, November 18, 2007 at Hawthorne Village in Ocala. A native of Miami, she moved here with her family in 1996. Mrs. Tanner is survived by her son Edward F. Tanner, Jr. and his wife Marilyn, of Ocala, 2 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, November 21, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Rev. Warren Thompson officiating. Visitation will be from 10-11 a.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/20/2007 - 11/21/2007.

1664. WHITE, NETTIE WILLIAMS, (Obituary No. 1664.) 99 Ocala - Nettie Williams White of Ocala passed away on Mon. Nov. 19, 2007 at Hawthorne Village Retirement Home, she was 99. Born and raised in Levy County, she was a retired school bus driver, working in Levy County for many years. She enjoyed fishing, hunting and arts and crafts. She belonged to the Archer First Baptist Church-Archer, FL. Survivors include: 2 daughters: Dolores (Oscar) Joyner, Edwina (Duncan) Asbell; 2 daughters-in-law: Connie White, Peggy White Ferina; 9 Grand and 8 Great Grandchildren. Graveside funeral services for Mrs. White will be held on Friday, November 23, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at Laurel Hill Cemetery with visitation from 10 a.m. until service time at the cemetery with the Rev. Claude Springs officiating burial will follow in the Laurel Hill Cemetery under the direction of the Knauff Funeral Home, Williston, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

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1665. AMBROSE, RUSSELL LEE, (Obituary No. 1665.) 68 Ocala - Mr. Russell Lee Ambrose, 68, passed away on November 18, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House, Ocala, Fla. He was born in Paint Lick, Kentucky and lived in Miami for 19 years before coming to Ocala in 1979. He was a horseman, truck driver and a U.S. Air Force Veteran. He bred, raised and showed National Champion Quarter horses and Appaloosas. Russell is survived by Lenore, Kimberly and Mark Ambrose. He is also survived by four sisters, Rosaland, Dana, Pam and Renee, four granddaughters, Courtney, Jenna, Chelsea, and Onica. He was preceded in death by one granddaughter, Gabrielle Ambrose Garibaldi. A memorial Service will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

1666. ANKNEY, BILL C., (Obituary No. 1666.) 83 Edgewater - MR. Ankney, Bill C., 83, of Edgewater, FL, passed away peacefully Sunday, Nov. 18, 2007. A retired businessman and former Orlando City Commissioner, Bill was born in Sycamore, OH on June 28, 1924. Bill moved to Florida with his family in the early 1930's and attended Mainland High School, Daytona Beach, where he was a star athlete. From 1942 - 1945, Bill served his country in the United States Navy as a Ship’s Cook, Third Class. He received an honorable discharge and went into business with his family and established Ankney Trailer Sales, later to be called Ankney Mobile Homes. He was also an avid sports fan, providing sponsorships and/or support for Men's Class A Softball, Orlando Youth Football, Pine Castle Little League, Men's bowling teams, Orlando Jr. golf and many of the sports teams at Oak Ridge High School. In 1989, Field #5 of
C.L. Varner Softball Complex was named the Bill Ankney Field, in recognition of his dedication, promotion and myriad of supporting contributions to the sport of softball. In 1967, Bill Ankney began his career in politics by serving on the Orlando City Council. He worked under Mayor Carl T. Langford, alongside Doug Barnes, Don Crenshaw and Wally Sanderlin. He also worked closely with Police Chief Robert Chewning. One of the largest projects he approved, was the purchase and expansion of the Orlando Jetport. He retired in 1991 and moved to Edgewater with his beloved wife of 49 years, Faye. He is survived by his children, Chuck Ankney of Ocala, Mike Ankney of Scottsmoor, Pam Hansen of Orlando, Steve Ankney of Ocala and Ginger Clark of Narcoossee, his brother, Jim Ankney of Orlando, 12 grandchildren, five great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. He has gone to join his sister, Marjorie McKeithen and daughter, Connie Myatt in Heaven. A Celebration of His Life will be held at 2 PM Sunday, November 25 at Bella Vista Baptist Church, Edgewater, followed by a reception in the Terra Mar Village clubhouse. In lieu of flowers, the family has asked that donations be made in memory of Bill Ankney to the Bella Vista Baptist Church Building Fund, P. O. Box 681, Edgewater, FL 32132. Dudley Edgewater Chapel, Edgewater, is in charge of arrangements. 386-428-6487. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/23/2007.

1667. BASTRESS, ARLENE E., (Obituary No. 1667.) 89 Ocala - Arlene E. Bastress, 89, of Ocala, Florida, died Saturday, November 17, at her home. She was born March 3, 1918 in Sunbury, Pennsylvania. She moved to Dunnellon, FL from Northumberland, Pennsylvania in 1978. In 1996, she moved to Ocala. Occupations: Registered Nurse with Danville State Hospital, Danville, PA where she worked after graduating from the Danville State Nursing School in the 1930's until retiring in 1976. She was a member of Family of God Fellowship of Ocala and former member of the Methodist Church of Dunnellon and the Rainbow Springs Village Church of Dunnellon. She was an avid reader who donated many books to the Church Library. She was preceded in death by her husband William H. Bastress in 1979. She is survived by: 2 Daughters: Darlene Winn, Ocala and Connie Heil, Summerfield; 5 Grandchildren: Mark Heil (Melissa), Dunnellon; Susan Ling, (John), Philadelphia, PA; Glen Heil (Lee), Summerfield; Eric Winn, Ocala and Alisa Welsch (Mike), Pakistan, And 12 Great Grandchildren. Viewing will be at Family of God Fellowship Church of Ocala, 1471 Pine Road, Silver Springs Shores on Saturday, November 24, 2007 from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. The Funeral Service will be at 10:30 a.m. with Reverend James L. Snyder officiating. Burial will follow at 1:00 p.m. at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Dunnellon. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or to Family of God Fellowship Church, Ocala. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

1668. BOOTH, VIRGINIA(Obituary No. 1668.) , 90 Ocala - Mrs. Virginia Booth, 90, passed away November 17th at TimberRidge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. She was born in the Republic of Panama and moved to Ocala in 1978 from there. She was a retired food service worker for the Marion County School System. She was a Catholic and was a member of the Panama Canal Society. She is survived by a daughter Patricia Booth of Ocala, sons George Booth of Ocala, Richard Booth of Ft. Lauderdale, FL, and sisters Carmen Elena of CA, Rosita of Panama, and Rosario Van Dyke of Georgia. Graveside services will be held at 2:00pm on Friday, November 23rd at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Fr. Rick Hugli officiating. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Assoc. or American Cancer Assoc. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.
1669. BOUIE, GIRTHA MAE, (Obituary No. 1669.) Ocala - Girtha Mae Bouie "Aunt Girt," age 86, transitioned from earth to glory on Friday, November 16, 2007 at 8:00 a.m. at Estelle's Hospice House, Ocala, FL. Mrs. Bouie, a Native of Marion County, resided in Weirsdale, FL. She was a member of Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church for many years. She was a high school graduate of Howard Academy. Mrs. Bouie chose cosmetology as her profession and fishing as her hobby. She enrolled and received her training at Florida A&M College (Now Florida A&M University). Mrs. Bouie is matriarch of the family. She leaves to cherish memories of life: her loving daughter Jackie Henderson (Tony) Jacksonville, FL, grandson Corey Henderson, Jacksonville, FL, half-brother Charles McBride, Ocala, FL, half-sister Verdell Sanders, Orange Lake, FL, 2 sisters-in-law, 7 nieces, 9 nephews, 42 great nieces and nephews, 20 great-great nieces and nephews. Funeral services for Mrs. Girth Mae Bouie "Aunt Girt" will be held on Saturday November 24, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at the Greater Hopewell Baptist Church 515 NW 6th PL Ocala, FL 34475 with the Reverend Dr. George W. Lee, Pastor conducting the services. Interment will be in the Chestnut Cemetery Ocala, FL. Visitation will be Friday 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home. There will be a wake service Friday evening at Greater Hopewell Baptist Church from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Then Saturday at the Church 10:00 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers service makes a difference." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/23/2007.

1670. FITZPATRICK, DELBERT "BOB", (Obituary No. 1670.) Ocala - Delbert "Bob" Fitzpatrick, 88, passed away November 19th at Estelle's Hospice House. He was born in Barbados, West Indies and moved to Ocala in 1976 from Queens, NY. He was a member of Shores Assembly Church, the Silver Springs Shores Bible Study Group, the SSS Lions Club and the SSS Cricket Club. He is survived by Estephanie Fitzpatrick his wife of 54 years, daughters Elizabeth Bowden of AL, Marcia Joseph of NJ, Nicki Fitzpatrick of OH and 6 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at the Shores Assembly Church on Monday, November 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Pastor John De Camp officiating. Viewing will be at the church one hour prior to the service. Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/25/2007.

1671. FREEMAN, THEOLA (Obituary No. 1671.), 80, Theola Freeman, 80, a lifelong resident of Williston Florida, died on November 16, 2007 at Shands @ UF. Mrs. Freeman was a born to Lorene Berry and the late Roosevelt Edwards in Montbrook Florida. Theola Freeman was a member of Allen Chapel A.M.E Church in Williston Florida. She is survived by Three children; Alton Freeman of Ocala Florida, Willie Mae Freeman of Fort Lauderdale, and Tracy Freeman of Ocala Florida. Mother; Lorene Berry of Williston Florida. One Brother; Roosevelt Edwards Tampa Florida Two Sisters; Jannie Mae Edwards, Williston Florida and Brenda Edwards of Ocala Florida. 17 Grandchildren, 14 great grand's. Mrs. Freeman was proceeded in death by her husband Alton Freeman and one son Everitt Freeman. Services for Mrs. Theola Freeman will be held on Saturday November 24, 2007, 11:00 am at Allen Chapel A.M.E Church, Williston from Visitation hours will be hold on Friday at the church from 5-7p.m. Professional services am under the direction of CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME 217 SE 4th Ave. Chiefland Florida 32644. (352)493-1857. Burial will follow in the New Hope Cemetery, Williston, FL. The family will assemble at the home of Dorothy and Chester Pulling on Saturday at 10:00 a.m. to form the Cortege. Blitchton, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/23/2007.
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1673. LEACH, DORIS (Obituary No. 1673.), 59 Ocala - Ms. Doris Leach age 59, a lifelong resident of Ocala, Florida passed away on November 19, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical center Ms. Leach was the daughter of the late Lawrence Leach and Lillie Mae kirby. She graduated from Howard high School Class of 1966 she also attended 3 years of college. Mrs. Dons Leach was formerly employed with the Marion County School System as a teachers aide. Mrs. Leach is survived by three sons; Algenon Leach, Ocala Florida, Rico Leach, Jacksonville FL, and Darian Leach, Ocala Fl. 1 Grandson , Ocala Fl, 6 Granddaughters, Step Father Willie Anderson, Ocala Fl, and one sister. Alice Leach Edwards, Ocala Florida. Funeral services for Doris Leach will be held on Sunday, November 25, 2007 at 2:30pm at The Theological Seminary Center in Ocala, Fl. Bural will follow in ht Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala Florida. Visitation hours will be held on Sunday two hours prior to services "there will be no viewing after the message". The family will assemble on Sunday at the home of her niece Toni Behn, 2640 NW 5th Ave, Ocala, Fl. at 1:30 p.m. to form the cortege. Professional services rendered by CARNEGIE FUNERAL HOME 217 SE 4th Ave. Chiefland Florida, 32644. 352-493-1857. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/23/2007.


1675. OKIES, OVETA SIMS PAULK, (Obituary No. 1675.) 83 El Paso, Texas - Oveta Okies, 83, passed away on November 14, 2007 in El Paso Texas. She was born in Anthony, Florida on August 14, 1924. She Is preceded in death by husbands, Doyce "Tony" Paulk, and Joseph Okies, parents Vaughn and Mattie (Shealy) Sims, sister Grace Mattheus, brothers Clyde, Vernon and Murray Sims, niece Shirley Sontag, nephews Randy Mattheus, Jimmy Sims and John Sims. Survivors: Daughter Teena (Dave) Doke; Son Eddie (Meg) Okies; grandchildren Joe (Lisa) Oldes, Leigh Okies, Matthew Doka and Jeffrey Doka, sister Reva Sontag brother, J.V. Sims. Sisters-in-law Doris Sims and Betty Sims. Many nieces, nephews, great and great great nieces and nephews. Cousins and an abundance of fiends. After her marriage to Joseph Okies, Oveta moved to El Paso TX where she was active in the local AARP chapter serving as president for
two terms and in the Pharmaceutical Association where she was given Spouse of the Year award for her many hours of volunteer work to the elderly. A grave side service will be held on Saturday, November 24, 2007 at 12:00 noon at the Forest Lawn Cemetery, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers please make memorial donations to your favorite charity. Arrangements by FOREST LAW FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/23/2007.

1676. ONORI, DOMINICK (Obituary No. 1676.), 83 Macungie, Pa. - Dominick Onori, 83, of Macungie, Pennsylvania, formerly of Holmdel, New Jersey and Ocala, Florida, passed away peacefully on October 27th at the Hospice Center in Lehigh Valley Hospital, Allentown, Pennsylvania. He was born in Elizabeth, New Jersey and had previously lived in Newark, NJ with his brothers Albert Onori, Patrick Onori and Michael Mongiello. He also lived in Plainfield, NJ; Marshall Islands; Randolph, NJ; Salisbury, NC; and Coopersburg, PA. before moving to the Top of the World retirement community in Ocala, FL, 17 years ago. He retired as a Group Supervisor at Bell Labs in 1982 after 40 years of service. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. At the Top of the World he was very active in line dancing, square dancing, bridge, and ping pong. He will always be remembered by his many friends in Florida by his cowboy hat. He was a Master Mason. He showed great courage in caring for his late wife Mary Courtney Onori while she battled Alzheimer's. He is remembered as a loving husband, father, grandfather, and friend to all who knew him. He was the husband for 52 years to the late Mary Courtney Onori who died in March, 2001. He is survived by his sons and their spouses: Craig & Karen Onori of Allentown, PA, and Jeff and Joan Onori of Middletown, NJ; his 7 grandchildren: Kristina, Jeffrey, Michelle, Matthew and Michael Onori and Jaclynn and David Heefner; and his sister-in-laws Charlotte Kroeschel of Hazlet and Margaret Asbury, Sebring, Florida; and nieces and nephews. Arrangements were handled by the HOLMDEL FUNERAL HOME, Holmdel, New Jersey. To send online condolences, please visit www.holmdelfuneralhome.com In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Alzheimer's Foundation of America (www.alzfdn.org)

1677. SAPP, BARBARA LATHAM, (Obituary No. 1677.) 68 Ocala - Mrs. Barbara L. Sapp, retired supervisor with Sprint Telephone Co. passed away Tuesday, November 20, 2007 at Ocala Region Medical Center. A native of Lineville, Alabama. She moved to Ocala in 1967 from Washington DC. She is survived by her Spouse William H. Sapp, Summerfield, daughter and son-in-law Cheryl A. and Jay Southall, Roseville, Ohio, sisters Jimmie Sue Lipham, Oxford, AL, Doris Polly Alley, Lineville, AL, Pat Waldrop, LaGrange, GA step-sons Kenneth and David Sapp, Denver, CO. 8 grandchildren, Brittany, Meagan, Katelyn, Robert Dyvan, Lori, Abe and Tommy. Mrs. Sapp is preceded in death by her sister Gayle Buckner an step-son Thomas Sapp Memorial Service will be 11:00 A.M. Friday, November 23, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/23/2007.

1678. SZWAREK, BRIAN W., (Obituary No. 1678.) 42 Ocala - Szwarek, Brian W., 42, Ocala, FL, formerly born and raised in Chicago, IL. Beloved husband of Toni Lynn (nee Verschoore) Szwarek, his best friend whom he married in 1990 and met in 1982; loving master of dogs: Chico, Taz and Andre and cat, Comer and of Guitar Fender Strat. Loving son of Adam M. Szwarek and the late Trisha Szwarek Korsak, loving stepson of Andrew Korsak and Louise Szwarek; dear brother of Adam F. Szwarek and David A. Korsak; loving grandson of the late Andrew and Karolina Szwarek, June McDowell and the late William McDowell; dear nephew of Joe (Holly) Szwarek, the late William (Lottie) Szwarek, Norma (Ralph) Riske and Bill (Carol)
McDowell. Beloved by many special cousins as well as by many other relatives and dear friends. Musician, part of the duo, "Live from Chicago!". Brian had a sweet heart towards all people and animals. His faith, his home life and his screaming guitar leads were everything he needed. Publisher and Member, Silver Springs Shores Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses. No visitation. Memorial service, Saturday, Nov. 24, 2007, 2 pm at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 5221 Pecan Road, Ocala, Florida, 34472. Inurnment will be at a later date in Memorial Park Cemetery. Skokie, IL. Cremation private. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Watch Tower Bible and Tract Society of Pennsylvania, c/o Office of the Secretary and Treasurer, 25 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, NY 11201-2483 or to the charity of donor's choice. For information 352-687-3036. Arrangements by HODGES FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, Zephyrhills, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/23/2007.

1679. WHITE, NETTIE WILLIAMS, (Obituary No. 1679.) 99 Ocala - Nettie Williams White of Ocala passed away on Mon. Nov. 19, 2007 at Hawthorne Village Retirement Home, she was 99. Born and raised in Levy County, she was a retired school bus driver, working in Levy County for many years. She enjoyed fishing, hunting and arts and crafts. She belonged to the Archer First Baptist Church-Archer, FL. Survivors include: 2 daughters: Dolores (Oscar) Joyner, Edwina (Duncan) Asbell; 2 daughters-in-law: Connie White, Peggy White Ferina; 9 Grand and 8 Great Grandchildren. Graveside funeral services for Mrs. White will be held on Friday, November 23, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at Laurel Hill Cemetery with visitation from 10 a.m. until service time at the cemetery with the Rev. Claude Springs officiating burial will follow in the Laurel Hill Cemetery under the direction of the Knauff Funeral Home, Williston, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

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1680. AMBROSE, RUSSELL LEE, (Obituary No. 1680.) 68 Ocala - Mr. Russell Lee Ambrose, 68, passed away on November 18, 2007 at Estelle's Hospice House, Ocala, Fla. He was born in Paint Lick, Kentucky and lived in Miami for 19 years before coming to Ocala in 1979. He was a horseman, truck driver and a U.S. Air Force Veteran. He bred, raised and showed National Champion Quarter horses and Appaloosas. Russell is survived by Lenore, Kimberly and Mark Ambrose. He is also survived by four sisters, Rosaland, Dana, Pam and Renee, four granddaughters, Courtney, Jenna, Chelsea, and Onica. He was preceded in death by one granddaughter, Gabrielle Ambrose Garibaldi. A memorial Service will be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

1681. ANKNEY, BILL C., (Obituary No. 1681.) 83 Edgewater - MR. Ankney, Bill C., 83, of Edgewater, FL, passed away peacefully Sunday, Nov. 18, 2007. A retired businessman and former Orlando City Commissioner, Bill was born in Sycamore, OH on June 28, 1924. Bill moved to Florida with his family in the early 1930's and attended Mainland High School, Daytona Beach, where he was a star athlete. From 1942 - 1945, Bill served his country in the United States Navy as a Ship's Cook, Third Class. He received an honorable discharge and went into business with his family and established Ankney Trailer Sales, later to be called Ankney Mobile Homes. He was also an avid sports fan, providing sponsorships and/or support for Men's Class A Softball, Orlando Youth Football, Pine Castle Little League, Men's bowling teams, Orlando Jr. golf and many of the sports teams at Oak Ridge High School. In 1989, Field #5 of C.L. Varner Softball Complex was named the Bill Ankney Field, in recognition of his dedication, promotion and myriad of supporting contributions to the sport of softball. In 1967, Bill Ankney began his career in politics by serving on the Orlando City Council. He worked...
under Mayor Carl T. Langford, alongside Doug Barnes, Don Crenshaw and Wally Sanderlin. He also worked closely with Police Chief Robert Chewning. One of the largest projects he approved, was the purchase and expansion of the Orlando Jetport. He retired in 1991 and moved to Edgewater with his beloved wife of 49 years, Faye. He is survived by his children, Chuck Ankney of Ocala, Mike Ankney of Scottsmoor, Pam Hansen of Orlando, Steve Ankney of Ocala and Ginger Clark of Narcoossee, his brother, Jim Ankney of Orlando, 12 grandchildren, five great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. He has gone to join his sister, Marjorie McKeithen and daughter, Connie Myatt in Heaven. A Celebration of His Life will be held at 2 PM Sunday, November 25 at Bella Vista Baptist Church, Edgewater, followed by a reception in the Terra Mar Village clubhouse. In lieu of flowers, the family has asked that donations be made in memory of Bill Ankney to the Bella Vista Baptist Church Building Fund, P. O. Box 681, Edgewater, FL 32132. Dudley Edgewater Chapel, Edgewater, is in charge of arrangements. 386-428-6487. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/23/2007.

1682. BASTRESS, ARLENE E., (Obituary No. 1682.) 89 Ocala - Arlene E. Bastress, 89, of Ocala, Florida, died Saturday, November 17, at her home. She was born March 3, 1918 in Sunbury, Pennsylvania. She moved to Dunnellon, FL from Northumberland, Pennsylvania in 1978. In 1996, she moved to Ocala. Occupations: Registered Nurse with Danville State Hospital, Danville, PA where she worked after graduating from the Danville State Nursing School in the 1930's until retiring in 1976. She was a member of Family of God Fellowship of Ocala and former member of the Methodist Church of Dunnellon and the Rainbow Springs Village Church of Dunnellon. She was an avid reader who donated many books to the Church Library. She was preceded in death by her husband William H. Bastress in 1979. She is survived by: 2 Daughters: Darlene Winn, Ocala and Connie Heil, Summerfield; 5 Grandchildren: Mark Heil (Melissa), Dunnellon; Susan Ling, (John), Philadelphia, PA; Glen Heil (Lee), Summerfield; Eric Winn, Ocala and Alisa Welsch (Mike), Pakistan, And 12 Great Grandchildren. Viewing will be at Family of God Fellowship Church of Ocala, 1471 Pine Road, Silver Springs Shores on Saturday, November 24, 2007 from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. The Funeral Service will be at 10:30 a.m. with Reverend James L. Snyder officiating. Burial will follow at 1:00 p.m. at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Dunnellon. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or to Family of God Fellowship Church, Ocala. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

1683. BOOTH, VIRGINIA(Obituary No. 1683.), 90 Ocala - Mrs. Virginia Booth, 90, passed away November 17th at TimberRidge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. She was born in the Republic of Panama and moved to Ocala in 1978 from there. She was a retired food service worker for the Marion County School System. She was a Catholic and was a member of the Panama Canal Society. She is survived by a daughter Patricia Booth of Ocala, sons George Booth of Ocala, Richard Booth of Ft. Lauderdale, FL, and sisters Carmen Elena of CA, Rosita of Panama, and Rosario Van Dyke of Georgia. Graveside services will be held at 2:00pm on Friday, November 23rd at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Fr. Rick Hugli officiating. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Assoc. or American Cancer Assoc. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

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1691. ONORI, DOMINICK (Obituary No. 1691.) , 83 Macungie, Pa. - Dominick Onori, 83, of Macungie, Pennsylvania, formerly of Holmdel, New Jersey and Ocala, Florida, passed away peacefully on October 27th at the Hospice Center in Lehigh Valley Hospital, Allentown, Pennsylvania. He was born in Elizabeth, New Jersey and had previously lived in Newark, NJ with his brothers Albert Onori, Patrick Onori and Michael Mongiello. He also lived in Plainfield, NJ; Marshall Islands; Randolph, NJ; Salisbury, NC; and Coopersburg, PA. before moving to the Top of the World retirement community in Ocala, FL, 17 years ago. He retired as a Group Supervisor at Bell Labs in 1982 after 40 years of service. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. At the Top of the World he was very active in line dancing, square dancing, bridge, and ping pong. He will always be remembered by his many friends in Florida by his cowboy hat. He was a Master Mason. He showed great courage in caring for his late wife Mary Courtney Onori while she battled Alzheimer's. He is remembered as a loving husband, father, grandfather, and friend to all who knew him. He was the husband for 52 years to the late Mary Courtney Onori who died in March, 2001. He is survived by his sons and their spouses: Craig & Karen Onori of Allentown, PA, and Jeff and Joan Onori of Middletown, NJ; his 7 grandchildren: Kristina, Jeffrey, Michelle, Matthew and Michael Onori and Jaclynn and David Heefner; and his sister-in-laws Charlotte Kroeschel of Hazlet and Margaret Asbury, Sebring, Florida; and nieces and nephews. Arrangements were handled by the HOLMDEL FUNERAL HOME, Holmdel, New Jersey. To send online condolences, please visit www.holmdelfuneralhome.com In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Alzheimer's Foundation of America (www.alzfdn.org) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

1692. SAPP, BARBARA LATHAM, (Obituary No. 1692.) 68 Ocala - Mrs. Barbara L. Sapp, retired supervisor with Sprint Telephone Co. passed away Tuesday, November 20, 2007 at Ocala Region Medical Center. A native of Lineville, Alabama. She moved to Ocala in 1967 from Washington DC. She is survived by her Spouse William H. Sapp, Summerfield, daughter and son-in-law Cheryl A. and Jay Southall, Roseville, Ohio, sisters Jimmie Sue Lipham, Oxford, AL, Doris Polly Alley, Lineville, AL, Pat Waldrop, LaGrange, GA step-sons Kenneth and David Sapp, Denver, CO. 8 grandchildren, Brittany, Meagan, Katelyn, Robert Dyvan, Lori, Abe and Tommy. Mrs. Sapp is preceded in death by her sister Gayle Buckner an step-son Thomas Sapp Memorial Service will be 11:00 A.M. Friday, November 23, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/23/2007.

1693. SZWAREK, BRIAN W., (Obituary No. 1693.) 42 Ocala - Szwarek, Brian W., 42, Ocala, FL, formerly born and raised in Chicago, IL. Beloved husband of Toni Lynn (nee Verschoore) Szwarek, his best friend whom he married in 1990 and met in 1982; loving master of dogs: Chico, Taz and Andre and cat, Comer and of Guitar Fender Strat. Loving son of Adam M. Szwarek and the late Trisha Szwarek Korsak, loving stepson of Andrew Korsak and Louise Szwarek; dear brother of Adam F. Szwarek and David A. Korsak; loving grandson of the late Andrew and Karolina Szwarek, June McDowell and the late William McDowell; dear nephew of Joe (Holly) Szwarek, the late William (Lottie) Szwarek, Norma (Ralph) Riske and Bill (Carol) McDowell. Beloved by many special cousins as well as by many other relatives and dear friends. Musician, part of the duo, "Live from Chicago!". Brian had a sweet heart towards all people and animals. His faith, his home life and his screaming guitar leads were everything he needed. Publisher and Member, Silver Springs Shores Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses. No

1694. WHITE, Nettie Williams, (Obituary No. 1694.) 99 Ocala - Nettie Williams White of Ocala passed away on Mon. Nov. 19, 2007 at Hawthorne Village Retirement Home, she was 99. Born and raised in Levy County, she was a retired school bus driver, working in Levy County for many years. She enjoyed fishing, hunting and arts and crafts. She belonged to the Archer First Baptist Church-Archer, FL. Survivors include: 2 daughters: Dolores (Oscar) Joyner, Edwina (Duncan) Asbell; 2 daughters-in-law: Connie White, Peggy White Ferina; 9 Grand and 8 Great Grandchildren. Graveside funeral services for Mrs. White will be held on Friday, November 23, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. at Laurel Hill Cemetery with visitation from 10 a.m. until service time at the cemetery with the Rev. Claude Springs officiating burial will follow in the Laurel Hill Cemetery under the direction of the Knauff Funeral Home, Williston, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/21/2007 - 11/22/2007.

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1695. BANKS, Keira Ja'Nae, (Obituary No. 1695.) 24 Winter Park - Miss Keira Ja'Nae Banks, 24, nursing student, service will be held Friday, 11/23/07 at 11:00 a.m. at Patmos Chapel Seventh-Day Adventist Church, Winter Park, FL 821 West Swoop Ave. Rev. David Long, Pastor & Rev. Herman Davis officiating. Ms. Banks was born 12/6/82 in Ft. Walton Beach, FL, to Kevin C. Banks & Sylvonia R. Rich. She attended public schools in Ft. Walton Beach and graduated from Apopka High School Class of 2001. She attended FAMU and was attending Seminole Junior College Nursing Program. She met her untimely death on 11/18/07 in Winter Park, FL. She leaves to cherish her memories, one daughter Nialah S. Smith, Winter Park, FL, mother Sylvonie Rena Banks, Crawfordville, FL, father, Kervin C. Banks & step mother Angela Banks, Apopka, FL, two sisters Kayla Davis, Tallahassee, FL & Kelsie Rich, Crawfordville, FL, one brother, Kyle Banks, Apopka, FL, M-grandparents Lewis & Bettye Rich, Jr., Ocala, FL P-grandmother Viola Banks, Prattsville, AL, M-great grandmother, Sydney B. Johnson, Ocala, FL. Interment in Lincoln Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL under the direction of "Your Friends Who Care" Cunningham's Funeral Home. Visitation: Thursday 11/22/07 from 7-8:00 p.m. for a family & public wake at Cunningham's Chapel of Faith. Friday viewing at Patmos Chapel Seventh-Day Adventist Church from 10:00 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/24/2007 - 11/26/2007.

1696. COSLICK, Rosemary Mellon, (Obituary No. 1696.) 89 Ocala - ROSEMARY MELLON COSLICK. July 2, 1918 to Nov. 21, 2007 Born in Waterbury, CT: died in Ocala, FL. Beloved wife, mother and friend. A special flower of Jesus and Mary was picked and taken to her heavenly home to be transplanted in the Eternal Garden of Heaven: there to continue to give Praise and Glory to God. Her husband Carl, Sr. and her sons Jim and George preceded her in death. Rosemary and her family moved to Ocala in 1956. Carl, Sr. managed the Ocala Natural Gas Co. and was instrumental in bringing natural gas to the Ocala area. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. While on her journey here on earth, she loved and cared for husband, Carl, Sr. and her children; Carl, Jr., Caren his wife; Kay Thompson, Bill her husband;
Paula Nogrady, John her husband, George Coslick, Laura Coslick and Jim Coslick. Grandchildren include Catherine, Paul, and Brian Coslick; Travis and Shawn Thompson; Matthew Nogrady and Sam Coslick. Rosemary spread love and joy to all that met her. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Blessed Trinity Catholic School or to Sylvia's Hospice House, Ocala, FL. The Funeral Mass will be at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church at 11:00 A.M., Saturday Nov. 24, 2007. A wake will precede the mass at 9:00 - 10:45 A.M. Saturday, Nov. 24, 2007 at the church chapel. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/24/2007 - 11/25/2007.

1697. DE SHA, LILLIAN, (Obituary No. 1697.) 75 Summerfield - Lillian De Sha, 75. Wonderful mother, wife and soul mate passed Wednesday, November 21, 2007. Mother to 5 children: Gail Jenkins, Paul De Sha, Michael De Sha, Lynn Colosimo, and Daniel De Sha. She has 6 grandchildren: Michelle, Michael, Dana, Adam, Haley and Dominic. She also has 1 great grandchild: Grace. Lillian was born in Detroit, Michigan. She graduated from St. Anthony High School. She was the founder of The Giving Tree at St Ephrem's Catholic Church. She retired from EDS where she worked as an administrative assistant. Survived by her sister, Gloria Swistock, and brother Lea Napiewocki both of Michigan. She is also survived by her loving husband of 53 years, Jerome "Jerry" who will miss her terribly. Viewing will be at 9:30 a.m. Monday, November 26, 2007 and a service will follow at 10 a.m., both will be at St Theresa's Catholic Community. 11528 SE US Highway 301, Belleview, FL 34430. Her remains will be put to rest at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Arrangements Entrusted to VETERANS FUNERAL CARE 1-800-467-7850. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/24/2007 - 11/25/2007.

1698. FITZPATRICK, DELBERT "BOB", (Obituary No. 1698.) 88 Ocala - Delbert "Bob" Fitzpatrick, 88, passed away November 19th at Estelle's Hospice House. He was born in Barbados, West Indies and moved to Ocala in 1976 from Queens, NY. He was a member of Shores Assembly Church, the Silver Springs Shores Bible Study Group, the SSS Lions Club and the SSS Cricket Club. He is survived by Estephanie Fitzpatrick his wife of 54 years, daughters Elizabeth Bowden of AL, Marcia Joseph of NJ, Nicki Fitzpatrick of OH and 6 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at the Shores Assembly Church on Monday, November 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Pastor John De Camp officiating. Viewing will be at the church one hour prior to the service. Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/22/2007 - 11/25/2007.

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1699. BANKS, KEIRA JA'NAE, (Obituary No. 1699.) 24 Winter Park - Miss Keira Ja'Nae Banks, 24, nursing student, service will be held Friday, 11/23/07 at 11:00 a.m. at Patmos Chapel Seventh-Day Adventist Church, Winter Park, FL 821 West Swoop Ave. Rev. David Long, Pastor & Rev. Herman Davis officiating. Ms. Banks was born 12/6/82 in Ft. Walton Beach, FL, to Kevin C. Banks & Sylvia R. Rich. She attended public schools in Ft. Walton Beach and Graduated from Apopka High School Class of 2001. She attended FAMU and was attending Seminole Junior College Nursing Program. She met her untimely death on 11/18/07 in Winter Park, FL. She leaves to cherish her memories, one daughter Nialah S. Smith, Winter Park, FL, mother Sylvonie Rena Banks, Crawfordville, FL, father, Kervin C. Banks & step mother Angela Banks, Apopka, FL, two sisters Kayla Davis, Tallahassee, FL & Kelsie Rich, Crawfordville, FL, one brother, Kyle Banks, Apopka, FL, M-grandparents Lewis & Bettye Rich, Jr. , Ocala, FL P-
Beloved wife, mother and friend. A special flower of Jesus and Mary was picked and taken to her heavenly home to be transplanted in the Eternal Garden of Heaven: there to continue to give Praise and Glory to God. Her husband Carl, Sr. and her sons Jim and George preceded her in death. Rosemary and her family moved to Ocala in 1956. Carl, Sr. managed the Ocala Natural Gas Co. and was instrumental in bringing natural gas to the Ocala area. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. While on her journey here on earth, she loved and cared for husband, Carl, Sr. and her children; Carl, Jr., Caren his wife; Kay Thompson, Bill her husband; Paula Nogrady, John her husband, George Coslick, Laura Coslick and Jim Coslick. Grandchildren include Catherine, Paul, and Brian Coslick; Travis and Shawn Thompson; Matthew Nogrady and Sam Coslick. Rosemary spread love and joy to all that met her. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Blessed Trinity Catholic School or to Sylvia's Hospice House, Ocala, FL. The Funeral Mass will be at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church at 11:00 A.M., Saturday Nov. 24, 2007. A wake will precede the mass at 9:00 - 10:45 A.M. Saturday, Nov. 24, 2007 at the church chapel. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/24/2007 - 11/25/2007.

1701. DE SHA, LILLIAN, (Obituary No. 1701.) 75 Summerfield - Lillian De Sha, 75. Wonderful mother, wife and soul mate passed Wednesday, November 21, 2007. Mother to 5 children: Gail Jenkins, Paul De Sha, Michael De Sha, Lynn Colosimo, and Daniel De Sha. She has 6 grandchildren: Michelle, Michael, Dana, Adam, Haley and Dominic. She also has 1 great grandchild: Grace. Lillian was born in Detroit, Michigan. She graduated from St. Anthony High School. She was the founder of The Giving Tree at St Ephrem's Catholic Church. She retired from EDS where she worked as an administrative assistant. Survived by her sister, Gloria Swistock, and brother Lea Napiewocki both of Michigan. She is also survived by her loving husband of 53 years, Jerome "Jerry" who will miss her terribly. Viewing will be at 9:30 a.m. Monday, November 26, 2007 and a service will follow at 10 a.m., both will be at St Theresa's Catholic Community, 11528 SE US Highway 301, Belleview, FL 34430. Her remains will be put to rest at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Arrangements Entrusted to VETERANS FUNERAL CARE 1-800-467-7850. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/24/2007 - 11/25/2007.

1702. FITZPATRICK, DELBERT "BOB", (Obituary No. 1702.) 88 Ocala - Delbert "Bob" Fitzpatrick, 88, passed away November 19th at Estelle's Hospice House. He was born in Barbados, West Indies and moved to Ocala in 1976 from Queens, NY. He was a member of Shores Assembly Church, the Silver Springs Shores Bible Study Group, the SSS Lions Club and the SSS Cricket Club. He is survived by Estephanie Fitzpatrick his wife of 54 years, daughters Elizabeth Bowden of AL, Marcia Joseph of NJ, Nicki Fitzpatrick of OH and 6 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at the Shores Assembly Church on Monday, November 26, 2007 at 11 a.m. with Pastor John De Camp officiating. Viewing will be at the church one hour prior to the service. Interment will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL

1703. SIVEK, CAROLYN MARIE, (Obituary No. 1703.) 71 Ocklawaha - Carolyn Marie Sivek, 71, of Ocklawaha passed away on Wed., Nov. 21, 2007. Mrs. Sivek moved to Ocklawaha from Vivian, LA in 1969 and retired as a cook from the Eckerd Foundation. She was also a member of Family Life Ministries Church. Mrs. Sivek is survived by her sons, F. Dennis Honeycutt of Bivens, TX and Donald Honeycutt of Palatka; daughters, Patricia Head of Palatka and Lori McKenzie of Ocklawaha, 6 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. Services will be held on Monday, Nov. 26 at 3 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Belleview, FL with burial to follow at Moss Bluff Cemetery. Visitation will be from 1-3 p.m. on Monday prior to the service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/25/2007 - 11/26/2007.

1704. SNOW, JULIA I., (Obituary No. 1704.) 88 Summerfield - Julia I. Snow, age 88, passed away on Nov. 22, 2007. She is the wife of the late Floyd W. Snow and beloved mother of the late Shirley (Raul) Rosales of Beverly Hills, Ruthann (Charles) Cimiotta of Summerfield and Flordena (Richard) Conibear of Sylvania, AL. She is the grandmother of 10, the great grandmother of 15, and the great great-grandmother of 3. She is the sister of Ralph Brainerd of MI, and Raymond Brainerd of MI. Visitation Monday from 5-8 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 9740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Services held Tuesday at 2 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/25/2007 - 11/26/2007.

1705. WELSCH, LARRY(Obituary No. 1705.) , 31 Silver Springs Shores - Larry Welsch, 31, passed away on November 16, 2007. Larry Welsch is the husband of Michelle Welsch. He is the father of Rayna and Kira Welsch and the brother of John Welsch. He was a member of the B.A.S.S. No visitations. Donations can be sent to: FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave, Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/25/2007 - 11/26/2007.

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1707. CANE, JOSEPH ANTHONY, (Obituary No. 1707.) 92 Ocala - Joseph Anthony Cane, 92, of Ocala, Florida, loving husband of Lydia (Kowalski) Cane for 35 years, passed into solemn
peace at Legacy House on November 22, 2007. Born in Brooklyn, New York, he had resided in Miami, Sarasota and moved here from Gainesville in 1999. He was a truck driver in New York and an Apartment Resident Manager in Florida. He leaves two daughters, Sara and Marie of New York; four grandchildren and six-great-grandchildren. He also leaves two sisters, Mae Mastronardi of Sunrise, Florida and Eve Calli of Toms River, New Jersey. Joseph leaves his two, loved nieces in Ocala, Anna Todaro and Maria Abate plus several nieces and nephews. Mr. Cane was an avid bowler and sports fan. Joe was a great Italian cook and enjoyed feeding his friends and anyone who did him a kindness. His strength and sense of humor will be missed. Graveside services will be held the week of November 25 in Webster, Massachusetts. Condolences may be mailed to 5101 S.W. 60th St. Rd. #1408, Ocala, FL 34474. Donations in his memory may be made to Holy Trinity Church Building Fund, Webster, MA 01570, Hospice of Marion County, Ocala, FL, American Lung Association, or American Cancer Society. SHAW-MAJERCIK FUNERAL HOME, 48 School Street, Webster, MA is directing arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/26/2007 - 11/27/2007.

1708. ELLISON, ROBERT WRIGHT "BOB", (Obituary No. 1708.) 77 Ocala - Robert Wright "Bob" Ellison, 77, of Ocala, Florida, died Friday, November 23 in Inverness, FL. He was born in Freeport, Long Island, NY and moved to Miami, FL at age 4 and to Ocala in 1974. Bob was a Carpenter and Home Builder. He was of the Christian faith and a family man who loved the outdoors, hunting and fishing. He was preceded in death by his son Bobby. He is survived by: His Loving wife of 57 years: Betty A. Ellison, Children: Phillis Bradham, Butch Ellison, Mary Dodd, Betsy Hamelink, Madeline Smith and Betty Mathews. 16 Grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren. 2 loving sisters, 5 brothers and son-in-laws. Donations in Bob's Memory may be made to the Shand's Diabetes Center, University of Florida, PO Box 100233, Gainesville, FL 32610-0233. The Diabetes or Alzheimers Association. Cremation Arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/26/2007 - 11/27/2007.

1709. MAHER, THOMAS C., (Obituary No. 1709.) 67 Ocala - Thomas C. Maher, 67, of Ocala, FL died suddenly on Nov. 22, 2007. Born in Norristown, PA, he moved here in 2005 from New Jersey. He retired from Camden County College in 2001. Also, he worked with the Courier Post Newspaper, CertainTeed St. Gobain Corp., and owned and operated Maher's Deli of West Berlin, NJ. He was a loving father of deceased son Thomas John (TJ) and a devoted and faithful husband remembered by his wife of 39 years Barbara (Hansen) Maher. He is survived by his sister Patricia (Maher) McNamee of California and her husband John. He is also survived by a sister Denise (Maher) Monks of Massachusetts and her husband Thomas and son Matthew; sister-in-law Patricia (Hansen) Norcross of North Carolina and her husband Richard; sister-in-law Catherine (Hansen) Clayberger of Nevada and her husband Richard; numerous nieces, nephews and cousins from Coast to Coast. As a member of the Pine Run Estates Community, he had many wonderful friends and neighbors. A Funeral Mass and Memorial Service will be held at a later date at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial donations to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Timber Ridge, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/26/2007 - 11/27/2007.

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1714. ELLISON, ROBERT WRIGHT "BOB", (Obituary No. 1714.) 77 Ocala - Robert Wright "Bob" Ellison, 77, of Ocala, Florida, died Friday, November 23 in Inverness, FL. He was born in Freeport, Long Island, NY and moved to Miami, FL at age 4 and to Ocala in 1974. Bob was a Carpenter and Home Builder. He was of the Christian faith and a family man who loved the outdoors, hunting and fishing. He was preceded in death by his son Bobby. He is survived by; His Loving wife of 57 years: Betty A. Ellison, Children: Phillis Bradham, Butch Ellison, Mary Dodd, Betsy Hamelink, Madeline Smith and Betty Mathews. 16 Grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren. 2 loving sisters, 5 brothers and son-in-laws. Donations in Bob's Memory may be made to the Shand's Diabetes Center, University of Florida, PO Box 100233, Gainesville, FL

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1716. RESCIGNO, NANCY M., (Obituary No. 1716.) 87 Ocala - Nancy M. Rescigno, 87, passed away November 24, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in New York, NY and moved to Ocala in 1974 from Middle Village, NY. She was a secretary, a parishioner at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, a member of the Council of Catholic Women, a member of the Knights of Columbus Aux., Sacred Heart Council, and a volunteer for many years at Ocala Regional Medical Center Aux. She enjoyed cooking and Bingo. Nancy is survived by, daughter, Adrienne Cortegiano, Ocala, brothers, Bernard Masciandaro of Ocala, Mario Masciandaro, E. Northport, NY, James Masciandaro, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, sister, Gloria DeRose, NY, NY, granddaughter, Christine Smith and a great granddaughter, Alexis Smith. She was preceded in death by her husband, George. The Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Thurs. November 29th at 10 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, November 28th at ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala from 4-7 p.m. Entombment will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/27/2007 - 11/28/2007.

1717. ROWE, RICHARD C., (Obituary No. 1717.) 57 Summerfield - Richard C. "Rick" Rowe, 57, passed away on Saturday, November 24, 2007 at his home. Born in Stuart, FL, he was a lifetime resident of Summerfield. During his life, he owned and operated Mid-Florida Fence Co. He enjoyed the outdoors, especially fishing and hunting. He is survived by his wife of 36 years, Joann Proctor Rowe of Summerfield; father John Rowe of Port St. Lucie, daughter Lisa Griffiths of Summerfield; son Ricky Rowe of Weirsdale; five brothers; one sister; and 5 granddaughters, Danielle, Erica, Camryn, Riley, and Reagan. A funeral service will be held at 11 AM on Thursday, November 29, 2007 at Pedro Baptist Church, 1990 SE Hwy 42. A visitation will be held from 5-8 p.m. on Wednesday, November 28, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES BELLEVIEW, 5946 SE Robinson Road. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/27/2007 - 11/28/2007.
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1718. BUFFINGTON, DANIEL L., (Obituary No. 1718.) 72 Temple Terrace, FL - Daniel L. Buffington, 72, passed away Monday, November 12, 2007. He was born April 29, 1935, in Thayer, Pennsylvania. He served four years in the US Air Force which brought him to Florida. He was in Insurance Sales for over 34 years and worked with his son at Clinical Pharmacology Services. He was a member of Belmont Baptist Church. Survivors include his wife Dolores Warner Buffington; his children Beth Steed and husband Boyd, Daniel E. Buffington and Jenny, Mary Jo Sidwell and husband Rick; and grandchildren Brent, Katie, Emily Buffington, Mary Elizabeth and Ashley Sidwell. He is also survived by his sisters; Ruth Evans, Margaret Thiebaud, Deloris LaSota and Abby Domhoff. A memorial service will be held at Belmont Baptist Church in Temple Terrace Saturday, December 1st at 11:00 a.m. with visitation preceding at 10:00 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: LifePath Hospice, 11150 N. 53rd Street, Temple Terrace, FL 33617 or Belmont Baptist Church, 7830 N. 56th Street, Temple Terrace, FL 33617. MARSICANO FUNERAL HOME - Tampa, FL

1719. CRIBBS, COLLEEN C., (Obituary No. 1719.) 78 Ocala - Colleen C. Cribbs entered into eternal rest on Monday, November 26, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She moved to Ocala seven years ago from Bradenton, Florida and was a member of the Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala. She graduated from Miami University in Oxford Ohio. She leaves behind her husband Jack C. Cribbs, three sons: Robert (Dorothy), David (Lucia), John (Deniz) one daughter Coe Cribbs. Seven grandchildren. She was a lovely person and will be missed by her family and friends. In lieu of flowers please make donations to Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/28/2007 - 11/29/2007.

1720. GRAMPS, JONATHAN "KING TUT", (Obituary No. 1720.) 33 Jonathan "King Tut" Gramps, 33, of Ocala. Fl. passed away Nov. 17, 2007. Born on Nov. 29, 1973 at Tunkhannock, Pa, and relocated to Marion County in 1985. He was an Associate at Dominos Pizza, enjoyed playing pool, bowling, electronics, and riding his scooter. Jonathan is survived by his mother, Pearl L. Gramps, Bellevue, FL, brother, Tony L. Gramps, and family of Summerfield, FL, sister, Ranada A. Gramps, Bellevue, 2- niece, 4- nephews and 1 Great niece, 3- great nephews, all of Fl. Several Aunts and Uncles and Cousins, with numerous friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Keith W. Gramps and all grand parents. A gathering will be held on Sunday, December 2nd between the hours of 1-5 p.m. with a Memorial Service at 3 p.m. at ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/28/2007 - 12/2/2007.

1721. RESCIGNO, NANCY M., (Obituary No. 1721.) 87 Ocala - Nancy M. Rescigno, 87, passed away November 24, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born in New York, NY and moved to Ocala in 1974 from Middle Village, NY. She was a secretary, a parishioner at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, a member of the Council of Catholic Women, a member of the Knights of Columbus Aux., Sacred Heart Council, and a volunteer for many years at Ocala Regional Medical Center Aux. She enjoyed cooking and Bingo. Nancy is survived by, daughter, Adrienne Cortegiano, Ocala, brothers, Bernard Mascianando of Ocala, Mario Mascianando, E. Northport, NY, James Mascianando, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, sister, Gloria DeRose, NY, NY, granddaughter, Christine Smith and a great granddaughter, Alexis Smith. She was preceded in death by her husband, George. The Mass of the Christian Burial will be held on Thurs. November 29th at 10 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. The family will receive friends on
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1723. TAYLOR, ASHTON SCOTT, (Obituary No. 1723.) 10 Ocala - Ashton Scott Taylor, 10, of Ocala passed away on Monday, November 26, 2007 in Gainesville. Born in Marietta, GA, Ashton spent most of his life in Marion County. He is preceded in death by grandfather, Lamar Taylor. Survivors include his mother, Ashley Taylor and her fiancee Tim Babiarz, father, Scott Taylor and wife Jimi Lee, all of Ocala, maternal - grandparents Dottie and Everett Taylor of Ocala, paternal - grandmother Debbi Taylor Blankenship of Jacksonville, maternal great grandparents E.W. and Thurley Taylor, Ocala, paternal great grandparents, Arnold and Martha White, Jacksonville, many aunts, uncles and cousins. Services will be held 11 a.m. Friday, November 30, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470. Visitation will be held from 6-8 PM Thursday, November 29, 2007 at The Funeral Home. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Memorial donations may be made to United Mitochondrial Disease Foundation, 8085 Saltsburg Road, Suite 201, Pittsburgh, PA 15239. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/28/2007 - 11/29/2007.

1724. WEED, ROBERT WAYNE, (Obituary No. 1724.) 48 Ocala - Robert W. Weed, 48, passed away on Saturday, November 24, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Born in Sebring, FL. He had made Ocala his home for the past 5 years moving from Jacksonville, FL. He was a manager for F & H Contractors in Homosassa, FL. Mr. Weed served in the US Air Force. He was preceded in death by Father; Captain Robert L. Weed. Survivors include; wife, Cathy Weed of Ocala, FL, four sons; Dustin and Ross Weed both of Arizona, Austin Weed of Sebring, FL and Jacob Young of Ocala, FL. mother Ellene Fields of Sebring, FL, three sisters; Terry Elwood of Leesburg, FL, Brenda Bachman and Sheri Bennett both of Sebring, FL. Several nieces and nephews. Services will be held on Wednesday, November 28, 2007 at 5 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Visitation Wednesday from 3 until service time at the funeral home. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/28/2007 - 11/29/2007.

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1725. BUFFINGTON, DANIEL L., (Obituary No. 1725.) 72 Temple Terrace, FL - Daniel L. Buffington, 72, passed away Monday, November 12, 2007. He was born April 29, 1935, in Thayer, Pennsylvania. He served four years in the US Air Force which brought him to Florida. He was in Insurance Sales for over 34 years and worked with his son at Clinical
Pharmacology Services. He was a member of Belmont Baptist Church. Survivors include his wife Dolores Warner Buffington; his children Beth Steed and husband Boyd, Daniel E. Buffington and wife Jenny, Mary Jo Sidwell and husband Rick; and grandchildren Brent, Katie, Emily Buffington, Mary Elizabeth and Ashley Sidwell. He is also survived by his sisters; Ruth Evans, Margaret Thiebaud, Deloris LaSota and Abby Domhoff. A memorial service will be held at Belmont Baptist Church in Temple Terrace Saturday, December 1st at 11:00 a.m. with visitation preceding at 10:00 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: LifePath Hospice, 11150 N. 53rd Street, Temple Terrace, FL 33617 or Belmont Baptist Church, 7830 N. 56th Street, Temple Terrace, FL 33617. MARSICANO FUNERAL HOME- Tampa, FL


1726. CRIBBS, COLLEEN C., (Obituary No. 1726.) 78 Ocala - Colleen C. Cribbs entered into eternal rest on Monday, November 26, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She moved to Ocala seven years ago from Bradenton, Florida and was a member of the Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala. She graduated from Miami University in Oxford Ohio. She leaves behind her husband Jack C. Cribbs, three sons: Robert (Dorothy), David (Lucia), John (Deniz) one daughter Coe Cribbs. Seven grandchildren. She was a lovely person and will be missed by her family and friends. In lieu of flowers please make donations to Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/28/2007 - 11/29/2007.

1727. DANIELSON, DAVID E., (Obituary No. 1727.) 41 Ocala - David Edward Danielson, 41, passed away on Thursday, November 15, 2007 at Shands at University of Florida. Born in Jamestown, NY, he moved to Ocala in 1993. For the last 15 years, he worked as the Pro Desk Supervisor for Home Depot. He was an avid NASCAR fan, and a follower of Tony Stewart. He loved racing, fishing, bowling, and riding his motorcycle. He is survived by his wife Cindy Danielson of Ocala; 3 sons Geoffrey Danielson, Richard Danielson, and David E. Danielson Jr.; mother Cynthia Odom (husband George) of Ocklawaha; father Richard Danielson (wife Kathleen) of Ocala; sister Dianne Mitchell (husband Mark) of Anthony; 2 nieces, 3 nephews, grandparents; numerous aunts and uncles; and countless friends. A funeral service will be held at 2 pm on Sunday, December 2, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Internment to follow at Anthony Cemetery. A visitation will be held from 10 am - 12 pm on Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home. Following the committal service, a reception will follow at the Ocala Speedway. The family has requested casual dress for the service. NASCAR attire encouraged. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1728. DAY, MAYOLA (Obituary No. 1728.) , 84 Ocala - Mayola Day, 84, passed away Wednesday, November 28, 2007 at Estelle's House. She was born in Bandy, VA March 31, 1923, and has been a resident of Ocala for 30 years, coming from Richlands, VA. and was a member of First Christian Church of Ocala. Mrs. Day is survived by two sons George (wife Barbara Ruth) Day and Thomas Day, both of Ocala, three grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Services will be 7 p.m. Friday, November 30, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Dr. Douglas V. Moore officiating. Interment and graveside services will be 10 a.m. Saturday, at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1729. FINLEY, SR., CRAIG W., (Obituary No. 1729.) 61 Atlanta - Craig W. Finley, Sr., 61, 1946-2007, peacefully passed away on Saturday, November 24, 2007. He was preceded in death by his parents Benjamin F. Finley, Sr. and Mary Joyce McRae Finley and his brother, Benjamin F. Finley, Jr. He was born in Ocala, Fl and graduated from Howard High School in 1963. He
received a B. S. degree from Moorehouse College in Atlanta and completed coursework for the M. S. and PHD degrees in Anatomy and Physiology at Atlanta University (now Clark Atlanta University). He was a member of Ocala Zion United Methodist Church prior to joining Central United Methodist Church in Atlanta, while attending Moorehouse College. He retired (at age 49) from United Parcel Service where he served for 18 years as Package Center Operator of the DeKalb, Sandy Springs and Roswell Centers and served as Industrial Engineering Manager and Information Services Manger for the Georgia District. Craig was a decorated veteran of the Vietnam War and retired as a Lieutenant Colonel, from the United States Army Reserves, where he served as the Chief of Administration and Logistics in a training and evaluation unit (the 2nd Maneuver Area Command - Atlanta Detachment, Fort Gillen, GA [now the 4th Brigade, 87th Division]). He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Sarah Merritt Finley; sons Craig Finley, Jr. and Jarret Finley, Atlanta, sister Mary Carolyn (Samuel) Williams, Ocala; brothers, Donald (Beverly) Finley, Ocala and Kenneth (Gwen) Finley, Lehigh Acres. Services will be held on Saturday, December 1, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Central United Methodist Church, Atlanta, GA, Rev. Byron E. Thomas, officiating. Information provided by "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1730. GRAMPS, JONATHAN "KING TUT", (Obituary No. 1730.) 33 Jonathan "King Tut" Gramps, 33, of Ocala. Fl. passed away Nov. 17, 2007. Born on Nov. 29, 1973 at Tunkhannock, Pa, and relocated to Marion County in 1985. He was an Associate at Dominos Pizza, enjoyed playing pool, bowling, electronics, and riding his scooter. Jonathan is survived by his mother, Pearl L. Gramps, Belleview, FL, brother, Tony L. Gramps, and family of Summerfield, FL, sister, Ranada A. Gramps, Belleview, 2- niece, 4- nephews and 1 Great niece, 3- great nephews, all of Fl. Several Aunts and Uncles and Cousins, with numerous friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Keith W. Gramps and all grand parents. A gathering will be held on Sunday, December 2nd between the hours of 1-5 p.m. with a Memorial Service at 3 p.m. at ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/28/2007 - 12/2/2007.

1731. JACKSON, REV. HENRY, (Obituary No. 1731.) 77 Citra - Rev. Henry Jackson went home to be with the Lord on November 23, 2007. He was a United States Army Veteran and Assistant Pastor at Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church Lowell. He has left to share precious memories sons Bryan Jackson, Maurice Jackson, Gerald Turner and Edwin Jackson. Daughters Estelito Jackson, and Kathyrn Jackson. 16 grands 13 great-grands. Funeral Services for Rev. Jackson will be held on Saturday December 1, 2007 3 p.m. at Hopewell Baptist Church, Lowell with Rev. Thomas Blue conducting the services. Burial will follow in Citra Community Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY (Baseline Road Chapel) Services and Arrangements have been Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1732. KEYES, ROGER(Obituary No. 1732.), 47 Ocala - Roger Keyes, age 47, died Monday, November 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL. He moved to Ocala from Massachusetts in 1995. Mr. Keyes was a Member of Heritage Baptist Church and was very proud of coming to know Jesus Christ as his personal Saviour. He had a love and joy of fixing old cars. He is survived by his mother Betsina Parsons of Ocala, FL, father Raymond Keyes of Easton, Massachusetts, paternal grandparents Raymond and Viola Keyes of Ocala, brothers
Steven Keyes of Ocala, FL and Jeffrey Keyes of Massachusetts, and four nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Juvenile Diabetes Association. Juvenile Diabetes Association. A Celebration of his Homegoing will be Sunday, December 2, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. with visitation from 1:00-2:00 p.m. at the Heritage Baptist Church, 642 NE 20th Street, Ocala, FL. Burial to follow in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, Florida. Arrangements by HIER'S-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1733. LYNCH, ROBERT DOWELL, (Obituary No. 1733.) 71 Dunnellon - Robert. D. Lynch, 71, passed away Monday, November 26, 2007. Bob was born November 2, 1936 and raised in Raleigh, N. C. He served in the United States Air Force 1955 to 1959 and Graduated from the University of Richmond, Richmond, Va. in 1962 where he was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity. In 1999, Bob retired and moved from Manassas, Va. to Dunnellon, FL. Survivors include his beloved Catherine Lynch, son Robert Dowell Lynch, Jr. and his wife Caulene and two grandsons Ben and Owen of Pembroke, Ma., Step-daughter Catherine A. Daley; Chesterfield, Va., Step-son James Michael Daley and his wife Crystal of West Springfield, Va., Sister Ann Lynch Barackman, St Marys, Ga., Niece Heather Barackman, Virginia Beach, Va. Bob was pre-deceased by a daughter, Kimberly Ann Lynch. A memorial funeral mass to celebrate his life will be Monday, December 3, 2007 at 10:00 A.M, at St John the Baptist Catholic Church with Fr. Joe Pinchock, celebrant. Inurnment will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Fl. In lieu of Flowers memorial contributions may be made to American Lung Assoc. of Fl., 8950 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., St. N. #205, St. Petersburg, FL. 33702 in memory of Bob. ROBERT'S FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1734. MOORE, LIZZIE(Obituary No. 1734.) , 89 Weirsdale - Ms. Lizzie Moore of Weirsdale, Florida transitioned from this life on Monday, November 19, 2007. She leaves to cherish her memories Daughter Fannie Mae Guyton, and host of nieces, nephews and friends, Services for Ms. Moore will be held on Saturday December 1, 2007 11:00am at Ramah Missionary Baptist Church, Wake service Thursday November 29, 2007 6pm at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY Chapel 5791 SE 23rd Lane (Baseline) Ocala, Friday 10am-7pm at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Services has been entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1735. MOORE, THELMA(Obituary No. 1735.) , 89 Ocala - Thelma Moore, 89, of Ocala, Florida, died in Long Island New York on November 23rd, 2007. She was a long standing member of the Silver Springs Shores Seventh Day Adventist Church. Thelma was instrumental in starting a remedial reading children's program. She was also a Deaconess for the church and involved in many other church functions. Thelma enjoyed gardening, traveling and spending time with her family and friends. She is survived by her son, William J. Moore, Jr. of Ocala, Ronald Moore of Ocala and Richard W. Moore of Germany; daughters, Maureen S. Spencer-Forrest of New York and Carolyn Moore of Ormond Beach, Florida, nine grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Friday, November 30, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. with Visitation from 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at the Silver Springs Shores Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1345 Pine Rd., in Silver Springs Shores. Burial will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, friends may contribute to the Building Fund of the Silver Springs Shores Seventh Day Adventist Church. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1737. **TAYLOR, ASHTON SCOTT, (Obituary No. 1737.)** 10 Ocala - Ashton Scott Taylor, 10, of Ocala passed away on Monday, November 26, 2007 in Gainesville. Born in Marietta, GA, Ashton spent most of his life in Marion County. He is preceded in death by grandfather, Lamar Taylor. Survivors include his mother, Ashley Taylor and her fiancee Tim Babiarz, father, Scott Taylor and wife Jimi Lee, all of Ocala, maternal - grandparents Dottie and Everett Taylor of Ocala, paternal - grandmother Debbi Taylor Blankenship of Jacksonville, maternal great grandparents E.W. and Thurley Taylor, Ocala, paternal great grandparents, Arnold and Martha White, Jacksonville, many aunts, uncles and cousins. Services will be held 11 a.m. Friday, November 30, 2007 at HIER'S FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470. Visitation will be held from 6-8 PM Thursday, November 29, 2007 at The Funeral Home. Arrangements by HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, Memorial donations may be made to United Mitochondrial Disease Foundation, 8085 Saltsburg Road, Suite 201, Pittsburgh, PA 15239 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/28/2007 - 11/29/2007.

1738. **WILLIAMS, ROBERT WAYNE, (Obituary No. 1738.)** 48 Ocala - Robert W. Weed, 48, passed away on Saturday, November 24, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Born in Sebring, FL. He had made Ocala his home for the past 5 years moving from Jacksonville, FL. He was a manager for F & H Contractors in Homosassa, FL. Mr. Weed served in the US Air Force. He was preceded in death by Father; Captain Robert L. Weed. Survivors include; wife, Cathy Weed of Ocala, FL, four sons; Dustin and Ross Weed both of Arizona, Austin Weed of Sebring, FL and Jacob Young of Ocala, FL. mother Ellene Fields of Sebring, FL, three sisters; Terry Elwood of Leesburg, FL, Brenda Bachman and Sheri Bennett both of Sebring, FL. Several nieces and nephews. Services will be held on Wednesday, November 28, 2007 at 5 p.m. at HIER'S FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Visitation Wednesday from 3 until service time at the funeral home. Arrangements by HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/28/2007 - 11/29/2007.

1739. **WILLIAMS, DEACON MARTIN, (Obituary No. 1739.)** 80 Ocala - Deacon Martin Williams, 80, Mr. Williams crossed Jordans River on Sunday night November 25, 2007. He was a faithful Member of Welcome Stranger Baptist Church where he served on the Deacon Board and he also was a United States Army Veteran. He is Survived by his sons; Timothy Williams, Rod Barriner, Rev. Lawrence Barriner, Rev. Kenneth Barriner. Daughter: Linda Williams Thompson, Patricia Williams, Ruby Sellers, Pecola Grimes, Gloria Jean Godfrey and a host of grands, great grands, nephews, and cousins. The life of Deacon Martin Williams will be celebrated on Saturday December 1, 2007 1:30 pm at Welcome Stranger Baptist Church with Rev. George Grimsley Presiding. Wake service Thursday 7:00 pm at Welcome Stranger Baptist Church. Deacon Williams will rest-in-state on Friday Nov. 30, 2007 from 10am to 7pm for
public viewing at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Arrangements has been Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

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1740. CUSHNIE, DAISY (Obituary No. 1740.) 90 Ocala - Daisy Cushnie, 90, passed away on November 20, 2007. Daisy moved from Brooklyn, NY to Ocala 30 years ago. She is the sister of Joyce Hart and aunt of Clarice Edwards and Cynthia Lammie of Ocala. She is the niece of Sharon Thomas of PA, Patrick Courr of CA, Robert Hart, Tony Hart of PA., Joy Stephens, Stacy Reeves, May Cushnie and Jean Battise. Services will be held on Saturday at 10 a.m. St. Stephens Episcopal Church Silver Springs Shores where she was a charter member. Visitations will be Friday 6-8pm at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

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1743. DAYS, JUDITH A., (Obituary No. 1743.) 62 Ocala - Judith A. Days, 62, died Saturday, November 24, 2007, in North Carolina. A native of Massachusetts, she had lived in the Ocala area for over 30 years. She worked for many years at the Appleton Museum of Art and retired to become a full time "Nana" to her grandchildren. Mrs. Days was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. She is survived by her husband Russell, daughter Colleen Harper, sons Edward, Paul and James Arthur, sister Bunny Travis, brother Jeffery Perry, and 5 grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her first husband William Arthur, her brother William Perry, and her grandchildren Jessica and Billy Harper. Funeral services will be held at noon on Saturday, December 1, 2007, at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, with Father Andrew Mallick
officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Days and Harper Memorial Fund at any Bank of America. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

**1744. DUDLEY, ROSAMOND B.,** *(Obituary No. 1744.)* Ocala - Rosamond B. Dudley, formerly a resident of Ocala and Oxford, Florida, passed away in her sleep on Nov. 25, 2007. She was at the University Place Care and Rehab in Gainesville. She was preceded in death by her husband John S. "Nuke" Dudley and her brother Garland Blair. She was the daughter of Garland "Harold" and Irene Blair of Oxford. She is survived by her sisters, Monterey Johnson of Riverside, California and Ollie B. Presley of Pensacola. A Memorial Service will be held at the First Baptist Church in Oxford, FL on Saturday, Dec. 1, 2007 at 10 a.m. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala is in charge of all arrangements. In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to First Baptist Church in Oxford, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

**1745. FINLEY, SR., CRAIG W.,** *(Obituary No. 1745.)* 61 Atlanta - Craig W. Finley, Sr., 61, 1946-2007, peacefully passed away on Saturday, November 24, 2007. He was preceded in death by his parents Benjamin F. Finley, Sr. and Mary Joyce McRae Finley and his brother, Benjamin F. Finley, Jr. He was born in Ocala, Fl and graduated from Howard High School in 1963. He received a B. S. degree from Moorehouse College in Atlanta and completed coursework for the M. S. and PHD degrees in Anatomy and Physiology at Atlanta University (now Clark Atlanta University). He was a member of Ocala Zion United Methodist Church prior to joining Central United Methodist Church in Atlanta, while attending Moorehouse College. He retired (at age 49) from United Parcel Service where he served for 18 years as Package Center Operator of the DeKalb, Sandy Springs and Roswell Centers and served as Industrial Engineering Manager and Information Services Manger for the Georgia District. Craig was a decorated veteran of the Vietnam War and retired as a Lieutenant Colonel, from the Untied States Army Reserves, where he served as the Chief of Administration and Logistics in a training and evaluation unit (the 2nd Maneuver Area Command - Atlanta Detachment, Fort Gillen, GA {now the 4th Brigade, 87th Division}). He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Sarah Merritt Finley; sons Craig Finley, Jr. and Jarret Finley, Atlanta, sister Mary Carolyn (Samuel) Williams, Ocala; brothers, Donald (Beverly) Finley, Ocala and Kenneth (Gwen) Finley, Lehigh Acres. Services will be held on Saturday, December 1, 2007 at 1 p.m. at Central United Methodist Church, Atlanta, GA, Rev. Byron E. Thomas, officiating. Information provided by "Your Friends Who Care" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

**1746. GRAMPS, JONATHAN "KING TUT",** *(Obituary No. 1746.)* 33 Jonathan "King Tut" Gramps, 33, of Ocala. Fl. passed away Nov. 17, 2007. Born on Nov. 29, 1973 at Tunkhannock, Pa. and relocated to Marion County in 1985. He was an Associate at Dominos Pizza, enjoyed playing pool, bowling, electronics, and riding his scooter. Jonathan is survived by his mother, Pearl L. Gramps, Belleview, FL, brother, Tony L. Gramps, and family of Summerfield, FL, sister, Ranada A. Gramps, Belleview, 2- niece, 4- nephews and 1 Great niece, 3- great nephews, all of Fl. Several Aunts and Uncles and Cousins, with numerous friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Keith W. Gramps and all grand parents. A gathering will be held on Sunday, December 2nd between the hours of 1-5 p.m. with a Memorial Service at 3 p.m. at ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/28/2007 - 12/2/2007.
1747. HARPER, JESSICA ANN, (Obituary No. 1747.) 15 Ocala - Jessica Ann Harper, 15, died Saturday, November 24, 2007, in North Carolina. A native of Ocala, Jessica was a sophomore at Forest High School. She is survived by her parents Colleen and Phillip Harper, Grandfather Russell Days, Grandmother Janice Carter, Grandfather Mike Harper, Great Grandmother Dolly Pino, and many Aunts, Uncles and Cousins. She is preceded in death by her brother Billy Harper, and her grandmother Judith A. Days. Funeral services will be held at noon on Saturday, December 1, 2007, at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, with Father Andrew Mallick officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Days and Harper Memorial Fund at any Bank of America. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 190 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

1748. HARPER, WILLIAM PHILLIP "BILLY", (Obituary No. 1748.) 4 Ocala - William Phillip "Billy" Harper, 4, died Saturday, November 24, 2007 in North Carolina. Born in Gainesville, Billy was a Pre-K student at Grace Building Blocks, a ministry of Grace Presbyterian Church. He is survived by his parents Colleen and Phillip Harper, Grandfather Russell Days, Grandmother Janice Carter, Grandfather Mike Harper, Great Grandmother Dolly Pino, and many Aunts, Uncles and Cousins. He was preceded in death by his sister Jessica Harper, and his grandmother Judith A. Days. Funeral services will be held at noon on Saturday, December 1, 2007, at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, with Father Andrew Mallick officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Days and Harper Memorial Fund at any Bank of America. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

1749. JACKSON, REV. HENRY, (Obituary No. 1749.) 77 Citra - Rev. Henry Jackson went home to be with the Lord on November 23, 2007. He was a United States Army Veteran and Assistant Pastor at Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church Lowell. He has left to share precious memories sons Bryan Jackson, Maurice Jackson, Gerald Turner and Edwin Jackson. Daughters Estelito Jackson, and Kathyrn Jackson. 16 grands 13 great-grands. Funeral Services for Rev. Jackson will be held on Saturday December 1, 2007 3 p.m. at Hopewell Baptist Church, Lowell with Rev. Thomas Blue conducting the services. Burial will follow in Citra Community Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY (Baseline Road Chapel) Services and Arrangements have been Entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1750. JAMISON, ADELLE VAUGHN (Obituary No. 1750.) St. Petersburg - Adelle Vaughn Jamison died in St. Petersburg, Fl. following a short illness. Funeral Services for Mrs. Jamison will be held on Saturday December 1, 2007 at 1 p.m. at St. Paul A.M.E. Church Ocala, FL. Rev. Joy Gallmon officiating, Burial will follow in Finley Cemetery under the care of CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME 18 N.W. 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL. Mrs. Jamison will repose in the St. Paul Church on Sat. one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. Relatives and friends are asked to meet at the church at 12:30 PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

1751. KEYES, ROGER(Obituary No. 1751.), 47 Ocala - Roger Keyes, age 47, died Monday, November 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL. He moved to Ocala from Massachusetts in 1995. Mr. Keyes was a Member of Heritage Baptist Church and was very proud of coming to know Jesus Christ as his personal Saviour. He had a love and joy of fixing old cars. He is survived by his mother Betsina Parsons of Ocala, FL, father Raymond Keyes of
Easton, Massachusetts, paternal grandparents Raymond and Viola Keyes of Ocala, brothers Steven Keyes of Ocala, FL and Jeffrey Keyes of Massachusetts, and four nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Juvenile Diabetes Association. Juvenile Diabetes Association. A Celebration of his Homegoing will be Sunday, December 2, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. with visitation from 1:00-2:00 p.m. at the Heritage Baptist Church, 642 NE 20th Street, Ocala, FL. Burial to follow in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, Florida. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1752. LYNCH, ROBERT DOWELL, (Obituary No. 1752.) 71 Dunnellon - Robert. D. Lynch, 71, passed away Monday, November 26, 2007. Bob was born November 2, 1936 and raised in Raleigh, N. C. He served in the United States Air Force 1955 to 1959 and Graduated from the University of Richmond, Richmond, Va. in 1962 where he was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity. In 1999, Bob retired and moved from Manassas, Va. to Dunnellon, FL. Survivors include his beloved Catherine Lynch, son Robert Dowell Lynch, Jr. and his wife Caulene and two grandsons Ben and Owen of Pembrooke, Ma., Step-daughter Catherine A. Daley; Chesterfield, Va., Step-son James Michael Daley and his wife Crystal of West Springfield, Va., Sister Ann Lynch Barackman, St Marys, Ga., Niece Heather Barackman, Virginia Beach, Va. Bob was pre-deceased by a daughter, Kimberly Ann Lynch. A memorial funeral mass to celebrate his life will be Monday, December 3, 2007 at 10:00 A.M. at St John the Baptist Catholic Church with Fr. Joe Pinchock, celebrant. Inurnment will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Fl. In lieu of Flowers memorial contributions may be made to American Lung Assoc. of Fl., 8950 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., St. N. #205, St. Petersburg, FL. 33702 in memory of Bob. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1753. MOORE, LIZZIE(Obituary No. 1753.), 89 Weirsdale - Ms. Lizzie Moore of Weirsdale, Florida transitioned from this life on Monday, November 19, 2007. She leaves to cherish her memories Daughter Fannie Mae Guyton, and host of nieces, nephews and friends, Services for Ms. Moore will be held on Saturday December 1, 2007 11:00am at Ramah Missionary Baptist Church. Wake service Thursday November 29, 2007 6pm at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY Chapel 5791 SE 23rd Lane (Baseline) Ocala, Friday 10am-7pm at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Services has been entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

1754. MOORE, THELMA(Obituary No. 1754.) , 89 Ocala - Thelma Moore, 89, of Ocala, Florida, died in Long Island New York on November 23rd, 2007. She was a long standing member of the Silver Springs Shores Seventh Day Adventist Church. Thelma was instrumental in starting a remedial reading children's program. She was also a Deaconess for the church and involved in many other church functions. Thelma enjoyed gardening, traveling and spending time with her family and friends. She is survived by her son, William J. Moore, Jr. of Ocala, Ronald Moore of Ocala and Richard W. Moore of Germany; daughters, Maureen S. Spencer-Forrest of New York and Carolyn Moore of Ormond Beach, Florida, nine grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Friday, November 30, 2007 at 11:00 a.m. with Visitation from 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at the Silver Springs Shores Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1345 Pine Rd., in Silver Springs Shores. Burial will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, friends may contribute to the Building Fund of the Silver

1756. RODGERS, SR., DONALD J., (Obituary No. 1756.) 77 Silver Springs - Donald J. Rodgers, Sr., 77, passed away on Wednesday, Nov. 28, 2007. He was born in Oil City, PA. He retired from the U.S. Navy in 1967 after 20 years of service and retired from the Ocala Police Dept. in 1987 after 21 years of service. He was a member and deacon at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church, a past master of Morningstar Lodge No. 84, F&AM and a member of the V.F.W. He is survived by his wife Juanita of Silver Springs, his daughters, Julia Botelle of Ocala and Shirley McDonnell of Silver Springs, his son, Donald James Rodgers, Jr. of Silver Springs, his sister, Rosemary Rodgers of Ocala, his brother, Tom Rodgers of Conneaut, OH, his nine grandchildren and fourteen great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Phyllis in 2001. Funeral services will be Sunday, Dec. 2, 2007 at 2:00 P.M. at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church with Pastors Jimmy Snell and Raymond L. Estes officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Visitation will be Friday from 6-8 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

1757. WILLIAMS, DEACON MARTIN, (Obituary No. 1757.) 80 Ocala - Deacon Martin Williams, 80, Mr. Williams crossed Jordans River on Sunday night November 25, 2007. He was a faithful Member of Welcome Stranger Baptist Church where he served on the Deacon Board and he also was a United States Army Veteran. He is Survived by his sons: Timothy Williams, Rod Barriner, Rev. Lawrence Barriner, Rev. Kenneth Barriner, Daughter: Linda Williams Thompson, Patricia Williams, Ruby Sellers, Pecola Grimes, Gloria Jean Godfrey and a host of grands, great grands, nephews, and cousins. The life of Deacon Martin Williams will be celebrated on Saturday December 1, 2007 1:30 pm at Welcome Stranger Baptist Church with Rev. George Grimsley Presiding. Wake service Thursday 7:00 pm at Welcome Stranger Baptist Church. Deacon Williams will rest-in-state on Friday Nov. 30, 2007 from 10am to 7pm for public viewing at SNOW’S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Arrangements has been Entrusted to SNOW’S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/29/2007 - 11/30/2007.

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1758. AUCKERMAN, EUGEN(Obituary No. 1758.) E 75 Ocala - Eugene Auckerman, 75, passed away on November 29, 2007. Mr. Auckerman was a retired Engineer with Raytheon Corp. and moved to Ocala from Windham, NH in 1995, and previously from North Reading, MA. Mr. Auckerman was a veteran of the U.S. Army Reserve. He was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. Mr. Auckerman was a member of the Masonic Lodge of F &A.M. of
North Reading, MA. He enjoyed boating, golf and taking cruises. Mr. Auckerman is survived by his wife Joyce Auckerman of 55 years of Ocala, Fl.; daughters Carol Story and husband Robin of Springfield, OH, Cheryl Parker and husband Albert of Milton, NH, Jeanine Lorenzo and husband Anthony of Methuen, MA, Nancy Courossi and husband Timothy of Methuen, MA.; brothers John Auckerman of Mechanicsburg, OH and Robert Auckerman of West Jefferson, OH; 9 Grandchildren and 1 Great-Grandchild. Memorial Service for Mr. Auckerman will be Monday, December 3, 2007 at 1:00 PM at Ocala West United Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th Street, Ocala, FL with Rev. Dr. Ken Kleckner officiating. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/1/2007 - 12/2/2007.

1759. CUSHNIE, DAISY (Obituary No. 1759.), 90 Ocala - Daisy Cushnie, 90, passed away on November 20, 2007. Daisy moved from Brooklyn, NY to Ocala 30 years ago. She is the sister of Joyce Hart and aunt of Clarice Edwards and Cynthia Lammie of Ocala. She is the niece of Sharon Thomas of PA, Patrick Cour of CA, Robert Hart, Tony Hart of PA., Joy Stephens, Stacy Reeves, May Cushnie and Jean Battise. Services will be held on Saturday at 10 a.m. St. Stephens Episcopal Church Silver Springs Shores where she was a charter member. Visitations will be Friday 6-8pm at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

1760. DAYS, JUDITH A., (Obituary No. 1760.) 62 Ocala - Judith A. Days, 62, died Saturday, November 24, 2007, in North Carolina. A native of Massachusetts, she had lived in the Ocala area for over 30 years. She worked for many years at the Appleton Museum of Art and retired to become a full time "Nana" to her grandchildren. Mrs. Days was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. She is survived by her husband Russell, daughter Colleen Harper, sons Edward, Paul and James Arthur, sister Bunny Travis, brother Jeffery Perry, and 5 grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her first husband William Arthur, her brother William Perry, and her grandchildren Jessica and Billy Harper. Funeral services will be held at noon on Saturday, December 1, 2007, at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, with Father Andrew Mallick officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Days and Harper Memorial Fund at any Bank of America. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

1761. DUDLEY, ROSAMOND B., (Obituary No. 1761.) Ocala - Rosamond B. Dudley, formerly a resident of Ocala and Oxford, Florida, passed away in her sleep on Nov. 25, 2007. She was at the University Place Care and Rehab in Gainesville. She was preceded in death by her husband John S. "Nuke" Dudley and her brother Garland Blair. She was the daughter of Garland "Harold" and Irene Blair of Oxford. She is survived by her sisters, Monterey Johnson of Riverside, California and Ollie B. Presley of Pensacola. A Memorial Service will be held at the First Baptist Church in Oxford, FL on Saturday, Dec. 1, 2007 at 10 a.m. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala is in charge of all arrangements. In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to First Baptist Church in Oxford, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

1762. GRAMPS, JONATHAN "KING TUT", 33 (Obituary No. 1762.) Jonathan "King Tut" Gramps, 33, of Ocala, Fl. passed away Nov. 17, 2007. Born on Nov. 29, 1973 at Tunkhannock, Pa, and relocated to Marion County in 1985. He was an Associate at Dominos Pizza, enjoyed playing pool, bowling, electronics, and riding his scooter. Jonathan is survived by his mother, Pearl L. Gramps, Belleview, FL, brother, Tony L. Gramps, and family of Summerfield, FL, sister, Ranada A. Gramps, Belleview, 2- niece, 4- nephews and 1 Great niece, 3- great nephews,
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BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES
BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from

1763. HARPERS, JESSICA ANN, (Obituary No. 1763.) 15 Ocala - Jessica Ann Harper, 15,
died Saturday, November 24, 2007, in North Carolina. A native of Ocala, Jessica was a
sophomore at Forest High School. She is survived by her parents Colleen and Phillip Harper,
Grandfather Russell Days, Grandmother Janice Carter, Grandfather Mike Harper, Great
Grandmother Dolly Pino, and many Aunts, Uncles and Cousins. She is preceded in death by her
brother Billy Harper, and her grandmother Judith A. Days. Funeral services will be held at noon
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Andrew Mallick officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Days and Harper
Memorial Fund at any Bank of America. H.I.E.R.S. FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs
Blvd., Ocala, is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007
- 12/1/2007.

1764. HARPERS, WILLIAM PHILLIP "BILLY", (Obituary No. 1764.) 4 Ocala - William
Phillip "Billy" Harper, 4, died Saturday, November 24, 2007 in North Carolina. Born in
Gainesville, Billy was a Pre-K student at Grace Building Blocks, a ministry of Grace
Presbyterian Church. He is survived by his parents Colleen and Phillip Harper, Grandfather
Russell Days, Grandmother Janice Carter, Grandfather Mike Harper, Great Grandmother Dolly
Pino, and many Aunts, Uncles and Cousins. He was preceded in death by his sister Jessica
Harper, and his grandmother Judith A. Days. Funeral services will be held at noon on Saturday,
December 1, 2007, at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, with Father Andrew Mallick
officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Days and Harper Memorial Fund at any
Bank of America. H.I.E.R.S. FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is in charge

1765. JAMISON, ADELLE VAUGHN (Obituary No. 1765.) St. Petersburg - Adelle Vaughn
Jamison died in St. Petersburg, Fl. following a short illness. Funeral Services for Mrs. Jamison
will be held on Saturday December 1, 2007 at 1 p.m. at St. Paul A.M.E. Church Ocala, FL. Rev.
Joy Gallmon officiating. Burial will follow in Finley Cemetery under the care of CHESTNUT
FUNERAL HOME 18 N.W. 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL. Mrs. Jamison will repose in the St. Paul
Church on Sat. one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the eulogy. Relatives
and friends are asked to meet at the church at 12:30 PM. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner

1766. RODGERS, SR., DONALD J., (Obituary No. 1766.) 77 Silver Springs - Donald J.
Rodgers, Sr., 77, passed away on Wednesday, Nov. 28, 2007. He was born in Oil City, PA. He
retired from the U.S. Navy in 1967 after 20 years of service and retired from the Ocala Police
Dept. in 1987 after 21 years of service. He was a member and deacon at Ocklawaha Bridge
Baptist Church, a past master of Morningstar Lodge No. 84, F&AM and a member of the V.F.W.
He is survived by his wife Juanita of Silver Springs, his daughters, Julia Botelle of Ocala and
Shirley McDonnell of Silver Springs, his son, Donald James Rodgers, Jr. of Silver Springs, his
sister, Rosemary Rodgers of Ocala, his brother, Tom Rodgers of Conneaut, OH, his nine
grandchildren and fourteen great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife,
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Baptist Church with Pastors Jimmy Snell and Raymond L. Estes officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Visitation will be Friday from 6-8 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/30/2007 - 12/1/2007.

1767. SEAGO, OLIVER EARL, JR. (Obituary No. 1767.) 86 Ocala - Mr. Oliver Earl Seago, Jr., 86, died Wednesday, November 28, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Waynesboro, Georgia, Mr. Seago came to Ocala in 1965, coming here from Tampa. He was a retired insurance adjuster for Allstate Insurance. He was a member of Lodge #154, F.& A.M. in Tampa, and an active member of the Ocala Elks Lodge #286, as well as the First United Methodist Church of Ocala. Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Margaret, daughter Cynthia Thompson (Jon), son Torn Seago, grandchildren Bruce Commander and Amy Peterson, and great grandchildren John Douglas Peterson and Reece Peterson. Funeral services will be held at 11 AM Monday, December 3, 2007. at First United Methodist Church of Ocala, with Rev. Donald N. Dial, Dr. John F. Few, and Dr. Robert D. Bledsoe officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, handling arrangements. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 2100 SE 17th St., suite 110, Ocala, Florida 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/1/2007 - 12/3/2007.

1768. SMITH, CYNTHIA L., (Obituary No. 1768.) 52 Ocala - Cynthia L. Smith, 52, passed away on November 23, 2007 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, FL. Ms. Smith was born in Corland, N.Y. Cynthia graduated from Grotin High School in Grotin, N.Y., She was preceded in death by her father, George Preston. Ms. Smith is survived by a daughter Jennifer Shelton of Ocala, a son Christopher Shelton of Lady Lake, her Mother June Preston, Ocala, FL., 7 sisters, Barbara Hammond of Grotin, N.Y., Lois Preston of Glendale, AZ., Linda Hansel of Denver, CO., Sheila and Marlene Stanley both of Chester S. Carolina, Sherry and Renee Preston both of Ocala. 6 Brothers Donald Preston of Killawog, N.Y., Robert Preston of Cortland, N.Y., Edwin and Leroy Preston both Lyle, N.Y., James Preston of Marathon, N.Y. and Kevin Preston of Ocklawaha, 4 Grandchildren and a host of Nieces and Nephews. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/1/2007 - 12/2/2007.

1769. THOMPSON, SAMUEL MARSHAL, (Obituary No. 1769.) 84 Austin, TX - Samuel Marshal Thompson, Jr. passed from this life and went home to the Lord on November 15, 2007 in Austin, TX. He was born May 18, 1923 to Samuel Marshal Thompson and Opal Hall Thompson in Avon Park, Florida. Sam was married to Bobbynette Beard on August 12, 1945 until her death on May 7, 2001 and was father to and is survived by Michael and wife Carol of Las Vegas, NV, Carole of Austin, TX, Randy of Cocoa, FL, Mark and wife Kay of Las Vegas, NV, Anne of Atlanta, GA and Peter and wife Margie of Galesburg, IL. Grandchildren include Sara Welch and husband Bill, Brian, Megan Balsdon and husband Ron, Ryan McQuaig and wife-to-be Stacey Jenkins, Meredith, Kyle Ruefer, Kaitlyn, Lindsay (deceased), Cory, Collin and great-grandchildren Audrey and Blythe Balsdon. Sam is also survived by his sister, Meriam McQuaig of Las Vegas, NV, and many extended family members in the Ocala, Florida area. A celebration service is planned for January in Las Vegas. Details are being planned. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/1/2007 - 12/2/2007.

1770. TORGERSSEN, TERJE(Obituary No. 1770.), 60 Ocala - Terje Torgersen passed away November 20, 2007, at his home in Ocala, Fl. Born in Stavanger, Norway in February of 1947. He came to the USA in 1975 and spent his career working for Hilton Hotels, which brought him to the Flamingo Hilton, Las Vegas, in 1994. He is survived by his long time companion Johanna Packard of Ocala, Fl. He is also survived by his mother - Constance, sisters - Ase, Berit and
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1771. AUCKERMAN, EUGEN (Obituary No. 1771.) E 75 Ocala - Eugene Auckerman, 75, passed away on November 29, 2007. Mr. Auckerman was a retired Engineer with Raytheon Corp. and moved to Ocala from Windham, NH in 1995, and previously from North Reading, MA. Mr. Auckerman was a veteran of the U.S. Army Reserve. He was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. Mr. Auckerman was a member of the Masonic Lodge of F &A.M. of North Reading, MA. He enjoyed boating, golf and taking cruises. Mr. Auckerman is survived by his wife Joyce Auckerman of 55 years of Ocala, Fl.; daughters Carol Story and husband Robin of Springfield, OH, Cheryl Parker and husband Albert of Milton, NH, Jeanine Lorenzo and husband Anthony of Methuen, MA, Nancy Courossi and husband Timothy of Methuen, MA.; brothers John Auckerman of Mechanicsburg, OH and Robert Auckerman of West Jefferson, OH; 9 Grandchildren and 1 Great-Grandchild. Memorial Service for Mr. Auckerman will be Monday, December 3, 2007 at 1:00 PM at Ocala West United Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th Street, Ocala, FL with Rev. Dr. Ken Kleckner officiating. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/1/2007 - 12/2/2007.

1772. AUSTIN, DESMOND G., (Obituary No. 1772.) 67 Ocala - Desmond G. Austin, 67, beloved husband and father, passed away at home November 28, 2007 of natural causes. Desmond was the former Marion County Republican chairman, a retired paper industry executive, and U.S. Army veteran. He was a lifelong volunteer for education causes. Born in Dublin, Ireland, Desmond is survived by his wife, Mary Eleanor; daughter Lucy Suzanne Austin of Ashburn, VA; brothers William and Joseph, both of New Jersey; and many beloved nieces and nephews. Desmond was predeceased in death by both parents, a sister Maureen, and brothers Patrick and Peter. Memorial service will be held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, December 4, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/2/2007 - 12/3/2007.

1773. DEUTSCHMANN, ALVERNA D., (Obituary No. 1773.) 82 Ocala - Alverna D. Deutschmann of Ocala, FL passed away in her 82nd year on Friday, November 30, 2007 in Ocala. Born in Freemont, Ohio, she had made Ocala her home since 1993 after moving from Miller Place, NY. She had worked as a Bookkeeper for a Tool and Die Company and was Lutheran in faith. Survivors include: daughter Julia M. Macchiaroli, son-in-law Tony and grandson Jonathan Parker Macchiaroli of Melville, NY, son Bruce Deutschmann and wife Debbie of Columbia, SC. Services will be held graveside at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, December 4, 2007 at McGormley Cemetery in Freemont, Ohio. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/2/2007 - 12/3/2007.

1774. GARNO, KENT ALLEN, (Obituary No. 1774.) 51 Ocala - Kent Allen Garno, 51, passed away on Thursday, November 29, 2007 at his home. Kent and his family moved to Ocala
in 2005. He was a vice-president of E-One and a member of First Baptist Church in Ocala. In addition to God and his family, Kent's greatest love was writing and playing music. He is survived by his wife of 20 years, Meri; 3 sons, Jason, Jordan, and Joshua, and his brother Mark Garno of Statesboro, GA. Everyone is invited to enjoy a Garneau family jam session at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 4 at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, followed by a celebration of Kent's life at 6:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/2/2007 - 12/3/2007.

**1775. GRAMPS, JONATHAN "KING TUT", (Obituary No. 1775.)** 33 Jonathan "King Tut" Gramps, 33, of Ocala, Fl. passed away Nov. 17, 2007. Born on Nov. 29, 1973 at Tunkhannock, Pa, and relocated to Marion County in 1985. He was an Associate at Dominos Pizza, enjoyed playing pool, bowling, electronics, and riding his scooter. Jonathan is survived by his mother, Pearl L. Gramps, Belleview, FL, brother, Tony L. Gramps, and family of Summerfield, FL, sister, Ranada A. Gramps, Belleview, 2- niece, 4- nephews and 1 Great niece, 3- great nephews, all of Fl. Several Aunts and Uncles and Cousins, with numerous friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Keith W. Gramps and all grand parents. A gathering will be held on Sunday, December 2nd between the hours of 1-5 p.m. with a Memorial Service at 3 p.m. at ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 11/28/2007 - 12/2/2007.

**1776. ROGERS, SAMUEL E. "BUDDY", (Obituary No. 1776.)** 76 Ocala - Samuel E. "Buddy" Rogers, age 76, of Ocala, Florida, died November 29, 2007 at the Sylvia House in Ocala. He was born on June 20, 1921 in Daisy, TN to Howard, Sr. and Madge (Eustice) Rogers. Buddy moved to Ft. Lauderdale in 1963 from Daisy, TN and then to Ocala in 1981. He was a Self Employed Air and Refrigeration Contractor. Survived by his wife Faye I. Rogers of Ocala, FL; two sons, Douglas E. and his wife Lisa Rogers and Bradley E. and wife Kimberly Rogers both of Ocala, FL; two brothers Carlton and his wife Jennie Rogers of Signal Mountain, TN and Howard, Jr. and his wife Margaret Rogers of Soddy-Daisy, TN; two grandsons, Justin and Colin Rogers both of Ocala, FL. Funeral Services for Samuel E. "Buddy" Rogers, age, 76, of Ocala, FL will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 4, 2007 at the Roberts Downtown Chapel with Bill Allan officiating. The family will receive friends from 6 until 8 p.m. on Tuesday at the funeral home. Entombment will take place at the Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum in Ocala, Florida on Wednesday with a procession leaving from the Roberts Downtown Chapel at 10:00 a.m. BROWN FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY, Lecanto, Florida in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/2/2007 - 12/3/2007.

**1777. SEAGO, OLIVER EARL, JR. (Obituary No. 1777.)** 86 Ocala - Mr. Oliver Earl Seago, Jr., 86, died Wednesday, November 28, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Waynesboro, Georgia, Mr. Seago came to Ocala in 1965, coming here from Tampa. He was a retired insurance adjuster for Allstate Insurance. He was a member of Lodge #154, F.& A.M. in Tampa, and an active member of the Ocala Elks Lodge #286, as well as the First United Methodist Church of Ocala. Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Margaret, daughter Cynthia Thompson (Jon), son Torn Seago, grandchildren Bruce Commander and Amy Peterson, and great grandchildren John Douglas Peterson and Reece Peterson. Funeral services will be held at 11 AM Monday, December 3, 2007, at First United Methodist Church of Ocala, with Rev. Donald N. Dial, Dr. John F. Few, and Dr. Robert D. Bledsoe officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala,
handling arrangements. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 2100 SE 17th St., suite 110, Ocala, Florida 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/1/2007 - 12/3/2007.

1778. SMITH, CYNTHIA L., (Obituary No. 1778.) 52 Ocala - Cynthia L. Smith, 52, passed away on November 23, 2007 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, FL. Ms. Smith was born in Corland, N.Y. Cynthia graduated from Grotin High School in Grotin, N.Y. She was preceded in death by her father, George Preston. Ms. Smith is survived by a daughter Jennifer Shelton of Ocala, a son Christopher Shelton of Lady Lake, her mother June Preston, Ocala, FL., 7 sisters, Barbara Hammond of Grotin, N.Y., Lois Preston of Glendale, AZ., Linda Hansel of Denver, CO., Sheila and Marlene Stanley both of Chester S. Carolina, Sherry and Renee Preston both of Ocala. 6 Brothers Donald Preston of Killawog, N.Y., Robert Preston of Cortland, N.Y., Edwin and Leroy Preston both Lyle, N.Y., James Preston of Marathon, N.Y. and Kevin Preston of Ocklawaha. A host of nieces and nephews. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/1/2007 - 12/2/2007.

1779. THOMPSON, SAMUEL MARSHAL., (Obituary No. 1779.) 84 Austin, TX - Samuel Marshal Thompson, Jr. passed from this life and went home to the Lord on November 15, 2007 in Austin, TX. He was born May 18, 1923 to Samuel Marshal Thompson and Opal Hall Thompson in Avon Park, Florida. Sam was married to Bobbynette Beard on August 12, 1945 until her death on May 7, 2001 and was father to and is survived by Michael and wife Carol of Las Vegas, NV, Carole of Austin, TX, Randy of Cocoa, FL, Mark and wife Kay of Las Vegas, NV, Anne of Atlanta, GA and Peter and wife Margie of Galesburg, IL. Grandchildren include Sara Welch and husband Bill, Brian, Megan Balsdon and husband Ron, Ryan McQueary and wife-to-be Stacey Jenkins, Meredith, Kyle Ruefer, Kaitlyn, Lindsay (deceased), Cory, Collin and great-grandchildren Audrey and Blythe Balsdon. Sam is also survived by his sister, Meriam McQuaig of Las Vegas, NV, and many extended family members in the Ocala, Florida area. A celebration service is planned for January in Las Vegas. Details are being planned. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/1/2007 - 12/2/2007.

1780. TORGersen, TERJE(Obituary No. 1780.), 60 Ocala - Terje Torgersen passed away November 20, 2007, at his home in Ocala, Fl. Born in Stavanger, Norway in February of 1947. He came to the USA in 1975 and spent his career working for Hilton Hotels, which brought him to the Flamingo Hilton, Las Vegas, in 1994. He is survived by his long time companion Johanna Packard of Ocala, Fl. He is also survived by his mother - Constance, sisters - Ase, Berit and brother - Odvar, son - Terje Jr. and grandson Terje all of Norway. Also his other children, son - Morten living in Cedar Rapids with wife Lisa and grandson Braxton, Michelle his daughter and her husband Darin and grandparents Christian and Andrew all of Las Vegas. He will be greatly missed by all whose lives he touched. An informal remembrance reception will be held at his home 3440 NW 2nd Ave, Sunday, Dec. 2, 2007 in Ocala, Fl from 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/1/2007 - 12/2/2007.

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1781. AUSTIN, DESMOND G., (Obituary No. 1781.) 67 Ocala - Desmond G. Austin, 67, beloved husband and father, passed away at home November 28, 2007 of natural causes. Desmond was the former Marion County Republican chairman, a retired paper industry executive, and U.S. Army veteran. He was a lifelong volunteer for education causes. Born in Dublin, Ireland, Desmond is survived by his wife, Mary Eleanor; daughter Lucy Suzanne Austin
of Ashburn, VA; brothers William and Joseph, both of New Jersey; and many beloved nieces and nephews. Desmond was predeceased in death by both parents, a sister Maureen, and brothers Patrick and Peter. Memorial service will be held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, December 4, 2007 at H I E R S F U N E R A L H O M E, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Arrangements by H I E R S F U N E R A L H O M E, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/2/2007 - 12/3/2007.

1782. DEUTSCHMANN, ALVERNA D., (Obituary No. 1782.) 82 Ocala - Alverna D. Deutschmann of Ocala, FL passed away in her 82nd year on Friday, November 30, 2007 in Ocala. Born in Freemont, Ohio, she had made Ocala her home since 1993 after moving from Miller Place, NY. She had worked as a Bookkeeper for a Tool and Die Company and was Lutheran in faith. Survivors include: daughter Julia M. Macchiaroli, son-in-law Tony and grandson Jonathan Parker Macchiaroli of Melville, NY, son Bruce Deutschmann and wife Debbie of Columbia, SC. Services will be held graveside at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, December 4, 2007 at McGormley Cemetery in Freemont, Ohio. Arrangements by H I E R S - B A X L E Y F U N E R A L S E R V I C E S, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/2/2007 - 12/3/2007.

1783. G A R N O, KENT ALLEN, (Obituary No. 1783.) 51 Ocala - Kent Allen Garno, 51, passed away on Thursday, November 29, 2007 at his home. Kent and his family moved to Ocala in 2005. He was a vice-president of E-One and a member of First Baptist Church in Ocala. In addition to God and his family, Kent's greatest love was writing and playing music. He is survived by his wife of 20 years, Meri; 3 sons, Jason, Jordan, and Joshua, and his brother Mark Garno of Statesboro, GA. Everyone is invited to enjoy a Garneau family jam session at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 4 at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, followed by a celebration of Kent's life at 6:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/2/2007 - 12/3/2007.

1784. R O G E R S, SAMUEL E. "BUDDY", (Obituary No. 1784.) 76 Ocala - Samuel E. "Buddy" Rogers, age 76, of Ocala, Florida, died November 29, 2007 at the Sylvia House in Ocala. He was born on June 20, 1921 in Daisy, TN to Howard, Sr. and Madge (Eustice) Rogers. Buddy moved to Ft. Lauderdale in 1963 from Daisy, TN and then to Ocala in 1981. He was a Self Employed Air and Refrigeration Contractor. Survived by his wife Faye I. Rogers of Ocala, FL; two sons, Douglas E. and his wife Lisa Rogers and Bradley E. and wife Kimberly Rogers both of Ocala, FL; two brothers Carlton and his wife Jennie Rogers of Signal Mountain, TN and Howard, Jr. and his wife Margaret Rogers of Soddy-Daisy, TN; two grandsons, Justin and Colin Rogers both of Ocala, FL. Funeral Services for Samuel E. "Buddy" Rogers, age 76, of Ocala, FL will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 4, 2007 at the Roberts Downtown Chapel with Bill Allan officiating. The family will receive friends from 6 until 8 p.m. on Tuesday at the funeral home. Entombment will take place at the Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum in Ocala, Florida on Wednesday with a procession leaving from the Roberts Downtown Chapel at 10:00 a.m. BROWN FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY, Lecanto, Florida in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/2/2007 - 12/3/2007.

1785. S E A G O, OLIVER EARL, JR. (Obituary No. 1785.) 86 Ocala - Mr. Oliver Earl Seago, Jr., 86, died Wednesday, November 28, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Waynesboro, Georgia, Mr. Seago came to Ocala in 1965, coming here from Tampa. He was a retired insurance adjuster for Allstate Insurance. He was a member of Lodge #154, F.& A.M. in Tampa, and an active member of the Ocala Elks Lodge #286, as well as the First United Methodist Church of Ocala. Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Margaret, daughter Cynthia
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1786. BOOHER, HELEN (Obituary No. 1786.) , 94 Ocala - Helen Booher, 94, passed away Monday, December 3, 2007 at her residence. She was born July 10, 1913 in Kitts Hill, Ohio and has been a resident of Ocala since 1946. Helen was a member of Central Baptist Church, an avid bowler with a 200 average at age 88, and she loved camping and traveling. She is proceeded in death by her husband Alvin E. Booher, Sr. in 1999, two daughters Janet Kay McCoy and Barbara Shumilak. Survivors include two sons Rev. Paul McCoy of Zephyrhills, and Jack McCoy of Ocala, stepdaughters Jeannie Beauregard of Ocala, Patsy Garrison of Plantersville, AL, stepson Alvin Booher, Jr. of Ocala, three sisters Eloise Martin of Deltona, Wanda Jean Bowman and Juanita Carrico of Ironton, OH, several grand and great grandchildren. Funeral services will be 1 p.m. Thursday, December 6, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL with Dr Jesse D. Bloom officiating. Visitation will be 4-6 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/4/2007 - 12/5/2007.

1787. CLODFELTER, RICHARD L. "DICK", (Obituary No. 1787.) 64 Silver Springs - Richard L. "Dick" Clodfelter, 64, of Silver Springs, passed away November 30, 2007. Born in Flint, Michigan on August 22, 1943, he came to this area 11 years ago from Millington, MI. Mr. Clodfelter served in the US Navy Reserve, attended the Forest Assembly of God and retired from General Motors. He was a member of UAW Local #651 Flint, MI and was a former member of the Shriners, Loyal Order of Eagles and the Moose Lodge. He enjoyed spending time with his family, riding his motorcycle and golf. He is survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Pam J. Clodfelter; son, Richard L. Clodfelter II and his wife Cheryl of Lehigh Acres, FL and their children, Ashley Clodfelter of Flint, MI, Nik Clodfelter and Shanna Clodfelter both of Lehigh Acres, FL; son, Troy Clodfelter and his wife Denise of Ocala, FL and their children, Chris (Eddie) Saighman and Kaylynn Clodfelter both of Ocala, FL and Amanda Clodfelter of NE; one great grandson; and one brother, Bud and his wife Chris of Linden, MI. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Thursday (Dec. 6th) from 4-8 PM. Funeral Service will be held at the Forest Assembly of God Church (17530 E. Hwy 40 Silver Springs) on Friday (Dec. 7th) at 12 Noon. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/4/2007 - 12/5/2007.

1788. KENNEDY, INA E., (Obituary No. 1788.) 90 Ocala - Mrs. Ina E. Kennedy, age 90, of Ocala, Florida died on Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Summerville of Ocala West. She was born in Byers, Texas and moved to Ocala in 1996 from Jupiter, Florida. For over twelve (12) years, she served as Department Manager for Woodward & Lothrop Department Store in Washington, D.C. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church and she loved walking and traveling. She is survived by her loving husband of (65) years, Joseph J. Kennedy, Col., U.S. Air Force, Retired, of Ocala, FL., her daughter, Patricia E. Schlieter of Houston, TX., her (2) sons,
Robert J. Kennedy of Columbia, MO. and Michael J. Kennedy of Aliso Viejo, California, also (7) grandchildren. Mass will be celebrated at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Friday, December 7, 2007 at 8:30 AM, with Interment to follow in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala. FL. 34476, on Thursday, December 6, 2007 from 2:00 till 4:00 PM. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 34478-4860, in memory of Mrs. Ina E. Kennedy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/4/2007 - 12/5/2007.

1789. SIMMONS, SR., RICHARD K., (Obituary No. 1789.) 77 Silver Springs - Richard K. Simmons, Sr., 77, born in Cleveland, OH, husband of the Late Betty Jean MacIntosh Simmons, passed away peacefully Nov. 24, 2007 at his daughter's in Silver Springs, FL. Richard joined the Army in 1948 after graduating high school. After his discharge from the army, he met and fell in love with his late wife Betty in Elyria, Ohio and they were married in 1955. Mr. Simmons was a certified arc welder for the Pfaulder Co. in Ohio. Richard was part of the crew building the first atomic submarine, The USS Nautilus. Mr. Simmons and family relocated to Ft. Lauderdale in 1957. He was employed by the State and Broward County and retired after 30 years of service. He received many commendations. In 2003, his wife of 48 years passed away. Soon after, he relocated to Silver Springs, FL to live with his daughter, Judy Kay Gritman and son-in-law Douglas Gritman. Mr. Simmons loved traveling with his wife Betty. They were both great country music lovers. Mr. Simmons and his family met the Late Johnny Cash and were personally invited to his home in Hendersonville, TN.... overwhelmed, they accepted. Mr. Simmons was a longtime sports enthusiast and addict. He loved his favorite Ohio State football team, the Dallas Cowboys and the New York Yankees. He attended many Super Bowl games and baseball games. He loved playing slot machines and enjoyed people. Richard was blessed with all the new friends he made in Ocala. Mr. Simmons is survived by his loving daughter Judy Kay "Jude" Gritman of Silver Springs, FL; his only son Richard K. Simmons, Jr. of Davie, FL; daughter Karen Dalrymple of Ft. Lauderdale; granddaughters Margaret Gritman of NC and Natalie Dalrymple of FL; grandsons Jason and Travis Dalrymple of FL and two great grandchildren. A Memorial Service of Remembrance will be held on Friday, Dec. 7th at 1:00 P.M. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FTL with interment to follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, where he will join his loving wife for final resting. Friends will be received from 12 noon until time of service. In lieu of flowers, donations in his name can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.4860 or your local chapter of the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/4/2007 - 12/5/2007.

1790. STARKEY, EVELYN R., (Obituary No. 1790.) 82 Indianapolis - Evelyn R. Starkey, 82, of Indianapolis passed away on November 30th, 2007. She will be joining her husband, Robert D. Starkey who preceded her in death on November 3, 1995. She is survived by a son, Robert L Starkey, Newark, Ohio, two daughters, Patricia Dupler, Ocala, Florida and Marilyn Longstreth, Indianapolis, Indiana. Evelyn has 5 grandchildren & 12 great grandchildren. Evelyn was born in Zanesville, Ohio on March 21, 1925 to Mary Ann & Lott Coulta. She had a sister, Mildred who precedes her in death. Evelyn spent most of her life in Somerset, Ohio where she worked along side her husband at Starkey Insurance Company. Evelyn spent many years as organist at Somerset Methodist Church. They retired to Ocala Florida where they lived a full life of golf & friends. Her health sent her to Indianapolis in 2004 where she enjoyed getting to know her great grandchildren. The past two years Evelyn has resided at Castleton Health Care Center. Evelyn
will be buried along side her beloved husband, Robert at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. A Memorial Service is scheduled for Wednesday December 5th at 11 a.m. at FLANNER BUCHANAN FUNERAL CENTER-CARMEL, 325 E. Carmel Dr. Carmel, IN 46032. www.flannerbuchanan.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/4/2007 - 12/5/2007.

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1791. BALLA, ROBERT S., (Obituary No. 1791.) 87 Ocala - Mr. Robert S. Balla, 87, of Ocala, Florida. A Catholic, last employed as a Sheriff's Office Crossing Guard at Greenway School for eleven years, passed away on December 1, 2007. Mr. Balla was born on August 21, 1920 in Bridgeport, Connecticut and served in the U.S. Airforce. Mr. Balla is survived by his wife of 60 years, Mary Balla of Ocala, Florida; One daughter; Marianne Spinelli of Bridgeport, Connecticut; one son Mark Balla for Daytona Beach Florida; four grandchildren, two great-grandchildren; and one brother, Edward Balla of South Berry, Connecticut. Services to be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1792. BEAUDET, MARK STEPHEN, (Obituary No. 1792.) 52 Ocala - Mr. Beaudet age 52 died Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Legacy House in Ocala. Mr. Beaudet was employed by Emerson Closetmaid of Ocala he retired from Lake County Sheriffs Department in 1997. He was born in Radford, Virginia and lived all over the World. He was an avid Coin and Antique Gun collector and restored cars. Mr. Beaudet was a Veteran of the Vietnam war Serving with the United States Army as an Artillery Missile Specialist. Survived by: His Wife Roxanne Beaudet of Ocala and Children: Stephen, Sean, Sterling, Savant and Soulanche Beaudet. Stepchildren: Tanner, Tyler, Jordyn, Brittany Upchurch. Survived by grandchildren, Starla, Barrett, Skylar, Madison, Connor and Elijah. Father: Stephen Charles and Kathleen Beaudet (Ft. Lauderdale), Mother: Arlene Harbert (Ocala). Sister: Karen (Beaudet) and Edwin Burford, Pre-Deceased Sister Margaret Beaudet. Nephews: Jim and Matthew Burford. Numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins. Funeral Mass will be said on Friday, December 7th, 2007 at 10:00am at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church 5 SE 17th Street with Fr. Patrick Sheedy officiating. Visitation will be Thursday, December 6th, 2007 from 5-7pm with prayers at 6pm at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Burial will be at Millwood Cemetery in Reddick, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to R. Beaudet Family Fund at any Wachovia Bank. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1793. BOOHER, HELEN(Obituary No. 1793.), 94 Ocala - Helen Booher, 94, passed away Monday, December 3, 2007 at her residence. She was born July 10, 1913 in Kitts Hill, Ohio and has been a resident of Ocala since 1946. Helen was a member of Central Baptist Church, an avid bowler with a 200 average at age 88, and she loved camping and traveling. She is proceeded in death by her husband Alvin E. Booher, Sr. in 1999, two daughters Janet Kay McCoy and Barbara Shumilak. Survivors include two sons Rev. Paul McCoy of Zephyrhills, and Jack McCoy of Ocala, stepdaughters Jeannie Beauregard of Ocala, Patsy Garrison of Plantersville, AL, stepson Alvin Booher, Jr. of Ocala, three sisters Eloise Martin of Deltona, Wanda Jean Bowman and Juanita Carrico of Ironton, OH, several grand and great grandchildren. Funeral services will be 1 p.m. Thursday, December 6, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL with Dr Jesse D. Bloom officiating. Visitation will be 4-6 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/4/2007 - 12/5/2007.

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1795. DALE, ELEANOR CARRIE FARLOW, (Obituary No. 1795.) 83 Salt Springs - Eleanor Carrie Farlow Dale, 83, passed away peacefully Sunday evening at the home of her loving friends Jackie and Sonny Pellum. Born in Ocean City, Maryland, she and her late husband, Richard (Dick) Dale, Jr. moved to Jacksonville shortly after their marriage in 1949 and later to Salt Springs in 1960. "Miss Eleanor", as she was affectionately known by all, enjoyed life to the fullest, especially being with friends and traveling. Survivors include Natalie Ivis, granddaughter and many, many loving friends in Salt Springs. Funeral service will be 3 p.m. Wednesday, December 5, 2007 at the Salt Springs Christian Church with Rev. Joe Massey and Rev. Walt Miller, officiating. Visitation will be at the church two hours prior to the service. Interment will follow in Salt Springs Memorial Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1796. DANTZ, BEULAH A., (Obituary No. 1796.) 97 Ocala - Mrs. Beulah A. Dantz, 97 died on Tuesday, November 27, 2007 at Palm Gardens of Ocala. Mrs. Dantz, a bookkeeper for the Gates Chili School District in Rochester, NY, was preceded in death by her husband, Fred B. Dantz; daughter Gail A. Bradley, and two grandsons. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Donna and Eugene Topp of Ocala; son-in-law Philip Bradley of Texas; six grandchildren and fourteen great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Friday, December 14, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at Countryside Presbyterian Church. Memorial contributions in her name may be made to Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Hwy 200, Ocala, FL 34476 or the American Cancer Society, 2100 SE 17th St., Suite 110., Ocala, FL 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1797. HILL, CORA E., (Obituary No. 1797.) 82 Anthony - Cora E. Hill, 82, beloved wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother, passed away on Nov. 29, 2007. She was born in Piney Flats, TN and moved to Anthony in 1964 from North Platte, NE. She enjoyed gardening, quilting, hands on projects and helping others. Her Survivors include her daughters, Theresa Fondren and Sherrie Bliss both of Ocala and Joanie Sullivan of Manassas, VA, her son, Odean Clark of Holmesville, KY, her sisters, Nell Bright of Godfrey, IL and Florence McCray of Johnson City, TN, her brother, Isaac J. Whitaker of Piney Flats, TN, her grandchildren, Chris Hill, Melissa Lawson and Daulton Fondren all of Ocala, Starla Ball of Eyarts, KY and Toby Clark of Holmesville, KY, and her great grandchildren, Kellie Ball, Jacob Ball, Kaylee Ball and James Hill. She was preceded in death by her husband, James and her son, Lile. Funeral services will be held on Friday, Dec. 7, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver
Springs Blvd. with Dr. Andy Bloom officiating. Burial will be in Anthony Cemetery. Visitation will be Thursday from 6-8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1798. KENNEDY, INA E., (Obituary No. 1798.) 90 Ocala - Mrs. Ina E. Kennedy, age 90, of Ocala, Florida died on Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Summerville of Ocala West. She was born in Byers, Texas and moved to Ocala in 1996 from Jupiter, Florida. For over twelve (12) years, she served as Department Manager for Woodward & Lothrop Department Store in Washington, D.C. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church and she loved walking and traveling. She is survived by her loving husband of (65) years, Joseph J. Kennedy, Col., U.S. Air Force, Retired, of Ocala, FL., her daughter, Patricia E. Schlieter of Houston, TX., her (2) sons, Robert J. Kennedy of Columbia, MO. and Michael J. Kennedy of Aliso Viejo, California, also (7) grandchildren. Mass will be celebrated at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Friday, December 7, 2007 at 8:30 AM, with Interment to follow in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, BRUCE CHAPEL WEST, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala. FL. 34476, on Thursday, December 6, 2007 from 2:00 till 4:00 PM. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 34478-4860, in memory of Mrs. Ina E. Kennedy. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/4/2007 - 12/5/2007.

1799. LEBRECHT, JR., CLIFFORD WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 1799.) 77 Ocala - Clifford William Lebrecht, Jr., 77, of Ocala, Florida and formerly of Virginia Beach, passed away November 25, 2007 in Ocala, FL. A native of Kinderhook, NY, he was the son of the late Johanna and Clifford W. Lebrecht. He retired from the United States Navy as a Commander after 30 years of service. He was a member of the Military Officers Association of America and Chapter of Kingdom of the Sun. He is survived by his wife Betty R. Lebrecht of Ocala, FL, his daughter, Colette Restly and her husband Mike of Jupiter, FL, a sister, Isabel Heald and husband Doug of Valatie, NY, two grandchildren, Dana Burton and husband Lee of Stafford, VA and Kyle Restly of West Palm Beach, FL and a great grandson, Logan Restly of Stafford, VA. He was predeceased by his daughter Lori Beth Lebrecht. A private family graveside service was held on Thursday, November 29th at Colonial Grove Memorial Park. HOLLOMON-BROWN FUNERAL HOME LYNNHAVEN CHAPEL handled the arrangements. Memorial donations may be made to the Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor. Condolences may be offered to the family at www.hollomonbrown.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1800. MORGAN, SHIRLEY ROBERTA McNEAL, (Obituary No. 1800.) 75 Ocala - Mrs. Shirley Roberta McNeal Morgan, 75 of Ocala, died November 29th, 2007 at Sylvia's House. Mrs. Morgan was a lifelong resident of Marion County. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala. She was a loving and proud Mother and Grandmother. She was a previous instructor at CFCC in Astrology and Psychic Development. She enjoyed attending the McNeal family reunions and spending time with her children and grandchildren. Mrs. Morgan loved animals, especially her dogs. Mrs. Morgan is survived by: Cynthia M. Clayton and husband, Mike, Lisa Michele LoSurdo and husband, Ralph (Crush), Thomas M. Morgan Jr. and wife, Diane, Jonathan C. Morgan and wife, Melody, Kevin S. Morgan, all of Ocala. Jeffrey R. Morgan and wife, Diane, of Alachua, FL. Grandchildren Ashley, Candace, Michael, Jennifer, Kristina, Lindsay, Justin, Brandon, Brooke. J.R., Megan, as well as seven great-grandchildren. Sisters Eleanor, Betty, Sarah and Jackie. Brothers, Norton and Raymond. Preceded in death by her parents, A.T. and Lucy McNeal, brothers A.T. Jr., Herbert, James and sister Lucy. Her kindness, beauty and grace will always be remembered and will live in our hearts forever. She was a
wonderful mother and grandmother and will be missed more than words can express. In Lieu of Flowers memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County or the Marion County Humane Society in memory of Shirley McNeal Morgan. A private Memorial Service will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1801. MURRAY, JAMES L., (Obituary No. 1801.) 82 Ocala - Mr. James L. "Jim" Murray, age 82 of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, December 3, 2007. He was born in Gary, IN on June 8, 1925. Jim served in the US Navy during WWII in the South Pacific Theatre. He worked for U.S. Steel as a General Foreman in the Sheet and Tin Division at the Gary, IN plant. His hobbies included woodworking, NASCAR and baseball. He was a member and Elder at The Presbyterian Church at Marion Oaks. He was also a member of Angela Santos VFW Post #4781 of Ocala and West Marion Moose Lodge #2356 of Ocala. Jim and his wife moved to the Ocala area from Hobart, IN in 1989. He is survived by his wife of 57 years Lois K. Murray; son Michael J. and wife Nancy Murray of Salinas, CA; daughter Leslie Anne and husband James Sebo of Charlotte, NC; son Christopher S. and wife Jein Murray of Wilmington, DE; sister Normagene Valandingham of Winchester, IN and 4 grandchildren Stephen, Andrew, Madeline and Peter. A memorial service will be held at The Presbyterian Church at Marion Oaks on Friday, December 7, 2007 at 10:00am. Inurnment of cremains with military honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to The Presbyterian Church at Marion Oaks. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERRIDGE, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1802. PAPY, JUNE M., (Obituary No. 1802.) 80 Lake Wales, FL - June M. Papy, 80, June M. Papy, born June Marlow in Lakes Wales, Florida on January 1, 1926 passed away and was welcomed into the hands of our loving Savior December 2, 2007 after a brief illness. June, a descendent of two of Southwest Florida's pioneer families, the Stewarts and the Wingates grew up in rural Myakka River in Manatee County, moved to Tampa with her mother Wannie Wingate Marlow during WW II, where they contributed to the war effort by service at Mac Dill Air Force Base. Following the war, June moved to Miami where she married Charles C. Papy, Jr. and raised her sons, Charles C. Papy, III and Stephen A. Papy, Sr. and was active in community affairs and various local causes. June served as one of the first presidents of the Palmetto Elementary School PTA and was active in the founding of Granada Presbyterian Church and fundraising for the Democratic Party. Her love for horses led to her founding of JMP Stables, one of the premier horse facilities in South Florida, which she owned and operated until 1971 when she moved to Reddick, Florida just north of Ocala. While living in Ocala, she became a Real Estate Broker with McKay Realty and later ABC Realty. In the late 70's she moved to Ft. Pierce, Florida where she joined Hoyt C. Murphy Realty. June returned to Miami four years ago to be near her sons and their families. June is survived by her sons Charlie (Anne) and Steve (Maria) and Lester Revels who she always considered a son, nine grandchildren, Jennifer (Brendan Barrow), Ryan, Alyson, Doug, Travis, Katie, Stephen, Laura (Carlos Perez), Mark, and two great-grandchildren, Victoria and Susana Perez. Her love, affection and straight forward advice will be sorely missed by all who knew her. June was truly one of a kind, a beautiful woman that was strong willed and determined and had a genuine love for life but relished the opportunity to stand up for what she thought was right. Her sons always knew she was in their corner and her unconditional love and devotion to them extended to every member of their families. June's family would like to thank the fantastic efforts and care that were provided to
"Mimi", during her most recent difficult illness, by Suzanne Williams and the entire staff of the Surgical Critical Care Unit at South Miami Hospital and her physicians, Dr. Edelman, Dr. Rodriguez-Moran and Dr. Snow, as well as other physicians who gave her the best care possible. The unselfish efforts of all these care givers are greatly appreciated. A celebration of June's life will be held at her son, Charles Papy's home at 1190 S. Alhambra Circle, Coral Gables on Wednesday, December 5th from 6:00 to 9:00 pm. Services will be held December 6th at 2:00 pm at Bethany Baptist Church in Myakka City, Florida. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Bethany Baptist Church, 26604 State Road 64 East, Myakka City, Florida 34251 (941) 322-1819. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1803. ROEMER, KENNETH F., (Obituary No. 1803.) 78 Dunnellon - Kenneth F. Roemer, 78, passed away on December 3, 2007 peacefully in his home under the care of Hernando-Pasco Hospice and his family. He was born in New York City on September 21, 1929. He had been employed for many years as a stained glass craftsman. He retired from Con Edison Indian Point Station, NY in 1987, at which time he moved to Florida. He will always be remembered for his laughter and loving sense of humor. He is preceded in death by his brother, William, and parents, Margaret and William Roemer. He is survived by his devoted wife, Joan, of 54 years; daughter, Kathi Rosafort and husband Michael of Lincolnindale, NY; daughter, Joan Wheeler and husband Zachary of Sorrento, Fl.; son, Kenneth A. Roemer of Ocala, Fl and son, Gregg Roemer and wife Suzanne of Stanfordville, NY. He is also survived by 11 grandchildren. Memorial donations may be made to the Hernando-Pasco Hospice, 2417 Lecanto Highway, Lecanto, FL 34461. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1804. SIMMONS, SR., RICHARD K., (Obituary No. 1804.) 77 Silver Springs - Richard K. Simmons, Sr., 77, born in Cleveland, OH, husband of the Late Betty Jean MacIntosh Simmons, passed away peacefully Nov. 24, 2007 at his daughter's in Silver Springs, FL. Richard joined the Army in 1948 after graduating high school. After his discharge from the army, he met and fell in love with his late wife Betty in Elyria, Ohio and they were married in 1955. Mr. Simmons was a certified arc welder for the Pfaulder Co. in Ohio. Richard was part of the crew building the first atomic submarine, The USS Nautilus. Mr. Simmons and family relocated to Ft. Lauderdale in 1957. He was employed by the State and Broward County and retired after 30 years of service. He received many commendations. In 2003, his wife of 48 years passed away. Soon after, he relocated to Silver Springs, FL to live with his daughter, Judy Kay Gritman and son-in-law Douglas Gritman. Mr. Simmons loved traveling with his wife Betty. They were both great country music lovers. Mr. Simmons and his family met the Late Johnny Cash and were personally invited to his home in Hendersonville, TN.... overwhelmed, they accepted. Mr. Simmons was a longtime sports enthusiast and addict. He loved his favorite Ohio State football team, the Dallas Cowboys and the New York Yankees. He attended many Super Bowl games and baseball games. He loved playing slot machines and enjoyed people. Richard was blessed with all the new friends he made in Ocala. Mr. Simmons is survived by his loving daughter Judy Kay "Jude" Gritman of Silver Springs, FL; his only son Richard K. Simmons, Jr. of Davie, FL; daughter Karen Dalrymple of Ft. Lauderdale; granddaughters Margaret Gritman of NC and Natalie Dalrymple of FL; grandsons Jason and Travis Dalrymple of FL and two great grandchildren. A Memorial Service of Remembrance will be held on Friday, Dec. 7th at 1:00 P.M. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FTL with inurnment to follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, where he will join his loving wife for final resting. Friends will be received from 12 noon until time of service. In lieu of flowers, donations in his name can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.4860 or your local chapter

1805. STARKEY, EVELYN R., (Obituary No. 1805.) 82 Indianapolis - Evelyn R. Starkey, 82, of Indianapolis passed away on November 30th, 2007. She will be joining her husband, Robert D. Starkey who preceded her in death on November 3, 1995. She is survived by a son, Robert L. Starkey, Newark, Ohio, two daughters, Patricia Dupler, Ocala, Florida and Marilyn Longstreth, Indianapolis, Indiana. Evelyn has 5 grandchildren & 12 great grandchildren. Evelyn was born in Zanesville, Ohio on March 21, 1925 to Mary Ann & Lott Coulta. She had a sister, Mildred who precedes her in death. Evelyn spent most of her life in Somerset, Ohio where she worked along side her husband at Starkey Insurance Company. Evelyn spent many years as organist at Somerset Methodist Church. They retired to Ocala Florida where they lived a full life of golf & friends. Her health sent her to Indianapolis in 2004 where she enjoyed getting to know her great grandchildren. The past two years Evelyn has resided at Castleton Health Care Center. Evelyn will be buried along side her beloved husband, Robert at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. A Memorial Service is scheduled for Wednesday December 5th at 11 a.m. at FLANNER BUCHANAN FUNERAL CENTER-CARMEL, 325 E. Carmel Dr. Carmel, IN 46032.


1806. STRACHAN, ADAM SIM, (Obituary No. 1806.) 71 Summerfield - Adam Sim Strachan, 71, passed away December 2, 2007. Mr. Strachan was born in Glasgow, Scotland on December 14, 1935. He was a retired NYPD Police Officer. He moved to Summerfield, Florida in 1997 from Holbrook, New York. He was a Catholic, a member of Knights of Columbus and served 9 years of National Guard service. Survivors include: Wife Virginia (Ginger) Strachan, Summerfield, FL; son Alan T. Strachan, Little Neck, NY; daughters Linda L. McArdle, Hoschton, GA, Lisa A. Sorensen, E. Patchogue, NY, Christine M. Greenberg, Farmingville, NY, and Jennifer R. Steinberg, E. Setauket, NY; brother Thomas Strachan, Elmore, AL, Stuart Strachan, Hutchison Island, FL, and 2 grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at St. Theresa's Catholic Church in Bellevue, today, December 5th at 10 a.m. Memorial donations in his honor to: Hospice of Marion County, P.O Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1807. WORRELL, GAYLE (Obituary No. 1807.) , 59 Ocklawaha - Worrell, Gayle Lynn, A Memorial Service for Gayle Lynn Worrell, age 59 0cklawaha, Florida, who passed away on Saturday, December 1, 2007, will be held at 3PM, Saturday, December 8, 2007, at the First Baptist Church of Ocklawaha, Florida. Mrs. Worrell, a home maker, was born on February 27, 1948 in Bedford, Indiana and is survived by her husband of twenty-five years, Jack Worrell of Ocklawaha, Florida; one son John Abel of Bedford, Indiana; one daughter, Natalie Booker of Bedford, Indiana; two grandson Gavin and Thomas Abel of Bedford, Indiana; two sisters, Mrs. Leland Wagner of Ocklawaha, Florida and Mrs. Odus Callahan of Bedford, Indiana; and several nieces and nephews. Mrs. Worrell is pre-deceased by her mother and father, James and Catherine Osborn. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

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1808. BALLA, ROBERT S., (Obituary No. 1808.) 87 Ocala - Mr. Robert S. Balla, 87, of Ocala, Florida. A Catholic, last employed as a Sheriff's Office Crossing Guard at Greenway School for eleven years, passed away on December 1, 2007. Mr. Balla was born on August 21, 1920 in Bridgeport, Connecticut and served in the U.S. Airforce. Mr. Balla is survived by his wife of 60 years, Mary Balla of Ocala, Florida; One daughter; Marianne Spinelli of Bridgeport,
Connecticut; one son Mark Balla for Daytona Beach Florida; four grandchildren, two great-grandchildren; and one brother, Edward Balla of South Berry, Connecticut. Services to be held at a later date. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1809. BEAUDET, MARK STEPHEN, (Obituary No. 1809.) 52 Ocala - Mr. Beaudet age 52 died Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Legacy House in Ocala. Mr. Beaudet was employed by Emerson Closetmaid of Ocala he retired from Lake County Sheriffs Department in 1997. He was born in Radford, Virginia and lived all over the World. He was an avid Coin and Antique Gun collector and restored cars. Mr. Beaudet was a Veteran of the Vietnam war Serving with the United States Army as an Artillery Missile Specialist. Survived by: His Wife Roxanne Beaudet of Ocala and Children: Stephen, Sean, Sterling, Savant and Soulange Beaudet. Stepchildren: Tanner, Tyler, Jordyn, Brittany Upchurch. Survived by grandchildren, Starla, Barrett, Skylar, Madison, Connor and Elijah. Father: Stephen Charles and Kathleen Beaudet (Ft. Lauderdale), Mother: Arlene Harbert (Ocala). Sister: Karen (Beaudet) and Edwin Burford, Pre-Deceased Sister Margaret Beaudet. Nephews: Jim and Matthew Burford. Numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins. Funeral Mass will be said on Friday, December 7th, 2007 at 10:00am at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church 5 SE 17th Street with Fr. Patrick Sheedy officiating. Visitation will be Thursday, December 6th, 2007 from 5-7pm with prayers at 6pm at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Burial will be at Millwood Cemetery in Reddick, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to R. Beaudet Family Fund at any Wachovia Bank. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1810. CONNER, SIMPSON J., (Obituary No. 1810.) 63 Ocala - Simpson J. Conner, 63, passed away on November 30, 2007. He was a Untied States Marin Corp Veteran. He is survived by his wife Wilma Conner. Funeral Services for Mr. Conner will be 11 a.m. Saturday, December 8, 2007 New St. John Baptist Church Rev. Dr. TL Brooks pastor. Viewing will be on Friday 10-7pm at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing a memory that will never fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1811. CURRY, ETHEL MAE, (Obituary No. 1811.) 77 Ocala -- Ms. Ethel Mae Curry, age 77 passed away on November 30, 2007 at Oakwood Nursing Home. She was a retired Homemaker and a lifetime resident of Marion County. Ms. Curry leaves to cherish her memories: Devoted husband (Mack Curry), Ocala, Fl., Two Sons: Joseph Taylor, Weirsdale, Fl., Juilus Shuler, Ocoee, Fl., Three Daughters: Cynthia Helfin, Jacksonville, Fl., Debra Henry and Gwendolyn Baker, (Both of Ocala, Fl). Funeral Services for Ms. Ethel Curry will be held 3:00 PM on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at God Church of Prayer, Mary Robinson, Pastor., 1300 S W FT. King Street, Ocala, Florida, 34475. Interment will follow in Burrell Cemetery, Santos, Fl. Visitation wit be held on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1812. DALE, ELEANOR CARRIE FARLOW, (Obituary No. 1812.) 83 Salt Springs - Eleanor Carrie Farlow Dale, 83, passed away peacefully Sunday evening at the home of her loving friends Jackie and Sonny Pellum. Born in Ocean City, Maryland, she and her late husband, Richard (Dick) Dale, Jr. moved to Jacksonville shortly after their marriage in 1949 and later to Salt Springs in 1960. "Miss Eleanor", as she was affectionately known by all, enjoyed life to the fullest, especially being with friends and traveling. Survivors include Natalie Ivis, granddaughter and many, many loving friends in Salt Springs. Funeral service will be 3 p.m. Wednesday, December 5, 2007 at the Salt Springs Christian Church with Rev. Joe Massey and Rev. Walt Miller, officiating. Visitation will be at the church two hours prior to the service.
Interment will follow in Salt Springs Memorial Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1813. DANTZ, BEULAH A., (Obituary No. 1813.) 97 Ocala - Mrs. Beulah A. Dantz, 97 died on Tuesday, November 27, 2007 at Palm Gardens of Ocala. Mrs. Dantz, a bookkeeper for the Gates Chili School District in Rochester, NY, was preceded in death by her husband, Fred B. Dantz; daughter Gail A. Bradley, and two grandsons. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Donna and Eugene Topp of Ocala; son-in-law Philip Bradley of Texas; six grandchildren and fourteen great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Friday, December 14, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at Countryside Presbyterian Church. Memorial contributions in her name may be made to Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Hwy 200, Ocala, FL 34476 or the American Cancer Society, 2100 SE 17th St., Suite 110., Ocala, FL 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1814. DEEL, ELIGAH GRAYSON, (Obituary No. 1814.) 90 Ocala - Eligah G. Deel, age 90, passed away Monday, December 3, 2007. He was born in Aily, VA. July 17, 1917. He served his country as SSGT in the US Army for 26 years and was a veteran of WWII, Korea, and Vietnam. He came to Marion County in 1968 from Knox, KY. He retired as an employee of the City of Ocala over 10 years ago, and was a member of the VFW and the DAV. Survivors include his wife Juanita Deel, son Kent Deel of Dover, DE. three daughters Barbara Gayle Barnwell, of Silver Springs, Judy D. Deel of Silver Springs, Paula Brooks of Ocala, son-in-law Dante' Barwell, six grandchildren, four great grandchildren. Also two step grandchildren Robert Holley of Chesapeake, OH, Peggy Smith, Grove City, OH, six step grandchildren, fourteen step great grandchildren; and many friends and extended family. His first wife Betty Deel preceded him in death. Services will be 2:00 PM Saturday, December 8, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be Friday evening from 5:00-7:00 PM, Interment with military honors will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by There Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1815. DODSON, DARRIN JACKSON, (Obituary No. 1815.) 34 Ocala - Darrin Jackson Dodson, 34, died Monday, December 3rd in Crystal River. He was born June 5, 1973 in Ocala and lived most of his life here. Occupations: Firefighter since 1990 and a graduate of Florida State Fire College in 1993. He organized and was Past President of the Division of Forestry Union. He is survived by: Wife, Bea Dodson, Ocala; Mother: Penny Dodson, Ocala; Father: Melvin Cross, Texas; son: Blake Dodson, Weirsdale, FL; Brother: Brain Dodson and his wife Lucretia, Crystal River; Niece: Sara and 3 nephews: Cameron, Phillip and Ryan. Viewing will be at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL on Saturday, December 8, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Noontime, at which time the Funeral Service will be held. Cremation will follow under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1816. HILL, CORA E., (Obituary No. 1816.) 82 Anthony - Cora E. Hill, 82, beloved wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother, passed away on Nov. 29, 2007. She was born in Piney Flats, TN and moved to Anthony in 1964 from North Platte, NE. She enjoyed gardening, quilting, hands on projects and helping others. Her Survivors include her daughters, Theresa Fondren and Sherrie Bliss both of Ocala and Joanie Sullivan of Manasass, VA, her son, Odean Clark of Holmesville, KY, her sisters, Nell Bright of Godfrey, IL and Florence McCray of Johnson City, TN, her brother, Isaac J. Whitaker of Piney Flats, TN, her grandchildren, Chris Hill, Melissa Lawson and Daulton Fondren all of Ocala, Starla Ball of Eyarts, KY and Toby Clark of Holmesville, KY, and her great grandchildren, Kellie Ball, Jacob Ball, Kaylee Ball and
James Hill. She was preceded in death by her husband, James and her son, Lile. Funeral services will be held on Friday, Dec. 7, 2007 at 2 p.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Dr. Andy Bloom officiating. Burial will be in Anthony Cemetery. Visitation will be Thursday from 6-8 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1817. HODGES, JONATHAN M., (Obituary No. 1817.) 87 Ocala - Mr. Jonathan M. Hodges, 87, Carpenter. Service will be held on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Zion United Methodist Church, Rev. Altheria Lenon, Pastor. Mr. Hodges was born June 8, 1920 in Kingston, Jamaica. He was educated in the school system of Kingston, Jamaica. He leaves to cherish his memories: one son Jonathan Hodges, Patterson, N.J.; two daughters, Lenora McCain, Clifton, N.J., Madge Hodges, Brooklyn, N.Y.; three sisters Esmie Hodges, ocala, Millicent H. Cranford, Brooklyn, N.Y., Lucinda E. Taylor, Brooklyn, N.Y. Visitation: Friday December 7, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday December 8, 2007 at the church from 10 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Interment in Lincoln Memorial Gardens, under the direction of "Your Friends Who Cares" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1818. HOUSTON, ELBERT E., (Obituary No. 1818.) 83 Ocala - Mr. Elbert E. Houston, 83, Manufactor. Service will be held on Saturday, December 8, 2007 AT 3 P.M. AT New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Tommy Brooks, Pastor. Mr. Houston was born December 11, 1923 in Live Oak, FL. He is a veteran of the U. S. Army. He leaves to cherish his memories - two brothers Rev. James Houston and Joseph Houston, both of Ocala, FL.; one sister Luvennia Smith, Live Oak, FL. Visitation: Friday December 7, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday December 8, 2007 at the church from 2 p.m. until service. hour. No Viewing after the Eulogy. Interment in Chestnut Cemetery under the directions of "Your Friends Who Cares" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1819. KANN, MARTIN JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 1819.) 91 Ocala - Martin Joseph Kann, 91, died October 24, 2007 at New Horizon Rehabilitation Center. He was born in Charles City, Iowa and had served his country in the US Army. An electrician, he had worked in many different fields in his profession, including electrical communications, as well as commercial and industrial electrical work. Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, December 7, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1820. LEBRECHT, JR., CLIFFORD WILLIAM, (Obituary No. 1820.) 77 Ocala - Clifford William Lebrecht, Jr., 77, of Ocala, Florida and formerly of Virginia Beach, passed away November 25, 2007 in Ocala, FL. A native of Kinderhook, NY, he was the son of the late Johanna and Clifford W. Lebrecht. He retired from the United States Navy as a Commander after 30 years of service. He was a member of the Military Officers Association of America and Chapter of Kingdom of the Sun. He is survived by his wife Betty R. Lebrecht of Ocala, FL, his daughter, Colette Restly and her husband Mike of Jupiter, FL, a sister, Isabel Heald and husband Doug of Valatie, NY, two grandchildren, Dana Burton and husband Lee of Stafford, VA and Kyle Restly of West Palm Beach, FL and a great grandson, Logan Restly of Stafford, VA. He was predeceased by his daughter Lori Beth Lebrecht. A private family graveside service was held on Thursday, November 29th at Colonial Grove Memorial Park. HOLLOMON-BROWN FUNERAL HOME LYNNHAVEN CHAPEL handled the arrangements. Memorial donations may be made to the Pacific Aviation Museum Pearl Harbor. Condolences may be offered to the

1821. MARTINEZ, CHERYL (Obituary No. 1821.), 20 Cheryl Martinez, age 20, of Ocala died Wednesday, November 28, 2007 in Gainesville, FL. She was a graduate of Vanguard High School, I.B. Program, Class of 2005. She was a member of the Anchor Club at Vanguard, a Volunteer at Shand's Hospital, a member of the American Medical Student Association of UF and a member of St. Jude Catholic Church. She was on her third year at the University of Florida. She received several academic awards throughout her school years including the President's Academic award. She is survived by her parents, Jose and Myriam Martinez; sisters, Jennifer L. Martinez and Michele Ann Martinez, both of Ocala; maternal grandfather, Luis Sepulveda of Ocala and maternal grandmother, Carmen Sepulveda of Ocala. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, December 6, 2007 at 8:00 a.m. at the St. Jude Catholic Church: 443 Marion Oaks Drive Ocala, Florida 34473. Following will be the Funeral Ceremony at: Forest Lawn Memory Gardens & Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave. Ocala, FL 34480. Under the care of MILAM FUNERAL HOME, 352-376-5361. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1822. MCNEALY, EZRA (Obituary No. 1822.), 73 Ocala - Ezra McNealy, 73, passed away on Sunday, December 2, 2007. He is survived by his daughters, sisters, brothers, numerous nieces and nephews. Visitation will be on Friday, 7-8 p.m. at Friendship Baptist Church, Rev. Samuel Shaw Pastor. Services will be held on Saturday 3 p.m. at Southside Oak Grove. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing a memory that will never fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1823. MORGAN, SHIRLEY ROBERTA McNEAL, (Obituary No. 1823.) 75 Ocala - Mrs. Shirley Roberta McNeal Morgan, 75 of Ocala, died November 29th, 2007 at Sylvia's House. Mrs. Morgan was a lifelong resident of Marion County. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala. She was a loving and proud Mother and Grandmother. She was a previous instructor at CFCC in Astrology and Psychic Development. She enjoyed attending the McNeal family reunions and spending time with her children and grandchildren. Mrs. Morgan loved animals, especially her dogs. Mrs. Morgan is survived by: Cynthia M. Clayton and husband, Mike, Lisa Michele LoSurdo and husband, Ralph (Crush), Thomas M. Morgan Jr. and wife, Diane, Jonathan C. Morgan and wife, Melody, Kevin S. Morgan, all of Ocala. Jeffrey R. Morgan and wife, Diane, of Alachua, FL. Grandchildren Ashley, Candace, Michael, Jennifer, Kristina, Lindsay, Justin, Brandon, Brooke, J.R., Megan, as well as seven great-grandchildren. Sisters Eleanor, Betty, Sarah and Jackie. Brothers, Norton and Raymond. Preceded in death by her parents, A.T. and Lucy McNeal, brothers A.T. Jr., Herbert, James and sister Lucy. Her kindness, beauty and grace will always be remembered and will live in our hearts forever. She was a wonderful mother and grandmother and will be missed more than words can express. In Lieu of Flowers memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County or the Marion County Humane Society in memory of Shirley McNeal Morgan. A private Memorial Service will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1824. MURRAY, JAMES L., (Obituary No. 1824.) 82 Ocala - Mr. James L. "Jim" Murray, age 82 of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, December 3, 2007. He was born in Gary, IN. on June 8, 1925. Jim served in the US Navy during WWII in the South Pacific Theatre. He worked for U.S. Steel as a General Foreman in the Sheet and Tin Division at the Gary, IN plant. His hobbies included woodworking, NASCAR and baseball. He was a member and Elder at The
Presbyterian Church at Marion Oaks. He was also a member of Angela Santos VFW Post #4781 of Ocala and West Marion Moose Lodge #2356 of Ocala. Jim and his wife moved to the Ocala area from Hobart, IN in 1989. He is survived by his wife of 57 years Lois K. Murray; son Michael J. and wife Nancy Murray of Salinas, CA; daughter Leslie Anne and husband James Sebo of Charlotte, NC; son Christopher S. and wife Jein Murray of Wilmington, DE; sister Normagene Valandingham of Winchester, IN and 4 grandchildren Stephen, Andrew, Madeline and Peter. A memorial service will be held at The Presbyterian Church at Marion Oaks on Friday, December 7, 2007 at 10:00am. Inurnment of cremains with military honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to The Presbyterian Church at Marion Oaks. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TIMBERIDGE, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1825. PAPY, JUNE M., (Obituary No. 1825.) 80 Lake Wales, FL - June M. Papy, 80, June M. Papy, born June Marlow in Lakes Wales, Florida on January 1, 1926 passed away and was welcomed into the hands of our loving Savior December 2, 2007 after a brief illness. June, a descendent of two of Southwest Florida's pioneer families, the Stewarts and the Wingates grew up in rural Myakka River in Manatee County, moved to Tampa with her mother Wannie Wingate Marlow during WW II, where they contributed to the war effort by service at Mac Dill Air Force Base. Following the war, June moved to Miami where she married Charles C. Papy, Jr. and raised her sons, Charles C. Papy, III and Stephen A. Papy, Sr. and was active in community affairs and various local causes. June served as one of the first presidents of the Palmetto Elementary School PTA and was active in the founding of Granada Presbyterian Church and fundraising for the Democratic Party. Her love for horses led to her founding of JMP Stables, one of the premier horse facilities in South Florida, which she owned and operated until 1971 when she moved to Reddick, Florida just north of Ocala. While living in Ocala, she became a Real Estate Broker with McKay Realty and later ABC Realty. In the late 70's she moved to Ft. Pierce, Florida where she joined Hoyt C. Murphy Realty. June returned to Miami four years ago to be near her sons and their families. June is survived by her sons Charlie (Anne) and Steve (Maria) and Lester Revels who she always considered a son, nine grandchildren, Jennifer (Brendan Barrow), Ryan, Alyson, Doug, Travis, Katie, Stephen, Laura (Carlos Perez), Mark, and two great-grandchildren, Victoria and Susana Perez. Her love, affection and straight forward advice will be sorely missed by all who knew her. June was truly one of a kind, a beautiful woman that was strong willed and determined and had a genuine love for life but relished the opportunity to stand up for what she thought was right. Her sons always knew she was in their corner and her unconditional love and devotion to them extended to every member of their families. June's family would like to thank the fantastic efforts and care that were provided to "Mimi", during her most recent difficult illness, by Suzanne Williams and the entire staff of the Surgical Critical Care Unit at South Miami Hospital and her physicians, Dr. Edelman, Dr. Rodriguez-Moran and Dr. Snow, as well as other physicians who gave her the best care possible. The unselfish efforts of all these care givers are greatly appreciated. A celebration of June's life will be held at her son, Charles Papy's home at 1190 S. Alhambra Circle, Coral Gables on Wednesday, December 5th from 6:00 to 9:00 pm. Services will be held December 6th at 2:00 pm at Bethany Baptist Church in Myakka City, Florida. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Bethany Baptist Church, 26604 State Road 64 East, Myakka City, Florida 34251 (941) 322-1819. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.
1826. ROBERTS, LASHAWN RENEE, (Obituary No. 1826.) 45 Ocala - Ms. Lashawn Renee Roberts, 45, passed away on November 28, 2007 at Leesburg Regional Medical Center. She was a native of Ocala. Ms. Roberts was employed by Sprint (Embarq) for 15 years. She leaves to mourn her passing: Brothers: Jerome Wright (Dot), Hampton, VA.; Isaac "Pete" Roberts, Jr., Antoine Roberts (Thanase) both of Ocala, FL., Lemonte Morand, Pittsburgh, PA. (Sister): Cynthia Roberts (Frank), Dallas, TX. Funeral Services for Ms. Lashawn Renee Roberts will be held 11 a.m. on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. G. W. Lee/Pastor, Dr. Dennis Hagins/Eulogist. Interment will follow in Lincoln Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 12 noon until 7 p.m. "A Summers service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1827. ROEMER, KENNETH F., (Obituary No. 1827.) 78 Dunnellon - Kenneth F. Roemer, 78, passed away on December 3, 2007 peacefully in his home under the care of Hernando-Pasco Hospice and his family. He was born in New York City on September 21, 1929. He had been employed for many years as a stained glass craftsman. He retired from Con Edison Indian Point Station, NY in 1987, at which time he moved to Florida. He will always be remembered for his laughter and loving sense of humor. He is preceded in death by his brother, William, and parents, Margaret and William Roemer. He is survived by his devoted wife, Joan, of 54 years; daughter, Kathi Rosafort and husband Michael of Lincolnlake, NY; daughter, Joan Wheeler and husband Suzanne of Sanfordville, NY. He is also survived by 11 grandchildren. Memorial donations may be made to the Hernando-Pasco Hospice, 2417 Lecanto Highway, Lecanto, FL 34461. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1828. SMITH, KATE ALINE, (Obituary No. 1828.) 93 Ocala - Kate Aline Smith, 93, passed away on Dec. 3, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Milltown, GA and moved to Ocala in 1933. She was a homemaker and member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church where she was a member of the Esther Sunday School Class. Her survivors include her daughter, Virginia A. Faw of Ocklawaha, her sons, Don A. Smith and wife Gail of Tallahassee and Tommy D. Smith and wife Cindy of Ocala, her sister, Ora Lee Burkehalter of Patterson, GA, her three grandchildren and four great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband A.D. (Smitty) Smith, Jr. and her daughter, Sharon M. Smith. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, Dec. 8, 2007 at 10 a.m.. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Samuel W. Clements and Rev. Joe A. Williams officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Friday from 5-7 P.M. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1829. SNYDER, GLORIA ANN (LILLY) (Obituary No. 1829.), 65 Gainesville - Gloria Ann (Lilly) Snyder, 65, died on 12/1/07 in Gainesville, FL with her daughter-in-law Catherine Ludlum Snyder at her side. She has gone to join her husband, Eugene Snyder, who preceded her in death. She is survived by her mother Pauline Lilly of Ocala, FL. She will be missed by her children, Mary Jane Stricklin of Seattle, WA; Terri Steffen, Troy Snyder and Steven Snyder of Minneapolis, MN and Roger Snyder of Gainesville, FL. She will be missed by her siblings Arline Carrier, Sandra Lilly and Mark Lilly all of Ocala, FL. She will also be missed by her many grandchildren, nieces and nephews and all their children. Mom, we will all miss your strength. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1830. STRACHAN, ADAM SIM, (Obituary No. 1830.) 71 Summerfield - Adam Sim Strachan, 71, passed away December 2, 2007. Mr. Strachan was born in Glasgow, Scotland on
December 14, 1935. He was a retired NYPD Police Officer. He moved to Summerfield, Florida in 1997 from Holbrook, New York. He was a Catholic, a member of Knights of Columbus and served 9 years of National Guard service. Survivors include: Wife Virginia (Ginger) Strachan, Summerfield, FL; son Alan T. Strachan, Little Neck, NY; daughters Linda L. McArdle, Hoschton, GA, Lisa A. Sorensen, E. Patchogue, NY, Christine M. Greenberg, Farmingville, NY, and Jennifer R. Steinberg, E. Setauket, NY; brother Thomas Strachan, Elmore, AL, Stuart Strachan, Hutchison Island, FL. and 2 grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at St. Theresa's Catholic Church in Bellevue, today, December 5th at 10 a.m. Memorial donations in his honor to: Hospice of Marion County, P.O Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

1831. WORRELL, GAYLE(Obituary No. 1831.) , 59 Ocklawaha - Worrell, Gayle Lynn, A Memorial Service for Gayle Lynn Worrell, age 59 Ocklawaha, Florida, who passed away on Saturday, December 1, 2007, will be held at 3PM, Saturday, December 8, 2007, at the First Baptist Church of Ocklawaha, Florida. Mrs. Worrell, a home maker, was born on February 27, 1948 in Bedford, Indiana and is survived by her husband of twenty-five years, Jack Worrell of Ocklawaha, Florida; one son John Abel of Bedford, Indiana; one daughter, Natalie Booker of Bedford, Indiana; two grandson Gavin and Thomas Abel of Bedford, Indiana; two sisters, Mrs. Leland Wagner of Ocklawaha, Florida and Mrs. Odus Callahan of Bedford, Indiana; and several nieces and nephews. Mrs. Worrell is pre-deceased by her mother and father, James and Catherine Osborn. Published in the Ocala Star Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/6/2007.

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1832. BEAUDET, MARK STEPHEN, (Obituary No. 1832.) 52 Ocala - Mr. Beaudet age 52 died Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Legacy House in Ocala. Mr. Beaudet was employed by Emerson Closetmaid of Ocala he retired from Lake County Sheriffs Department in 1997. He was born in Radford, Virginia and lived all over the World. He was an avid Coin and Antique Gun collector and restored cars. Mr. Beaudet was a Veteran of the Vietnam war Serving with the United States Army as an Artillery Missile Specialist. Survived by: His Wife Roxanne Beaudet of Ocala and Children: Stephen, Sean, Sterling, Savant and Soulange Beaudet. Stepchildren: Tanner, Tyler, Jordyn, Brittany Upchurch. Survived by grandchildren, Starla, Barrett, Skylar, Madison, Connor and Elijah. Father: Stephen Charles and Kathleen Beaudet (Ft. Lauderdale), Mother: Arlene Harbert (Ocala). Sister: Karen (Beaudet) and Edwin Burford, Pre-Deceased Sister Margaret Beaudet. Nephews: Jim and Matthew Burford. Numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins. Funeral Mass will be said on Friday, December 7th, 2007 at 10:00am at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church 5 SE 17th Street with Fr. Patrick Sheedy officiating. Visitation will be Thursday, December 6th, 2007 from 5-7pm with prayers at 6pm at HIRS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Burial will be at Millwood Cemetery in Reddick, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to R. Beaudet Family Fund at any Wachovia Bank. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1833. BROWN, ROBERTA C., (Obituary No. 1833.) 67 Ocklawaha - Mrs. Roberta C. Brown, 67, transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest at 9:50 am on Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born and raised in Brinkley, Arkansas and in 1972 moved to Ocklawaha, FL and was a member of the House of Prayer Praise & Deliverance. Mrs. Brown survived by her husband DeRothy Brown, Sr. of St. Paul, MN; one daughter: Oraine Brown of Ocklawaha, FL; two sons: Alvin Brown of Columbia, SC, and James Brown of Duluth, MN; 13 Grandchildren; Six sisters: Geneva Hinton of Ocala, FL; Erma Lean Welcome
and Ida B. Collins (Charles), both of Ocklawaha, FL; Janie Abernathy of Bellwood, IL; Archie L. Coleman of Houston, TX; and Dorothy Coleman of Ocala, FL; three brothers: J. L. Coleman of Pine Bluff, AR, Jessie Coleman, Jr. of Decatur, IL and Supt. Alvin Coleman (Agnes) of Colt, AR, one godchild, Erica Welcome and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends. Public visitation and viewing will be held at Clearwater Baptist Church, 14021 SE 117th Place, Ocklawaha, FL on Friday, December 7, 2007 from 4-6. Family will receive friends between the hours of 6-7, there will be no viewing at the funeral service. The family has requested that no photos be taken at the visitation. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at House of God Church, 2830 NW 27th Avenue, Ocala, FL with Supt. Alvin Coleman, Eulogist. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1834. CHITTY, MONROE (Obituary No. 1834.) , 81 Gulf Hammock, FL - Mr. Monroe Chitty of Gulf Hammock passed away Wednesday at Seven Rivers Hospital in Crystal River, Fla. following a lengthy illness. He was 81. Born in Flemington, Fla. he moved to Gulf Hammock 27 yrs ago from Flemington. He was a WW2 Veteran serving in the U.S. Navy. A member of the Flemington Baptist Church he retired in 1980 following 32 yrs. of working at the University of Florida in Gainesville. Mr. Chitty was a loving Husband and Father and loved to hunt and fish. He leaves his wife: Audry Chitty - Gulf Hammock, Fla.; (2) Sons: Danny and Dennis Chitty both of Gulf Hammock, Fla.; (1) Brother: Martin Chitty - Gainesville, Fla; (1) Sister: Margaret Key - Flemington, Fla.; (4) Grandchildren and (4) Great-Grandchildren. Funeral services will be Saturday December 8th, 11 a.m. in the Chapel of KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME, Williston with Rev. Elwood Baker officiating. Burial will follow in Flemington Cemetery under the direction of KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday from 6-8 PM at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1835. COLEE JR., HENRY C., (Obituary No. 1835.) 89 Deland - Mr. Henry C "Hank" Colee Jr. passed away December 5th at Florida Hospital in Deland. He was born in New Smyrna Beach, FL and moved to Ocala in 1992 from Maitland, FL. He was a retired U.S. Navy Commander, was an avid golfer, poker and cribbage player. He is survived by daughters Catherine Barrett of St Augustine, FL, Christine (Bill) Schott of San Antonio, TX, sons Charles P (Sandi) Colee of New Braunfels, TX, Robert S. Colee of St Paul, MN, James M (Nancy) Colee of Daytona Beach, FL, brother Whiteford (Betty) Colee of New Smyrna Beach, FL, grandchildren Kenna (Ron Jarrett) Barrett, Mike (Jade) Barrett, Brent (Jaime) Schott, Karen (Andy) Bourgeois, Matthew, Jacob and Megan Colee, Angela Johnson and Dianne (Andrew) Barrington, great grandchildren Tori, Hunter, Byrden and Cameron Bourgeois and Savannah Jarrett, He was preceded in death by his wife Charlotte and a sister Margery West. The family will receive friends from 1 to 2pm on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 SW SR 2W. Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be at the funeral home at 2:00pm on Saturday. Interment at Florida National Cemetery will be at 11:00 am on Monday, December 10th. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1836. CONNER, SIMPSON J., (Obituary No. 1836.) 63 Ocala - Simpson J. Conner, 63, passed away on November 30, 2007. He was a Untied States Marin Corp Veteran. He is survived by his wife Wilma Conner. Funeral Services for Mr. Conner will be 11 a.m. Saturday, December 8, 2007 New St. John Baptist Church Rev. Dr. TL Brooks pastor. Viewing will be on Friday 10-7pm at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL
1837. CURRY, ETHEL MAE, (Obituary No. 1837.) 77 Ocala -- Ms. Ethel Mae Curry, age 77 passed away on November 30, 2007 at Oakwood Nursing Home. She was a retired Homemaker and a lifetime resident of Marion County. Ms. Curry leaves to cherish her memories: Devoted husband (Mack Curry), Ocala, Fl., Two Sons: Joseph Taylor, Weirsdale, Fl., Julius Shuler, Ocoee, Fl., Three Daughters: Cynthia Helfin, Jacksonville, Fl., Debra Henry and Gwendolyn Baker, (Both of Ocala, Fl). Funeral Services for Ms. Ethel Curry will be held 3:00 PM on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at God Church of Prayer, Mary Robinson, Pastor., 1300 S W FT. King Street, Ocala, Florida, 34475. Interment will follow in Burrell Cemetery, Santos, Fl. Visitation will be held on Friday at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1838. DEAN, JEFFREY RAY, (Obituary No. 1838.) 54 Ocklawaha- Jeffrey R. De age 54, of Ocklawaha passed away Saturday, December 2, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Petosky, Michigan, and moved to Ocala in 1988. He was a member of the Citizen's Patrol. Survivors include his mother Edith Dean of Alden, MI, his wife Patricia Dean, four daughters Chanel Beghtel (husband Craig) of Holland, MI, Margaret Crawford, Traci Reed and Mercedes Stutelife all of Ocklawaha, FL, sons Jeffrey (wife Dayna) of Alden, MI, and Damien Reed of Ft. Lauderdale, brothers Guy Dean "Butch", Jr. (wife Sherry ) of West Branch, MT, Bob Dean (wife Linda) of Bellaire, MI, and Douglas Dean (wife Bonnie) of Alders MI, sister Lori Weldon of Alders MI, six grandchildren; Samathana Dean, Cody Shelton, Maci and Cali Beghtel, Leo and Brooklyn Crawford, and countless friends, nieces and nephews. He worked as a mason building beautiful split stone fireplaces, was a volunteer fireman, and Little League Baseball coach while in Michigan. Funeral services will be 3:00 PM Sunday, December 9, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Visitation will be Saturday evening from 5:00-7:00 PM. Cremation will follow. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. "The Pleasure in having, is in Sharing" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1839. DEEL, ELIGAH GRAYSON, (Obituary No. 1839.) 90 Ocala- Eligah G. Deel, age 90, passed away Monday, December 3, 2007. He was born in Aily, VA. July 17, 1917. He served his country as SSGT in the US Army for 26 years and was a veteran of WWII, Korea, and Vietnam. He came to Marion County in 1968 from Knox, KY. He retired as an employee of the City of Ocala over 10 years ago, and was a member of the VFW and the DAV. Survivors include his wife Juanita Deel, son Kent Deel of Dover, DE. three daughters Barbara Gayle Barnwell, of Silver Springs, Judy D. Deel of Silver Springs, Paula Brooks of Ocala, son-in-law Dante' Barwell, six grandchildren, four great grandchildren. Also two step grandchildren Robert Holley of Chesapeake, OH, Peggy Smith, Grove City, OH, six step grandchildren, fourteen step great grandchildren; and many friends and extended family. His first wife Betty Deel preceded him in death. Services will be 2:00 PM Saturday, December 8, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be Friday evening from 5:00-7:00 PM, Interment with military honors will be in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by There Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1840. DODSON, DARRIN JACKSON, (Obituary No. 1840.) 34 Ocala - Darrin Jackson Dodson, 34, died Monday, December 3rd in Crystal River. He was born June 5, 1973 in Ocala and lived most of his life here. Occupations: Firefighter since 1990 and a graduate of Florida State Fire College in 1993. He organized and was Past President of the Division of Forestry
Union. He is survived by: Wife, Bea Dodson, Ocala; Mother: Penny Dodson, Ocala; Father: Melvin Cross, Texas; son: Blake Dodson, Weirsdale, FL; Brother: Brain Dodson and his wife Lucretia, Crystal River; Niece: Sara and 3 nephews: Cameron, Phillip and Ryan. Viewing will be at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL on Saturday, December 8, 2007 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Noontime, at which time the Funeral Service will be held. Cremation will follow under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Dunnellon, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1841. HODGES, JONATHAN M., (Obituary No. 1841.) 87 Ocala - Mr. Jonathan M. Hodges, 87, Carpenter. Service will be held on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Zion United Methodist Church, Rev. Altheria Lenon, Pastor. Mr. Hodges was born June 8, 1920 in Kingston, Jamaica. He was educated in the school system of Kingston, Jamaica. He leaves to cherish his memories: one son Jonathan Hodges, Patterson, N.J.; two daughters, Lenora McCain, Clifton, N.J., Madge Hodges, Brooklyn, N.Y.; three sisters Esmie Hodges, ocala, Millicent H. Cranford, Brooklyn, N.Y., Lucinda E. Taylor, Brooklyn, N.Y. Visitation: Friday December 7, 2007 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday December 8, 2007 at the church from 10 a.m. until service hour. No viewing after the Eulogy. Interment in Lincoln Memorial Gardens, under the direction of "Your Friends Who Cares" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1842. HOUSTON, ELBERT E., (Obituary No. 1842.) 83 Ocala - Mr. Elbert E. Houston, 83, Manufactor. Service will be held on Saturday, December 8, 2007 AT 3 P.M. AT New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Tommy Brooks, Pastor. Mr. Houston was born December 11, 1923 in Live Oak, FL. He is a veteran of the U. S. Army. He leaves to cherish his memories - two brothers Rev. James Houston and Joseph Houston, both of Ocala, FL.; one sister Luvennia Smith, Live Oak, FL. Visitation: Friday December 7, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday December 8, 2007 at the church from 2 p.m. until service. hour. No Viewing after the Eulogy. Interment in Chestnut Cemetery under the directions of "Your Friends Who Cares" CUNNINGHAM'S FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1843. KANN, MARTIN JOSEPH, (Obituary No. 1843.) 91 Ocala - Martin Joseph Kann, 91, died October 24, 2007 at New Horizon Rehabilitation Center. He was born in Charles City, Iowa and had served his country in the US Army. An electrician, he had worked in many different fields in his profession, including electrical communications, as well as commercial and industrial electrical work. Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, December 7, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1844. MARTINEZ, CHERYL(Obituary No. 1844.) , 20 Cheryl Martinez, age 20, of Ocala died Wednesday, November 28, 2007 in Gainesville, FL. She was a graduate of Vanguard High School, I.B. Program, Class of 2005. She was a member of the Anchor Club at Vanguard, a Volunteer at Shand's Hospital, a member of the American Medical Student Association of UF and a member of St. Jude Catholic Church. She was on her third year at the University of Florida. She received several academic awards throughout her school years including the President's Academic award. She is survived by her parents, Jose and Myriam Martinez; sisters, Jennifer L. Martinez and Michele Ann Martinez, both of Ocala; maternal grandfather, Luis Sepulveda of Ocala and maternal grandmother, Carmen Sepulveda of Ocala. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, December 6, 2007 at 8:00 a.m. at the St. Jude Catholic Church: 443 Marion Oaks Drive Ocala, Florida 34473. Following will be the Funeral Ceremony at: Forest

1845. MAY, VICTOR "GUCCI BASS", (Obituary No. 1845.) 38 Ocala - Mr. Victor R. May, 38 transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest at 8:00 pm on Saturday, December 1, 2007 in Americus, GA. He was born and raised in Miami, FL. Many may recognize Gucci Bass from the music industry with hit singles such as 'Sally That Girl', 'Trus and Vogues', 'They Call Me Gucci', and 'The Cabbage Patch', just to name a few. He was known for his comedian acts, compassion and sweet personality. Everyone who knew him loved him. Mr. May survived by his three sons: Victor Lee and Victor May, Jr., both of Miami, FL; Tavares White of Americus, GA. Two daughters: Lashara May of Miami, FL; Victoria May of Gainesville, FL. Three stepdaughters: Tammy Thomas, Eunice Galloway and Kandyce Galloway all of Reddick, FL; six grandchildren, Trey, Shardonay, Chakayla, Monte, Kayven and Deyahna all of Reddick, FL; Dearest Friend Linda Richardson of Reddick, FL, Mother: Patricia Thornton of Miami, FL. Visitation will be held at TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. at 10195 N. Hwy 27, Fellowship, FL. on Saturday, December 8, 2007 from 6:00 pm until 9:00 pm. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm Sunday, December 9, 2007 at Second Bethlehem Baptist Theological Seminary, 1105 NW 4th Street, Ocala, FL with Prophet Terry Weems, Eulogist. Interment will be held at Mount Zion Cemetery, Reddick, FL. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1846. MCBRIDE, DOYLE CURTIS, (Obituary No. 1846.) 63 Ocala - Doyle Curtis McBride, 63, of Ocala, passed away 12/ 6/07. Born in Lyons, Georgia He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Karen; son, Kevin and his wife Jennifer of Ocala, FL ; daughter Dawn of Ocala, granddaughter Tiffany of Daytona, grandson Justin of Ocala, great granddaughter Julie and great grandson Andrew, his sister Dianne Carter and her husband Terry of Blackshear GA and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents Curtis and Bernadine McBride and his granddaughter Leann Hoskins. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1847. MCCRAY, CENT’YONNA ONDRAU’, INFANT Ocala- (Obituary No. 1847.) Cent’yonna Ondrau’ McCray, infant, transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest on Sunday, December 2, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Cent’yonna survived by her parents Ondraus McCray of Ramsey, MN and Centeria Farmer of Ocala, FL; one brother: Zamarion McCray of Ocala, FL; paternal grandparents: Keith Vaughn of Maryland and Arthrea Cunningham of Ramsey, MN; maternal grandparents: Edward and Barbara Farmer of Ocala, FL; paternal great-grandparents: Arthur and Mary Cunningham of Crystal, MN and Jesse and Sylvia Jackson of Ocala, FL; maternal great-grandparents: Lillie Farmer of Blitchton, FL and Minnie Robinson of Fort Lauderdale, FL; three uncles: Edwin Farmer (Tabitha) of Ocala, FL; Dionsha Farmer of Ocala, FL and Jerrit Allen of Ramsey, MN; four aunts: Cinzhasha Farmer; Lakeisha Brewton (Kadrinne); Latasha Leslie (Ronald) all of Ocala, FL; and Imara Allen of Ramsey, MN. Services will be conducted by Rev. Jackie Tuggerson and held on December 8, 2007 at 3:30 pm at Pine Grove Cemetery, Blitchton, FL. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.
1848. MCNEALY, EZRA (Obituary No. 1848.) 73 Ocala - Ezra McNealy, 73, passed away on Sunday, December 2, 2007. He is survived by his daughters, sisters, brothers, numerous nieces and nephews. Visitation will be on Friday, 7-8 p.m. at Friendship Baptist Church, Rev. Samuel Shaw Pastor. Services will be held on Saturday 3 p.m. at Southside Oak Grove. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY "Providing a memory that will never fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1849. MORGAN, SHIRLEY ROBERTA McNEAL, (Obituary No. 1849.) 75 Ocala - Mrs. Shirley Roberta McNeal Morgan, 75 of Ocala, died November 29th, 2007 at Sylvia's House. Mrs. Morgan was a lifelong resident of Marion County. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala. She was a loving and proud Mother and Grandmother. She was a previous instructor at CFCC in Astrology and Psychic Development. She enjoyed attending the McNeal family reunions and spending time with her children and grandchildren. Mrs. Morgan loved animals, especially her dogs. Mrs. Morgan is survived by: Cynthia M. Clayton and husband, Mike, Lisa Michele LoSurdo and husband, Ralph (Crush), Thomas M. Morgan Jr. and wife, Diane, Jonathan C. Morgan and wife, Melody, Kevin S. Morgan, all of Ocala. Jeffrey R. Morgan and wife, Diane, of Alachua, FL. Grandchildren Ashley, Candace, Michael, Jennifer, Kristina, Lindsay, Justin, Brandon, Brooke. J.R., Megan, as well as seven great-grandchildren. Sisters Eleanor, Betty, Sarah and Jackie. Brothers, Norton and Raymond. Preceded in death by her parents, A.T. and Lucy McNeal, brothers A.T. Jr., Herbert, James and sister Lucy. Her kindness, beauty and grace will always be remembered and will live in our hearts forever. She was a wonderful mother and grandmother and will be missed more than words can express. In Lieu of Flowers memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County or the Marion County Humane Society in memory of Shirley McNeal Morgan. A private Memorial Service will be held at HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/5/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1850. OLBEKSON, HAROLD O.B., (Obituary No. 1850.) 52 Summerfield - Mr. Harold (O.B.) Olbekson, 52, died Monday, December 3, 2007. Mr. Olbekson was born in Libby, MT. and moved to Summerfield from Cheyenne, WY In 2006. He was a retired US. Air Force Master Sergeant; member of Air Force Sergeants Association, American Legion Post 347, Veterans Club of Stonecrest, Cheyenne Frontier Days; enjoyed boating, camping, fishing, reading and traveling. Survivors include his wife Katherine, daughters, Lynda Rottmann, Germany; Stefanie Miller, FL; sons, Michael. LA; Joshua, Cheyenne, WY; parents, Norman and Ann Olbekson, Libby, MT; brothers, James, Cheney, WA; Gregory, Seattle, WA; step-daughter, Stephanie Kirby, Laramie, WY; step-son, Alexander Kirby, Cheyenne, WY, 7 grandchildren. Graveside service to be held 11:00 AM, Tuesday, December 11, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL Contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or Cheyenne Frontier Days Scholarship Fund, 4610 Carey Ave., Cheyenne, WY 82001. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages, is In charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1851. PHILLIPS, HELEN R., (Obituary No. 1851.) 86 Cropwell, AL - Helen R. Phillips, age 86, of Cropwell, Alabama, formerly of Ocala, Florida, died December 2, 2007 after a courageous battle with cancer. She was preceded in death by her father, Glenn A. Ross and mother, Sue Brooks Ross, one sister, Josephine Fillingim and one brother, Tim Ross. Survivors include her twin daughters, Barbara Ehl (Jack), Cropwell, AL and Judy Chumley (Bob), Rohnert Park, California, four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, a sister Elizabeth Ann Goerss, San Mateo, California and several nieces and nephews. Mrs. Phillips was a retired, self-employed
seamstress for many years. While living in Ocala, Florida, she was a volunteer in both Ocala hospitals and was an avid Mah Jong player. A heartfelt thanks to Lakeside Hospice Staff and Dr. Rock Helms and staff. Mrs. Phillips was a member of Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church, Cropwell, AL where a memorial celebrating her life will be held December 22, 2007 at 11:00 am. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1852. ROBERTS, LASHAWN RENEE, (Obituary No. 1852.) 45 Ocala - Ms. Lashawn Renee Roberts, 45, passed away on November 28, 2007 at Leesburg Regional Medical Center. She was a native of Ocala. Ms. Roberts was employed by Sprint (Embarg) for 15 years. She leaves to mourn her passing; Brothers: Jerome Wright (Dot), Hampton, VA.; Isaac "Pete" Roberts, Jr., Antoine Roberts (Thanease) both of Ocala, FL., Lemonte Morand, Pittsburgh, PA. (Sister): Cynthia Roberts (Frank), Dallas, TX. Funeral Services for Ms. Lashawn Renee Roberts will be held 11 a.m. on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. G. W. Lee/Pastor, Dr. Dennis Hagins/Eulogist. Interment will follow in Lincoln Memorial Gardens. Visitations will be held at SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 12 noon until 7 p.m. "A Summers service makes a difference" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1853. SMITH, KATE ALINE, (Obituary No. 1853.) 93 Ocala - Kate Aline Smith, 93, passed away on Dec. 3, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Milltown, GA and moved to Ocala in 1933. She was a homemaker and member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church where she was a member of the Esther Sunday School Class. Her survivors include her daughter, Virginia A. Faw of Ocklawaha, her sons, Don A. Smith and wife Gail of Tallahassee and Tommy D. Smith and wife Cindy of Ocala, her sister, Ora Lee Burkehalter of Patterson, GA, her three grandchildren and four great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband A.D. (Smitty) Smith, Jr. and her daughter, Sharon M. Smith. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, Dec. 8, 2007 at 10 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Samuel W. Clements and Rev. Joe A. Williams officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Friday from 5-7 P.M. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

1854. SNYDER, GLORIA ANN (LILLY) (Obituary No. 1854.), 65 Gainesville - Gloria Ann (Lilly) Snyder, 65, died on 12/1/07 in Gainesville, FL with her daughter-in-law Catherine Ludlum Snyder at her side. She has gone to join her husband, Eugene Snyder, who preceded her in death. She is survived by her mother Pauline Lilly of Ocala, FL. She will be missed by her children, Mary Jane Stricklin of Seattle, WA; Terri Steffen, Troy Snyder and Steven Snyder of Minneapolis, MN and Roger Snyder of Gainesville, FL. She will be missed by her siblings Arline Carrier, Sandra Lilly and Mark Lilly all of Ocala, FL. She will also be missed by her many grandchildren, nieces and nephews and all their children. Mom, we will all miss your strength. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/7/2007.

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1855. BROWN, ROBERTA C., (Obituary No. 1855.) 67 Ocklawaha - Mrs. Roberta C. Brown, 67, transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest at 9:50 am on Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born and raised in Brinkley, Arkansas and in 1972 moved to Ocklawaha, FL and was a member of the House of Prayer Praise & Deliverance. Mrs. Brown survived by her husband DeRothy Brown, Sr. of St. Paul, MN; one daughter: Oraine Brown of Ocklawaha, FL; two sons: Alvin Brown of Columbia, SC, and James Brown of Duluth, MN; 13 Grandchildren; Six sisters: Geneva Hinton of Ocala, FL; Erma Lean Welcome
and Ida B. Collins (Charles), both of Ocklawaha, FL; Janie Abernathy of Bellwood, IL; Archie L. Coleman of Houston, TX; and Dorothy Coleman of Ocala, FL; three brothers: J. L. Coleman of Pine Bluff, AR, Jessie Coleman, Jr. of Decatur, IL and Supt. Alvin Coleman (Agnes) of Colt, AR, one godchild, Erica Welcome and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends. Public visitation and viewing will be held at Clearwater Baptist Church, 14021 SE 117th Place, Ocklawaha, FL on Friday, December 7, 2007 from 4-6. Family will receive friends between the hours of 6 -7, there will be no viewing at the funeral service. The family has requested that no photos be taken at the visitation. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at House of God Church, 2830 NW 27th Avenue, Ocala, FL with Supt. Alvin Coleman, Eulogist. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1856. CHITTY, MONROE (Obituary No. 1856.), 81 Gulf Hammock, FL - Mr. Monroe Chitty of Gulf Hammock passed away Wednesday at Seven Rivers Hospital in Crystal River, Fla. following a lengthy illness. He was 81. Born in Flemington, Fla. he moved to Gulf Hammock 27 yrs ago from Flemington. He was a WW2 Veteran serving in the U.S. Navy. A member of the Flemington Baptist Church he retired in 1980 following 32 yrs. of working at the University of Florida in Gainesville. Mr. Chitty was a loving Husband and Father and loved to hunt and fish. He leaves his wife: Audry Chitty - Gulf Hammock, Fla.; (2) Sons: Danny and Dennis Chitty both of Gulf Hammock, Fla.; (1) Brother: Martin Chitty - Gainesville, Fla; (1) Sister: Margaret Key - Flemington, Fla.; (4) Grandchildren and (4) Great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be Saturday December 8th, 11 a.m. in the Chapel of KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME, Williston with Rev. Elwood Baker officiating. Burial will follow in Flemington Cemetery under the direction of KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday from 6-8 PM at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1857. COLEE JR., HENRY C., (Obituary No. 1857.) 89 Deland - Mr. Henry C "Hank" Colee Jr. passed away December 5th at Florida Hospital in Deland. He was born in New Smyrna Beach, FL and moved to Ocala in 1992 from Maitland, FL. He was a retired U.S. Navy Commander, was an avid golfer, poker and cribbage player. He is survived by daughters Catherine Barrett of St Augustine, FL, Christine (Bill) Schott of San Antonio, TX, sons Charles P (Sandi) Colee of New Braunfels, TX, Robert S. Colee of St Paul, MN, James M (Nancy) Colee of Daytona Beach, FL, brother Whiteford (Betty) Colee of New Smyrna Beach, FL, grandchildren Kenna (Ron Jarrett) Barrett, Mike (Jade) Barrett, Brent (Jaime) Schott, Karen (Andy) Bourgeois, Matthew, Jacob and Megan Colee, Angela Johnson and Dianne (Andrew) Barrington, great grandchildren Tori, Hunter, Bryden and Cameron Bourgeois and Savannah Jarrett, He was preceded in death by his wife Charlotte and a sister Margery West. The family will receive friends from 1 to 2pm on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 SW SR 2W. Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be at the funeral home at 2:00pm on Saturday. Interment at Florida National Cemetery will be at 11:00 am on Monday, December 10th. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1858. DEAN, JEFFREY RAY, (Obituary No. 1858.) 54 Ocklawaha- Jeffrey R. De age 54, of Ocklawaha passed away Saturday, December 2, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Petosky, Michigan, and moved to Ocala in 1988. He was a member of the Citizen's Patrol. Survivors include his mother Edith Dean of Alden, MI, his wife Patricia Dean, four daughters Chan el Beghtel (husband Craig) of Holland, MI, Margaret Crawford, Traci Reed and Marcedes Suteliffe
all of Ocklawaha, FL, sons Jeffrey (wife Dayna) of Alden, MI, and Damien Reed of Ft. Lauderdale, brothers Guy Dean "Butch" Jr. (wife Sherry ) of West Branch, MT, Bob Dean (wife Linda) of Bellaire, MI, and Douglas Dean (wife Bonnie) of Alders MI, sister Lori Weldon of Aid MI, six grandchildren; Samathana Dean, Cody Shelton, Maci and Cali Beghtel, Leo and Brooklyn Crawford, and countless friends, nieces and nephews. He worked as a mason building beautiful split stone fireplaces, was a volunteer fireman, and Little League Baseball coach while in Michigan. Funeral services will be 3:00 PM Sunday, December 9, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Visitation will be Saturday evening from 5:00-7:00 PM. Cremation will follow. Arrangements by HIER'S FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. "The Pleasure in having, is in Sharing" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1859. MAY, VICTOR "GUCCI BASS", (Obituary No. 1859.) 38 Ocala - Mr. Victor R. May, 38 transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest at 8:00 pm on Saturday, December 1, 2007 in Americus, GA. He was born and raised in Miami, FL. Many may recognize Gucci Bass from the music industry with hit singles such as 'Sally That Girl', 'Trus and V Bogues', 'They Call Me Gucci', and 'The Cabbage Patch', just to name a few. He was known for his comedian acts, compassion and sweet personality. Everyone who knew him loved him. Mr. May survived by his three sons: Victor Lee and Victor May, Jr., both of Miami, FL; Tavares White of Americus, GA. Two daughters: Lashara May of Miami, FL; Victoria May of Gainesville, FL. Three stepdaughters: Tammy Thomas, Eunice Galloway and Kandyce Galloway all of Reddick, FL; six grandchildren, Trey, Shardonay, Chakayla, Monte, Kayven and Deyahna all of Reddick, FL; Dearest Friend Linda Richardson of Reddick, FL., Mother: Patricia Thornton of Miami, FL. Visitation will be held at TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. at 10195 N. Hwy 27, Fellowship, FL. on Saturday, December 8, 2007 from 6:00 pm until 9:00 pm. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm Sunday, December 9, 2007 at Second Bethlehem Baptist Theological Seminary, 1105 NW 4th Street, Ocala, FL with Prophet Terry Weems, Eulogist. Interment will be held at Mount Zion Cemetery, Reddick, FL. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1860. McBRIDE, DOYLE CURTIS, (Obituary No. 1860.) 63 Ocala - Doyle Curtis McBride, 63, of Ocala, passed away 12/ 6/07. Born in Lyons, Georgia He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Karen; son, Kevin and his wife Jennifer of Ocala, FL ; daughter Dawn of Ocala, granddaughter Tiffany of Daytona, grandson Justin of Ocala, great granddaughter Julie and great grandson Andrew, his sister Dianne Carter and her husband Terry of Blackshear GA and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents Curtis and Bernadine McBride and his granddaughter Leann Hoskins. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1861. MCCRAY, CENT'YONNA ONDRAU', INFANT (Obituary No. 1861.) Ocala- Cent'yonna Ondrau' McCray, infant, transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest on Sunday, December 2, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Cent'yonna survived by her parents Ondraus McCray of Ramsey, MN and Centerria Farmer of Ocala, FL; one brother: Zamarion McCray of Ocala, FL; paternal grandparents: Keith Vaughn of Maryland and Arthrea Cunningham of Ramsey, MN; maternal grandparents: Edward and Barbara Farmer of Ocala, FL; paternal great-grandparents: Arthur and Mary Cunningham of Crystal, MN and Jesse and Sylvia Jackson of Ocala, FL; maternal great-grandparents: Lillie Farmer of Blitchton, FL and Minnie Robinson of
Fort Lauderdale, FL; three uncles: Edwin Farmer (Tabitha) of Ocala, FL; Dionsha Farmer of Ocala, FL and Jerrit Allen of Ramsey, MN; four aunts: Cinzhasha Farmer; Lakeisha Brewton (Kadrinne); Latasha Leslie (Ronald) all of Ocala, FL; and Imara Allen of Ramsey, MN. Services will be conducted by Rev. Jackie Tuggerson and held on December 8, 2007 at 3:30 pm at Pine Grove Cemetery, Blitchton, FL. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1862. OLBESKON, HAROLD, O.B., (Obituary No. 1862.) 52 Summerfield - Mr. Harold (O.B.) Olbekson, 52, died Monday, December 3, 2007. Mr. Olbekson was born in Libby, MT. and moved to Summerfield from Cheyenne, WY In 2006. He was a retired US. Air Force Master Sergeant; member of Air Force Sergeants Association, American Legion Post 347, Veterans Club of Stonecrest, Cheyenne Frontier Days; enjoyed boating, camping, fishing, reading and traveling. Survivors include his wife Katherine, daughters, Lynda Rottmann, Germany; Stefanie Miller, FL; sons, Michael. LA; Joshua, Cheyenne, WY; parents, Norman and Ann Olbekson, Libby, MT; brothers, James, Cheney, WA; Gregory, Seattle, WA; step-daughter, Stephanie Kirby, Laramie, WY; step-son, Alexander Kirby, Cheyenne, WY, 7 grandchildren. Graveside service to be held 11:00 AM, Tuesday, December 11, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or Cheyenne Frontier Days Scholarship Fund, 4610 Carey Ave., Cheyenne, WY 82001. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages, is In charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1863. PHILLIPS, HELEN R., (Obituary No. 1863.) 86 Cropwell, AL - Helen R. Phillips, age 86, of Cropwell, Alabama, formerly of Ocala, Florida, died December 2, 2007 after a courageous battle with cancer. She was preceded in death by her father, Glenn A. Ross and mother, Sue Brooks Ross, one sister, Josephine Fillingim and one brother, Tim Ross. Survivors include her twin daughters, Barbara Ehl (Jack), Cropwell, AL and Judy Chumley (Bob), Rohnert Park, California, four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, a sister Elizabeth Ann Goerss, San Mateo, California and several nieces and nephews. Mrs. Phillips was a retired, self-employed seamstress for many years. While living in Ocala, Florida, she was a volunteer in both Ocala hospitals and was an avid Mah Jong player. A heartfelt thanks to Lakeside Hospice Staff and Dr. Rock Helms and staff. Mrs. Phillips was a member of Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church, Cropwell, AL where a memorial celebrating her life will be held December 22, 2007 at 11:00 am. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1864. SMITH, KATE ALINE, (Obituary No. 1864.) 93 Ocala - Kate Aline Smith, 93, passed away on Dec. 3, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Milltown, GA and moved to Ocala in 1933. She was a homemaker and member of Wyominia Park Baptist Church where she was a member of the Esther Sunday School Class. Her survivors include her daughter, Virginia A. Faw of Ocklawaha, her sons, Don A. Smith and wife Gail of Tallahassee and Tommy D. Smith and wife Cindy of Ocala, her sister, Ora Lee Burkelhalter of Patterson, GA, her three grandchildren and four great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband A.D. (Smitty) Smith, Jr. and her daughter, Sharon M. Smith. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, Dec. 8, 2007 at 10 a.m. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Samuel W. Clements and Rev. Joe A. Williams officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Friday from 5-7 P.M. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/9/2007.
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1865. BROWN, JR., JAMES CONRAD "BUBBA", (Obituary No. 1865.) 70 FT. McCoy - James Conrad "Bubba" Brown, Jr., 70, passed away on Dec. 6, 2007. He was born in Charleston, SC and moved to Marion County 40 years ago. He was Baptist and past president of the Silver Springs Lions Club and helped establish the Ft. McCoy Little League Baseball. He was a veteran of the Korean War serving in the U.S. Marine Corps, Second Tank Battalion. He fought with the Golden Glove Boxing team as a youth and later for the U.S. Marine Corps boxing team. He is survived by his wife of 32 years, Janis Hogan Brown of Ft. McCoy, his daughter, Tina Wettstein and husband Chip of Ocala, his sons, Gary Norcross and wife Linda of Lake Butler, Andrew Norcross and wife Jackie of Belleview, Timothy Norcross and wife Delia of Ocala and Terry Norcross of Silver Springs. He has seven grandchildren, three great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. Graveside funeral services will be held on Sunday, Dec. 9, 2007 at 4:00 P.M. at Ft. McCoy Cemetery. Visitation will be from 3 pm until service, with Pastor Donny Vining officiating. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd.
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1866. BROWN, ROBERTA C., (Obituary No. 1866.) 67 Ocklawaha - Mrs. Roberta C. Brown, 67, transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest at 9:50 am on Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born and raised in Brinkley, Arkansas and in 1972 moved to Ocklawaha, FL and was a member of the House of Prayer Praise & Deliverance. Mrs. Brown survived by her husband DeRothy Brown, Sr. of St. Paul, MN; one daughter: Oraine Brown of Ocklawaha, FL; two sons: Alvin Brown of Columbia, SC, and James Brown of Duluth, MN; 13 Grandchildren; Six sisters: Geneva Hinton of Ocala, FL; Erma Lean Welcome and Ida B. Collins (Charles), both of Ocklawaha, FL; Janie Abernathy of Bellwood, IL; Archie L. Coleman of Houston, TX; and Dorothy Coleman of Ocala, FL; three brothers: J. L. Coleman of Pine Bluff, AR, Jessie Coleman, Jr. of Decatur, IL and Supt. Alvin Coleman (Agnes) of Colt, AR, one godchild, Erica Welcome and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends. Public visitation and viewing will be held at Clearwater Baptist Church, 14021 SE 117th Place, Ocklawaha, FL on Friday, December 7, 2007 from 4-6. Family will receive friends between the hours of 6 -7, there will be no viewing at the funeral service. The family has requested that no photos be taken at the visitation. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at House of God Church, 2830 NW 27th Avenue, Ocala, FL with Supt. Alvin Coleman, Eulogist. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1867. CHITTY, MONROE(Obituary No. 1867.) , 81 Gulf Hammock, FL - Mr. Monroe Chitty of Gulf Hammock passed away Wednesday at Seven Rivers Hospital in Crystal River, Fla. following a lengthy illness. He was 81. Born in Flemington, Fla. he moved to Gulf Hammock 27 yrs ago from Flemington. He was a WW2 Veteran serving in the U.S. Navy. A member of the Flemington Baptist Church he retired in 1980 following 32 yrs. of working at the University of Florida in Gainesville. Mr. Chitty was a loving Husband and Father and loved to hunt and fish. He leaves his wife: Audry Chitty - Gulf Hammock, Fla.; (2) Sons: Danny and Dennis Chitty both of Gulf Hammock, Fla.; (1) Brother: Martin Chitty - Gainesville, Fla; (1) Sister: Margaret Key - Flemington, Fla.; (4) Grandchildren and (4) Great-Grandchildren. Funeral services will be Saturday December 8th, 11 a.m. in the Chapel of KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME, Williston with Rev. Elwood Baker officiating. Burial will follow in Flemington Cemetery under the direction of
KNAUUF FUNERAL HOME. Visitation will be Friday from 6-8 PM at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1868. COLEE JR., HENRY C., (Obituary No. 1868.) 89 Deland - Mr. Henry C "Hank" Colee Jr. passed away December 5th at Florida Hospital in Deland. He was born in New Smyrna Beach, FL and moved to Ocala in 1992 from Maitland, FL. He was a retired U.S. Navy Commander, was an avid golfer, poker and cribbage player. He is survived by daughters Catherine Barrett of St Augustine, FL, Christine (Bill) Schott of San Antonio, TX, sons Charles P (Sandi) Colee of New Braunfels, TX, Robert S. Colee of St Paul, MN, James M (Nancy) Colee of Daytona Beach, FL, brother Whiteford (Betty) Colee of New Smyrna Beach, FL, grandchildren Kenna (Ron Jarrett) Barrett, Mike (Jade) Barrett, Brent (Jaime) Schott, Karen (Andy) Bourgeois, Matthew, Jacob and Megan Colee, Angela Johnson and Dianne (Andrew) Barrington, great grandchildren Tori, Hunter, Bryden and Cameron Bourgeois and Savannah Jarrett. He was preceded in death by his wife Charlotte and a sister Margery West. The family will receive friends from 1 to 2pm on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 SW SR 2W. Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be at the funeral home at 2:00pm on Saturday. Interment at Florida National Cemetery will be at 11:00 am on Monday, December 10th. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME BRUCE CHAPEL WEST is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1869. DEAN, JEFFREY RAY, (Obituary No. 1869.) 54 Ocklawaha - Jeffrey R. De age 54, of Ocklawaha passed away Saturday, December 2, 2007 at his residence. He was born in Petosky, Michigan, and moved to Ocala in 1988. He was a member of the Citizen's Patrol. Survivors include his mother Edith Dean of Alden, MI, his wife Patricia Dean, four daughters Chanel Beghtel (husband Craig) of Holland, MI, Margaret Crawford, Traci Reed and Marcedes Suteliffe all of Ocklawaha, FL, sons Jeffrey (wife Dayna) of Alden, MI, and Damien Reed of Ft. Lauderdale, brothers Guy Dean "Butch", Jr. (wife Sherry) of West Branch, MT, Bob Dean (wife Linda) of Bellaire, MI, and Douglas Dean (wife Bonnie) of Alders MI, sister Lori Weldon of Aid MI, six grandchildren; Samathana Dean, Cody Shelton, Maci and Cali Beghtel, Leo and Brooklyn Crawford, and countless friends, nieces and nephews. He worked as a mason building beautiful split stone fireplaces, was a volunteer fireman, and Little League Baseball coach while in Michigan. Funeral services will be 3:00 PM Sunday, December 9, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Visitation will be Saturday evening from 5:00-7:00 PM. Cremation will follow. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. "The Pleasure in having, is in Sharing" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1870. DELOACH, SR., ROY HEROLD, (Obituary No. 1870.) 82 Orlando - Roy Herold DeLoach, born June 6, 1925 on the family farm outside of Andalusia, Alabama, died December 6, 2007 in Orlando, Florida. He moved to Orlando in 1934 and joined the US Navy in 1943 after his junior year at Orlando High School. He served with distinction as part of Navy Amphibious Operations in the Marshall Islands, Saipan, and Okinawa campaigns. He moved to Lakeland, Florida in 1972 and established DeLoach's Meat Mart. He owned and operated DeLoach's Meat Mart from 1972 until he transitioned ownership to his son Roy Herold DeLoach, Jr. in 1993. His son currently operates the market. He is survived by his mother, Goldie Mae DeLoach, who is 102 years old, his wife Glenna Seldars DeLoach, his two sisters Martha and Jean, and his four sons Roy, Steve, Dan, and David. He is also survived by seventeen grandchildren, and twelve great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Tuesday, December 11th, at 2:00 p.m.
DEPASQUALE, CATHERINE

Obituary No. 1871.

Catherine DePasquale, 96, Former Ocala resident, died December 1, 2007 in Thousand Oaks, CA. Mrs. DePasquale was born May 9, 1911, in Huntington, NY. She lived in Ocala from 1986 through 2006. She was the matriarch of the DePasquale family and was an integral part of operations at Carmichael’s Restaurant where she was affectionately known as "Mrs. De." She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Kenneth and Karen DePasquale of Ocala; daughters Suzanne Clark and Donna DePasquale of Thousand Oaks, CA; grandchildren, Darin DePasquale of Tokyo, Japan; Kimberly DePasquale and Nicholas DePasquale of Ocala, Florida; Cathleen Yamin of Brentwood, CA; Michelle Clark and Cristina Park of Thousand Oaks, CA; Catherine Orsak and Steven Orsak of Phoenix, AZ; and five great-grandchildren. Mrs. DePasquale was preceded in death by her husband, Matthew and her grandson John Orsak. Mrs. DePasquale lived life to the fullest and was loved and admired by everyone who knew her. She loved spending time with family and had numerous hobbies including cooking, ceramics, and knitting. Funeral Mass will be held Wednesday, December 12, 2007, 11:00 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street with Fr. Patrick Sheedy officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Camden-Rockport Animal Rescue League, 146 Camden Street, Rockland, ME 04841 in memory of Catherine DePasquale. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

FAGERBERG, THOMAS G.

Obituary No. 1872.

Thomas G. Fagerberg, 60, of Ocala, FL, died on Friday, Dec. 7, 2007 at MRMC. Born in Boston, Massachusetts, he moved to Ocala in 1998. He is survived by two sisters, Ruthanne Henry of St. Petersburg, FL and Pauline Jewett of Billernica, MA, and by a brother Bill Fagerberg of Texas. He was preceded in death by three brothers and a sister, all of Massachusetts. He will be sadly missed forever, by his long time companion, Leslie Pace, and by her children and grandchildren. All of whom he treated at his own. He was lovingly called, "Mr. Tom", and will be missed by many other friends and relatives, as well. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala. Services will be private for the family. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

GOLDSMITH, EDWIN

Obituary No. 1873.

Edwin Goldsmith, 77, passed away on Dec. 6, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He is the father of Mark Goldsmith and the late Steve Goldsmith, also the beloved grandfather of Jacob Goldsmith. He was the dear friend of Anne Singer and her children. He is the brother of Blanche Cole and Jane Shloss of IL and also has many nieces and nephews. No visitations. Memorial Service will be held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

KNOTTS, SHIRLEY C.

Obituary No. 1874.

Shirley C. Knotts, 61, passed away in Ocala, FL on December 7, 2007. She was born in Jacksonville, FL. She was a member of the Wyomina Park Baptist Church in Ocala. She moved here from Jacksonville, FL in 2001. She is survived by her loving husband David of seven years, two sons Albert Crisp of Newberry, FL and Richard McCullen of TN, a daughter Debra Tesnear of Tampa, FL, seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, one brother Junior Conner of Jacksonville, FL, and her mother Lou Landrum of Nahunta, GA. A visitation will be held at ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL on Monday, December 10, 2007 from 5-
7 p.m. Services will follow Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

**1875. MAY, VICTOR "GUCCI BASS", (Obituary No. 1875.)** 38 Ocala - Mr. Victor R. May, 38 transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest at 8:00 pm on Saturday, December 1, 2007 in Americus, GA. He was born and raised in Miami, FL. Many may recognize Gucci Bass from the music industry with hit singles such as 'Sally That Girl', 'Trus and Vogues', 'They Call Me Gucci', and 'The Cabbage Patch', just to name a few. He was known for his comedian acts, compassion and sweet personality. Everyone who knew him loved him. Mr. May survived by his three sons: Victor Lee and Victor May, Jr., both of Miami, FL; Tavares White of Americus, GA. Two daughters: Lashara May of Miami, FL; Victoria May of Gainesville, FL. Three stepdaughters: Tammy Thomas, Eunice Galloway and Kandyce Galloway all of Reddick, FL; six grandchildren, Trey, Shardonay, Chakayla, Monte, Kayven and Deyahna all of Reddick, FL; Dearest Friend Linda Richardson of Reddick, FL; Mother: Patricia Thornton of Miami, FL. Visitation will be held at TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. at 10195 N. Hwy 27, Fellowship, FL. on Saturday, December 8, 2007 from 6:00 pm until 9:00 pm. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm Sunday, December 9, 2007 at Second Bethlehem Baptist Theological Seminary, 1105 NW 4th Street, Ocala, FL with Prophet Terry Weems, Eulogist. Interment will be held at Mount Zion Cemetery, Reddick, FL. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

**1876. MCBRIDE, DOYLE CURTIS, (Obituary No. 1876.)** 63 Ocala - Doyle Curtis McBride, 63, of Ocala, passed away 12/6/07. Born in Lyons, Georgia He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Karen; son, Kevin and his wife Jennifer of Ocala, FL; daughter Dawn of Ocala, granddaughter Tiffany of Daytona, grandson Justin of Ocala, great granddaughter Julie and great grandson Andrew, his sister Dianne Carter and her husband Terry of Blackshear GA and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents Curtis and Bernadine McBride and his granddaughter Leann Hoskins. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL. 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

**1877. MCCRAY, CENT'YONNA ONDRAU', INFANT (Obituary No. 1877.)** Ocala-Cent'yonna Ondrau' McCray, infant, transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest on Sunday, December 2, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Cent'yonna survived by her parents Ondraus McCray of Ramsey, MN and Centerria Farmer of Ocala, FL; one brother: Zamarion McCray of Ocala, FL; paternal grandparents: Keith Vaughn of Maryland and Arthrea Cunningham of Ramsey, MN; maternal grandparents: Edward and Barbara Farmer of Ocala, FL; paternal great-grandparents: Arthur and Mary Cunningham of Crystal, MN and Jesse and Sylvia Jackson of Ocala, FL; maternal great-grandparents: Lillie Farmer of Blitchton, FL and Minnie Robinson of Fort Lauderdale, FL; three uncles: Edwin Farmer (Tabitha) of Ocala, FL; Dionsha Farmer of Ocala, FL and Jerrit Allen of Ramsey, MN; four aunts: Cinzhasha Farmer; Lakeisha Brewton (Kadrinne); Lataasha Leslie (Ronald) all of Ocala, FL; and Imara Allen of Ramsey, MN. Services will be conducted by Rev. Jackie Tuggerson and held on December 8, 2007 at 3:30 pm at Pine Grove Cemetery, Blitchton, FL. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

**1878. OLBEKSON, HAROLD O.B., (Obituary No. 1878.)** 52 Summerfield - Mr. Harold (O.B.) Olbekson, 52, died Monday, December 3, 2007. Mr. Olbekson was born in Libby, MT.
and moved to Summerfield from Cheyenne, WY in 2006. He was a retired US. Air Force Master Sergeant; member of Air Force Sergeants Association, American Legion Post 347, Veterans Club of Stonecrest, Cheyenne Frontier Days; enjoyed boating, camping, fishing, reading and traveling. Survivors include his wife Katherine, daughters, Lynda Rottmann, Germany; Stefanie Miller, FL; sons, Michael, LA; Joshua, Cheyenne, WY; parents, Norman and Ann Olbekson, Libby, MT; brothers, James, Cheney, WA; Gregory, Seattle, WA; step-daughter, Stephanie Kirby, Laramie, WY; step-son, Alexander Kirby, Cheyenne, WY, 7 grandchildren. Graveside service to be held 11:00 AM, Tuesday, December 11, 2007 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL Contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or Cheyenne Frontier Days Scholarship Fund, 4610 Carey Ave., Cheyenne, WY 82001. HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages, is in charge of arrangements.

1879. PHILLIPS, HELEN R., (Obituary No. 1879.) 86 Cropwell, AL - Helen R. Phillips, age 86, of Cropwell, Alabama, formerly of Ocala, Florida, died December 2, 2007 after a courageous battle with cancer. She was preceded in death by her father, Glenn A. Ross and mother, Sue Brooks Ross, one sister, Josephine Fillingim and one brother, Tim Ross. Survivors include her twin daughters, Barbara Ehl (Jack), Cropwell, AL and Judy Chumley (Bob), Rohnert Park, California, four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, a sister Elizabeth Ann Goerss, San Mateo, California and several nieces and nephews. Mrs. Phillips was a retired, self-employed seamstress for many years. While living in Ocala, Florida, she was a volunteer in both Ocala hospitals and was an avid Mah Jong player. A heartfelt thanks to Lakeside Hospice Staff and Dr. Rock Helms and staff. Mrs. Phillips was a member of Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church, Cropwell, AL where a memorial celebrating her life will be held December 22, 2007 at 11:00 am. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/7/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1880. SMITH, KATE ALINE, (Obituary No. 1880.) 93 Ocala - Kate Aline Smith, 93, passed away on Dec. 3, 2007 at her residence. She was born in Milltown, GA and moved to Ocala in 1933. She was a homemaker and member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church where she was a member of the Esther Sunday School Class. Her survivors include her daughter, Virginia A. Faw of Ocklawaha, her sons, Don A. Smith and wife Gail of Tallahassee and Tommy D. Smith and wife Cindy of Ocala, her sister, Ora Lee Burkelhalter of Patterson, GA, her three grandchildren and four great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband A.D. (Smitty) Smith, Jr. and her daughter, Sharon M. Smith. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, Dec. 8, 2007 at 10 a.m., at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Samuel W. Clements and Rev. Joe A. Williams officiating. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be Friday from 5-7 P.M. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/6/2007 - 12/9/2007.

1881. WINGATE, GRACIE (Obituary No. 1881.), 82 Ocala - Gracie Wingate, age 82, passed away on Dec. 7, 2007. She is the wife of the Late Rupert Wingate and loving mother of Frances Carlin, Dennis (Lorena) Wingate, and the late Robin Simcox. She is the grandmother of seven and great-grandmother of five. She is the sister of William Morris and the Late Russell Morris. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Ocala. No visitations. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

1882. YAPP, CHARLES E., (Obituary No. 1882.) 79 Dunnellon - Charles E. Yapp, 79 years, of Dunnellon, died at home Wednesday, December 5, 2007 under the loving care of his family
and Hospice of Citrus County. Born June 20, 1928. He came here from Orange, California in 1966. From 1967 until retiring in 1994 Charles was a mail Carrier with Dunnellon Post Office. He was a career Marine Corp Veteran, having served 20 years retiring in 1966 as a Gunnery Sergeant. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Dunnellon, having served as a past Deacon, Choir Member, Pre-School Sunday School Teacher and worked for years as a volunteer on the Kitchen Committee. He enjoyed maintaining the family vehicles and also assisted others in car repair. Along with his wife, Charles traveled throughout the United States. He was known for his "Whole Hearted Humor". He is served by his loving wife by his loving wife of 50 years. Annette Yapp, Dunnellon. 2 Sons: Mark Yapp (Patricia), Hutchinson, Kansas and Stewart Yapp (Tena), Bailey, Colorado: Daughter April Shepherd (Patrick), Eagle River, Alaska. 7 Grandchildren: Jonathon and his wife Erica, Jennifer, Daniel, Joshua, Matthew, Samantha and Bobbi. Also 2 Great Grandchildren: Nathan and David. Visitation will be held on Sunday, December 9, 2007 from 3:30 P.M. until 6:00 P.M. at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, Florida. The Funeral Service will be held on Monday, December 10, 2007 at the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon at 11:00 A.M. Burial will follow with a full Marine Corp Honors at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. Memorial Contributions may be given to Hospice of Citrus County. Funeral Arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

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1885. DEPASQUALE, CATHERINE (Obituary No. 1885.), 96 Thousand Oaks, CA. - Mrs. Catherine DePasquale, 96, Former Ocala resident, died December 1, 2007 in Thousand Oaks, CA. Mrs. DePasquale was born May 9, 1911, in Huntington, NY. She lived in Ocala from 1986 through 2006. She was the matriarch of the DePasquale family and was an integral part of operations at Carmichael's Restaurant where she was affectionately known as "Mrs. De." She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Kenneth and Karen DePasquale of Ocala; daughters Suzanne Clark and Donna DePasquale of Thousand Oaks, CA; grandchildren, Darin DePasquale of Tokyo, Japan; Kimberly DePasquale and Nicholas DePasquale of Ocala, Florida; Cathleen Yamin of Brentwood, CA; Michelle Clark and Cristina Park of Thousand Oaks, CA; Catherine Orsak and Steven Orsak of Phoenix, AZ; and five great-grandchildren. Mrs. DePasquale was preceded in death by her husband, Matthew and her grandson John Orsak. Mrs. DePasquale lived life to the fullest and was loved and admired by everyone who knew her. She loved spending time with family and had numerous hobbies including cooking, ceramics, and knitting. Funeral Mass will be held Wednesday, December 12, 2007, 11:00 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street with Fr. Patrick Sheedy officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Camden-Rockport Animal Rescue League, 146 Camden Street, Rockland, ME 04841 in memory of Catherine DePasquale. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

1886. DOUGLAS, GENEVA "Ruth" ROBERTS, (Obituary No. 1886.) 82 Morriston - Geneva "Ruth" Roberts Douglas, 82, went home to be with the Lord on December 7, 2007. She was born at home in Morriston, FL on January 5, 1925 where she resided all her life. She graduated from Williston High School in 1943. After raising her children, she returned to college and received an A.S. in Correction Counseling from Santa Fe Community College in 1979. She retired from the State of Florida, Department of Corrections. Her poetry has been published in World of Poetry, Tradition and ideals as well as several anthologies. Her second book of poems was in the publishing process. She was a devout Christian and a member of the Morriston Baptist Church. Preceded in death by her parents William Lee and Lavonia O'Steen, her brothers, Benjamin Roberts, Clayton H. Roberts, Ira Roberts, Bryant Roberts and her sisters, Bellvia A. Chancey, Margaret Roberts and Sydney Roberts. Her daughter Vail Douglas and her sons Marshall A. "Tony" Douglas and Timothy Carl Douglas. She is survived by her husband of 63 years, John R. Douglas and her children Sharon Poling (John) of Williston, Nelda Jeter (Ralph) of Williston, Betty Shifflett (Ray) of Williston, Margie Mayton (Robert) of Morriston, Elaine Parker of Williston, James Douglas (Denise) of Williston, Billy John Douglas (Debbie) of Snead, FL and Tracie Forrest of Williston. 17 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren. Services will be Dec. 11th. 2007 at the Morriston Baptist Church at 2:00 p.m. Visitation at Knauff Funeral Home December 10th from 6-8 p.m. Arrangements by KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/11/2007.

1887. FAGERBERG, THOMAS G., (Obituary No. 1887.) 60 Ocala - Thomas G. Fagerberg, 60, of Ocala, FL, died on Friday, Dec. 7, 2007 at MRMC. Born in Boston, Massachusetts, he moved to Ocala in 1998. He is survived by two sisters, Ruthanne Henry of St. Petersburg, FL and Pauline Jewett of Billernica, MA, and by a brother Bill Fagerberg of Texas. He was preceded in death by three brothers and a sister, all of Massachusetts. He will be sadly missed forever, by his long time companion, Leslie Pace, and by her children and grandchildren. All of whom he treated at his own. He was lovingly called, "Mr. Tom", and will be missed by many
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**1888. GOLDSMITH, EDWIN (Obituary No. 1888.)**, 77 Summerfield - Edwin Goldsmith, 77, passed away on Dec. 6, 2007 in Ocala, FL. He is the father of Mark Goldsmith and the late Steve Goldsmith, also the beloved grandfather of Jacob Goldsmith. He was the dear friend of Anne Singer and her children. He is the brother of Blanche Cole and Jane Shloss of IL and also has many nieces and nephews. No visitations. Memorial Service will be held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

**1889. KNOTTS, SHIRLEY C., (Obituary No. 1889.)**, 61 Ocala - Mrs. Shirley C. Knotts, 61, passed away in Ocala, FL on December 7, 2007. She was born in Jacksonville, FL. She was a member of the Wyomina Park Baptist Church in Ocala. She moved here from Jacksonville, FL in 2001. She is survived by her loving husband David of seven years, two sons Albert Crisp of Newberry, FL and Richard McCullen of TN, a daughter Debra Tesnear of Tampa, FL, seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, one brother Junior Conner of Jacksonville, FL, and her mother Lou Landrum of Nahunta, GA. A visitation will be held at ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL on Monday, December 10, 2007 from 5-7 p.m. Services will follow Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

**1890. LITTLE, CHARLES CLIFFORD, (Obituary No. 1890.)**, 76 Yalaha - Charles Clifford Little, 76, passed away on Dec. 8, 2007 at Leesburg Regional Medical Center. He was born in Wales, KY and moved to this area in 1970 from Illinois. He was owner/operator of Air Cond. Cooling & Heating Company, and served his country in the U.S. Army Airborne. He was a member of Marion-Dunn Lodge No. 19, F&AM and the Ocala Elks Lodge. He enjoyed Country-Western Gospel, hunting, fishing, traveling and cooking. His survivors include his daughters, Cheryl Wilson of Andover, KS and Patrice Sellers of Yalaha, his sons, Carl and Gordon Sellers, both of Ocala and Charlie Little of NC, his mother Cora Little of Huntington, IN, his sisters, Betty Little and Beatrice Lawson and brothers, Dick and Jim Little all of Huntington, IN also his seven grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Friday, Dec. 14, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with Ben Marquez officiating. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery. Visitation will be Thursday from 5-7 p.m. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/10/2007 - 12/11/2007.

**1891. WINGATE, GRACIE (Obituary No. 1891.)**, 82 Ocala - Gracie Wingate, age 82, passed away on Dec. 7, 2007. She is the wife of the Late Rupert Wingate and loving mother of Frances Carlin, Dennis (Lorena) Wingate, and the late Robin Simcox. She is the grandmother of seven and great-grandmother of five. She is the sister of William Morris and the Late Russell Morris. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Ocala. No visitations. Arrangements by FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

**1892. YAPP, CHARLES E., (Obituary No. 1892.)**, 79 Dunnellon - Charles E. Yapp, 79 years, of Dunnellon, died at home Wednesday, December 5, 2007 under the loving care of his family and Hospice of Citrus County. Born June 20, 1928. He came here from Orange, California in 1966. From 1967 until retiring in 1994 Charles was a mail Carrier with Dunnellon Post Office.
He was a career Marine Corp Veteran, having served 20 years retiring in 1966 as a Gunnery Sergeant. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Dunnellon, having served as a past Deacon, Choir Member, Pre-School Sunday School Teacher and worked for years as a volunteer on the Kitchen Committee. He enjoyed maintaining the family vehicles and also assisted others in car repair. Along with his wife, Charles traveled throughout the United Stated. He was known for his "Whole Hearted Humor". He is served by his loving wife by his loving wife of 50 years. Annette Yapp, Dunnellon, 2 Sons: Mark Yapp (Patricia), Hutchinson, Kansas and Stewart Yapp (Tena), Bailey, Colorado: Daughter April Shepherd (Patrick), Eagle River, Alaska. 7 Grandchildren: Jonathon and his wife Erica, Jennifer, Daniel, Matthew, Samantha and Bobbi. Also 2 Great Grandchildren: Nathan and David. Visitation will be held on Sunday, December 9, 2007 from 3:30 P.M. until 6:00 P.M. at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, Florida. The Funeral Service will be held on Monday, December 10, 2007 at the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon at 11:00 A.M. Burial will follow with a full Marine Corp Honors at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. Memorial Contributions may be given to Hospice of Citrus County. Funeral Arrangements under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/9/2007 - 12/10/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, December 11, 2007
1893. BOYD, DONALD R., (Obituary No. 1893.) 75 Ocala - Donald R. Boyd, 75, passed away Saturday, December 8th, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice, Ocala. He was born in Murfreesboro, AR. He retired from the United States Coast Guard after 26 years and worked as a building contractor and a regional supervisor for Pacific Telcom in Washington and Oregon. He also worked as a senior engineer at martin Marietta, Ocala. He enjoyed driving the VA Van from Ocala to Gainesville and enjoyed helping people. He was a wonderful husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Maryellen, and sons Mark and Scott Boyd of Miami. Grandchildren, Stacy, Jennifer and Andrew Boyd of Miami, Stefanie Boyd and Isabella Quinones of Tallahassee. Sisters, Ana Jean Short of Nashville, AR and Millowee Bumgarner of Amarillo, TX. No services at this time and no flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.
1894. DOUGLAS, GENEVA "Ruth" ROBERTS, (Obituary No. 1894.) 82 Morriston - Geneva "Ruth" Roberts Douglas, 82, went home to be with the Lord on December 7, 2007. She was born at home in Morriston High School in 1943. After raising her children, she returned to college and received an A.S. in Correction Counseling from Santa Fe Community College in 1979. She retired from the State of Florida, Department of Corrections. Her poetry has been published in World of Poetry. Tradition and ideals as well as several anthologies. Her second book of poems was in the publishing process. She was a devout Christian and a member of the Morriston Baptist Church. Preceded in death by her parents Williard Lee and Lavonia O'Steen, her brothers, Benjamin Roberts, Clayton H. Roberts, Ira Roberts, Bryant Roberts and her sisters, Bellvia A. Chancey, Margaret Roberts and Sydney Roberts. Her daughter Vail Douglas and her sons Marshall A. "Tony" Douglas and Timothy Carl Douglas. She is survived by her husband of 63 years, John R. Douglas and her children Sharon Poling (John) of Williston, Nelda Jeter (Ralph) of Williston, Betty Shifflett (Ray) of Williston, Margie Mayton (Robert) of Morriston, Elaine Parker of Williston, James Douglas (Denise) of Williston, Billy John Douglas (Debbie) of Snead, FL and Tracye Forrest of Williston. 17 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren. Services will
be Dec. 11th. 2007 at the Morriston Baptist Church at 2:00 p.m. Visitation at Knauff Funeral Home December 10th from 6-8 p.m. Arrangements by KNAUFF FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/10/2007 - 12/11/2007.

1895. EASTMAN, JUNE H., (Obituary No. 1895.) 83 Ocala - Mrs. June Hunt Eastman, 83 of Ocala FL died on Friday, December 07, 2007. Born in Goffstown, NH she had made Ocala her home since 1987 moving from Monroe, NH. She was a homemaker, Methodist in faith, member of North Central Florida EX-POW and Daughters of the Revolution. Survivors include; husband; Harold Eastman, JR., three sons; Merle D. Eastman of England, Bruce KEastman, Ocala, FL and Robert K, Eastman of West Texas. 6 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held 11 AM on Thursday, December 13, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home 910 S.E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 with Pastor Frank Grant officiating. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.

1896. JOHNS, MARION "MONK" ALBERT, (Obituary No. 1896.) 65 Micanopy - Marion "Monk" Albert Johns 65, of Micanopy, Florida died on Saturday, December 8, 2007 at the Malcolm Randall V.A. Medical Center in Gainesville. Marion was born on Thursday, December 3, 1942 in Boardman, Florida to the late Brice and Marjorie Johns. Mr. Johns proudly served his country faithfully in the U.S. Army. Mr. Johns is survived by his loving wife of 23 years Lucia H. Johns of Micanopy, Florida; Children: Tammy Haynes of Jayeff, Mississippi, Matthew Johns, Jeremiah Johns and B.J. Simmons all of Micanopy, Florida, James Huffman of Dayton, Tennessee, Debbie Hall of Hixon, Tennessee, Diane Patterson of Ocala, Florida, Angela Harry and Annie Simmons both of Gainesville, Florida. Brothers: Brice Johns of LaCross, Florida, Rusty Johns of McIntosh, Florida; sister: Marilyn Fullmer of McCaysville, Georgia; Twenty Two Grandchildren and Nine Great-Grandchildren; A Celebration of Monk’s life will be 11:00 AM, Wednesday, December 12, 2007 at the First Baptist Church of McIntosh in McIntosh, Florida with Pastor Larry Pearson, officiating. Memories and condolences may be sent to the family at WWW.WattsFuneralHomes.com. Arrangements are in the care of Watts Funeral Homes, Inc., San Mateo, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.

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1898. OVERSTREET, BOBBY JOE, (Obituary No. 1898.) 74 Ocala - Mr. Bobby Joe Overstreet, age 74, went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, December 9, 2007. He passed away at home under the loving care of family and Hospice of Marion Co. He came to Ocala from
Liberty, KY in 1966. He served his country in the U.S. Air Force where he played basketball with the base basketball team. He retired from auto sales and has been with Carquest Auto Parts for the last 5 years. In his last years he was a devoted Christian working with the Gideons International Organization, becoming Chaplain of his Camp. He was also a member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Jean; 2 daughters, Jeanine Yawn, Sheri (Greg) Wiley; 2 sisters, Mabel Carpenter and Stella Wethington; 2 brothers, Fay D. (Ann) Overstreet, and Ray L. (Nina) Overstreet; 4 grandchildren, Angie (Kenny) Bailey, Sarah (Derek) Poole, Amber and Cody Wiley; 4 great-grandchildren, Alexander and Cloc Torres, and Evenne and Savion Poole. He is also survived by many loving Nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 P.M. Thursday, December 13, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Dr. Edward D. Johnson officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be from 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. on Wednesday.

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1899. PEACHEY JR., JACK ANDREW, (Obituary No. 1899.) 50 Fruitland Park - Jack Andrew Peachey Jr., 50 passed away Wednesday, December 5, 2007. He was born in Miami, Fl. He worked as a ceiling installer. Survivors include: His Father and mother; Jack and Mary Peachey of Fruitland Park, Fl. Son; Jack A. Peachey, III of Orlando, FL. daughter; Sarah Peachey of Orlando, FL. A brother Michael Peachey of Umatilla, FL., and a sister Robin Peachey of Safety Harbor, Fl. A memorial service will be planned at a later date. Arrangements by PURCELL FUNERAL HOME 114 W. Noble Avenue, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.

1900. SUCHY, RAYMOND MILES, (Obituary No. 1900.) 58 Sparr- Raymond Miles Suchy, age 58, passed away December 8, 2007 in Ocala. He was born October 30, 1949 in Berwyn, IL, came to Ocala 23 years ago from Miami. He retired from teaching at Howard Middle School. Raymond was an avid fisherman, rocketeer, space enthusiast, ham radio operator and Dale Earnhardt fan. Survivors include his wife of 33 years, Diane Suchy, and three loving children Patches, Hoppy, and Tribbles. Memorial services will a 3:00 P.M. Saturday, December 15, 2007 at Oak Griner Baptist Church, 6422 NE Jacksonville Road, Ocala. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion county, Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.

1901. THOMPSON, ANTHONY (Obituary No. 1901.) "Tony" Wray, 36 Anthony "Tony" Wray Thompson, 36, was born November 19, 1971 and went home to be with the Lord on December 6, 2007. Tony had a wonderful spirit for life and lived it to the fullest. He was a 1991 graduate of Tallmadge High School, Tallmadge, Ohio, and served in the United States Navy on the USS Saratoga during the Gulf War. He loved to play sports and race dirt bikes competitively. Tony is survived by his parents, Raymond and Karen Thompson, Sr., Akron OH; daughter, Karen Thompson, Ocala; sons, David Thompson and Timmy Thompson, Ocala; brothers, Raymond Thompson, Jr., Ocala, Brian Thompson, Akron, Michael (Kira) Thompson, Akron; sister, Jennifer (Tony) Benages, Indianapolis, IN; grandmothers, Freda Thompson, Belleview, and Betty Koch, Akron; long time girlfriend, Karla Pipps, Leesburg, FL; many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral services will be held at 2:00, December 12, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday from 6 - 8 PM at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.
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1902. BARRETT, GEORGE F., (Obituary No. 1902.) 72 Summerfield - George F. Barrett, 72, passed away at The Legacy House on December 8, 2007. Mr. Barrett was a native of Plymouth, Massachusetts. He was retired from The First National Stores in Plymouth and from the Archdiocese of Miami, Florida, where he was employed at the Seminary of St. Vincent De Paul in Boynton Beach. Mr. Barrett was predeceased by his parents, John and Inez Barrett, and sister, Janice Rapoza. He is survived by brothers, John (Rita) and Charles Barrett, and nephew, Russell Rapoza, and niece Linda McAlduff of Massachusetts. Internment will be at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. The family requests that donations may be made to the Hospice of Marion County, Inc. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/14/2007.

1903. BOYD, DONALD R., (Obituary No. 1903.) 75 Ocala - Donald R. Boyd, 75, passed away Saturday, December 8th, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice, Ocala. He was born in Murfreesboro, AR. He retired from the United States Coast Guard after 26 years and worked as a building contractor and a regional supervisor for Pacific Telcom in Washington and Oregon. He also worked as a senior engineer at Martin Marietta, Ocala. He enjoyed driving the VA Van from Ocala to Gainesville and enjoyed helping people. He was a wonderful husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Maryellen, and sons Mark and Scott Boyd of Miami. Grandchildren, Stacy, Jennifer and Andrew Boyd of Miami, Stefanie Boyd and Isabella Quinones of Tallahassee. Sisters, Ana Jean Short of Nashville, AR and Millowee Bumgarner of Amarillo, TX. No services at this time and no flowers. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.

1904. BUSH, PATSY RUTH DALLETT, (Obituary No. 1904.) 76 Ocala - Patsy Ruth Dallett Bush, 76, passed away on December 5, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Mrs. Bush was born on February 14, 1931 in Miami, FL. She was a past member of Airport Baptist Church and a United States Veteran. She moved to Ocala in 1979. Mrs. Bush was a loving mother and grandmother. Preceded in death by her husband, James V. Bush and sister, Vivian Orr of Miami. Survivors include sons, Charles V. Bush, Ocala, John Silverman, Little Rock, AK; Brother, Micheal F. Dallett & family, Ft. Lauderdale; Grandson, Chance A. Bush; nieces, Nedia Hicks & family, Marrietta, GA; Judy and Pat Orr, Miami and daughter-in-law Victoria Bush, Ocala. The family wishes to thank Ocala Health & Rehab (South Wing) and Hospice (Sylvia House) of Ocala. Memorial Services will be held on Friday, December 14, 2007 at 2:45 p.m. - Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1905. CAHILL, JR., JOHN J., (Obituary No. 1905.) 86 Dunnellon - John J. Cahill, Jr., 86, died Monday, December 10, 2007 in Dunnellon, FL. He was born November 5, 1921, in Waterbury, Conn. to John J. Cahill, Sr. and Katherine Cahill. Mr. Cahill retired from the New Haven and L.I. Railroads after 35 years of service and also, worked on Wall Street. He was a veteran of the US Army and served during WWII. He was a member of St. John The Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Marion Cahill of Dunnellon, Brother-In-Law, Vincent Fiore; Sister-In-Law, Ethel Poio of L.I., N.Y.; seven nephews and two nieces. Visitation will be on Wednesday, December 12, 2007 from 1 P.M. to 3 P.M. at St. John The Baptist in Dunnellon. A Funeral Mass will be on Thursday, December 13, 2007 at 11 A.M. with Father Joseph Pinchock officiating. Burial will be on Saturday, December 15, 2007 at 11 A.M. in Pinelawn Memorial Park in Farmingdale, N.Y. FERO FUNERAL HOME, Beverly Hills, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.
1906. CAMPIGLIA, FERNAND N., (Obituary No. 1906). 87 Belleview - Belleview - Fernand N. Campiglia, 87, of Belleview died at his residence December 9, 2007. He was born in New York City, New York, and moved from Hialeah, FL to this area in 1979. He served in the Navy during WW II. He was a retired mechanic for Eastern Airlines, and past commander and chaplain of American Legion Post 284, Belleview. Mr. Campiglia is survived by daughters, Pernette Campiglia, Belleview, Roxanne Wren, Summerfield; sons, Gary Campiglia, Goldsboro, NC, Robert Terry Campiglia, Orlando, Michael Campiglia and Barry Campiglia, both of Springhill, FL; grandson, Robert Terry Campiglia, Jr., Orlando; niece, Norma Jean Barker, Belleview. Funeral services will be at noon, Fri., Dec. 14, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Visitation will be from 10 - 12 prior to the service. Memorial services will be held at 4:00 PM, Wed., Dec. 19, 2007 at Grace Episcopal Church, Ocala, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1907. EASTMAN, JUNE H., (Obituary No. 1907.) 83 Ocala - Mrs. June Hunt Eastman, 83 of Ocala FL died on Friday, December 07, 2007. Born in Goffstown, NH she had made Ocala her home since 1987 moving from Monroe, NH. She was a homemaker, Methodist in faith, member of North Central Florida EX-POW and Daughters of the Revolution. Survivors include; husband; Harold Eastman, JR., three sons; Merle D. Eastman of England, Bruce KEastman, Ocala, FL and Robert K. Eastman of West Texas. 6 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held 11 AM on Thursday, December 13, 2007 at Hiers Funeral Home 910 S.E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 with Pastor Frank Grant officiating. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.

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1909. KINSLER, EMANUEL M., (Obituary No. 1909.) 91 Lutz - Emanuel M. Kinsler, 91, formerly of Ocala, passed away on Dec. 8, 2007 in Tampa. A native of Kendrick, Marion County, FL, he moved to Lutz in 1994 from Philadelphia. Mr. Kinsler was a WW II U.S. Army veteran and then attended FAMU in Tallahassee, earning a Master's degree in agriculture and also serving as a professor at FAMU for five years. He then spent the next 27 years of his career in Marion County Schools teaching agriculture and shop in high school. Mr. Kinsler was one of the founding members of Ebenezer Independent Free Methodist Church in Ocala, a church he both helped build and served as Deacon during his life. Mr. Kinsler enjoyed farming and fishing
and was a great father and provider who also enjoyed spending time with his family. Emanuel was an awesome teacher and was honored several times as Teacher of the Year in Marion County. He is survived by sons Emanuel Melvin and Harold Aiken Kinsler, both of Ocala; son Ernest W. Kinsler of Canterbury, CT; daughter Angeleah C. Kinsler of Lutz; daughter Pleasantte Theresa Kinsler-Johnson of Darby, PA; daughter Mabel Diane Kinsler of Ocala; former wife and mother of his children, Catheryn Kinsler of Lutz; brother Lester Lee Kinsler of Ocala; sixteen grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and four great great grandchildren. Services will be held Sat., Dec. 15th at 10:30 AM at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, with Rev. Joseph Williams officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with military honors. Friends will be received on Saturday from 9 a.m until time of service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1910. NASH, ELIZABETH THERESA, (Obituary No. 1910.) 79 Ocala - NASH, Elizabeth Theresa, 79, passed away on Sunday, December 9, 2007 at West Marion Hospital. Born in Bronx, NY she had made Ocala her home for the past 25 years moving from Ballston Lake, NY. She was a homemaker and Catholic in faith. Survivors include; husband of 54 years George "Jim" Nash, three daughters; Linda DiGiuseppe, Saratoga Springs, NY, Susan Rohrwasser, and Diane Loubier both of Clifton Park, NY, three sons; David J. Nash, Ballston Lake, NY, Captain Roy A. Nash, Seattle, WA, Donald Nash, Ballston Lake NY, sister; Sandra Martinez, Burnt Hills, NY, 14 grandchildren and 1 great-grandson. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Saratoga Bridges, 16 Saratoga Bridges Blvd., Ballston Spa, NY 12020. A Memorial Service will be held at a later date in Ballston Lake, NY. Arrangements by HIER'S FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1911. NORTON, SALLY A., (Obituary No. 1911.) 67 Citrus Springs - Sally A. Norton, 67 on December 11, 2007, Sally Ann Norton went home to be with the Lord from her residence in Citrus Springs with her family by her side. She was born on August 29, 1940 in Buffalo, NY. She was a retired Administrative Assistant with the City of Ocala. She was a member of Dunnellon Community Church in Dunnellon, FL. She moved to the area in 1975 from Pennsylvania. She is survived by her loving husband Walter Norton of 44 years. Two sons: Robert Norton of FL and Christopher Norton of Dunnellon, FL. Two daughters: Susan Sorrells of Waynesville, NC and Diana Bergeron of Dunnellon, FL. Eight grandchildren: Brookely, Jarrett, West, Joshua, Tanner, Hope, Kirsten, and Keira Ann. Two sisters: Nancy Golato and Marie Phillips of Ocala, FL. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Avenue, Ocala, FL will be handling the arrangements. A gathering of friends will take place December 13th from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. Services will be conducted on December 14, 2007 at 12:00 p.m. by Pastor Rick Hooper. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Hospice of Citrus County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1912. OVERSTREET, BOBBY JOE, (Obituary No. 1912.) 74 Ocala - Mr. Bobby Joe Overstreet, age 74, went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, December 9, 2007. He passed away at home under the loving care of family and Hospice of Marion Co. He came to Ocala from Liberty, KY in 1966. He served his country in the U.S. Air Force where he played basketball with the base basketball team. He retired from auto sales and has been with Carquest Auto Parts for the last 5 years. In his last years he was a devoted Christian working with the Gideons International Organization, becoming Chaplain of his Camp. He was also a member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Jean; 2 daughters, Jeanine Yawn, Sheri (Greg) Wiley; 2 sisters, Mabel Carpenter and Stella Wethington; 2 brothers, Fay D.
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1913. PEACHEY JR., JACK ANDREW, (Obituary No. 1913.) 50 Fruitland Park - Jack Andrew Peachey Jr., 50 passed away Wednesday, December 5, 2007. He was born in Miami, Fl. He worked as a ceiling installer. Survivors include: His Father and mother; Jack and Mary Peachey of Fruitland Park, Fl. Son; Jack A. Peachey , III of Orlando, Fl. daughter; Sarah Peachey of Orlando, Fl. A brother Michael Peachey of Umatilla, FL., and a sister Robin Peachey of Safety Harbor, Fl. A memorial service will be planned at a later date. Arrangements by PURCELL FUNERAL HOME 114 W. Noble Avenue, Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.

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1915. SUCHY, RAYMOND MILES, (Obituary No. 1915.) 58 Sparr- Raymond Miles Suchy, age 58, passed away December 8, 2007 in Ocala. He was born October 30, 1949 in Berwyn, IL, carne to Ocala 23 years ago from Miami. He retired from teaching at Howard Middle School. Raymond was an avid fisherman, rocketeer, space enthusiast, ham radio operator and Dale Earnhardt fan. Survivors include his wife of 33 years, Diane Suchy, and three loving children Patches, Hoppy, and Tribbles. Memorial services will a 3:00 P.M. Saturday, December 15, 2007 at Oak Griner Baptist Church, 6422 NE Jacksonville Road, Ocala. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion county, Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.

1916. THOMPSON, ANTHONY "Tony" Wray, 36 (Obituary No. 1916.) Anthony "Tony" Wray Thompson, 36, was born November 19, 1971 and went home to be with the Lord on
December 6, 2007. Tony had a wonderful spirit for life and lived it to the fullest. He was a 1991 graduate of Tallmadge High School, Tallmadge, Ohio, and served in the United States Navy on the USS Saratoga during the Gulf War. He loved to play sports and race dirt bikes competitively. Tony is survived by his parents, Raymond and Karen Thompson, Sr., Akron OH; daughter, Karen Thompson, Ocala; sons, David Thompson and Timmy Thompson, Ocala; brothers, Raymond Thompson, Jr., Ocala, Brian Thompson, Akron, Michael (Kira) Thompson, Akron; sister, Jennifer (Tony) Benages, Indianapolis, IN; grandmothers, Freda Thompson, Belleview, and Betty Koch, Akron; long time girlfriend, Karla Phipps, Leesburg, FL; many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral services will be held at 2:00, December 12, 2007 at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday from 6 - 8 PM at the funeral home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/11/2007 - 12/12/2007.

1917. VECCHIONE, GIUSEPPE "PEPPE", (Obituary No. 1917.) 61 Ocala - Giuseppe "Peppe" Vecchione, 61, died Friday December 7, 2007. Peppe, son of Paolino Vecchione and Fortuna Saveriano was born in Italy and moved to New Jersey in 1999. He lived in Ocala for the last 6 years. Peppe was a photographer who enjoyed diving, traveling, cooking, volunteering and most important life itself. His sense of humor and zest for life inspired those around him to take life less seriously and enjoy the beauty of it. He is survived and missed dearly by his wife, Pasqualina (Lina) of Ocala; son, Paolino and wife Giulia of Montecchio E., Italy; daughter, Fortuna and husband Elia of Montecchio E., Italy; son, Umberto and wife Pina of Cicciano, Italy; son, Massimo and wife Raffaela of Roccarainola, Italy; step-son, Giovanni and wife Kristin of San Diego, CA. and five grandchildren, Giuseppe, Marica, Delia, Giuseppe, Michele. La vita non e una corsa. Prendila piano. Ascolta la musica. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

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1920. BUSH, PATSY RUTH DALLETT, (Obituary No. 1920.) 76 Ocala - Patsy Ruth Dallett Bush, 76, passed away on December 5, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Mrs. Bush was born on February 14, 1931 in Miami, FL. She was a past member of Airport Baptist Church and a United States Veteran. She moved to Ocala in 1979. Mrs. Bush was a loving mother and grandmother. Preceded in death by her husband, James V. Bush and sister, Vivian Orr of Miami. Survivors include sons, Charles V. Bush, Ocala, John Silverman, Little Rock, AK; Brother, Micheal F. Dallett & family, Ft. Lauderdale; Grandson, Chance A. Bush; nieces, Nedia Hicks & family, Marrietta, GA; Judy and Pat Orr, Miami and daughter-in-law Victoria Bush, Ocala. The family wishes to thank Ocala Health & Rehab (South Wing) and Hospice (Sylvia House) of Ocala. Memorial Services will be held on Friday, December 14, 2007 at 2:45 p.m. - Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1921. CAHILL, JR., JOHN J., (Obituary No. 1921.) 86 Dunnellon - John J. Cahill, Jr., 86, died Monday, December 10, 2007 in Dunnellon, FL. He was born November 5, 1921, in Waterbury, Conn. to John J. Cahill, Sr. and Katherine Cahill. Mr. Cahill retired from the New Haven and L.I. Railroads after 35 years of service and also, worked on Wall Street. He was a veteran of the US Army and served during WWII. He was a member of St. John The Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Marion Cahill of Dunnellon, Brother-in-Law, Vincent Fiore; Sister-In-Law, Ethel Poio of L.I., N.Y.; seven nephews and two nieces. Visitation will be on Wednesday, December 12, 2007 from 1 P.M. to 3 P.M. at St. John The Baptist in Dunnellon. A Funeral Mass will be on Thursday, December 13, 2007 at 11 A.M. with Father Joseph Pinchock officiating. Burial will be on Saturday, December 15, 2007 at 11 A.M. in Pinelawn Memorial Park in Farmingdale, N.Y. FERO FUNERAL HOME, Beverly Hills, Florida. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1922. CAMPILGIA, FERNAND N., (Obituary No. 1922.) 87 Belleview - Fernand N. Campiglia, 87, of Belleview died at his residence December 9, 2007. He was born in New York City, New York, and moved from Hialeah, FL to this area in 1979. He served in the Navy during WW II. He was a retired mechanic for Eastern Airlines, and past commander and chaplain of American Legion Post 284, Belleview. Mr. Campiglia is survived by daughters, Pernette Campiglia, Belleview, Roxanne Wren, Summerfield; sons, Gary Campiglia, Goldsboro, NC, Robert Terry Campiglia, Orlando, Michael Campiglia and Barry Campiglia, both of Springhill, FL; grandson, Robert Terry Campiglia, Jr., Orlando; niece, Norma Jean Barker, Belleview. Funeral services will be at noon, Fri., Dec. 14, 2007 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Visitation will be from 10 - 12 prior to the service. Memorial services will be held at 4:00 PM, Wed., Dec. 19, 2007 at Grace Episcopal Church, Ocala, FL Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1923. GUGEL, FRANCIS W., (Obituary No. 1923.) 80 Vero Beach, FL - Mr. Francis W. Gugel, 80, died December 7, 2007 at his home in Vero Beach. He was born in Greepoint, Brooklyn, NY and lived in Vero Beach for 7 years coming from Ocala, FL. Frank was an over the road truck driver for Mohawk Vanlines and National Vanlines. Frank was a member of Holy Cross Catholic Church, Vero Beach. Survivors include his wife, Anna-Mae Gugel of Vero Beach; sons, Frank Matthew Gugel of Ridgefield, CT, James Francis Gugel of Ocala, FL and John Charles Gugel of Rocky Point, NY; daughter, Jane Frances Lugo of Ocala, FL; sister, Anne Mason of East Stroudsburg, PA and 5 grandchildren, Matthew, Jaclyn, Patrick, Diana and Amanda. Memorial contributions may be made to Visiting Nurse Association & Hospice Foundation at the following address 1110 35th Lane Vero Beach, Florida 32960 in memory of
Frank. Visitation will be from 2-4 and 6-8 pm on Thursday, December 13, 2007 at STRUNK FUNERAL HOME, Vero Beach. A Prayer Vigil will be held at 7:30 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated 10 am, Friday, December 14, 2007 at Holy Cross Catholic Church Vero Beach. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/13/2007 - 12/14/2007.

1924. ISAAC, WILLIAM DONALD, (Obituary No. 1924.) 52 Ocala - Mr. William Donald Isaac, 52, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, December 10, 2007. A native of Cynthiana, KY., he came here 10 years ago from Lexington, KY and was a former horse trainer for Claiborne Farms in Paris, KY. Mr. Isaac was a pool player in an Ocala league and enjoyed eight ball and nine ball especially. He is survived by his wife of 16 years, Karla Jo Isaac of Ocala: son Doug Isaac; daughter Lisa Isaac; daughter Sherry Henaka and Terry Allison; all of Paris, KY; brother Tony Isaac of Fleminsburg, KY; sister Ruby Williams of Cynthiana, KY; numerous grandchildren and very close friends Brad and Lynn Carter and Wendy and Victor Ploski. Funeral Service will be held Friday, December 14th at 10:00 A.M. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home with Rev. Bill Carpenter officiating. Interment will take place at a later date in Kentucky. Friends will be received Thursday, December 14th from 5:00 to 7:00 at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/13/2007 - 12/15/2007.

1925. KINSLER, EMANUEL M., (Obituary No. 1925.) 91 Lutz - Emanuel M. Kinsler, 91, formerly of Ocala, passed away on Dec. 8, 2007 in Tampa. A native of Kendrick, Marion County, FL, he moved to Lutz in 1994 from Philadelphia. Mr. Kinsler was a WW II U.S. Army veteran and then attended FAMU in Tallahassee, earning a Master's degree in agriculture and also serving as a professor at FAMU for five years. He then spent the next 27 years of his career in Marion County Schools teaching agriculture and shop in high school. Mr. Kinsler was one of the founding members of Ebenezer Independent Free Methodist Church in Ocala, a church he both helped build and served as Deacon during his life. Mr. Kinsler enjoyed farming and fishing and was a great father and provider who also enjoyed spending time with his family. Emanuel was an awesome teacher and was honored several times as Teacher of the Year in Marion County. He is survived by sons Emanuel Melvin and Harold Aiken Kinsler, both of Ocala; son Ernest W. Kinsler of Canterbury, CT; daughter Angeleah C. Kinsler of Lutz; daughter Pleasantte Theresa Kinsler-Johnson of Darby, PA; daughter Mabel Diane Kinsler of Ocala; former wife and mother of his children, Catheryn Kinsler of Lutz; brother Lester Lee Kinsler of Ocala; sixteen grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and four great great grandchildren. Services will be held Sat., Dec. 15th at 10:30 AM at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, with Rev. Joseph Williams officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with military honors. Friends will be received on Saturday from 9 a.m until time of service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1926. NASH, ELIZABETH THERESA, (Obituary No. 1926.) 79 Ocala - NASH, Elizabeth Theresa, 79, passed away on Sunday, December 9, 2007 at West Marion Hospital. Born in Bronx, NY she had made Ocala her home for the past 25 years moving from Ballston Lake, NY. She was a homemaker and Catholic in faith. Survivors include; husband of 54 years George "Jim" Nash, three daughters; Linda DiGiuseppe, Saratoga Springs, NY, Susan Rohrwasser, and Diane Loubier both of Clifton Park, NY, three sons; David J. Nash, Ballston Lake, NY, Captain Roy A. Nash, Seattle, WA, Donald Nash, Ballston Lake NY, sister; Sandra Martinez, Burnt Hills, NY, 14 grandchildren and 1 great-grandson. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Saratoga Bridges, 16 Saratoga Bridges Blvd., Ballston Spa, NY 12020. A Memorial Service will be held at a later date in Ballston Lake, NY. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910
1927. NORTON, SALLY A., (Obituary No. 1927.) 67 Citrus Springs - Sally A. Norton, 67 on December 11, 2007, Sally Ann Norton went home to be with the Lord from her residence in Citrus Springs with her family by her side. She was born on August 29, 1940 in Buffalo, NY. She was a retired Administrative Assistant with the City of Ocala. She was a member of Dunnellon Community Church in Dunnellon, FL. She moved to the area in 1975 from Pennsylvania. She is survived by her loving husband Walter Norton of 44 years. Two sons: Robert Norton of FL and Christopher Norton of Dunnellon, FL. Two daughters: Susan Sorrells of Waynesville, NC and Diana Bergeron of Dunnellon, FL. Eight grandchildren: Brookely, Jarrett, West, Joshua, Tanner, Hope, Kirsten, and Keira Ann. Two sisters: Nancy Golato and Marie Phillips of Ocala, FL. ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Avenue, Ocala, FL will be handling the arrangements. A gathering of friends will take place December 13th from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. Services will be conducted on December 14, 2007 at 12:00 p.m. by Pastor Rick Hooper. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Hospice of Citrus County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1928. OVERSTREET, BOBBY JOE, (Obituary No. 1928.) 74 Ocala - Mr. Bobby Joe Overstreet, age 74, went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, December 9, 2007. He passed away at home under the loving care of family and Hospice of Marion Co. He came to Ocala from Liberty, KY in 1966. He served his country in the U.S. Air Force where he played basketball with the base basketball team. He retired from auto sales and has been with Carquest Auto Parts for the last 5 years. In his last years he was a devoted Christian working with the Gideons International Organization, becoming Chaplain of his Camp. He was also a member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Jean; 2 daughters, Jeanine Yawn, Sheri (Greg) Wiley; 2 sisters, Mabel Carpenter and Stella Wethington; 2 brothers, Fay D. (Ann) Overstreet, and Ray L. (Nina) Overstreet; 4 grandchildren, Angie (Kenny) Bailey, Sarah (Derek) Poole, Amber and Cody Wiley; 4 great-grandchildren, Alexander and Cloc Torres, and Evenne and Savion Poole. He is also survived by many loving Nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 P.M. Thursday, December 13, 200 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Dr. Edward D. Johnson officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be from 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. on Wednesday. Memorial contributions may be made to Gideons International, PO Box 2541, Ocala, FL 34478, or Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/12/2007 - 12/13/2007.

1929. RICHARDSON, MABLE PURDY, (Obituary No. 1929.) 88 Ocala - Mable Purdy Richardson, 88, funeral services will be on Saturday, December 15, 2007 at 11 a.m., New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Reverend Earl Young will conduct the words of comfort. Reverend Stanley Jacobs, Sr. presiding. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 to 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Richardson's residence (611 S.W. 19th Avenue, Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the Funeral Cortege. No viewing will follow the Eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines quality & Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/13/2007 - 12/14/2007.

1930. ROBERTS, JOANN (Obituary No. 1930.) 78 Ocala- Mrs. JoAnn Roberts, age 78, of Ocala passed away at Life Care Center of Ocala, Monday, December 10, 2007. She was born in Van, WV on November 22, 1929, and came to Ocala in 1959 from WV. JoAnn attended Trinity Baptist and Meadowbrook Church. Survivors include two daughters Ruthann Hedges and
Tammy Coggins of Ocala, three brothers Rex Scott of Ocala, Terry Scott of Cocoa, FL, Max Scott of Arizona City, AL, two sisters Nancy Price of Girard, OH, Marie Peterson of Melbourne, FL, and two grandchildren Michael Daniel Coggins and Libby Hedges. She is also survived by two son-in-laws, Joe Hedges and Mike Coggins. Funeral services will be Monday December 17, 2007 at 1: PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Visitation will be 4:00 - 6:00 PM Sunday, December 16, 2007 also at HIERs FUNERAL HOME Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/13/2007 - 12/14/2007.

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1933. TAYLOR, CLEOPHUS(Obituary No. 1933.), 88, Reddick - Mr. Cleophus Taylor, 88, born in Gainesville, FL December 26, 1918. Mr. Taylor was a lifelong resident of Reddick, FL. He was a machine operator. Mr. Taylor was a veteran of the U.S. Army. Services will be held Saturday, December 15, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Zion United Methodist Church, Rev. John Banks, Pastor, Rev. Dwayne Williams officiating. He leaves to cherish his memories - wife, Willie Mae Taylor, one son Edward Jackson, Ohio; 2 daughters Patricia Taylor, Rochester, NY, Mercedes Taylor Johnson, Reddick, FL; 2 brothers Jefferson Taylor, Baltimore, MD, Clarence Taylor, Ft. Pierce. Host of grands & great grandchildren. Visitation: Friday December 14, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wake from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Zion United Methodist Church, Reddick, FL. Saturday
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1937. CARROLL, FREDERICK MICHAEL, (Obituary No. 1937.) 56 Citra - Frederick Michael Carroll, 56, passed away December 11, 2007. Born in Sumter, South Carolina he was a country boy from Lady Lake, FL who lived life to the fullest. He loved animals, the woods, his friends and his family the most of all. He was a millwright technician for Franklin industries for 25 years. He is survived by his wife and best friend, Kate Carroll; sons, Matt and his wife Melissa of Sanford, FL, Steve and his wife Nicole of Leesburg and Ben and his wife Star of Ocala; daughter, Cali and her boyfriend Bo of Ocala; six grandchildren; brother, Rick Carroll of Lakeland; sister, Pat of Leesburg. He was preceded in death by his parents, Fred and Beatrice
Carroll; sisters, Sandy and Margie. A memorial service and gathering will be held at the Orange Lake Boat Park on Thursday (Dec. 20th) at 12:00 Noon. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/14/2007 - 12/15/2007.


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1940. GUGEL, FRANCIS W., (Obituary No. 1940.) 80 Vero Beach, FL - Mr. Francis W. Gugel, 80, died December 7, 2007 at his home in Vero Beach. He was born in Greepoint, Brooklyn, NY and lived in Vero Beach for 7 years coming from Ocala, FL. Frank was an over the road truck driver for Mohawk Vanlines and National Vanlines. Frank was a member of Holy Cross Catholic Church, Vero Beach. Survivors include his wife, Anna-Mae Gugel of Vero Beach; sons, Frank Matthew Gugel of Ridgefield, CT, James Francis Gugel of Ocala, FL and John Charles Gugel of Rocky Point, NY; daughter, Jane Frances Lugo of Ocala, FL; sister, Anne Mason of East Stroudsburg, PA and 5 grandchildren, Matthew, Jaclyn, Patrick, Diana and Amanda. Memorial contributions may be made to Visiting Nurse Association & Hospice Foundation at the following address 1110 35th Lane Vero Beach, Florida 32960 in memory of Frank. Visitation will be from 2-4 and 6-8 pm on Thursday, December 13, 2007 at STRUNK FUNERAL HOME, Vero Beach. A Prayer Vigil will be held at 7:30 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated 10 am, Friday, December 14, 2007 at Holy Cross Catholic Church Vero Beach. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/13/2007 - 12/14/2007.

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Reading, PA, and has been a resident of Ocala for the last 5 years, coming from Salem, MA. Survivors include her husband Melvin L. Peace, mother Sarah Chamberlian, sister Donna M. Roff, niece Kristin Roff and nephew Scott Roff, all of Carrollton, TX. A gathering of friends will be 1 p.m. Saturday, December 15, 2007 at the family residence. Memorial contributions may be made to The American Lung Association, 61 Broadway, New York, NY 10006. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/14/2007 - 12/15/2007.

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1944. ROBERTS, JOANN(Obituary No. 1944.) , 78 Ocala - Mrs. JoAnn Roberts, age 78, of Ocala passed away at Life Care Center of Ocala, Monday, December 10, 2007. She was born in Van, WV on November 22, 1929, and came to Ocala in 1959 from WV. JoAnn attended Trinity Baptist and Meadowbrook Church. Survivors include two daughters Ruthann Hedges and Tammy Coggins of Ocala, three brothers Rex Scott of Ocala, Terry Scott of Cocoa, FL, Max Scott of Arizona City, AL, two sisters Nancy Price of Girard, OH, Marie Peterson of Melbourne, Fl, and two grandchildren Michael Daniel Coggins and Libby Hedges. She is also survived by two son-in-laws, Joe Hedges and Mike Coggins. Funeral services will be Monday December 17, 2007 at 1: PM at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Visitation will be 4:00 - 6:00 PM Sunday, December 16, 2007 also at HIERS FUNERAL HOME Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/13/2007 - 12/14/2007.

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1946. RUSH, THOMAS(Obituary No. 1946.), 92 Ocala - Mr. Thomas Rush, 92, born in Ocala, FL November 20, 1915. Mr. Rush was a life long resident of Marion County where he worked as a Carpenter. Services will be held Saturday December 14, 2007 at 3 p.m. New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Tommy Brooks, Pastor officiating. He leaves to cherish his memories - His wife, Quincy B. Rush, 2 sons - Fredrick Rush, Ocala, FL, Samuel Smith, Shreveport, LA; 2 daughters, Thelma Rush, Ocala, FL, Mary Ann Vaughn, Ocala, FL, one sister Ophelia Higgs, Buffalo, NY and a host of grandchildren. Visitation: Friday December 14, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday December 15, 2007 at the church from 2 p.m. until the hour of service. There will be no viewing after the Eulogy. Interment in Lincoln Memorial Gardens,
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1947. SCHNELLE, THELMA P., (Obituary No. 1947.) 87 Ocala - Thelma P. Schnelle, 87, passed away Dec. 12, 2007 at Sylvia Hospice House, Ocala, FL. Born in Hays, PA, she was one of 15 children. Thelma was a Homemaker, a parishioner at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, where she was involved in the Women's Club, a member of the Pennsylvania Club, the Ocala Square Dancing Club, enjoyed Ballroom Dancing, was a wonderful seamstress and a great baker, she became known as the "Cream Puff Lady" for her delicious pastries and pies. She is survived by her sons, Arthur "Jack" Schnelle, Baytown, TX, Ronald Schnelle, Portersville, PA, Christopher Schnelle, Dunnellon, FL, and Timothy Schnelle, Ocala, FL, a sister, Lorraine Keown, Butler, PA, 8 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. Thelma was preceded in death by her husband Arthur in 2005. The family will be receiving friends at ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST on Friday, Dec. 14th between the hours of 2-4 & 6-8 PM with the Mass of the Christian Burial to be celebrated on Saturday, Dec. 15th at 10 A.M. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Our Lady of the Springs Building Fund. ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/14/2007 - 12/15/2007.

1948. TAYLOR, CLEOPHUS(Obituary No. 1948.), 88, Reddick - Mr. Cleophus Taylor, 88, born in Gainesville, FL December 26, 1918. Mr. Taylor was a lifelong resident of Reddick, FL. He was a machine operator. Mr. Taylor was a veteran of the U.S. Army. Services will be held Saturday, December 15, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Zion United Methodist Church, Rev. John Banks, Pastor, Rev. Dwayne Williams officiating. He leaves to cherish his memories - wife, Willie Mae Taylor, one son Edward Jackson, Ohio; 2 daughters Patricia Taylor, Rochester, NY, Mercedes Taylor Johnson, Reddick, FL; 2 brothers Jefferson Taylor, Baltimore, MD, Clarence Taylor, Ft. Pierce. Host of grands & great grandchildren. Visitation: Friday December 14, 2007 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wake from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Zion United Methodist Church, Reddick, FL. Saturday December 15, 2007 at the church from 10 a.m. until the hour of the service. There will be no viewing after the Eulogy. Interment in Mt. Zion Memorial Garden Cemetery under the direction of CUNINGHAMS FUNERAL HOME" Your Friends Who Cares". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/13/2007 - 12/14/2007.

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Chicago area for 48 years. Mr. Suppes was a WWII U.S. Army veteran and a Purple Heart
recipient. He was a member and Past Commander of Military Order of The Purple Heart Chapter
152 of South Chicago Heights, IL and also held memberships in the American Legion, VFW,
and Catholic War Veterans, all of the Chicago area. Joseph was a parishioner of St. Joseph of
The Forest Catholic Church in Silver Springs. He is survived by daughter, Shirley (Jerome)
Green of Ocala; son Daniel (Robin) Suppes of Vernon Hills, IL; son Joseph (Peggy) Suppes, Jr.
of Beecher, IL; Son Timothy (Pearl) Suppes of Ocala; son Andrew (Lynn) Suppes of Chicago
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a FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from
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1973. CROSS, THOMAS V., (Obituary No. 1973.) 91 Cape Coral - Rev. Thomas V. Cross, age 91, of Cape Coral, FL passed away on Friday, December 14, 2007. He was born in New Castle, PA on January 22, 1916. Tom served in the US Army. After military service he attended Bible School in Minneapolis, MN. Pastor Cross started a ministry at Union Township New Castle, PA in a one room school house. He later led that congregation in a building program that started The Assembly of God Tabernacle on Idlewild Dr where he served for approx. 35 years. He retired to Florida and then started a new ministry in Belleview, Florida that later became the Belleview First Assembly of God. He moved to Cape Coral approx. 12 years ago. He is survived by his son Merle and wife Linda of Ocklawaha, FL; daughter Marian and husband Lawrence "Sonny" Eyerman of Cape Coral, FL; sister Dorothy of North Carolina; brother Henry Cross of New Castle, PA; 11 grandchildren; 24 great grandchildren; 3 great great grandchildren. He was pre-deceased by his wife Lydia Cross. He was also predeceased by 3 brothers and 1 sister. Funeral service for Pastor Cross will be Wednesday, December 19, 12 Noon at Belleview First Assembly of God. A visitation will be Tuesday, 6-8pm at HIERS-BAILEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Entombment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Mausoleum, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/17/2007 - 12/18/2007.

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1976. LAIDLAW, MERLE HARTMAN (LYTH, QUATTROCIOCCHI) (Obituary No. 1976.), 87 Rochester - Merle Hartman (Quattrociocchi Lyth) - Thursday, December 13, 2007. Merle passed away peacefully, with his daughters by his side at the age of 87. Predeceased by his wife, Helena Wainwright Laidlaw. Survived by daughters, Jane Lyth and Amy (Michael) Quattrociocchi; grandchildren, Laura & Max Quattrociocchi; little buddy, Logan; sister in law, Helen Mack; many nieces, nephews, grandnieces & grandnephews. He was a retired farmer, an Agway retiree, a 63 year member of Hammond Masonic Lodge No. 861 and sang in numerous choirs throughout the years. A celebration of his life will be held SATURDAY, Dec. 22, 3PM in Bethany Presbyterian Church (3000 Dewey Ave.) where a Masonic Service will be held at 2:30 PM. Interment, private. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Lifetime Care, (3111 Winton Rd. South, Rochester, NY 14623.) The family gives a special thanks to the nurses and staff on the 4th floor of St. Ann's Home, and to Lifetime Care for their tremendous care, love, and support during Dad's final days. You will always be remembered. For more information, or to sign Merle's online guestbook, please visit www.meesonfamily.com. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/18/2007 - 12/19/2007.

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1981. CORNELL, LEO (Obituary No. 1981.) J., 36 Ocala - Sergeant First Class Leo J. Cornell, United States Army, age 36, of Ocala, Florida, died December 14, 2007 at the Sylvia House in Ocala, Florida. Born June 20, 1971 in Couderport, PA. Leo moved to Ocala in 2001 from Fayetteville, NC. He was active duty in the United States Army, a member of the 1st Baptist Church in Ocala, FL where he was a Deacon and he was a member of the America Legion in Ulysses, PA. Survived by his wife Marcy Cornell of Ocala, FL, two sons, Travis Cornell and Austin Cornell both of Ocala, FL; his parents, James and Judy Cornell of Ulysses, PA and Glenna and Dean Riel of Hope Mills, NC; Paternal Grandmother Vivian Cornell of Genesee, PA; Maternal Grandfather, Glen Tomb of Harrison Valley, PA; one brother Alan Cornell of Erie, PA; one sister Sunni Covell of Raeford, NC. BROWN FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY, Lecanto, Florida in charge of arrangements. 352-795-0111. A celebration of life service for Sergeant First Class Leo J. Cornell, age 36 of Ocala, Florida, will be held at 4 P.M.
on Saturday, December 22, 2007 at the 1st Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida with Pastor Ed Johnson officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County or to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

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1983. MCKINNON, JOHN W., (Obituary No. 1983.) 85 Rochester Hills, MI - John W. McKinnon, 85, of Rochester Hills, died December 9, 2007. A 1940 graduate of Hazel Park High School, he served in the U.S. Army during World War II and was a member of the Hazel Park School Board in the 1960's. In 1966 he founded and built Hughes Chemical Co. to supply adhesives and coatings to all of General Motors. In 1982 he sold his company to PPG, finally retiring in 1985. He embarked on a second career in racehorses, founding a broodmare farm in Morriston, FL and raced "Wheatley Hall" in the 1986 Kentucky Derby, placing 6th. An avid golfer, he was a charter member of Great Oaks Country Club and was the chairman of the St. Jude Children's Hospital golf Tournament. Beloved husband of the late Genevieve (Bland) McKinnon, whom he referred to as the "Best filly in the stable", who he married in 1944 and who preceded him in death in 1998. Dear father of Jacqueline Miller of Rochester Hills, Alex (Marcia) McKinnon of Oxford and JoAnn McKinnon of Rochester Hills. Also surviving are eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Brother-in-law of Muriel McKinnon and Natalie McKinnon. Cousin of Mary Proudfoot. Funeral Service were held Thursday, December 13th at PIXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 322 W. University Drive in Rochester with burial in Elmwood Cemetery, Gagetown, MI. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

1984. MENENDEZ, LOUIS J., (Obituary No. 1984.) 85 Summerfield - Louis J. Menendez, 85, Summerfield, FL, passed away Dec. 14, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born and raised in Cardenas, Cuba, he relocated to the US in 1956; he called Lake City, FL his home in 1961 and moved to Marion County in 2001. He was the Vice President of Aero Corp., and after retirement enjoyed fishing, and spending quality time with his family. Louis is survived by his wife, Jean M. Menendez, as well as by Cornelia O. Menendez the mother of their children, Jose Luis Menendez, Oscar Menendez, Margaret Menendez Rucinski and Richard Luis Menendez. He is also survived by three step-children, Ted Billbe, Sandra Billbe, and Scott Billbe, by a sister, Sofia Herrera, brothers, Cesar Beltran and Jose Beltran, 5 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren and 7 step-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday,
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1985. POLLOCK, RICHARD EUGENE, (Obituary No. 1985.) 59 Ocala - Mr. Richard Eugene Pollock, 59, passed away in Ocala, Fl. on December 16, 2007. He was born in Rogers, Ar. on October 16, 1948. He was of the Jueo-Christian faith and was a member of The Church of God in Ocala. He moved to the area in 2001 from Rogers, Ar. He was preceded in death by his parents Richard and Mary Pollock and a sister Helen Newhard. He is survived by his wife Sheri of Ocala. Five daughters: Stella Pollock of Ocala, Jennifer Countryman of Maysville, Ar., Christina Washburn of Gravette, Ar., Tamara Campbell of Maysville, Ar. And Krysta Huges of Driveridge, Ky. He has 13 grandchildren. 2 sisters Vickie Craig of Anthony, Fl. and Amy Taylor of Rogers, Ar. 2 brothers Leonard and Steve Pollock of Rogers, Ar. A memorial service will be held Friday December 21st at 7:30PM at The Church of God 3201 NE 25th Ave. Ocala, Fl. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL made the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

1986. RICHARDS, MARIANNE(Obituary No. 1986.) , 69 Ft. McCoy - Marianne Richards, age 69, of Ft McCoy, FL passed away on Sunday, December 16, 2007 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, FL. She was born in Ishpeming, MI on August 31, 1938. Mrs. Richards moved to Ocala from Orlando, FL in 2001. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Ft McCoy. Her hobbies included cooking, baking, arts and crafts. She is survived by her husband Bobby; son Alan Garceau and his wife Lisa of Norwood, CO; son Lance Garceau and his wife Marilyn of Findlay, OH; brother James McCormick and his wife Christine of Negaree, MI; brother Joseph McCormick and his wife Kathy of Negaree, MI; sister Addie Ahlstrom and her husband John of Winter Springs, FL; sister Luella Hensley of Revere, MA and 3 grandchildren. Funeral service for Mrs. Richards will be Wednesday, December 19, 11:00 am at First Baptist Church of Ft McCoy. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will take place at Ft McCoy Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

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1989. ROSSOMANDO, CONNEETTA (Obituary No. 1989.) , 92 Ocala - Concetta Rossomando. 92, passed away on Saturday, December 15, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. During her life she worked as a seamstress and was a member of the Garment Union. She also enjoyed ballroom dancing. She is survived by her son Daniel Collora of Ocala; sister Grace Nardi of New Jersey; and brother Angelo Collora of Virginia. A memorial service will be held at a later date in Philadelphia, PA. There will not be any local services. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - Timberridge, 9695 SW 110th Street Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

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1993. CORNELL, LEO J., (Obituary No. 1993.) 36 Ocala - Sergeant First Class Leo J. Cornell, United States Army, age 36, of Ocala, Florida, died December 14, 2007 at the Sylvia House in Ocala, Florida. Born June 20, 1971 in Coudersport, PA. Leo moved to Ocala in 2001 from Fayetteville, NC. He was active duty in the United States Army, a member of the 1st Baptist Church in Ocala, FL where he was a Deacon and he was a member of the America Legion in Ulysses, PA. Survived by his wife Marcy Cornell of Ocala, FL, two sons, Travis Cornell and Austin Cornell both of Ocala, FL; his parents, James and Judy Cornell of Ulysses, PA and Glenna and Dean Riel of Hope Mills, NC; Paternal Grandmother Vivian Cornell of Genesee, PA; Maternal Grandfather, Glen Tomb of Harrison Valley, PA; one brother Alan Cornell of Erie, PA; one sister Sunni Covell of Raeford, NC. BROWN FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORIY, Lecanto, Florida in charge of arrangements. 352-795-0111. A celebration of life service for Sergeant First Class Leo J. Cornell, age 36 of Ocala, Florida, will be held at 4 P.M. on Saturday, December 22, 2007 at the 1st Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida with Pastor Ed Johnson officiating. In lieu of flowers memorial donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County or to the American Cancer Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

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1996. HOLT JR., HENRY, (Obituary No. 1996.) 72 Ocala - Henry Holt Jr., Age 72 Passed Away on Wednesday December 12, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida. He was Retired From Sprint as a Maintenance Supervisor. He was a Native of Ocala. He was a Baptist. He is Survived By Daughters; Selma Young, Greenville, South Carolina, Allison Holt, Ocala, Florida, Sons; James Holt, Marion Louisiana, Ronnie Holt (Mary Ann), Ocala, Florida, Frederick Holt (Charlene) Ocala, Florida, Henry Holt III, Ocala, Florida, Antonio Holt, Ocala, Florida, Benjamin Holt (Linda) Baltimore, Maryland Brothers; J.C. Holt (Martha) Gainesville, Florida, Booker T. Holt (Eva Mae) ST. Petersburg, Florida, Nathaniel Holt, Ocala, Florida. Numerous Grandchildren Great Grandchildren, Great Great Grandchildren, Nieces and Nephews. Funeral Services For Mr. Henry Holt Jr., will be held on Saturday, December 22, 2007 at 3:00 P.M. at Temple of Grace Missionary Baptist Church Inc. 1865 Northwest 42nd Street Ocala, Florida with the Reverend Willie Kingcade Pastor Apostle Nathaniel Washington, Presiding Reverend James C. Holt, Eulogist Interment will Be in Bethlehem Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Visitation Will be Held on Friday From 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturday at The Church 2:00 P.M. until Time Of Service. No Viewing After the Eulogy.

1997. KINER, LEOTHA (Obituary No. 1997.) Leotha Kiner, 73, died Dec. 9, 2007 at Gainesville Health Care. He was the son of the late Joseph & Martha Kiner born Sept. 21, 1933 in Alachua, FL. Survivors include: Son Leotha (Audrea) Kiner, Jr., Gainesville, FL. Two daughters Brenda Kiner, Gainesville, FL. Maryln Marsh, Daytona Beach, FL. Two sisters Amy Francis (Levi) Harris, Citra, FL., Diane Kiner, Oklawaha, FL. and three grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Kiner will be held on Sat. Dec. 22, 2007 at 2:00 PM at Little Chapel United Methodist Church Santos, FL. with Rev. Jeffrey Y. Oglesby, officiating. Burial will follow in Burell Cemetery under the care of MAURICE MYLES & SON FUNERAL HOME of Rome GA. assisted by CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation Friday 2:00 - 8:00PM Chestnut Chapel and on Sat from 12:00 Noon until the hour of service at
1998. MCKINNON, JOHN W., (Obituary No. 1998.) 85 Rochester Hills, MI - John W. McKinnon, 85, of Rochester Hills, died December 9, 2007. A 1940 graduate of Hazel Park High School, he served in the U.S. Army during World War II and was a member of the Hazel Park School Board in the 1960's. In 1966 he founded and built Hughes Chemical Co. to supply adhesives and coatings to all of General Motors. In 1982 he sold his company to PPG, finally retiring in 1985. He embarked on a second career in racehorses, founding a broodmare farm in Morriston, FL and raced "Wheatley Hall" in the 1986 Kentucky Derby, placing 6th. An avid golfer, he was a charter member of Great Oaks Country Club and was the chairman of the St. Jude Children's Hospital golf Tournament. Beloved husband of the late Genevieve (Bland) McKinnon, whom he referred to as the "Best filly in the stable", who he married in 1944 and who preceded him in death in 1998. Dear father of Jacqueline Miller of Rochester Hills, Alex (Marcia) McKinnon of Oxford and JoAnn McKinnon of Rochester Hills. Also surviving are eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Brother-in-law of Muriel McKinnon and Natalie McKinnon. Cousin of Mary Proudfoot. Funeral Service were held Thursday, December 13th at PIXLEY FUNERAL HOME, 322 W. University Drive in Rochester with burial in Elmwood Cemetery, Gagetown, MI. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

1999. MENENDEZ, LOUIS J., (Obituary No. 1999.) 85 Summerfield - Louis J. Menendez, 85, Summerfield, FL, passed away Dec. 14, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born and raised in Cardenas, Cuba, he relocated to the US in 1956; he called Lake City, FL his home in 1961 and moved to Marion County in 2001. He was the Vice President of Aero Corp., and after retirement enjoyed fishing, and spending quality time with his family. Louis is survived by his wife, Jean M. Menendez, as well as by Cornelia O. Menendez the mother of their children, Jose Luis Menendez, as well as by Cornelia O. Menendez the mother of their children, Jose Luis Menendez, Oscar Menendez, Margaret Menendez Rucinski and Richard Luis Menendez. He is also survived by three step-children, Ted Billbe, Sandra Billbe, and Scott Billbe, by a sister, Sofia Herrera, brothers, Cesar Beltran and Jose Beltran, 5 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren and 7 step-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, December 22nd at 11:00 AM at St. John Lutheran Church, 10495 SE Sunset Harbor Rd., Summerfield, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County and/or the American Cancer Society. Roberts Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/21/2007.

2000. PHILLIPS, LUDY LEVENIA, (Obituary No. 2000.) 82 Ocala - Ludy Levenia Phillips, 82, of Ocala passed away on Tuesday, December 18 2007. Born in Wauchula, FL she had made Ocala her home since 1943 moving from Plymouth, FL. She had worked as a lunchroom lady for 20 years at Fort King Middle School and a charter member of Living Waters Worship Center and a former church pianist. She was preceded in death by husband; Edward A. Phillips (1987). Survivors include; daughter, Betty Ritch of Ocala, FL, two grandchildren Darren and Chad, three great-grandchildren. Services will be held 2 PM, on Saturday, December 22, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, Fl 34470. Visitation one hour prior to services at the funeral Home. The Rev. J. Randall Watson and Rev. John Petrucelli officiating. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/22/2007.

2001. POLLOCK, RICHARD EUGENE, (Obituary No. 2001.) 59 Ocala - Mr. Richard Eugene Pollock, 59, passed away in Ocala, Fl. on December 16, 2007. He was born in Rogers,
Ar. on October 16, 1948. He was of the Judeo-Christian faith and was a member of The Church of God in Ocala. He moved to the area in 2001 from Rogers, Ar. He was preceded in death by his parents Richard and Mary Pollock and a sister Helen Newhard. He is survived by his wife Sheri of Ocala. Five daughters: Stella Pollock of Ocala, Jennifer Countryman of Maysville, Ar., Christina Washburn of Gravette, Ar., Tamara Campbell of Maysville, Ar. And Krysta Huges of Driveridge, Ky. He has 13 grandchildren. 2 sisters Vickie Craig of Anthony, Fl. and Amy Taylor of Rogers, Ar. 2 brothers Leonard and Steve Pollock of Rogers, Ar. A memorial service will be held Friday December 21st at 7:30PM at The Church of God 3201 NE 25th Ave. Ocala, Fl. ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL made the arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

2002. RICHARDS, MARIANNE (Obituary No. 2002.) , 69 Ft McCoy - Marianne Richards, age 69, of Ft McCoy, FL passed away on Sunday, December 16, 2007 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, FL. She was born in Ishpeming, MI on August 31, 1938. Mrs. Richards moved to Ocala from Orlando, FL in 2001. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Ft McCoy. Her hobbies included cooking, baking, arts and crafts. She is survived by her husband Bobby; son Alan Garceau and his wife Lisa of Norwood, CO; son Lance Garceau and his wife Marilyn of Findlay, OH; brother James McCormick and his wife Christine of Negauree, MI; brother Joseph McCormick and his wife Kathy of Negauree, MI; sister Addie Ahlstrom and her husband John of Winter Springs, FL; sister Luella Hensley of Revere, MA and 3 grandchildren. Funeral service for Mrs. Richards will be Wednesday, December 19, 11:00 am at First Baptist Church of Ft McCoy. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will take place at Ft McCoy Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

2003. ROBINSON, AVONE J., (Obituary No. 2003.) 74 Silver Springs - Mrs. Avone 7. Robinson, 74, died Wednesday, December 19, 2007, at her home in Silver Spring. A native of Estherville, Iowa, she moved to the Ocala area 4 years ago from Leesburg. A former resident of Ocala, she and her husband were owners of the Robinson & Associates Insurance and Real Estate Agency. She had spent over 7 years in Brazil with her husband doing missions work, and had been instrumental in building numerous churches, both at home and in Brazil. She was an active member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. She is preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, Errol, who died Sunday, December 16. She is survived by her daughters Carol H. Grimes of Birmingham, Lora M. Williams of Wauchula, and Kathleen S. Brown of Orange Heights; son Dennis W. Robinson of Silver Springs; 5 sisters and 5 brothers; 14 grand children, and 8 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 3 PM Thursday, December 20, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., with Rev. Mel Kunz officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to the Missions Projects Fund at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, Fl. 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/21/2007.

2004. ROSS, SR., GEORGE B., (Obituary No. 2004.) 83 Ocala - George B. Ross Sr., 83, died Wednesday, December 5, 2007. He was the retired owner of D.W. Davis Insurance Agency, a US Marine Corps Veteran and a graduate of the University of Florida. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Marylyn C. Ross; sons, George B. Ross Jr. of Ocala and Carey L. Ross and his wife Barbara of Ocala; grandchildren, Ian Pierce Ross and Cameron E. Ross, both of Jacksonville, Fl and Ryann E. Ross of Ocala; brother, Robert Ross of Washington and numerous cousins and great friends. A Memorial Service will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church
(4047 NE 21st Street, Silver Springs) on Saturday (December 22nd) at 11 AM. In lieu of Flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478 or the charity of your choice. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

2005. ROSSOMANDO, CONEETTA (Obituary No. 2005.) , 92 Ocala - Concetta Rossoomando. 92, passed away on Saturday, December 15, 2007 at the Legacy Hospice House. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. During her life she worked as a seamstress and was a member of the Garment Union. She also enjoyed ballroom dancing. She Is survived by her son Daniel Collora of Ocala; sister Grace Nardi of New Jersey; and brother Angelo Collora of Virginia. A memorial service will be held at a later date in Philadelphia, PA. There will not be any local services. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - Timberridge, 9695 SW 110th Street Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/20/2007.

2006. SHELTON III, JOSEPH R. “JOSIE” (Obituary No. 2006.), 73 Citra - Joseph R. Shelton (Josie) III, 73, of Citra, FL and Wilmington, DE, passed away on December 18, 2007. Age 73 years. Husband of Barbara DeWitt Shelton of Berlin, NJ. Devoted father of Joseph of Franklinville, NJ, Jeffrey and his wife Angela of Citra, FL and Barbara Shelton-Caruso and her husband Peter of Gibsboro, NJ. Proud grandfather of Peter. Justine, Allison, Barbara, Isabel, Erica, Gretchen, and Maria. Josie was a trainer and outrider at race tracks in New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania. Memorial Mass will be celebrated Friday 6:00PM in the chapel of Blessed Trinity Church 5 SE 17th St. Ocala, FL 34471. Interment will be private at the convenience of the family. For additional information: www.costantintinofuneralhome.com Arrangements under the direction of: COSTANTINO FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocal

2007. SNOW, HERBERT (Obituary No. 2007.), 58 Ocala - Herbert Snow, 58, Transitioned From earth to Heaven on December 16, 2007. Funeral Services for Herbert Snow will be held on Saturday, December 22, 2007 11:00 am Graveside at Galilee Cemetery Summerfield Florida. Visitation will be Friday, 10 am - 6pm at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY 5791 S.E. 23rd Lane (Baseline Rd.) Ocala Florida 34471 (352) 438-0007. Survivors Wife: Audrey Snow, Sons: Tony Snow and Deon Snow, Sisters: Laura Snow Pierson, Lillie Snow Hopkins, Odessa Snow Washington, Altamese Snow and Junelle Snow, Brothers: Mack Snow and Roosevelt Snow. Services entrusted to SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY" Providing a memory that will never fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/22/2007.

Cemetery, Ocala, Florida Visitation will be Held on Friday From 11:00a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturday at the Church 10:00 a.m. until time of service. No Viewing after the Eulogy. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/21/2007.

2009. WELTERS, JANIE YATES, (Obituary No. 2009.) 95 Janie Yates Welters was the daughter of the late Joseph Wash Yates and Carrie Williams. She was born in 1911 into a family of 12 brothers and sisters and reared in Ruffin, South Carolina. She was educated in the Ruffin Community School. At an early age she joined Ruffin Baptist Church which had such an impact on her that she lived a dedicated, holy life until the day of her passing on Sunday, December 16, 2007. She was joined in Holy Matrimony to the late James Anderson in 1937. To that union, two children were born; a son, James Anderson, and a daughter, Claryn Anderson, both of whom preceded her in death. She later moved to Manhattan, New York. There she began her serious work for the Lord. In 1957, she was ordained a licensed Baptist Minister and founded her first prayer band in Brooklyn, New York. During this time she also became an ordained Evangelist in the Zion Church of God in Christ. She founded her second prayer band in Ridgeville, South Carolina, her third in Ocala, Florida, and her fourth at The Jefferson in Arlington, Virginia. Through this prayer band she taught people to love God, their families, and encouraged them to better their communities by improving educational opportunities. She was joined in Holy Matrimony in 1963 to Gordon Welters, whom she called Precious, and whom preceded her in death in 1999. To that union came five loving children uniting her with Danny, Charles, Anthony, Madeline and Stephen. In 1996 she moved to Arlington, Virginia and there she joined the Community Praise Center Seventh-Day Adventist Church. She immediately became active in starting a Prayer Band and became active in Senior's Ministry. Her devotion inspired a Prayer Band that meets every Sabbath morning before first service. She was known for her spirited response to the sermons. She was loved by members of her church, and she loved her church and her church family. Janie leaves to cherish her memories five devoted children: Her son Anthony (Beatrice) of McLean, Virginia, Dattmie Gore (Yvonne) of Raleigh, North Carolina, Charles Gore of Stockton, California, Madeline of Stockton, California, and Stephen (Demetra) of Lancaster, Pennsylvania; her grandchildren Janie Carter, Theresa, Leslie and James Anderson, Jr., Christopher and Catherine Gore, Denise, Yvette, Brian, Dannie, Jr., Elia, Dannie, III, Sean and Tiffany Gore, Andrew and Bryant Welters, Tiffany Smith-Baber, Timothy Welters, Yolanda Baber, Melanie Baber, Danita Baber, Dante Williams and Monique Welters, 13 great-great children, two loving sisters, Chesalee Harbison of Summerville, South Carolina, and Clara Graves of Manhattan, New York, and a devoted great-niece Delores White and a host of relatives, nieces, nephews and devoted friends. She was predeceased by nine brothers and sisters. The family will receive friends on Thursday, December 20, 2007 from 6:00pm until 8:00pm at the National Funeral Home, 7482 Lee Highway, Falls Church, Virginia. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00am on Friday, December 21, 2007 in the National Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will follow at National Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, donations in her honor maybe made to the Community Praise Center Seventh-Day Adventist Church, 1400 Russell Road, Alexandria, Virginia 22301. "Remember yesterday, dream about tomorrow, but live for God today." Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/21/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, December 21, 2007

2010. BAILEY, LOIS (Obituary No. 2010.) A., 86 Sebring, FL - Lois A. Bailey, 86, of Sebring, Florida, passed away Wednesday, December 19, 2007, in Sebring. She was born
November 6, 1921, to Joseph Ulysis and Ada Anna (Holland) Abney in Cochran, Georgia, and had been a resident of Sebring since 1972, coming from Homestead, FL. She was a homemaker and of the Baptist faith. She is survived by her Husband, John M. Bailey, Sebring; Daughter, Rebecca Lea Bailey (and Charlie) Wulzer, Pensacola, FL; Son, John M. Bailey, Jr., Sebring; Sister, Inez McKenzie, Ocala, FL; 4 Grandchildren and 4 Great-Grandchildren. Graveside services will be held Saturday, December 22, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Woodlawn Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Arrangements have been entrusted to: STEPHENSON-NELSON FUNERAL HOME, Sebring, Florida 33870. 863-385-0125. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/21/2007 - 12/22/2007.

2011. BAKER, CRAIG ALAN, (Obituary No. 2011.) 51 Ocala - Mr. Craig Alan Baker, 51, passed away in Ocala on December 19, 2007. He was born in Dayton, Ohio on September 15, 1956. He worked at Lockheed Martin for 28 years. He moved to the area in 1997 from California. He is survived by his wife of 31 years Deborah, a son Jake (16) and a daughter Jaymie (14) all of Silver Springs, FL., his Mother Janet Baker of Dayton, OH. He is preceded in death by his Father Theodore Baker Jr. He is also survived by one brother Theodore Baker of San Juan Capistrano, CA. Two sisters Donna Chase and Shayne Childers of Dayton, OH. His mother and father-in-law Kathy and John Moore of Kettering, OH. Also many nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held at the ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL on December 21st at 7:00PM. The family will receive friends from 6-7PM prior to the service. In lieu of flowers please send donations to EMIT Program at Forest High School Ocala, FL, MCCA Program at West Port High School Ocala, FL. or Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/22/2007.

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2014. DEWESE, BRANDON ALEXANDER, (Obituary No. 2014.) 22 Ocala - Brandon Alexander Dewese, 22. Brandon was a fun, loving and kind young man who's primary interest was to become a music-recording artist. He also enjoyed playing basketball, and the coming together of family and friends. Funeral services will be on Saturday, December 22, 2007 at 11 am Church Of God By Faith in Righteousness & True Holiness, Citra, FL. Reverend Alexander James Will conduct the words of comfort/Reverend Jacquline Doby-presiding. A Wake Service will be held at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Thursday at 6pm. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Visitation will be at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday from 9 to 7pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Dewese residence (17340 N.E. 16th Terr., Citra, FL) on Sat at 10:15am to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Brandon Alexander Dewese who was preceded in death by grandparents; Alexander and Rosa Kahan & Carrie B. Dewese, Mother: Teresa Y. Karam, Ocala, FL., Father: Jimmie I. Dewese (Toni), Ocala, FL, Sister: Dewandra Downs, Ocala, FL, Brothers: Kristopher Arnold, Ocala, FL, Davalle Allende, Baltimore, MD, Justin Hinton, ocala, FL and Lamont Downs, Ocala, FL, Grandparent: John Q. Dewese, Citra, FL. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/21/2007.

2015. HANSON, BARBARA ILONA, (Obituary No. 2015.) 76 Ocala - Barbara Ilona Hanson, 76, of Ocala, passed away Sat., Dec. 15, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Lynn, Mass., she came here in 1994 from Miami and was a licensed practical nurse in the N. Miami area before moving to Ocala. Barbara is survived by her son, David Stark of Ocala; daughter Dawn Montooth of Mountree, GA; brother Peter Beckwith of New York and grandchildren Peyton, Patrick, Paige, Preston, Danielle and Jarrod. She was preceded in death by a son, The Late James Hanson, in 2002. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/21/2007 - 12/22/2007.

2016. HOLT JR., HENRY, (Obituary No. 2016.) 72 Ocala - Henry Holt Jr., Age 72 Passed Away on Wednesday December 12, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida. He was Retired From Sprint as a Maintenance Supervisor. He was a Native of Ocala. He was a Baptist. He is Survived By Daughters; Selma Young, Greenville, South Carolina, Allison Holt, Ocala, Florida, Sons; James Holt, Marion Louisiana, Ronnie Holt (Mary Ann), Ocala, Florida, Frederick Holt (Charlene) Ocala, Florida, Henry Holt III, Ocala, Florida, Antonio Holt, Ocala, Florida, Benjamin Holt (Linda) Baltimore, Maryland Brothers; J.C. Holt (Martha) Gainesville, Florida, Booker T. Holt (Eva Mae) ST. Petersburg, Florida, Nathaniel Holt, Ocala, Florida. Numerous Grandchildren Great Grandchildren, Great Great Grandchildren, Nieces and Nephews. Funeral Services For Mr. Henry Holt Jr., will be held on Saturday, December 22, 2007 at 3:00 P.M. at Temple of Grace Missionary Baptist Church Inc. 1865 Northwest 42nd Street Ocala, Florida with the Reverend Willie Kingcade Pastor Apostle Nathaniel Washington, Presiding Reverend James C. Holt, Eulogist Interment will Be in Bethlehem Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Visitation Will be Held on Friday From 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturday at The Church
2:00 P.M. until Time Of Service. No Viewing After the Eulogy. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/21/2007.

**2017. KINER, LEOTH (Obituary No. 2017.)** A Leotha Kiner, 73, died Dec. 9, 2007 at Gainesville Health Care. He was the son of the late Joseph & Martha Kiner born Sept. 21, 1933 in Alachua, FL. Survivors include: Son Leotha (Audrea) Kiner, Jr., Gainesville, FL. Two daughters Brenda Kiner, Gainesville, FL. Maryln Marsh, Daytona Beach, FL. Two sisters Amy Francis (Levi) Harris, Citra, FL., Diane Kiner, Oklawaha, FL. and three grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Kiner will be held on Sat. Dec. 22, 2007 at 2:00 PM at Little Chapel United Methodist Church Santos, FL. with Rev. Jeffrey Y. Oglesby, officiating. Burial will follow in Burell Cemetery under the care of MAURICE MYLES & SON FUNERAL HOME of Rome GA. assisted by CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation Friday 2:00 - 8:00PM Chestnut Chapel and on Sat from 12:00 Noon until the hour of service at Little Chapel United Meth. Church. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/22/2007.

**2018. MENENDEZ, LOUIS J.** (Obituary No. 2018.) 85 Summerfield - Louis J. Menendez, 85, Summerfield, FL, passed away Dec. 14, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born and raised in Cardenas, Cuba, he relocated to the US in 1956; he called Lake City, FL his home in 1961 and moved to Marion County in 2001. He was the Vice President of Aero Corp., and after retirement enjoyed fishing, and spending quality time with his family. Louis is survived by his wife, Jean M. Menendez, as well as by Cornelia O. Menendez the mother of their children, Jose Luis Menendez, Oscar Menendez, Margaret Menendez Rucinski and Richard Luis Menendez. He is also survived by three step-children, Ted Billbe, Sandra Billbe, and Scott Billbe, by a sister, Sofia Herrera, brothers, Cesar Beltran and Jose Beltran, 5 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren and 7 step-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, December 22nd at 11:00 AM at St. John Lutheran Church, 10495 SE Sunset Harbor Rd., Summerfield, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County and/or the American Cancer Society. Roberts Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/19/2007 - 12/21/2007.

**2019. NAVARRO, LUIS** (Obituary No. 2019.) 51 Luis Navarro, 51, Ocala, FL, passed away Dec. 17, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Chicago, IL, he relocated to Marion County from there in 1982. He was a Furniture Repossession Agent, he was Catholic, enjoyed detailing his cars, and spending quality time with his family. Luis is survived by his wife of 30 years, Raeann Navarro, son, Eric R. Navarro, daughters, Amanda M. Navarro, and Amy S. McConnell, all of Ocala, by his parents, Ralph and Micaela Navarro, numerous brothers and sisters as well as by 4 grandchildren. The family will receive friends on Friday, December 21st between the hours of 11:00 -- 1:00 PM with Funeral Service beginning at 1:00 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/21/2007 - 12/22/2007.

**2020. PHILLIPS, LUDY LEVENIA,** (Obituary No. 2020.) 82 Ocala - Ludy Levenia Phillips, 82, of Ocala passed away on Tuesday, December 18 2007. Born in Wauchula, FL she had made Ocala her home since 1943 moving from Plymouth, FL. She had worked as a lunchroom lady for 20 years at Fort King Middle School and a charter member of Living Waters Worship Center and a former church pianist. She was preceded in death by husband; Edward A. Phillips (1987). Survivors include; daughter, Betty Ritch of Ocala, FL, two grandchildren Darren and Chad, three great-grandchildren. Services will be held 2 PM, on Saturday, December 22, 2007 at HIERS
FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, Fl 34470. Visitation one hour prior to services at the funeral Home. The Rev. J. Randall Watson and Rev. John Petrucelli officiating. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME.

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2021. ROBINSON, AVONE J., (Obituary No. 2021.) 74 Silver Springs - Mrs. Avone 7. Robinson, 74, died Wednesday, December 19, 2007, at her home in Silver Spring. A native of Estherville, Iowa, she moved to the Ocala area 4 years ago from Leesburg. A former resident of Ocala, she and her husband were owners of the Robinson & Associates Insurance and Real Estate Agency. She had spent over 7 years in Brazil with her husband doing missions work, and had been instrumental in building numerous churches, both at home and in Brazil. She was an active member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. She is preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, Errol, who died Sunday, December 16. She is survived by her daughters Carol H. Grimes of Birmingham, Lora M. Williams of Wauchula, and Kathleen S. Brown of Orange Heights; son Dennis W. Robinson of Silver Springs; 5 sisters and 5 brothers; 14 grandchildren, and 8 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 3 PM Thursday, December 20, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., with Rev. Mel Kunz officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to the Missions Projects Fund at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, Fl. 34471. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/21/2007.

2022. SHELTON III, JOSEPH R. “JOSIE” (Obituary No. 2022.), 73 Citra - Joseph R. Shelton (Josie) III, 73, of Citra, FL and Wilmington, DE, passed away on December 18, 2007. Age 73 years. Husband of Barbara DeWitt Shelton of Berlin, NJ. Devoted father of Joseph of Franklinville, NJ, Jeffrey and his wife Angela of Citra, FL and Barbara Shelton-Caruso and her husband Peter of Gibbstboro, NJ. Proud grandfather of Peter, Justine, Allison, Barbara, Isabel, Erica, Gretchen, and Maria. Josie was a trainer and outrider at race tracks in New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania. Memorial Mass will be celebrated Friday 6:00PM in the chapel of Blessed Trinity Church 5 SE 17th St. Ocala, FL 34471. Interment will be private at the convenience of the family. For additional information: www.costantintinofuneralhome.com Arrangements under the direction of: COSTANTINO FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/21/2007.

2023. SNOW, HERBERT(Obituary No. 2023.), 58 Ocala - Herbert Snow, 58, Transitioned From earth to Heaven on December 16, 2007. Funeral Services for Herbert Snow will be held on Saturday, December 22, 2007 11:00 am Graveside at Galilee Cemetery Summerfield Florida. Visitation will be Friday, 10 am - 6pm at SNOW’S FUNERAL MINISTRY 5791 S.E. 23rd Lane (Baseline Rd.) Ocala Florida 34471 (352) 438-0007. Survivors Wife: Audrey Snow, Sons: Tony Snow and Deon Snow, Sisters: Laura Snow Pierson, Lillie Snow Hopkins, Odessa Snow Washington, Altamese Snow and Junelle Snow, Brothers: Mack Snow and Roosevelt Snow. Services entrusted to SNOW’S FUNERAL MINISTRY” Providing a memory that will never fade” Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/22/2007.

2024. WASHINGTON, ORA LEE, (Obituary No. 2024.) 64 Ocala - Ora Lee Washington Age 64 Passed away on Wednesday December 12, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida. She was a Native of Ocala, Florida. She Was Baptist. She is a Homemaker. She is Survived by Son: Charles L. Washington, Ocala, Florida, Father; John L. Coleman, Ocala, Florida, Brothers; Roy Coleman Sr. (Annie Laura), Ocala, Florida, Garfield Coleman Sr. (Lois) Ocala, Florida, John L. Coleman Jr. (Helen) Ocala, Florida, Calvin T. Coleman, Ocala, Florida,
Sisters: Virginia Jackson, Citra Florida, Rebecca Webb, Zuber, Florida Thelma Hart, Ocala, Florida. Grace Bynum (Joesphus) Ocala, Florida, 1 Aunt -Gertrude Carter, Ocala, Florida. Special Friend - Burchell Smith, Ocala, Florida. Funeral Services For Mrs. Ora Lee Washington will be held on Saturday December 22, 2007 at 11:00 A.M. at Greater Hopewell Baptist Church 515 Northwest 6th Terrace Ocala, Florida with Reverend Dr. George W. Lee. Pastor and The Reverend Dr. Dennis Hagins Sr., Conducting the Services. Interment will be in The Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida Visitation will be Held on Friday From 11:00a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturday at the Church 10:00 a.m. until time of service. No Viewing after the Eulogy. Arrangements by SUMMERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/21/2007.

2025. WELTERS, JANIE YATES, (Obituary No. 2025.) 95 Janie Yates Welters was the daughter of the late Joseph Wash Yates and Carrie Williams. She was born in 1911 into a family of 12 brothers and sisters and reared in Ruffin, South Carolina. She was educated in the Ruffin Community School. At an early age she joined Ruffin Baptist Church which had such an impact on her that she lived a dedicated, holy life until the day of her passing on Sunday, December 16, 2007. She was joined in Holy Matrimony to the late James Anderson in 1937. To that union, two children were born; a son, James Anderson, and a daughter, Claryn Anderson, both of whom preceded her in death. She later moved to Manhattan, New York. There she began her serious work for the Lord. In 1957, she was ordained a licensed Baptist Minister and founded her first prayer band in Brooklyn, New York. During this time she also became an ordained Evangelist in the Zion Church of God in Christ. She founded her second prayer band in Ridgeville, South Carolina, her third in Ocala, Florida, and her fourth at The Jefferson in Arlington, Virginia. Through this prayer band she taught people to love God, their families, and encouraged them to better their communities by improving educational opportunities. She was joined in Holy Matrimony in 1963 to Gordon Welters, whom she called Precious, and whom preceded her in death in 1999. To that union came five loving children uniting her with Danny, Charles, Anthony, Madeline and Stephen. In 1996 she moved to Arlington, Virginia and there she joined the Community Praise Center Seventh-Day Adventist Church. She immediately became active in starting a Prayer Band and became active in Senior's Ministry. Her devotion inspired a Prayer Band that meets every Sabbath morning before first service. She was known for her spirited response to the sermons. She was loved by members of her church, and she loved her church and her church family. Janie leaves to cherish her memories five devoted children: Her son Anthony (Beatrice) of McLean, Virginia, Datmie Gore (Yvonne) of Raleigh, North Carolina, Charles Gore of Stockton, California, Madeline of Stockton, California, and Stephen (Demettra) of Lancaster, Pennsylvania; her grandchildren Janie Carter, Theresa, Leslie and James Anderson, Jr., Christopher and Catherine Gore, Denise, Yvette, Brian, Dannie, Jr., Elia, Dannie, III, Sean and Tiffany Gore, Andrew and Bryant Welters, Tiffany Smith-Baber, Timothy Welters, Yolanda Baber, Melanie Baber, Danita Baber, Dante Williams and Monique Welters, 13 great-great children, two loving sisters, Chesalee Harbison of Summerville, South Carolina, and Clara Graves of Manhattan, New York, and a devoted great-niece Delores White and a host of relatives, nieces, nephews and devoted friends. She was predeceased by nine brothers and sisters. The family will receive friends on Thursday, December 20, 2007 from 6:00pm until 8:00pm at the National Funeral Home, 7482 Lee Highway, Falls Church, Virginia. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00am on Friday, December 21, 2007 in the National Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will follow at National Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, donations in her honor maybe made to the Community Praise Center Seventh-Day Adventist Church, 1400 Russell Road, Alexandria,
Virginia 22301. "Remember yesterday, dream about tomorrow, but live for God today."
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2026. **BAILEY, LOIS A., (Obituary No. 2026.)** 86 Sebring, FL - Lois A. Bailey, 86, of Sebring, Florida, passed away Wednesday, December 19, 2007, in Sebring. She was born November 6, 1921, to Joseph Ulysis and Ada Anna (Holland) Abney in Cochran, Georgia, and had been a resident of Sebring since 1972, coming form Homestead, FL. She was a homemaker and of the Baptist faith. She is survived by her Husband, John M. Bailey, Sebring; Daughter, Rebecca Lea Bailey (and Charlie) Wulzer, Pensacola, FL; Son, John M. Bailey, Jr., Sebring; Sister, Inez McKenzie, Ocala, FL; 4 Grandchildren and 4 Great-Grandchildren. Graveside services will be held Saturday, December 22, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Woodlawn Cemetery, Ocala, Florida. Arrangements have been entrusted to: STEPHENSON-NELSON FUNERAL HOME, Sebring, Florida 33870. 863-385-0125. Published in the Ocala Star Banner from 12/21/2007 - 12/22/2007.

2027. **BAKER, CRAIG ALAN, (Obituary No. 2027.)** 51 Ocala - Mr. Craig Alan Baker, 51, passed away in Ocala on December 19, 2007. He was born in Dayton, Ohio on September 15, 1956. He worked at Lockheed Martin for 28 years. He moved to the area in 1997 from California. He is survived by his wife of 31 years Deborah, a son Jake (16) and a daughter Jaymie (14) all of Silver Springs, FL., his Mother Janet Baker of Dayton, OH. He is preceded in death by his Father Theodore Baker Jr. He is also survived by one brother Theodore Baker of San Juan Capistrano, CA. Two sisters Donna Chase and Shayne Childers of Dayton, OH. His mother and father-in-law Kathy and John Moore of Kettering, OH. Also many nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held at the ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala, FL on December 21st at 7:00PM. The family will receive friends from 6-7PM prior to the service. In lieu of flowers please send donations to EMIT Program at Forest High School Ocala, FL, MCCA Program at West Port High School Ocala, FL. or Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/22/2007.

2028. **HANSON, BARBARA ILONA, (Obituary No. 2028.)** 76 Ocala - Barbara Ilona Hanson, 76, of Ocala, passed away Sat., Dec. 15, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Lynn, Mass., she came here in 1994 from Miami and was a licensed practical nurse in the N. Miami area before moving to Ocala. Barbara is survived by her son, David Stark of Ocala; daughter Dawn Montooth of Moultrie, GA; brother Peter Beckwith of New York and grandchildren Peyton, Patrick, Paige, Preston, Danielle and Jarrod. She was preceded in death by a son, The Late James Hanson, in 2002. FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME, Ocala. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/21/2007 - 12/22/2007.

2029. **KINER, LEOTH(Obituary No. 2029.)** A Leotha Kiner, 73, died Dec. 9, 2007 at Gainesville Health Care. He was the son of the late Joseph & Martha Kiner born Sept. 21, 1933 in Alachua, FL. Survivors include: Son Leotha (Audrea) Kiner, Jr., Gainesville, FL. Two daughters Brenda Kiner, Gainesville, FL. Marylyn Marsh, Daytona Beach, FL. Two sisters Amy Francis (Levi) Harris, Citra, FL., Diane Kiner, Oklawaha, FL. and three grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Kiner will be held on Sat. Dec. 22, 2007 at 2:00 PM at Little Chapel United Methodist Church Santos, FL. with Rev. Jeffrey Y. Oglesby, officiating. Burial will follow in Burell Cemetery under the care of MAURICE MYLES & SON FUNERAL HOME of Rome GA. assisted by CHESTNUT FUNERAL HOME 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation Friday 2:00 - 8:00PM Chestnut Chapel and on Sat from 12:00 Noon until the hour of service at
2030. MARTINEZ, MANUEL A., (Obituary No. 2030.) 91 Salt Springs - Manuel A. Martinez, 91, died Friday, December 21, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. A native Floridian, born in Jacksonville, Florida, on April 7, 1916 to Anthony and Lena Martinez. He was a past employee of Marion County as a Deputy and Wildlife Officer. He was a building contractor and specialized in residential construction. He was a member of Salt Springs Christian Church, loved sports and was an avid hunter and fisherman. Survived by his wife of 26 years, Susan Martinez of Salt Springs, two daughters: Delois Fletcher of Orange Park, Teresa Gosney of Fitzgerald, GA, a son, Manuel A. Martinez, Jr. of Blairsville, GA, two sisters, Mary Di Maggio and Patricia Goddard, four brothers, John, Sommers and Robert Martinez, all of Jacksonville and Halle Martinez of South Carolina. He was preceded in death by daughter, Gloria Ann Gipson, parents Anthony and Lena Martinez, brothers Tony, Albert and Harold. Services will be Sunday, December 23, 2007 at 3:00 PM at Salt Springs Christian Church. Visitation at church 2 hours prior to service beginning at 1:00 PM with interment at Salt Springs Memorial Gardens with the Rev. Walter Miller officiating. Flowers are welcome, or contributions may be made to the American Heart Association. HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala FL handling all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/22/2007 - 12/23/2007.

2031. NAVARRO, LUIS(Obituary No. 2031.), 51 Luis Navarro, 51, Ocala, FL, passed away Dec. 17, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Born in Chicago, IL, he relocated to Marion County from there in 1982. He was a Furniture Repossession Agent, he was Catholic, enjoyed detailing his cars, and spending quality time with is family. Luis is survived by his wife of 30 years, Raeann Navarro, son, Eric R. Navarro, daughters, Amanda M. Navarro, and Amy S. McConnell, all of Ocala, by his parents, Ralph and Micaela Navarro, numerous brothers and sisters as well as by 4 grandchildren. The family will receive friends on Friday, December 21" between the hours of 11:00 -- 1:00 PM with Funeral Service beginning at 1:00 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/21/2007 - 12/22/2007.

2032. PHILLIPS, LUDY LEVENIA, (Obituary No. 2032.) 82 Ocala - Ludy Levenia Phillips, 82, of Ocala passed away on Tuesday, December 18 2007. Born in Wauchula, FL she had made Ocala her home since 1943 moving from Plymouth, FL. She had worked as a lunchroom lady for 20 years at Fort King Middle School and a charter member of Living Waters Worship Center and a former church pianist. She was preceded in death by husband; Edward A. Phillips (1987). Survivors include; daughter, Betty Ritch of Ocala, FL, two grandchildren Darren and Chad, three great-grandchildren. Services will be held 2 PM, on Saturday, December 22, 2007 at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, Fl 34470. Visitation one hour prior to services at the funeral Home. The Rev. J. Randall Watson and Rev. John Petrucelli officiating. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/22/2007.

2033. SNOW, HERBERT(Obituary No. 2033.), 58 Ocala - Herbert Snow, 58, Transitioned From earth to Heaven on December 16, 2007. Funeral Services for Herbert Snow will be held on Saturday, December 22, 2007 11:00 am Graveside at Galilee Cemetery Summerfield Florida. Visitation will be Friday, 10 am - 6pm at SNOW'S FUNERAL MINISTRY 5791 S.E. 23rd Lane (Baseline Rd.) Ocala Florida 34471 (352) 438-0007. Survivors Wife: Audrey Snow, Sons: Tony
Snow and Deon Snow, Sisters: Laura Snow Pierson, Lillie Snow Hopkins, Odessa Snow Washington, Altamese Snow and Junelle Snow, Brothers: Mack Snow and Roosevelt Snow. Services entrusted to SNOW’S FUNERAL MINISTRY”, Providing a memory that will never fade” Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/20/2007 - 12/22/2007.

2034. STIDHAM, CLARENCE G., (Obituary No. 2034.) 82 Ocala - Clarence Gordon Stidham, 82, of Ocala, passed away on Thursday, December 20, 2007. Born in Wise County, VA. he had made Ocala his home for the past four years moving from Pomona Park, FL. He worked in the brick manufacturing industry. Survivors include; wife of 60 years, Helen Ruby Stidham, Satsuma, FL three children; Robert Lee Stidham, Kentucky, Peggy Sue Stidham, Ocala, FL and Glenda Bryant, Pomona Park, FL, three sisters; Marie, Lilly and Violet, nine grandchildren and 19 greatgrandchildren. Services will be held at 12:00 PM, Sunday, December 23, 2007, at HIERS FUNERAL HOME 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL. 34470. Visitation will be held one hour prior to services at the funeral home. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/22/2007 - 12/23/2007.

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2035. DENEAU,BELMONT H. "LEFTY", (Obituary No. 2035.) 73 Dunnellon - Belmont H. "Lefty" Deneau, age 73 years, of Dunnellon, Florida, died Thursday, December 20 at Citrus Memorial Hospital, Inverness. He was born June 8, 1934 in Detroit, Michigan, son of the late Belmont G. and Jane E. (Stiles) Kett. He was a lifelong resident of Michigan, moving here in 1985 from Gibraltar, MI. He retired as the Police Chief for Gibraltar Dept. of Public Safety (The Police and Fire Dept.) in 1981, having served for 26 years. He was a charter member of the Dunnellon Moose Lodge #2308 and past member of the Rainbow Springs Golf and Country Club. He was an avid golfer and loved playing all sports especially tennis. Earlier in life he was a Professional Pitcher with the St. Louis Browns and the Detroit Tigers Baseball Teams. He was known to his family as "Monty". He is survived by: his loving wife of 53 years, Joan Deneau, Dunnellon; daughter Carol Kermans (James), Taylor, MI; three sons: Timothy Deneau (Mary), Boyne City, MI; Jeffrey Deneau, Tenton, MI and Kyle Deneau (Ann), Dunnellon; five grandchildren: Ryan, Nicholas, Cory, Andrew and Ashlee; two sisters: Shirley Bidleman (Allen), Gibraltar, MI and Jane Hines (Richard), Michigan. He was preceded in death by his brothers Ronald Deneau and Richard Deneau and his grandson Aaron Kyle Deneau on August 6, 2000. A Memorial Service will be held on Wednesday, January 2, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL CHAPEL, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, with Rev. Jeffrey Welch of Dunnellon Presbyterian Church officiating. Family will receive friends from 10:00 a.m. until the service time. Memorial Donation may be given to the Dunnellon Moose Lodge #2308, 11890 N. Florida Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34434. Arrangements are under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/23/2007 - 12/24/2007.

2036. GROVER, MELVIN CHARLES, (Obituary No. 2036.) 81 Summerfield - First Lieutenant Melvin Charles Grover, 81, of Summerfield, passed away at his residence December 20, 2007. He was born in Forked River, NJ, and moved from South Florida to this area 25 years ago. Mr. Grover retired from the United States Army as a combat veteran after 25 years serving during World War II. He was a member of Bellevue Christian Church, VFW Post #1083, and Moose Lodge #95. He is survived by his wife, Katherine Frances Grover, Summerfield; sons, Bruce Wayne Grover, Albuquerque, NM, Melvin Charles Grover, Jr., Baltimore, MD, Michael
Garrett Grover, Summerfield, FL; daughters Tina Denise Richardson, Fair Play, SC and Shella Nicole Smith, Clearwater, FL, and one grandchild. He was preceded in death by a son, Gary Grover and daughter, Katherine Ellen Grover-Mason. A visitation will be held at 2:30 p.m. with a funeral service to begin at 4 p.m. on Monday, December 24, 2007 at Belleview Christian Church, 7149 SE County Hwy 25A, with Rev. George Roberts officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 of Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/23/2007 - 12/24/2007.

2037. JUSTICE, PHILIP GENE, (Obituary No. 2037.) 73 Candler - Philip Gene Justice, 73, of Candler, FL, went to be with his Lord on December 20, 2007. He was born in West Virginia. He moved to Florida in 1970. He worked as a union carpenter. Phil enjoyed the Bible teaching of, H. Richard Hall, Evangelist, at the United Christian Church of Candler. Phil is survived by his wife, Frances Justice; one son, Tony C.; one grandson Tony David; two sisters, Pauline Rudy; Frona Zimmerman and husband, Lacy "Bud" sister-in-law, Joyce Justice; sister-in-law Helen Townley and her extended family. He was loved by his two nieces, Jackie Lynn Hamrick and Tami Glaze and nephew, Nate Rudy. Graveside services will be held Monday, December 24, 2007, at the Candler cemetery, open casket viewing at 9 a.m. until the burial service starting at 10 a.m. Rev. Ron Cargill of the United Christian Church of Candler will perform the service. Immediately following the service, family and friends are invited to the home of Bud and Frona Zimmerman at 10920 SE 102nd Place, Candler, to visit and share refreshments. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/23/2007 - 12/24/2007.

2038. MARTINEZ, MANUEL A., (Obituary No. 2038.) 91 Salt Springs - Manuel A. Martinez, 91, died Friday, December 21, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. A native Floridian, born in Jacksonville, Florida, on April 7, 1916 to Anthony and Lena Martinez. He was a past employee of Marion County as a Deputy and Wildlife Officer. He was a building contractor and specialized in residential construction. He was a member of Salt Springs Christian Church, loved sports and was an avid hunter and fisherman. Survived by his wife of 26 years, Susan Martinez of Salt Springs, two daughters: Delois Fletcher of Orange Park, Teresa Gosney of Fitzgerald, GA, a son, Manuel A. Martinez, Jr. of Blairsville, GA, two sisters, Mary Di Maggio and Patricia Goddard, four brothers, John, Sommers and Robert Martinez, all of Jacksonville and Halle Martinez of South Carolina. He was preceded in death by daughter, Gloria Ann Gipson, parents Anthony and Lena Martinez, brothers Tony, Albert and Harold. Services will be Sunday, December 23, 2007 at 3:00 PM at Salt Springs Christian Church. Visitation at church 2 hours prior to service beginning at 1:00 PM with interment at Salt Springs Memorial Gardens with the Rev. Walter Miller officiating. Flowers are welcome, or contributions may be made to the American Heart Association. Hiers Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala FL handling all arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/22/2007 - 12/23/2007.

2039. STIDHAM, CLARENCE G., (Obituary No. 2039.) 82 Ocala - Clarence Gordon Stidham, 82, of Ocala, passed away on Thursday, December 20, 2007. Born in Wise County, VA. he had made Ocala his home for the past four years moving from Pomona Park, FL.. He worked in the brick manufacturing industry. Survivors include; wife of 60 years, Helen Ruby Stidham, Satsuma, FL three children; Robert Lee Stidham, Kentucky, Peggy Sue Stidham, Ocala, FL and Glenda Bryant, Pomona Park, Fl, three sisters; Marie, Lilly and Violet, nine grandchildren and 19 greatgrandchildren. Services will be held at 12:00 PM, Sunday, December 23, 2007, at Hiers Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL. 34470.
Visitation will be held one hour prior to services at the funeral home. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/22/2007 - 12/23/2007.

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2040. DENEAU, BELMONT H. "LEFTY", (Obituary No. 2040.) 73 Dunnellon - Belmont H. "Lefty" Deneau, age 73 years, of Dunnellon, Florida, died Thursday, December 20 at Citrus Memorial Hospital, Inverness. He was born June 8, 1934 in Detroit, Michigan, son of the late Belmont G. and Jane E. (Stiles) Kett. He was a lifelong resident of Michigan, moving here in 1985 from Gibraltar, MI. He retired as the Police Chief for Gibraltar Dept. of Public Safety (The Police and Fire Dept.) in 1981, having served for 26 years. He was a charter member of the Dunnellon Moose Lodge #2308 and past member of the Rainbow Springs Golf and Country Club. He was an avid golfer and loved playing all sports especially tennis. Earlier in life he was a Professional Pitcher with the St. Louis Browns and the Detroit Tigers Baseball Teams. He was known to his family as "Monty". He is survived by: his loving wife of 53 years, Joan Deneau, Dunnellon; daughter Carol Kermans (James), Taylor, MI; three sons: Timothy Deneau (Mary), Boyne City, MI; Jeffrey Deneau, Tenton, MI and Kyle Deneau (Ann), Dunnellon; five grandchildren: Ryan, Nicholas, Cory, Andrew and Ashlee; two sisters: Shirley Bidleman (Allen), Gibraltar, MI and Jane Hines (Richard), Michigan. He was preceded in death by his brothers Ronald Deneau and Richard Deneau and his grandson Aaron Kyle Deneau on August 6, 2000. A Memorial Service will be held on Wednesday, January 2, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. at ROBERTS FUNERAL CHAPEL, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, with Rev. Jeffrey Welch of Dunnellon Presbyterian Church officiating. Family will receive friends from 10:00 a.m. until the service time. Memorial Donation may be given to the Dunnellon Moose Lodge #2308, 11890 N. Florida Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34434. Arrangements are under the care of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME OF DUNNELLON, still family owned and operated. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/23/2007 - 12/24/2007.

2041. GROVER, MELVIN CHARLES, (Obituary No. 2041.) 81 Summerfield - First Lieutenant Melvin Charles Grover, 81, of Summerfield, passed away at his residence December 20, 2007. He was born in Forked River, NJ, and moved from South Florida to this area 25 years ago. Mr. Grover retired from the United States Army as a combat veteran after 25 years serving during World War II. He was a member of Belleview Christian Church, VFW Post #1083, and Moose Lodge #95. He is survived by his wife, Katherine Frances Grover, Summerfield; sons, Bruce Wayne Grover, Albuquerque, NM, Melvin Charles Grover, Jr., Baltimore, MD, Michael Garrett Grover, Summerfield, FL; daughters Tina Denise Richardson, Fair Play, SC and Shella Nicole Smith, Clearwater, FL, and one grandchild. He was preceded in death by a son, Gary Grover and daughter, Katherine Ellen Grover-Mason. A visitation will be held at 2:30 p.m. with a funeral service to begin at 4 p.m. on Monday, December 24, 2007 at Belleview Christian Church, 7149 SE County Hwy 25A, with Rev. George Roberts officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 of Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - Belleview. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/23/2007 - 12/24/2007.

2042. JUSTICE, PHILIP GENE, (Obituary No. 2042.) 73 Candler - Philip Gene Justice, 73, of Candler, FL, went to be with his Lord on December 20, 2007. He was born in West Virginia. He moved to Florida in 1970. He worked as a union carpenter. Phil enjoyed the Bible teaching of, H. Richard Hall, Evangelist, at the United Christian Church of Candler. Phil is survived by
his wife, Frances Justice; one son, Tony C.; one grandson Tony David; two sisters, Pauline Rudy; Frona Zimmerman and husband, Lacy "Bud" sister-in-law, Joyce Justice; sister-in-law Helen Townley and her extended family. He was loved by his two nieces, Jackie Lynn Hamrick and Tami Glaze and nephew, Nate Rudy. Graveside services will be held Monday, December 24, 2007, at the Candler cemetery, open casket viewing at 9 a.m. until the burial service starting at 10 a.m. Rev. Ron Cargill of the United Christian Church of Candler will perform the service. Immediately following the service, family and friends are invited to the home of Bud and Frona Zimmerman at 10920 SE 102nd Place, Candler, to visit and share refreshments. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/23/2007 - 12/24/2007.

2043. MITTOO, SADA(Obituary No. 2043.) , 95 Ocala - Sada Mittoo, 95, died on December 16, 2007 is the sister of Constance Phillips, Myrtle Jones, Muriel A. Smith, John Jones and Neil Jones. She also has many nieces and nephews. Visitations Thursday 10 am-11am with a service at 11 am at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 s. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/24/2007 - 12/25/2007.

2044. RUMPEL, WALTER HAROLD, (Obituary No. 2044.) 81 Ocala - Mr. Rumple passed away on Friday, December 20, 2007. He was born in Queens, NY on October 22, 1926. Mr. Rumpel served in the US Army. He worked as a Manager in the Aircraft industry for 35 years. Mr. Rumpel and his wife moved to the Ocala area from Jamesport, NY in 1988. He was a Catholic and a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. He is survived by his wife of 59 years Theresa P. Rumpel of Ocala; daughter Margaret Smith of Jamesport, NY; daughter Susan Eatmon of Ocala; sister Catherine Davis of Zellwood, FL; 3 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. A funeral mass will be held Friday, December 28, 11:30am at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be Thursday, December 27, 4:00 - 7:00pm at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to St Jude Research Hospital. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/24/2007 - 12/25/2007.

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2045. KEMPSKI, SARA W., (Obituary No. 2045.) 78 Ocala - Sara Kempski. age 78, of Ocala, FL. passed away on. December 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Kempski was a Homemaker and moved to Miami in 1959 from Bogart, Georgia and then to Ocala in 1993. She was a member of College Road Baptist Church. She is survived by her husband of 43 years Donald Kempski; son James A. Kempski of Durham, NC and daughter Donna D. "Dee Dee" Kempski of Ocala. Funeral Service for Mrs. Kempski will be December 28, 2007 at 1:00 pm at College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW Highway 200, Ocala, Florida, with Rev. John Downing Officiating. Visitation will be 1:00 to 3:00 pm & 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Thursday December 27, 2007 at BIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES TIMBERIDGE CHAPEL 9695 SW 110" St. Ocala, Fl. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, Fl. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/25/2007 - 12/26/2007.

2046. MITTOO, SADA(Obituary No. 2046.), 95 Ocala - Sada Mittoo, 95, died on December 16, 2007 is the sister of Constance Phillips, Myrtle Jones, Muriel A. Smith, John Jones and Neil Jones. She also has many nieces and nephews. Visitations Thursday 10 am-11am with a service at 11 am at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 s. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/24/2007 - 12/25/2007.

2047. PATRIA, ALICE J., (Obituary No. 2047.) 93 Ocala - Alice J. Patria, 93, of Ocala, passed away on Sun., Dec. 23, 2007 at Hawthorne Village in Ocala. A native of Vermont, she
came here in 1958 from Troy, NH and was a registered nurse all her life, retiring at the end of her career from Munroe Regional Medical Center as Head Nurse. She also served earlier in her profession at Greenfield Hospital in the Boston area. Alice was a WWII U.S. Army veteran at the rank of Captain serving as an Army Nurse during the war, mainly aboard hospital ships. She attended Central Baptist Church in Ocala and is survived by two brothers; Leander and Carl; five sisters; Ellen, Carmen, Ruby, Bea and Lula and numerous nieces and nephews. Services will be held on Thurs., Dec. 27th at 3:30 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home Chapel, Ocala with Rev. Andy Bloom officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with military honors at 4:15. Friends will be received from 2:30 p.m. until time of service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/25/2007 - 12/26/2007.

2048. RUMPEL, WALTER HAROLD, (Obituary No. 2048.) 81 Ocala - Mr. Rumple passed away on Friday, December 20, 2007. He was born in Queens, NY on October 22, 1926. Mr. Rumpel served in the US Army. He worked as a Manager in the Aircraft industry for 35 years. Mr. Rumpel and his wife moved to the Ocala area from Jamesport, NY in 1988. He was a Catholic and a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. He is survived by his wife of 59 years Theresa P. Rumpel of Ocala; daughter Margaret Smith of Jamesport, NY; daughter Susan Eatmon of Ocala; sister Catherine Davis of Zellwood, FL; 3 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. A funeral mass will be held Friday, December 28, 11:30am at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be Thursday, December 27, 4:00 - 7:00pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Research Hospital. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/24/2007 - 12/25/2007.

2049. TURNER, NANCY ELAIN, (Obituary No. 2049.) 69 Citra - Mrs. Nancy Elain Turner passed away in Citra, Florida on December 22nd. She was born in Woonsocket, Rhode Island on September 5, 1938. She was a Presbyterian by faith. She moved to the area in 2006 from Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. She is preceded in death by her loving husband of 54 years Maurice Turner. She is survived by four sons: Daniel and David Turner of Citra, Florida, George and Charlie Turner of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. Two brothers Jim and Billy Gardner and one sister Helen Crooms all of Lakeland, Florida. She had 8 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. She was a wonderful mother and grandmother. A gathering of friends will take place on December 27th from 5-8 p.m. with a service at 6 p.m. at the ROBERTS BRUCE EAST CHAPEL 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala, Fl is handling the services. She ill be greatly missed. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/25/2007 - 12/26/2007.

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2050. KEMPSKI, SARA W., (Obituary No. 2050.) 78 Ocala - Sara Kempski. age 78, of Ocala, FL. passed away on December 23, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Kempski was a Homemaker and moved to Miami in 1959 from Bogart, Georgia and then to Ocala in 1993. She was a member of College Road Baptist Church. She is survived by her husband of 43 years Donald Kempski; son James A. Kempski of Durham, NC and daughter Donna D. "Dee Dee" Kempski of Ocala. Funeral Service for Mrs. Kempski will be December 28, 2007 at 1:00 pm at College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW Highway 200, Ocala, Florida, with Rev. John Downing Officiating. Visitation will be 1:00 to 3:00 pm & 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Thursday December 27, 2007 at Biers-Baxley Burial Services Timberridge Chapel 9695 SW 110" St. Ocala, Fl. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/25/2007 - 12/26/2007.
2051. PATRIA, ALICE J., 93, (Obituary No. 2051.) Ocala - Alice J. Patria, 93, of Ocala, passed away on Sun., Dec. 23, 2007 at Hawthorne Village in Ocala. A native of Vermont, she came here in 1958 from Troy, NH and was a registered nurse all her life, retiring at the end of her career from Munroe Regional Medical Center as Head Nurse. She also served earlier in her profession at Greenfield Hospital in the Boston area. Alice was a WWII U.S. Army veteran at the rank of Captain serving as an Army Nurse during the war, mainly aboard hospital ships. She attended Central Baptist Church in Ocala and is survived by two brothers; Leander and Carl; five sisters; Ellen, Carmen, Ruby, Bea and Lula and numerous nieces and nephews. Services will be held on Thurs., Dec. 27th at 3:30 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home Chapel, Ocala with Rev. Andy Bloom officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens with military honors at 4:15. Friends will be received from 2:30 p.m. until time of service. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/25/2007 - 12/26/2007.

2052. TURNER, NANCY ELAIN, (Obituary No. 2052.) 69 Citra - Mrs. Nancy Elain Turner 69, passed away in Citra, Florida on December 22nd. She was born in Woonsocket, Rhode Island on September 5, 1938. She was a Presbyterian by faith. She moved to the area in 2006 from Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. She is preceded in death by her loving husband of 54 years Maurice Turner. She is survived by four sons: Daniel and David Turner of Citra, Florida, George and Charlie Turner of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. Two brothers Jim and Billy Gardner and one sister Helen Crooms all of Lakeland, Florida. She had 8 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. She was a wonderful mother and grandmother. A gathering of friends will take place on December 27th from 5-8 p.m. with a service at 6p.m. at the ROBERTS BRUCE EAST CHAPEL 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala, Fl. is handling the services. She ill be greatly missed. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/25/2007 - 12/26/2007.

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2053. ALLEN, HOWARD CLEARY, (Obituary No. 2053.) 83 Ocala - Howard C. Allen, 83, died Monday, Dec. 17, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. A native Floridian, born in Kendrick, Marion County, FL on July 6, 1924 to George W. and Vera V. Allen. He was a former resident of Orlando for over 55 years and moved to Ocala in July 1993. Howard retired at the age of 52 as Executive Vice President and General Manager of State Tractor & Equipment Co., formerly Florida-Georgia Tractor Co. Howard graduated from Orlando Senior High School in 1941, served in the U.S. Army during WWII and fought in the Battle of the Bulge. He obtained the rank of First Lieutenant and was honorably discharged in 1956. He was a member of College Park United Methodist Church of Orlando and also the Ocala Elks Lodge No. 286. Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Mary Dann Allen and his children, Donna Elaine Witte, daughter, Maitland, FL, Marcia Dann Allen, daughter, Ocala, Gordon Howard Allen, son, Lake Mary, FL and Joanna Leigh Magee, daughter, Sanford, FL, grandchildren Arona Witte, Alexander Witte, Douglas Witte and Leah Witte and 5 step-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, Dec. 29, 2007 at 1:00 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Dr. John Few officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2054. ASH, MARILEE R., (Obituary No. 2054.) 81 Silver Springs - Marilee Ash 81 of Silver Springs, Fl. Went Home to Heaven on December 24, 2007. Mrs. Ash moved to Hialeah, Fl. in 1955 from Roberts, Wisconsin, then to Silver Springs in 1976. She is survived by her daughter Bobbie Moraitis (husband Jim) of Hickory, NC, son Frank (wife CJ Brelan) of Asheville, NC,
son Tim of Lake City, Fl, daughter Linda Okeefe (husband Jim) of Plant City, Fl, daughter Leilah Ward (husband Doug) of Silver Springs, Fl., brother Archie Roberts (wife Opal) of Wallace, Mi and sister Georgia Roberts of Menominee, Mi. She is also survived by 9 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband Robert B. Ash, parents David G. and Rachel Roberts, brother David and sister Rachel Rebecca Roberts. A Memorial Service is scheduled on Saturday, January 12, 2008 at 3pm at Bread Of Life Church, 2000 NE 78th Street Ocala, FL. 34479. A Memorial Fund set up to Bread of Life Church in her Memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2055. DAVIS, JR., ROBERT OWEN, (Obituary No. 2055.) 18 Ocala - Robert Owen Davis Jr. passed away suddenly on Dec. 22, 2007 at the age of 18. He was the beloved son of Renee and the late Robert Owen Davis Sr. and stepson of Charles R Kehr. He was the amazing brother of Heather and Lauryn Davis and special friend of Banc a Rose. He is the grandson of Marcy MacDonald-Tatilla and Donald Purcell. He also has many aunts, uncles, and cousins. Visitation is Friday at noon with a funeral service following at 1 pm at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave Ocala, FL 34480 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.


2057. JONES Sr., WILLIE "BIG MAC" (Obituary No. 2057.) PAUL, 78 Ocala - Ocala - Mr. Willie Paul Jones, Sr., transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest at 9:04 pm on Sunday, December 23, 2007 at the Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born November 27, 1929. Mr. Willie Jones, Sr. is a native of Pensacola, Florida. He was a retired truck driver. Mr. Jones is survived by his companion Essie Mae Drayton of Lowell, FL; one daughter: Carlis Jones-Fitzpatrick, Ocala, FL; one son: Willie Paul Jones, Jr., Ocala, FL; one grandson: Orenzo D. Fitzpatrick, Ocala, FL and a host of friends. Public visitation will be held at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church, 612 NW 4th Place, Ocala, FL, on Friday, December 28, 2007 from 3-7. Funeral services will be held at 3:30 pm on Saturday, December 29, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church, 612 NW 4th Place, Ocala, FL, Elder Dr. Dennis Hagin, Pastor and Prophet Terry Weems, Eulogist. Interment will be held at Mt. Canaan Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2058. KALMBACH, JUNE KINSEY, (Obituary No. 2058.) 72 Silver Springs - June Elizabeth Kinsey Kalmbach, 72, passed away en Saturday, December 22, 2007 at her home. Born on November 18, 1935 In Longwood, FL, she moved to Scrambletown in the 1940's with her parents. She was a member of Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church. She was a lively character that was well known throughout the Ocala National Forest. She was preceded In death by her parents Herbert and June Kinsey; and her ex-husband Fred 0. Kalmbach. She Is survived by her children Robert Kalmbach (wife Mary) of Ocklawaha; Phillip Kalmbach Sr. of Scrambletown; Fred Kalmbach (wife Martha Jean) of Scrambletown; and Kathleen McConaghio (husband Jamie) of Moss Bluff; 7 grandchildren Phillip Kalmbach Jr., Michael Kalmbach, Leslie Rae Usher, Mary Elizabeth Kalmbach, Richard Kalmbach, Winston Kalmbach, and Alexandria Kalmbach; and 8 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 11 AM on Friday, December 28, 2007 at Cedar Creek Baptist Church, 1,5455 NE Highway 314, Silver Springs, Fl. 34488. Arrangement
2059. MAXEY, STANCIIL VALINTINA, (Obituary No. 2059.) 55 Charlottesville, VA - Valintina Stancil Maxey, 55, died December 17, 2007 in Charlottesville, VA. Mr. Maxey spent his childhood and a considerable portion of his adult life in Marion County. He received his early childhood education in the school system of Marion County, he also received a BS degree from Bethune Cookman University and was a graduate of Pinellas County Police Academy. He was employed as a deputy sheriff in Pinellas County and later as a mail carrier in Charlottesville, VA. While in Charlottesville, VA he attended St. Joseph Baptist Church, he was a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity. Services will be held Saturday 2 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church in Santos, FL. Rev. D. J. Berry Pastor officiating. Visitation will be held at the CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL HOME from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Friday and 1 hour before service on Saturday. There will be no viewing after the Eulogy. Interment will be in Burrell Cemetery, Santos, FL. Survivors include one son Jared S. Maxey, Charlottesville, VA., mother Clementine Maxey Santos, FL., 2 brothers - Elder Tracey Maxey, Ocala & Hansel Maxey, Jr., Largo, FL; 3 sisters - Tanyam Lecorn, Kathy M. Pinkston, Candace Taylor, all of Santos, FL. 1 grandchild and host of relatives and friends. Arrangements by CUNNINGHAMS FUNERAL HOME "Your Friends Who Cares". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2060. MCCORD, ELLA MAE COY, (Obituary No. 2060.) 55 Ocala - Ella Mae Coy McCord, 55, funeral services will be on Saturday, December 29, 2007 at 1 pm, countryside Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Reverend Wallace Griggs will conduct the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 to 5 p.m. A wake service will also be held at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday at 6pm. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Countryside Baptist Church on Sat. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the Eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mrs. McCord are Husband: Robert J. McCord, Sr., Ocala, Fl; Daughter: Sherry McCord, Ocala, Fl; Son: Robert J. McCord, Jr, Ocala, Fl, a loving mother; Mallie Coy, Ocala, Fl; Sisters: Rosetta Barney, and Bertheina Williams both Of Ocala, Fl, Claranell Bryant, St. Pete, Fl, Annie M. Douglas, Miami, Fl; Brothers: Alphonse Coy, Bennie Wilson both Of Ocala, Fl, Clifton Coy, Jr., St. Pete, Fl, Tillman Coy, Boston, MA And Leroy Coy. Pennsylvania. A devoted niece Debra Moheb, Oakland, CA. and numerous Nieces, Nephews, cousins and friends. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2061. RAMSEY, MIKE(Obituary No. 2061.) , 38 Ocala - William Michael Ramsey, 38, passed away on December 24, 2007. He was born in Louisville, KY and moved here over 25 years ago. He was a HVAC Technician and enjoyed fishing, the ocean, being with family, Gator football and horses. He is survived by his wife Michelle Newbold Ramsey of Ocala, his parents, Eddie and Judy Ramsey of Ocala, his sister, Melissa Sue Pollard of Georgia and his brother, David Ramsey of Ocala. A memorial service will be held on Friday, December 28, 2007 at 6:00 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 916 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2062. ROBERTS, REGINA LASHAUNE, (Obituary No. 2062.) 38 Ocala - Regina L. Roberts went home to be with the Lord on Dec. 19, 2007 at North Florida Regional Medical Center. She leaves to cherish her memories Son: Casey Roberts, Daughters: Shakeria Roberts and Shaunetaka Williams, Grandson : Jaden Roberts, Mother: Betty Glover Roberts, Brother: Rudolph Roberts, Sisters: Demetrice Roberts, Barbara (Brent) Turner, Velvet Roberts, she was preceded in death by her father Rudolph Roberts Sr. Funeral Services for Ms. Roberts will be
held on Saturday Dec. 29, 2007 11:00am at The House Of God Keith Dom. 2830 N.W.27th Avenue Ocala Fl. Wake service 7:00pm - 8:00pm Thursday, December 27, 2007 at The Theological Seminary. Ms. Roberts will repose on Friday 10am-7pm @ Snow's Funeral Ministry (Baseline Road Chapel) Arrangements Entrusted To Snow's Funeral Ministry "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2063. SEAYS, ELMETTE HENDERSON, (Obituary No. 2063.) 82 Blitchton, FL - Mrs. Elmette Henderson Seays, 82, resident of Blitchton, FL died December 8, 2007 after an extended illness. Lifelong resident of Marion County she received her early education in the County's School System. She was a retired Environmental Specialist. Mrs. Seays was a member of New Chapel Baptist Church Blitchton, FL where she served as a Sunday School Superintendent, church mother, member of choir and home mission board. Services will be held Saturday, December 29th, 2007 11 a.m. at New Chapel Baptist Church, Rev. Isaiah James pastor, officiating. Visitation will be at CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL HOME Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m and one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the Eulogy. Interment will be held at Piney Grove Cemetery. Survivors - One daughter - Gracie Luckey, Ocala, FL., Five Grands, 10 great grands & a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins. Under the directions of CUNNINGHAM, "Your Friends Who Care" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2064. SMITH-MCFARLAND, CHARLENE MARGARET(Obituary No. 2064.), 65 Ocklawaha- Charlene M. Smith-McFarland, age 65, passed away Sunday, December 23, 2007. She was born November 9, 1942 in Kenton. KY. Survivors include her husband Robert of Ocklawaha, five daughters Patricia (husband William) Smith of Ocklawaha, Margaret Schley of Summerfield. Mary D. (husband Ray) Rodriguez, of Titusville, Charlene Kay (partner Steve) of Lithia. Tina Marie Smith-Barber of Ocklawaha, stepdaughters Amy Bronson of Altoona, Nancy Smith of Vermont, nineteen grandchildren, eleven and a half great grandchildren, and a brother Daniel Moening. Preceded in death by her parents Charles & Alice Moening and brother Bill Moening. Services will he 10:00 AM Saturday, December 29, 2007 at Village View Community Church, Summerfield, FL. Visitation will be 5:00-7:00 PM Friday at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Interment Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2065. WALTON, III, M.D., FACS, DR. THOMAS PEYTON, (Obituary No. 2065.) 85 MacIntosh, FL - Dr. Thomas Peyton Walton, III, M. D., FACS went to be with the Lord on December 18, 2007. He was 85 years old. He was a faithful husband, loving father, and brave patriot. He and his wife, Marilyn, attended Community Presbyterian Church in McIntosh, FL. Peyton was a bible scholar and loved his Saturday morning men's bible study. He fought in WW II as a Second Lieutenant Bombardier. He and his crew were Missing in Action for 45 days when his plane was shot down behind Russian lines. They were transported across country by Russian soldiers to safety. He flew 23 sorties and was awarded many medals for his bravery and good conduct. After the war he resumed his medical studies at Tulane University. earning his M. D. in 1950. He was a prominent surgeon and surgical teacher at Tampa General Hospital for ten years. In 1970 he went to LSU University Medical Center, and was promoted to full Professor of Surgery in 1979. At retirement in 1985, he was promoted to Professor Emeritus. He loved God, family, country. He was known by all as a merciful, gentle and kind man. He was preceded in death by his first wife Marie Montgomery and daughter Sarah Lynn. He is survived by his wife, Marilyn, son Thomas Peyton Walton, IV, and daughter, Jane. Funeral services will be conducted
Saturday, December 29, 2007 at 1:00 P. M., in the WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME WESTAREA CHAPEL, 823 NW 143rd Street, with Pastor James Walkup, officiating, interment will follow in Laurel Hill Cemetery, Archer, Florida. The family will receive friends on Friday, December 28, 2007 from 5 to 7 P. M., at the funeral home. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA (352) 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2066. WEIBLEY, SR., RALPH LEROY, (Obituary No. 2066.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Ralph Leroy Weibley, Sr., shifted from this pace of life into eternal rest on Monday, December 10, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mr. Weibley is survived by one daughter: Bonnie Weibley, Ocala, FL; one son: Ralph Weibley, Jr., Ocala, FL; Services entrusted to TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2067. WOTTON, FRANCIS "FRANK", (Obituary No. 2067.) 74 Ocala - Francis "Frank" Wotton, 74, of Ocala, died Saturday, December 22, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born June 4, 1933 in Providence, Rhode Island. He moved here in 1985 from East Providence, Rhode Island. Mr. Wotton was a Janitor for the City of Ocala and a Currier for Florida Citizens Bank. Mr. Wotton was Catholic and served in the Army during the Korean Conflict. He is survived by his wife Karen Wotton of Ocala, sons Gary Wotton of S. Kingstown, RI, Brian Wotton of E. Providence, RI, brother Chick Wotton of E. Providence, RI., sister Candy Weaver of E. Providence, RI., several nieces and nephews, and 1 Grandchild. Mr. Wotton is preceded in death by his son Steven, mother Irene, father Frederick, brother Frederick, Jr., and sister Marie Brown. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2068. WRIGHT, CARL RYDELL, (Obituary No. 2068.) 47 Okahumpka - Mr. Carl Rydell Wright, evolved from this stroll of life into perpetual rest at 8:30 pm on Thursday, December 20, 2007 at the Hospice House of Tavares. He was born November 24, 1960. Mr. Wright attended public school in Lake and Marion Counties. He was a member of New Bethel A.M.E. Church, Okahumpka, FL. Mr. Wright is survived by companion Minnie Williams, Leesburg, FL; three stepsons: Derrick, Roderick, and Metris, all of Leesburg, FL; one grandson: Maleek Williams; four brothers: Ernest Wrotten (Shirley), Olanta, SC, Arthur L. Wright, Florence, SC, Frank Jordan (Pam), and Willie Ray Wright both of Leesburg, FL; three sisters: Gloria Williams (Charles), Ocala, FL; Annette Wright and Carol Wright (twin sister) both of Leesburg, FL; five uncles: Vernon Wright (Gracie), Hollis, NY; Billy Wright (Sandra), East Orange, NJ; William Wright, Johnny Wright (Deloris) and Alvin Wright (Joyce) all of Leesburg, FL; six aunts: Gracie Price, Sadye Little (Clyde), Betty Rodman and Linda James, all of Leesburg, FL; Dottie Wright and Florie Wright both of Rochester, NY; sisters-in-law: Aljewel Wright and Glenda Wright both of Leesburg, FL; a special friend: Samuel Lewis and a host of nieces, nephews and sorrowing friends. Public visitation and viewing will be held at New Bethel A.M.E. Church, 27921 Virgil Hawkins Circle, Okahumpka, FL on Friday, December 28, 2007 from 4-8. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 am on Saturday, December 29, 2007 at New Bethel A.M.E. Church, 27921 Virgil Hawkins Circle, Okahumpka, FL, Reverend Willie Denmark, Pastor with Pastor Earnestine Abnery, Eulogist. Interment will be held at Okahumpka Cemetery. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

Obituaries Listed in The Ocala Star Banner, Ocala, Florida, December 28, 2007
2069. ALLEN, HOWARD CLEARY, (Obituary No. 2069.) 83 Ocala - Howard C. Allen, 83, died Monday, Dec. 17, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. A native Floridian, born in Kendrick, Marion County, FL on July 6, 1924 to George W. and Vera V. Allen. He was a former resident of Orlando for over 55 years and moved to Ocala in July 1993. Howard retired at the age of 52 as Executive Vice President and General Manager of State Tractor & Equipment Co., formerly Florida-Georgia Tractor Co. Howard graduated from Orlando Senior High School in 1941, served in the U.S. Army during WWII and fought in the Battle of the Bulge. He obtained the rank of First Lieutenant and was honorably discharged in 1956. He was a member of College Park United Methodist Church of Orlando and also the Ocala Elks Lodge No. 286. Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Mary Dann Allen and his children, Donna Elaine Witte, daughter, Maitland, FL, Marcia Dann Allen, daughter, Ocala, Gordon Howard Allen, son, Lake Mary, FL and Joanna Leigh Magee, daughter, Sanford, FL, grandchildren Arona Witte, Alexander Witte, Douglas Witte and Leah Witte and 5 step-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, Dec. 29, 2007 at 1:00 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Dr. John Few officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to Hospice of Marion County. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2070. ASH, MARILEE R., (Obituary No. 2070.) 81 Silver Springs - Marilee Ash 81 of Silver Springs, Fl. Went Home to Heaven on December 24, 2007. Mrs. Ash moved to Hialeah, Fl. in 1955 from Roberts, Wisconsin, then to Silver Springs in 1976. She is survived by her daughter Bobbie Moraitis (husband Jim) of Hickory, NC, son Frank (wife CJ Breland) of Asheville, NC, son Tim of Lake City, Fl, daughter Linda Okeefe (husband Jim) of Plant City, Fl, daughter Leilah Ward (husband Doug) of Silver Springs, Fl, brother Archie Roberts (wife Opal) of Wallace, Mi and sister Georgia Roberts of Menominee, Mi. She is also survived by 9 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband Robert B. Ash, parents David G. and Rachel Roberts, brother David and sister Rachel Rebecca Roberts. A Memorial Service is scheduled on Saturday, January 12, 2008 at 3pm at Bread Of Life Church, 2000 NE 78th Street Ocala, FL. 34479. A Memorial Fund set up to Bread of Life Church in her Memory. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2071. BROADHURST, C. LOUISE, (Obituary No. 2071.) 84 Summerfield - Mrs. C. Louise Broadhurst, 84, of Summerfield, Florida, died Monday, December 24 at Tuscany House, in Summerfield. She was born August 12, 1923 in Easton, Wisconsin. She moved here in 1980 from Wyckoff, New Jersey. She was a Homemaker. She was a member of Faith Presbyterian Church in Ocala. She enjoyed bowling and was a member on several leagues. She is survived by: Son Jerry "Rusty" Broadhurst and wife Debra, of Summerfield, Florida, Daughter Joyce Fieldhouse, and husband Jim of Summerfield, Florida, and Daughter Jan Lindsey of Ocala, Florida. She is also survived by One grandson, Scott Fieldhouse of Montana. Donations may be made in her memory to Wycliffe Bible Translators @ PO Box 628211, Orlando, Florida 32862-8211. Arrangements were handled by FLORIDA CREMATION SOCIETY, The Villages. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2072. BROWN, RALPH D., (Obituary No. 2072.) 75 Lantana, TX - Ralph D. Brown, 75, and a previous resident of Ocala, FL. Born on June 10, 1932 in Brockton, Massachusetts. Passed away at his home in Lantana, TX. Ralph is survived by his wife, Benita Brown and two daughters; Denise Hennesy of Argyle, TX and Debra Engel of Seaford, DE and five grandchildren; Erin and Molly Hennesy, Douglas, Daniel and Kelley Snyder. A memorial service will be held at 12 p.m. on Friday, January 4, 2008 at St. Philips the Apostle Roman
Catholic Church in Lewisville, TX. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to American Hospice at 1410 N. Elm St., Denton, TX 76201. If you wish to send a condolence or sign at online register book please visit: www.flowermoundfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2073. BURRIS, BILLY V., (Obituary No. 2073.) 78 Ocala - Billy V. Burris, 78, passed away December 24, 2007 at his home. Born in High Point, North Carolina, he came to this area in 1957 from Jacksonville Beach, FL. He was the retired owner operator of Cardinal Motors of Ocala and Baptist by faith. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Polly J. Burris; sister, Bonnie Kennedy of Thomasville, NC; nephews, Phillip Hackler, his wife Patty and their children, Kristyn and Kevin of Ocala, Larry Meredith, Barry Meredith and his wife Chrissie, and Billy Lyn Meredith and his wife Rosa; nieces, Vickie Romine and her children, Kimberly and David, Deborah Cohen and her husband Marc, Cheryl Harris and her children Billy, Bobby and Jimmy Harris. He is also survived by a brother-in-law, Folger Chamelin, his wife Opal and their children, Martin Chamelin and Lori Smith; cousin Edith Miller. He was preceded in death by his sisters, Evelga Hackler, Gilbretta Johnson and Rita N. Burris; sister-in-law, Nancy McLaughlin. Mr. Burris loved animals and raising his cows, he was also preceded in death by his dogs, Wimpie, Lollypop, Jelly Bean and Lucky Strike. A visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Saturday (December 29th) from 10AM-12 Noon. The Funeral Service will follow at the Funeral Home at 12 Noon with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the Family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Humane Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2074. CULBERTSON, THOMAS L., (Obituary No. 2074.) 73 Ocala - Thomas L Culbertson, 73, a kind and generous man who never forgot a favor, passed away December 19, 2007. He will be missed by all who knew and loved him. Tom was born February 6, 1943 in Ferndale, Michigan and lived the latter years of his life in Ocala, Florida. He is survived by his son, Steve Culbertson, daughter and son-in-law Jeanne and Dave Hedgepeth; grandchildren, Roberts Culbertson, Charlie and Teri Hedgepeth; and brother and sister-in-law, Ray and Rose Culbertson. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2075. DAVIS, JR., ROBERT OWEN, (Obituary No. 2075.) 18 Ocala - Robert Owen Davis Jr. passed away suddenly on Dec. 22, 2007 at the age of 18. He was the beloved son of Renee and the late Robert Owen Davis Sr. and stepson of Charles R Kehr. He was the amazing brother of Heather and Lauryn Davis and special friend of Banca Rose. He is the grandson of Marcy MacDonald-Tatilla and Donald Purcell. He also has many aunts, uncles, and cousins. Visitation is Friday at noon with a funeral service following at 1 pm at FOREST LAWN FUNERAL HOME 5740 S. Pine Ave Ocala, FL 34480 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2076. GRAZIANO, JOHN(Obituary No. 2076.) , 74 Citra - John Graziano, 74, passed away on December 26, 2007. He was born in Brooklyn and moved to the Florida area in 1990. He was a Transportation Supervisor for Green Bus Lines in Queens. Mr. Graziano was a Catholic. His hobbies included racing pigeons. He was a member of the Marion Co. Racing Pigeons Club. He also bred and showed Pigeons. He is survived by his wife of 27 years Patricia Graziano; daughter Anna Smith of Ronkonkoma, NY; daughter Debra McCrann of Ocala; son John Graziano of Yaphank, NY; brother Richard Graziano of Coral Springs, FL; sister Lena Montalbano of Bayshore, NY; sister Margaret Savino of Sebastian, FL; sister-in-law Janis Santiago of San Diego, CA; grandchildren Michelle, Jenny, Paulie and Caiti; and several nieces and nephews. He was
pre-deceased by his son Tony Graziano. Visitation for Mr. Graziano will be Sunday, December 30, 2-4 and 6-8pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. A Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated Monday, December 31, 11:00am at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Cremation will follow. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.


2078. HOSEA, NORMA M. FORREST, (Obituary No. 2078.) 86 Ocala - Norma M. Forrest Hosea, 86 of Ocala, Died Thursday, Dec. 27, 2007 at her son's home under hospice care. Norma was born in Hampton, TN. Came to the Ocala area in 1948 from Live Oak, Fl. Norma was a member of the Ocala 7th Day Adventist Church, served as treasurer of the church for a number of years. Member of the pioneer Garden Club of Ocala, Ocala's Womens Club. She enjoyed gardening and having her family and friends over to enjoy her great cooking, she loved to entertain. She was a graduate of Steed College of Business in Elizabethton, TN. She is survived by: son - Steve Forrest of Ocala, Fl.; daughter - Elaine Woelfel of Ocklawaha, Fl.; son - Tony Forrest of Gray, TN.; Step-son Mark Hosea of Ocala, Fl. Step-son Frank Hosea of Waterville, Maine. Step-daughter Sandra Charity of Ocala, Fl.; 3-sisters Gertrude Frazier, Christine White, and Joy Laws all of Johnson City, TN. Brother - Brooks Montgomery of Arnaudville, LA. Brother- James E. Montgomery of Johnson City, TN. 18 grandchildren, and 26 great grandchildren. Preceded in death by her second husband Frank Hosea, 2 brothers and 1 sister. There will be a viewing Sunday, Dec. 30, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. from 2 PM - 3 PM. With the service to follow at 3 PM at the funeral chapel with Pastor Dave Swinyar conducting the service. Burial will follow at the Forest Lawn Cemetery. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice in memory of Norma. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2079. JONES, IRENE H., (Obituary No. 2079.) 79 Rawlins, WY - Irene H. Jones, 79. A Memorial Service will be held on December 29, 2007 at 2 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Anthony, FL. with Rev. Gwen McCormick officiating. Mrs. Jones passed away on Wednesday, December 19, 2007 at the Carbon County Memorial Hospital at the age of 79. Irene was born in Harriman, Tennessee on May 19, 1928 the daughter of Malcolm and Pearl (Robert) Prince. She had been a resident of Rawlins for the past five years. Irene was a very loving mother who loved her family and her Lord with all her heart. She was a member of the First Southern Baptist Church of Rawlins, and a 25 year member of the Eastern Star in Belleview, Florida. She retired from the Marion County School Board food service. Irene is survived by one son, Ray E. Hill and wife Kathy of Ocala, FL., and one daughter, Ann Clark and husband Ken of Rawlins; one sister, Faye Marshall of McIntosh, FL.; 7 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her daughter Paula Kay Hill and her son Darrell Dewayne Hill; her first husband Paul E. Hill, and her second husband Albert B. Jones. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2080. JONES, SR., WILLIE "BIG MAC" PAUL, (Obituary No. 2080.) 78 Ocala - Ocala - Mr. Willie Paul Jones, Sr., transitioned from this walk of life into eternal rest at 9:04 pm on Sunday, December 23, 2007 at the Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born November 27, 1929. Mr. Willie Jones, Sr. is a native of Pensacola, Florida. He was a retired truck driver. Mr.
Jones is survived by his companion Essie Mae Drayton of Lowell, FL; one daughter: Carlis Jones-Fitzpatrick, Ocala, FL; one son: Willie Paul Jones, Jr., Ocala, FL; one grandson: Orenzo D. Fitzpatrick, Ocala, FL and a host of friends. Public visitation will be held at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church, 612 NW 4th Place, Ocala, FL, on Friday, December 28, 2007 from 3-7. Funeral services will be held at 3:30 pm on Saturday, December 29, 2007 at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church, 612 NW 4th Place, Ocala, FL, Elder Dr. Dennis Hagin, Pastor and Prophet Terry Weems, Eulogist. Interment will be held at Mt. Canaan Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2081. KALMBACH, JUNE KINSEY, (Obituary No. 2081.) 72 Silver Springs - June Elizabeth Kinsey Kalmbach, 72, passed away en Saturday, December 22, 2007 at her home. Born on November 18, 1935 In Longwood, FL, she moved to Scrambletown in the 1940's with her parents. She was a member of Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church. She was a lively character that was well known throughout the Ocala National Forest. She was preceded In death by her parents Herbert and June Kinsey; and her ex-husband Fred O. Kalmbach. She Is survived by her children Robert Kalmbach (wife Mary) of Ocklawaha; Phillip Kalmbach Sr. of Scrambletown; Fred Kalmbach (wife Martha Jean) of Scrambletown; and Kathleen McConaghio (husband Jamie) of Moss Bluff; 7 grandchildren Phillip Kalmbach Jr., Michael Kalmbach, Leslie Rae Usher, Mary Elizabeth Kalmbach, Richard Kalmbach, Winston Kalmbach, and Alexandria Kalmbach; and 8 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 11 AM on Friday, December 28, 2007 at Cedar Creek Baptist Church, 1,5455 NE Highway 314, Silver Springs, FL. 34488. Arrangement by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, BELLEVIEW. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2082. MAXEY, STANCIL VALINTINA, (Obituary No. 2082.) 55 Charlottesville, VA - Valintina Stancil Maxey, 55, died December 17, 2007 in Charlottesville, VA. Mr. Maxey spent his childhood and a considerable portion of his adult life in Marion County. He received his early childhood education in the school system of Marion County, he also received a BS degree from Bethune Cookman University and was a graduate of Pinellas County Police Academy. He was employed as a deputy sheriff in Pinellas County and later as a mail carrier in Charlottesville, VA. While in Charlottesville, VA he attended St. Joseph Baptist Church, he was a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity. Services will be held Saturday 2 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church in Santos, FL. Rev. D. J. Berry Pastor officiating. Visitation will be held at the CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL HOME from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Friday and 1 hour before service on Saturday. There will be no viewing after the Eulogy. Interment will be in Burrell Cemetery, Santos, FL. Survivors include one son Jared S. Maxey, Charlottesville, VA., mother Clementine Maxey Santos, FL., 2 brothers - Elder Tracey Maxey, Ocala & Hansel Maxey, Jr., Largo, FL; 3 sisters - Tanyam Lecorn, Kathy M. Pinkston, Candace Taylor, all of Santos, FL; 1 grandchild and host of relatives and friends. Arrangements by CUNNINGHAMS FUNERAL HOME "Your Friends Who Cares". Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2083. MCCORD, ELLA MAE COY, (Obituary No. 2083.) 55 Ocala - Ella Mae Coy McCord, 55, funeral services will be on Saturday, December 29, 2007 at 1 pm, countryside Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Reverend Wallace Griggs will conduct the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 to 5 p.m. A wake service will also be held at SELLERS FUNERAL HOME on Friday at 6pm. The family will be receiving friends during this hour. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Countryside Baptist Church on Sat. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the Eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mrs.

2084. MILBY, ROBERT VANCE, (Obituary No. 2084.) 68 South Daytona, FL - Robert Vance Milby, 68, retired Volusia County educator and coach, dies of pancreatic cancer at 68. Robert Vance Milby, 68, of South Daytona, died December 22 after battling pancreatic cancer. Mr. Milby was born in Miami, Fla. and was a retired school administrator for Volusia County. A 1957 graduate of Ocala High School, he was named a National High School All-America All-Star for football in 1956 and was a starting fullback for the University of Florida from 1957-59 until a knee injury permanently sidelined his football career. At the University of Florida Mr. Milby was a charter member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and earned his Bachelor of Science degree, before beginning a 30-year career in secondary education as a teacher, coach and school administrator. He earned his Master of Arts in Education from Northern Arizona University and later became a member of the First Baptist Church Daytona Beach. There he served as a deacon and Sunday school teacher. After retiring from the Volusia County school system, Mr. Milby was an instructor at the University of Central Florida for ten years and helped to start several charter schools in Flagler and Brevard counties. He was also a member of the University of Florida Alumni Association. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Arrilla; son, Robert Milby Jr. of Tucson, Ariz., and daughter Wendy Mallory of Lake Mary, Fl.; two granddaughters, Reagan Mallory and Emma Milby; two sisters, Nancy Herrin of Jacksonville Beach, Fl., and Carla Eaton of Mount Dora, Fla.; one brother, William Milby of Ocala, Fl. Visitation will begin at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, December 29, 2007, at First Baptist Church Daytona Beach, 118 N. Palmetto Ave., with the funeral service immediately thereafter at 12:00 p.m. Dr. Bobby H. Welch will officiate, along with Senior Pastor Tim Mann. A private interment will follow the service. In lieu of other remembrances, the family requests memorial donations be made to an account that has been established at Fifth Third Bank for the benefit of Robert V. Milby Scholarship Fund, 200 E. Robinson St., Mail Drop MBLEAD, Orlando, FL 32801. DALE WOODWARD FUNERAL HOMES is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2085. MURRAY, JOAN VIOLA, (Obituary No. 2085.) 76 Ocala - Joan Murray, 76, passed away on December 26, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Buffalo, New York and relocated to South Florida in the early 80's. She moved to the Ocala area in June 2005. Taking care of others was her life's work. She was a devoted daughter, mother, grandmother and friend. Survivors include one son, Charles Murray, Cooper City, FL; two daughters, Sandra Michaud, Eustis, FL and Cheryl Varona, Ocala, FL; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A family remembrance will be held at the home of her daughter, Cheryl. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to Hospice of Marion County or the Alzheimers Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2086. POMPIE, BILL E., (Obituary No. 2086.) 83 Armuchee, GA - Mr. Bill E. Pompie, age 83, of #3624 Everett Springs Road, Armuchee, Georgia died Monday, December 24th, 2007 at Emory Hospital in Atlanta, Georgia. A native of Otsego, West Virginia, Mr. Pompie was born on August 23rd, 1924, the son of the late Venanzio and Pilomena Faris Pompie. He had been a
resident of Floyd County for 6 years moving here from Ocala, Florida and was of the Methodist faith. Mr. Pompie was a World War II veteran having served in the U.S. Navy. He was a member of the Marston Masonic Lodge #49 F&AM in Ft. McCoy, Florida, the Low 12 Club, the V.F.W. of Salt Springs, Florida, a member of the Fraternal Order of Police in Miami, Florida and a member of the Northwest Georgia Council of the Boy Scouts of America. For 17½ years Mr. Pompi served as a law enforcement officer with the Dade County, Florida Sheriff's Department. Survivors include his wife, Tony Hearn Pompie to whom he was married on July 18th, 1953; a daughter, Joan Elizabeth Grady of Memphis, Tennessee; 2 sons, Jim Foley of Memphis, Tennessee and Bill Joseph Pompie of Armuchee, Georgia; 12 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren also survive as do a brother, Virgil Pompie of West Virginia. Nieces and nephews also survive. Funeral services for Mr. Bill E. Pompie will be held on Saturday afternoon, December 29th, 2007 at 3 o'clock at Camp Sidney Dew, 3624 Everett Springs Road, with Tim McIntosh officiating. Interment will follow in the Mt. Tabor United Methodist Church cemetery at Everett Springs with Shanklin-Attaway Post #5 Honor Guard conducting military graveside rites. Flowers will be accepted or memorial contribution may be made to the Northwest Georgia Council, Boy Scouts of America, P.O. Box 1422, Rome, Georgia 30161. Mr. Pompie will lie-in-state on Saturday morning from 11 o'clock until the funeral hour at Camp Sidney Dew, 3624 Everett Springs Road, where the family will receive friends from 11 o'clock A.M. until the funeral hour. At other hours they will be at the residence. Please join the family in honoring Mr. Bill E. Pompie by visiting www.talleysparkviewchapel.com and posting your tributes and memories. FRED TALLEY'S PARKVIEW CHAPEL FUNERAL HOME has charge of the funeral arrangements for Mr. Bill E. Pompie. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2087. RAMSEY, MIKE(Obituary No. 2087.), 38 Ocala - William Michael Ramsey, 38, passed away on December 24, 2007. He was born in Louisville, KY and moved here over 25 years ago. He was a HVAC Technician and enjoyed fishing, the ocean, being with family, Gator football and horses. He is survived by his wife Michelle Newbold Ramsey of Ocala, his parents, Eddie and Judy Ramsey of Ocala, his sister, Melissa Sue Pollard of Georgia and his brother, David Ramsey of Ocala. A memorial service will be held on Friday, December 28, 2007 at 6:00 P.M. at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 916 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2088. ROBERTS, REGINA LASHAUNE, (Obituary No. 2088.) 38 Ocala - Regina L. Roberts went home to be with the Lord on Dec. 19, 2007 at North Florida Regional Medical Center. She leaves to cherish her memories Son: Casey Roberts, Daughters: Shakeria Roberts and Shaunetaka Williams, Grandson : Jaden Roberts, Mother: Betty Glover Roberts, Brother: Rudolph Roberts, Sisters: Demetrice Roberts, Barbara (Brent) Turner, Velvet Roberts, she was preceded in death by her father Rudolph Roberts Sr. Funeral Services for Ms. Roberts will be held on Saturday Dec. 29, 2007 11:00am at The House Of God Keith Dom. 2830 N.W.27th Avenue Ocala Fl. Wake service 7:00pm - 8:00pm Thursday, December 27, 2007 at The Theological Seminary. Ms. Roberts will repose on Friday 10am-7pm @ Snow's Funeral Ministry (Baseline Road Chapel) Arrangements Entrusted To Snow's Funeral Ministry "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2089. SEAYS, ELMETT HENDERSON, (Obituary No. 2089.) 82 Blitchton, FL - Mrs. Elmette Henderson Seays, 82, resident of Blitchton, FL died December 8, 2007 after an extended illness. Lifelong resident of Marion County she received her early education in the County's
School System. She was a retired Environmental Specialist. Mrs. Seays was a member of New Chapel Baptist Church Blitchton, FL where she served as a Sunday School Superintendent, church mother, member of choir and home mission board. Services will be held Saturday, December 29th, 2007 11 a.m. at New Chapel Baptist Church, Rev. Isiah James pastor, officiating. Visitation will be at CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL HOME Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m and one hour before the service. There will be no viewing after the Eulogy. Interment will be held at Piney Grove Cemetery. Survivors - One daughter - Gracie Luckey, Ocala, FL., Five Grand, 10 great grands & a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins. Under the directions of CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL HOME "Your Friends Who Care" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2090. SMITH-MCFARLAND, CHARLENE MARGARET, (Obituary No. 2090.) 65 Ocklawaha- Charlene M. Smith-McFarland, age 65, passed away Sunday, December 23, 2007. She was born November 9, 1942 in Kenton. KY. Survivors include her husband Robert of Ocklawaha, five daughters Patricia (husband William) Smith of Ocklawaha, Margaret Schley of Summerfield. Mary D. (husband Ray) Rodriguez, of Titusville, Charlene Kay (partner Steve) of Lithia. Tina Marie Smith-Barber of Ocklawaha, stepdaughters Amy Bronson of Altoona, Nancy Smith of Vermont, nineteen grandchildren, eleven and a half great grandchildren, and a brother Daniel Moening. Preceded in death by her parents Charles & Alice Moening and brother Bill Moening. Services will he 10:00 AM Saturday, December 29, 2007 at Village View Community Church, Summerfield, FL. Visitation will be 5:00-7:00 PM Friday at HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Interment Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2091. WALTON, III, M.D., FACS, DR. THOMAS PEYTON, (Obituary No. 2091.) 85 MacIntosh, FL - Dr. Thomas Peyton Walton, III, M. D., FACS went to be with the Lord on December 18, 2007. He was 85 years old. He was a faithful husband, loving father, and brave patriot. He and his wife, Marilyn, attended Community Presbyterian Church in McIntosh, FL. Peyton was a bible scholar and loved his Saturday morning men's bible study. He fought in WW II as a Second Lieutenant Bombardier. He and his crew were Missing in Action for 45 days when his plane was shot down behind Russian lines. They were transported across country by Russian soldiers to safety. He flew 23 sorties and was awarded many medals for his bravery and good conduct. After the war he resumed his medical studies at Tulane University. earning his M. D. in 1950. He was a prominent surgeon and surgical teacher at Tampa General Hospital for ten years. In 1970 he went to LSU University Medical Center, and was promoted to full Professor of Surgery in 1979. At retirement in 1985, he was promoted to Professor Emeritus. He loved God, family, country. He was known by all as a merciful, gentle and kind man. He was preceded in death by his first wife Marie Montgomery and daughter Sarah Lynn. He is survived by his wife, Marilyn, son Thomas Peyton Walton, IV, and daughter, Jane. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, December 29, 2007 at 1:00 P. M., in the WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME WESTAREA CHAPEL, 823 NW 143rd Street, with Pastor James Walkup, officiating. interment will follow in Laurel Hill Cemetery, Archer, Florida. The family will receive friends on Friday, December 28, 2007 from 5 to 7 P. M., at the funeral home. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA (352) 376-7556 Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2092. WEIBLEY, SR., RALPH LEROY, (Obituary No. 2092.) 73 Ocala - Mr. Ralph Leroy Weibley, Sr., shifted from this pace of life into eternal rest on Monday, December 10, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mr. Weibley is survived by one daughter: Bonnie Weibley,
Ocala, FL; one son: Ralph Weibley, Jr., Ocala, FL; Services entrusted to TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2093. WOTTON, FRANCIS "FRANK", (Obituary No. 2093.) 74 Ocala - Francis "Frank" Wolton, 74, of Ocala, died Saturday, December 22, 2007 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born June 4, 1933 in Providence, Rhode Island. He moved here in 1985 from East Providence, Rhode Island. Mr. Wotton was a Janitor for the City of Ocala and a Currier for Florida Citizens Bank. Mr. Wotton was Catholic and served in the Army during the Korean Conflict. He is survived by his wife Karen Wotton of Ocala, sons Gary Wotton of S. Kingstown, RI., Brian Wotton of E. Providence, RI., brother Chick Wotton of E. Providence, RI., sister Candy Weaver of E. Providence, RI., several nieces and nephews, and 1 Grandchild. Mr. Wotton is preceded in death by his son Steven, mother Irene, father Frederick, brother Frederick, Jr., and sister Marie Brown. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

2094. WRIGHT, CARL RYDELL, (Obituary No. 2094.) 47 Okahumpka - Mr. Carl Rydell Wright, evolved from this stroll of life into perpetual rest at 8:30 pm on Thursday, December 20, 2007 at the Hospice House of Tavares. He was born November 24, 1960. Mr. Wright attended public school in Lake and Marion Counties. He was a member of New Bethel A.M.E. Church, Okahumpka, FL. Mr. Wright is survived by companion Minnie Williams, Leesburg, FL; three stepsons: Derrick, Roderick, and Metris, all of Leesburg, FL; one grandson: Maleek Williams; four brothers: Ernest Wroten (Shirley), Olanta, SC, Arthur L. Wright, Florence, SC, Frank Jordan (Pam), and Willie Ray Wright both of Leesburg, FL; three sisters: Gloria Williams (Charles), Ocala, FL; Annette Wright and Carol Wright (twin sister) both of Leesburg, FL; five uncles: Vernon Wright (Gracie), Hollis, NY; Billy Wright (Sandia), East Orange, NJ; William Wright, Johnny Wright (Deloris) and Alvin Wright (Joyce) all of Leesburg, FL; six aunts: Gracie Price, Sadye Little (Clyde), Bettye Rodman and Linda James, all of Leesburg, FL; Dottie Wright and Florie Wright both of Rochester, NY; sisters-in-law: Aljewel Wright and Glenda Wright both of Leesburg, FL; a special friend: Samuel Lewis and a host of nieces, nephews and sorrowing friends. Public visitation and viewing will be held at New Bethel A.M.E. Church, 27921 Virgil Hawkins Circle, Okahumpka, FL on Friday, December 28, 2007 from 4-8. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 am on Saturday, December 29, 2007 at New Bethel A.M.E. Church, 27921 Virgil Hawkins Circle, Okahumpka, FL, Reverend Willie Denmark, Pastor with Pastor Earnestine Abnery, Eulogist. Interment will be held at Okahumpka Cemetery. Services by TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, INC. (352) 622-2630 - "Where the name is Service in a Highly Favored choice" Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/27/2007 - 12/28/2007.

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2095. BROADHURST, C. LOUISE, (Obituary No. 2095.) 84 Summerfield - Mrs. C. Louise Broadhurst, 84, of Summerfield, Florida, died Monday, December 24 at Tuscany House, in Summerfield. She was born August 12, 1923 in Easton, Wisconsin. She moved here in 1980 from Wyckoff, New Jersey. She was a Homemaker. She was a member of Faith Presbyterian Church in Ocala. She enjoyed bowling and was a member on several leagues. She is survived by: Son Jerry "Rusty" Broadhurst and wife Debra, of Summerfield, Florida, Daughter Joyce Fieldhouse, and husband Jim of Summerfield, Florida, and Daughter Jan Lindsey of Ocala, Florida. She is also survived by One grandson, Scott Fieldhouse of Montana. Donations may be made in her memory to Wycliffe Bible Translators @ PO Box 628211, Orlando, Florida 32862-
Arrangements were handled by FLORIDA CREMATION SOCIETY, The Villages. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2096. **BROWN, RALPH D., (Obituary No. 2096.)** 75 Lantana, TX - Ralph D. Brown, 75, and a previous resident of Ocala, FL. Born on June 10, 1932 in Brockton, Massachusetts. Passed away at his home in Lantana, TX. Ralph is survived by his wife, Benita Brown and two daughters; Denise Hennesy of Argyle, TX and Debra Engel of Seafood, DE and five grandchildren; Erin and Molly Hennesy, Douglas, Daniel and Kelley Snyder. A memorial service will be held at 12 p.m. on Friday, January 4, 2008 at St. Philips the Apostle Roman Catholic Church in Lewisville, TX. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to American Hospice at 1410 N. Elm St., Denton, TX 76201. If you wish to send a condolence or sign at online register book please visit: www.flowermoundfuneralhome.com Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2097. **BURRIS, BILLY V., (Obituary No. 2097.)** 78 Ocala - Billy V. Burris, 78, passed away December 24, 2007 at his home. Born in High Point, North Carolina, he came to this area in 1957 from Jacksonville Beach, FL. He was the retired owner operator of Cardinal Motors of Ocala and Baptist by faith. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Polly J. Burris; sister, Bonnie Kennedy of Thomasville, NC; nephews, Phillip Hackler, his wife Patty and their children, Kristyn and Kevin of Ocala, Larry Meredith, Barry Meredith and his wife Chrissie, and Billy Lyn Meredith and his wife Rosa; nieces, Vickie Romine and her children, Kimberly and David, Deborah Cohen and her husband Marc, Cheryl Harris and her children Billy, Bobby and Jimmy Harris. He is also survived by a brother-in-law, Folger Chamelin, his wife Opal and their children, Martin Chamelin and Lori Smith; cousin Edith Miller. He was preceded in death by his sisters, Evelga Hackler, Gilbretta Johnson and Rita N. Burris; sister-in-law, Nancy McLaughlin. Mr. Burris loved animals and raising his cows, he was also preceded in death by his dogs, Wimpie, Lollypop, Jelly Bean and Lucky Strike. A visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Saturday (December 29th) from 10AM-12 Noon. The Funeral Service will follow at the Funeral Home at 12 Noon with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the Family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Humane Society. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2098. **CULBERTSON, THOMAS L., (Obituary No. 2098.)** 73 Ocala - Thomas L Culbertson, 73, a kind and generous man who never forgot a favor, passed away December 19, 2007. He will be missed by all who knew and loved him. Tom was born February 6, 1943 in Ferndale, Michigan and lived the latter years of his life in Ocala, Florida. He is survived by his son, Steve Culbertson, daughter and son-in-law Jeanne and Dave Hedgepeth; grandchildren, Roberts Culbertson, Charlie and Teri Hedgepeth; and brother and sister-in-law, Ray and Rose Culbertson. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2099. **GRAZIANO, JOHN(Obituary No. 2099.)**, 74 Citra - John Graziano, 74, passed away on December 26, 2007. He was born in Brooklyn and moved to the Florida area in 1990. He was a Transportation Supervisor for Green Bus Lines in Queens. Mr. Graziano was a Catholic. His hobbies included racing pigeons. He was a member of the Marion Co. Racing Pigeons Club. He also bred and showed Pigeons. He is survived by his wife of 27 years Patricia Graziano; daughter Anna Smith of Ronkonkoma, NY; daughter Debra McCrann of Ocala; son John Graziano of Yaphank, NY; brother Richard Graziano of Coral Springs, FL; sister Lena Montalbano of Bayshore, NY; sister Margaret Savino of Sebastin, FL; sister-in-law Janis Santiago of San Diego, CA; grandchildren Michelle, Jenny, Paulie and Caiti; and several nieces and nephews. He was
pre-deceased by his son Tony Graziano. Visitation for Mr. Graziano will be Sunday, December 30, 2-4 and 6-8pm at Hiers Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. A Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated Monday, December 31, 11:00am at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Cremation will follow. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2100. HOSEA, NORMA M. FORREST, (Obituary No. 2100.) 86 Ocala - Norma M. Forrest Hosea, 86 of Ocala, Died Thursday, Dec. 27, 2007 at her son's home under hospice care. Norma was born in Hampton, TN. Came to the Ocala area in 1948 from Live Oak, Fl. Norma was a member of the Ocala 7th Day Adventist Church, served as treasurer of the church for a number of years. Member of the pioneer Garden Club of Ocala, Ocala's Womens Club. She enjoyed gardening and having her family and friends over to enjoy her great cooking, she loved to entertain. She was a graduate of Steed College of Business in Elizabethton, TN. She is survived by: son - Steve Forrest of Ocala, Fl.; daughter - Elaine Woelfel of Ocklawaha, Fl.; son - Tony Forrest of Gray, TN.; Step-son Mark Hosea of Ocala, Fl. Step-son Frank Hosea of Waterville, Maine. Step-daughter Sandra Charity of Ocala, Fl.; 3-sisters Gertrude Frazier, Christine White, and Joy Laws all of Johnson City, TN. Brother - Brooks Montgomery of Arnaudville, LA. Brother- James E. Montgomery of Johnson City, TN. 18 grandchildren, and 26 great grandchildren. Preceded in death by her second husband Frank Hosea, 2 brothers and 1 sister. There will be a viewing Sunday, Dec. 30, 2007 at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL 606 SW 2nd Ave. from 2 PM - 3 PM. With the service to follow at 3 PM at the funeral chapel with Pastor Dave Swinyar conducting the service. Burial will follow at the Forest Lawn Cemetery. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice in memory of Norma. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2101. JONES, IRENE H., (Obituary No. 2101.) 79 Rawlins, WY - Irene H. Jones, 79. A Memorial Service will be held on December 29, 2007 at 2 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Anthony, FL. with Rev. Gwen McCormick officiating. Mrs. Jones passed away on Wednesday, December 19, 2007 at the Carbon County Memorial Hospital at the age of 79. Irene was born in Harriman, Tennessee on May 19, 1928 the daughter of Malcolm and Pearl (Robert) Prince. She had been a resident of Rawlins for the past five years. Irene was a very loving mother who loved her family and her Lord with all her heart. She was a member of the First Southern Baptist Church of Rawlins, and a 25 year member of the Eastern Star in Belleview, Florida. She retired from the Marion County School Board food service. Irene is survived by one son, Ray E. Hill and wife Kathy of Ocala, FL., and one daughter, Ann Clark and husband Ken of Rawlins; one sister, Faye Marshall of McIntosh, FL.; 7 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her daughter Paula Kay Hill and her son Darrell Dewayne Hill; her first husband Paul E. Hill, and her second husband Albert B. Jones. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2102. MILBY, ROBERT VANCE, (Obituary No. 2102.) 68 South Daytona, FL - Robert Vance Milby, 68, retired Volusia County educator and coach, dies of pancreatic cancer at 68. Robert Vance Milby, 68, of South Daytona, died December 22 after battling pancreatic cancer. Mr. Milby was born in Miami, Fla. and was a retired school administrator for Volusia County. A 1957 graduate of Ocala High School, he was named a National High School All-America All-Star for football in 1956 and was a starting fullback for the University of Florida from 1957-59 until a knee injury permanently sidelined his football career. At the University of Florida Mr. Milby was a charter member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and earned his Bachelor of Science degree, before beginning a 30-year career in secondary education as a teacher, coach and
school administrator. He earned his Master of Arts in Education from Northern Arizona University and later became a member of the First Baptist Church Daytona Beach. There he served as a deacon and Sunday school teacher. After retiring from the Volusia County school system, Mr. Milby was an instructor at the University of Central Florida for ten years and helped to start several charter schools in Flagler and Brevard counties. He was also a member of the University of Florida Alumni Association. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Arrilla; son, Robert Milby Jr. of Tucson, Ariz., and daughter Wendy Mallory of Lake Mary, Fla.; two granddaughters, Reagan Mallory and Emma Milby; two sisters, Nancy Herrin of Jacksonville Beach, Fla., and Carla Eaton of Mount Dora, Fla.; one brother, William Milby of Ocala, Fla. Visitation will begin at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, December 29, 2007, at First Baptist Church Daytona Beach, 118 N. Palmetto Ave., with the funeral service immediately thereafter at 12:00 p.m. Dr. Bobby H. Welch will officiate, along with Senior Pastor Tim Mann. A private interment will follow the service. In lieu of other remembrances, the family requests memorial donations be made to an account that has been established at Fifth Third Bank for the benefit of Robert V. Milby Scholarship Fund, 200 E. Robinson St., Mail Drop MBLEAD, Orlando, FL 32801. DALE WOODWARD FUNERAL HOMES is in charge of arrangements. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2103. MURRAY, JOAN VIOLA, (Obituary No. 2103.) 76 Ocala - Joan Murray, 76, passed away on December 26, 2007 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in Buffalo, New York and relocated to South Florida in the early 80's. She moved to the Ocala area in June 2005. Taking care of others was her life's work. She was a devoted daughter, mother, grandmother and friend. Survivors include one son, Charles Murray, Cooper City, FL; two daughters, Sandra Michaud, Eustis, FL and Cheryl Varona, Ocala, FL; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A family remembrance will be held at the home of her daughter, Cheryl. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to Hospice of Marion County or the Alzheimers Association. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2104. PLOW (PLOSCHITZKI), HARRY G., (Obituary No. 2104.) 82 Ocala - Harry G. Plow, 82, passed away December 27, 2007 at the age of 82 in Ocala, FL. Harry was born in Germany on April 19, 1925 and immigrated to America in 1947. He and his wife, Irene, relocated to Ocala from Revere, MA in 1992. As a Holocaust survivor, he devoted much of his time to educating students in the schools of Marion County about the Holocaust. An active member of Temple Beth Shalom, he was also active in Veterans and Family Services, a member of the Jewish War Veterans, on the Board of Ocala Central Florida Symphony and on the Board of the Board of the Marion Chamber Music Society. He was an avid gardener and enjoyed his family and his garden in his retirement. He is survived by wife, Irene M (Lindemann) Plow of 54 years, two daughters Erica Levine (Merrill) of Seattle, WA and Claire Margolis (Arthur) of Newton, MA and four adoring grandchildren, Jesse and Sarabeth Levine and Matt and Rose Margolis. There will be a memorial service at Temple Beth Shalom in Ocala on Sunday December 30th at 11:30 a.m. Remembrance may be made in his memory to Temple Beth Shalom, Ocala FL or charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/29/2007 - 12/30/2007.

2105. POMPIE, BILL E., (Obituary No. 2105.) 83 Armuchee, GA - Mr. Bill E. Pompie, age 83, of #3624 Everett Springs Road, Armuchee, Georgia died Monday, December 24th, 2007 at Emory Hospital in Atlanta, Georgia. A native of Otsego, West Virginia, Mr. Pompie was born on August 23rd, 1924, the son of the late Venanzio and Pilomena Faris Pompie. He had been a resident of Floyd County for 6 years moving here from Ocala, Florida and was of the Methodist
faith. Mr. Pompie was a World War II veteran having served in the U.S. Navy. He was a member of the Marston Masonic Lodge #49 F&AM in Ft. McCoy, Florida, the Low 12 Club, the V.F.W. of Salt Springs, Florida, a member of the Fraternal Order of Police in Miami, Florida and a member of the Northwest Georgia Council of the Boy Scouts of America. For 17 1/2 years Mr. Pompi served as a law enforcement officer with the Dade County, Florida Sheriff's Department. Survivors include his wife, Tony Hearn Pompie to whom he was married on July 18th, 1953; a daughter, Joan Elizabeth Grady of Memphis, Tennessee; 2 sons, Jim Foley of Memphis, Tennessee and Bill Joseph Pompie of Armuchee, Georgia; 12 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren also survive as do a brother, Virgil Pompie of West Virginia. Nieces and nephews also survive. Funeral services for Mr. Bill E. Pompie will be held on Saturday afternoon, December 29th, 2007 at 3 o'clock at Camp Sidney Dew, 3624 Everett Springs Road, with Tim McIntosh officiating. Interment will follow in the Mt. Tabor United Methodist Church cemetery at Everett Springs with Shanklin-Attaway Post #5 Honor Guard conducting military graveside rites. Flowers will be accepted or memorial contribution may be made to the Northwest Georgia Council, Boy Scouts of America, P.O. Box 1422, Rome, Georgia 30161. Mr. Pompie will lie-in-state on Saturday morning from 11 o'clock until the funeral hour at Camp Sidney Dew, 3624 Everett Springs Road, where the family will receive friends from 11 o'clock A.M. until the funeral hour. At other hours they will be at the residence. Please join the family in honoring Mr. Bill E. Pompie by visiting www.talleysparkviewchapel.com and posting your tributes and memories. FRED TALLEY'S PARKVIEW CHAPEL FUNERAL HOME has charge of the funeral arrangements for Mr. Bill E. Pompie. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/28/2007 - 12/29/2007.

2106. ROBERTS, MARTHA (Obituary No. 2106.) , 55 Ft. McCoy, FL - Martha Roberts, 55, died peacefully at her home on Wednesday, December 12. She was born in Greenville, MS, and grew up in West Palm Beach, FL. Martha moved to Marion County in 1975, first living in Citra and then in Ft. McCoy. She had worked as a medical transcriptionist for the past 14 years. Martha was a very thoughtful, creative, and caring person who always thought of others first. She drew great pleasure from her family, friends, and nature. She enjoyed camping, hiking, watching wildlife from her home office window, and spending time with family and friends. Martha is survived by her husband of 30 years, Chris Roberts; her daughter Jessica Roberts-Misterly of St. Augustine; her sisters Patricia Hicks of Young Harris, GA, and Peggy Cavanaugh of Melbourne Beach; and her mother Margaret Richard of Lake Placid. Martha was buried at Glendale Memorial Nature Preserve in Defuniak Springs, FL, on Saturday, December 15. A celebration of her life will be held on Saturday, January 5 at 2:00pm at the home of Michael Hill and Ellie Donovan, 6700 SW 12th Ct. in the Summit III subdivision. Please contact donohill@gmail.com for more information. Memorials can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

2107. THOMPSON, MADALENE W., (Obituary No. 2107.) 85 Madalene W. Thompson, 85, of Ocala, passed away December 27, 2007- She was a lifelong resident of Marion County, a homemaker and a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. She is survived by her sons, John and David Thompson both of Ocala and Donald Thompson of Charlotte, NC; daughters, Patricia Love of Savannah, GA and Laura Reynolds of Ridgeland, SC; brother, Ted Whitfield of Bakersfield, CA; sister, Isabel Wilson of Thomasville, NC; 22 grandchildren and 28 great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN CHAPEL (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Sunday (December 30th) from 6-8 PM. The Funeral Service will be held at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (1831 SE 18th
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2108. BOESTFLEISCH, JR., FRANK, (Obituary No. 2108.) 58 Summerfield - Frank Boestfleisch of Summerfield, FL passed away on Thursday, December 27, 2007 in Ocala, FL. Born in Flushing, New York, he had made Spruce Creek Country Club his home for the past year. He retired as a Bank Vice President with 32 years of service culminating with Bank of America in New York. He was Roman Catholic in faith and a 3rd degree member of the Knights of Columbus. Survivors include his wife of 35 years Rita, son Louis Boestfleisch and wife Melanie, soon to be granddaughter Grace Hope, all of Habershan County, Georgia, brother Ronald Boestfleisch and wife Josephine of Newburg, New York. A Funeral Mass will be held 7:00 p.m. at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, FL on Friday, January 25, 2008. An Additional Funeral Mass will be held in New York on a date to be determined. Donations may be made to: The United Mitochondrial Disease Foundation, 8085 Saltsburg Road, Suite 201, Pittsburgh, PA 15239 or rose or butterfly bushes for the family's home in Summerfield, FL. Arrangements by HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL 34420. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/30/2007 - 12/31/2007.

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2112. PLOW PLOSCHTIZKI, HARRY G., (Obituary No. 2112.)  82 Ocala - Harry G. Plow, 82, passed away December 27, 2007 at the age of 82 in Ocala, FL. Harry was born in Germany on April 19, 1925 and immigrated to America in 1947. He and his wife, Irene, relocated to Ocala from Revere, MA in 1992. As a Holocaust survivor, he devoted much of his time to educating students in the schools of Marion County about the Holocaust. An active member of Temple Beth Shalom, he was also active in Veterans and Family Services, a member of the Jewish War Veterans, on the Board of Ocala Central Florida Symphony and on the Board of the Board of the Marion Chamber Music Society. He was an avid gardener and enjoyed his family and his garden in his retirement. He is survived by wife, Irene M (Lindemann) Plow of 54 years, two daughters Erica Levine (Merrill) of Seattle, WA and Claire Margolis (Arthur) of Newton, MA and four adoring grandchildren, Jesse and Sarabeth Levine and Matt and Rose Margolis. There will be a memorial service at Temple Beth Shalom in Ocala on Sunday December 30th at 11:30 a.m. Remembrance may be made in his memory to Temple Beth Shalom, Ocala FL or charity of your choice. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/29/2007 - 12/30/2007.

2113. ROBERTS, MARTHA(Obituary No. 2113.)  55 Ft. McCoy, FL - Martha Roberts, 55, died peacefully at her home on Wednesday, December 12. She was born in Greenville, MS, and grew up in West Palm Beach, FL. Martha moved to Marion County in 1975, first living in Citra and then in Ft. McCoy. She had worked as a medical transcriptionist for the past 14 years. Martha was a very thoughtful, creative, and caring person who always thought of others first. She drew great pleasure from her family, friends, and nature. She enjoyed camping, hiking, watching wildlife from her home office window, and spending time with family and friends. Martha is survived by her husband of 30 years, Chris Roberts; her daughter Jessica Roberts-Misterly of St. Augustine; her sisters Patricia Hicks of Young Harris, GA, and Peggy Cavanaugh of Melbourne Beach; and her mother Margaret Richard of Lake Placid. Martha was buried at Glendale Memorial Nature Preserve in Defuniak Springs, FL, on Saturday, December 15. A celebration of her life will be held on Saturday, January 5 at 2:00pm at the home of Michael Hill and Ellie Donovan, 6700 SW 12th Ct. in the Summit III subdivision. Please contact donohill@gmail.com for more information. Memorials can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

2114. THOMPSON, MADALENE W., (Obituary No. 2114.)  85 Madalene W. Thompson, 85, of Ocala, passed away December 27, 2007- She was a lifelong resident of Marion County, a homemaker and a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. She is survived by her sons, John and David Thompson both of Ocala and Donald Thompson of Charlotte, NC; daughters, Patricia Love of Savannah, GA and Laura Reynolds of Ridgeland, SC; brother, Ted Whitfield of Bakersfield, CA; sister, Isabel Wilson of Thomasville, NC; 22 grandchildren and 28 great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, DOWNTOWN
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2117. FUELLING, ARTHUR "ART", (Obituary No. 2117.) 80 Belleview - Arthur "Art" Fuelling, 80, Belleview, FL, passed away Dec. 27, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. Born in Albertson, NY, he relocated to Marion County in 1981 from Dix Hills, NY. He was an Operating Engineer, a parishioner at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, where he served as a Eucharistic Minister. He was a Life member of VFW Post 3211, Hicksville, NY, and a member of the international Union of Operating Engineers, Local 138, NY, he enjoyed farming and had the skills to fix just about anything. Art is survived by his wife of 57 years, Helen Fuelling, Belleview, FL, daughters, Mary Lou Fuelling and Robert Quinn, Hicksville, NY, Barbara (Jack) Bento, Hunting, NY, sons, David Fuelling, Deer Park, NY, and James Fuelling, Farmingdale, NY, brothers, Clayton Fuelling, Bellmore, NY and Clarence Fuelling, Albertson, NY as well as by grandchildren, Steven Fuelling, FL and Ryan Quinn, NY. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, January 1st between the hours of 2-4 & 6-8 PM at ROBERTS FUNERAL
HOMES BRUCE CHAPEL EAST. Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated on Wednesday, January 2nd at 11 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Candler; FL

2118. JEFFCOAT, ALVIN D., (Obituary No. 2118.) 62 Ocklawaha, Alvin D. Jeffcoat, 62, passed away on Thursday, December 27, 2007 at his residence. Born in Lubbock, Texas he had made Ocklawaha his home for the past four years moving from Jacksonville, FL. He was retired from the U.S. Navy as a Communication Specialist. He was preceded in death by his wife Sue. Survivors include; three sons, John and Richard Jeffcoat both of Ocala, FL, and James Jeffcoat of Jacksonville, FL. Arrangements by HIERS FUNERAL HOME, 910 S.E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/31/2007 - 1/1/2008.

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2121. TOWNSEND, MARJORY B., (Obituary No. 2121.) 92 Ocala - Marjory B. Townsend, age 92, of Ocala, FL passed away on December 19, 2007 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Townsend was a retired Repair Consultant with Rochester Telephone Company of New York after 25 years of service. She moved to Ocala from Canandaigua, NY. She was Methodist by faith. Mrs. Townsend enjoyed her grandchildren along with playing cards, and reading. She is survived by her sons Richard Townsend of Ocala, FL; James Townsend of Lockport, NY; Dale Townsend of Ocala, FL; her daughters Loretta Case of Canandaigua, NY; and Barbara Treat of Lake Weir, FL; ten grandchildren; 23 great grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild. Mrs. Townsend was predeceased by her husband Richard W. Townsend. Funeral Service for Mrs. Townsend will be held on January 2, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 S.W. 110th St., Ocala, FL with Rev. Dr. Ken Kleckner,
III officiating. Visitation will be one hour before the service. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Published in the Ocala Star-Banner from 12/31/2007 - 1/1/2008.